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March 12, 2023

From Your Pastor

Paul began his letter to the Philippian church like this: To all the saints in Christ Jesus who are in Philippi.

“To the saints ...” You know, the church at Philippi was not much different than our church, or any church, we have attended. It was completely full of sinners!

The word “saint” comes from the Latin “sanctus” which means set apart, sacred, or consecrated. Modern dictionaries tell us that saints are those who live faithfully and strive for holiness. Saints live their lives in fidelity to God’s grace.

So, when Paul called these friends at this church “saints,” he saw them for what they strived to be; he saw them for who they were becoming. Paul also recognized that God was equipping them with a particular set of skills to be his church right then and there.

What if we remembered that we are saints in the making, saints on the way? This is not by our own doing, but through the mercy of God. The Spirit is empowering us to be the church needed right here in this place, and right now at this time.

Blessings to the saints, Ande

Missions & Ministry

WOMEN ON MISSION

March 21

10:30 am - in the Fellowship Hall. Emphasis on North American Missions with promotion of the Annie Armstrong and CBF Global Missions Offerings. Speaker: Travis Henderson, director of Montgomery Village Baptist Center. Ministry: toothbrushes and toothpaste or love offering for Montgomery Village. Lunch to follow (reservations not required). Everyone is welcome.

FOUNTAIN CITY MINISTRY CENTER

A big THANK YOU for the overwhelming and generous donations of children’s clothing and money for the FCMC clothing closet. Because of you, many needs will be met. Continue to remember us while cleaning out your kid’s clothes as the seasons change. Thanks again!!

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Download the app on your phone or
go to d365.org to follow this devotional
through the season of Lent.

Discipleship

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sunday at 9:15am

There are groups/classes for all ages!! For more details, contact Josh Beeler (Adults/Youth), or Cheyenne Duffy (Children).

WEDNESDAY NIGHT LIFE RESUMES MARCH 22

Pre-K through Kindergarten6 - 7:30pm Children's Space

Grades 1 through 56 - 7:30pm Children's Space

Grades 6 through 127 - 8:45pm Youth Space

WEDNESDAY NIGHT FOR ADULTS

Adult Choir Rehearsal 6:15-7:30pm

Facebook with Ande Myers.....7pm

MEDIA CENTER

Sunday, Wednesday

Come and take advantage of the resources your church library has to offer! Open Sunday 8:45am-10:20am; and Wednesday 9:30am-12pm; 2-4pm; 5:30-6pm

ATTENTION COLLEGE STUDENTS

The 2023-24 scholarship application is now available on our website (www.cbfc.org/ministries/youth) and from the church office. Please bring completed applications to Karen (or email kfecco@cbfc.org) in the church office by **April 2**. Scholarships for Carson-Newman University students, or students attending a Christian college or seminary, are also available from the Tennessee Baptist Foundation. To apply, go to www.tbfoundation.org, click on "Student Scholarships." Their deadline is April 15.

Family Info



IN THE HOSPITAL

Dan Yarborough - Tennova North

HOSPICE

Elender Coile

HOME FROM THE HOSPITAL

Judy Palmer

Ed Mitchell

THANK YOU

A thank-you card has been received from Denise Brown & family

The Lynnwood Parking lot
(in front of the Family Life Center entrance)

WILL BE CLOSED

Monday, March 13 - Friday, March 17 for paving.

Please park across the street and
use the elevator entrance to access the FLC.

Worship & Stewardship

FINANCIAL REPORT MARCH 5

	<u>Required</u>	<u>Received</u>	<u>Last Year</u>
3/5/2023	\$29,615.38	\$23,082.00	\$27,080.23
YTD	\$681,153.85	\$644,359.57	\$653,211.10
Morning Worship			335
Sunday School Attendance			273

PRESCHOOL WORSHIP WORKERS

MARCH 12 Kim Millard, Beki & Hadley Brooks, Alice & Jason Martin

MARCH 19 Avery Brewer, Kate Cooper, Kristi Pendley,
Barbara Newman, Lynn Bates

Classic

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Prelude	<i>Andante</i>	Mendelssohn
Welcome to Worshipers		Rev. Josh Beeler
Scripture Reading	<i>Psalms 95:1-6</i>	Rudy Worthington
Hymn No. 52	<i>O Worship the King</i>	
Scripture Reading	<i>Romans 5:1-11</i>	Rudy Worthington
Choral Worship	<i>He Gave It All</i>	arr. Keveren
Hymn No. 182	<i>Alas, and Did My Savior Bleed</i>	
Offertory Prayer		Jeff Ault
Offertory	<i>O Rest in the Lord</i>	Mendelssohn
Scripture Reading	<i>John 19:25b-27</i>	Rev. Josh Beeler
Choral Worship	<i>Mercy Tree</i> Michelle Lakin, Soloist	arr. Martin
Message	<i>The Seven Last Words</i> "Woman, here is your son... Here is your mother."	Rev. Josh Beeler
Hymn No. 500	<i>Just As I Am</i>	
Benediction		
Postlude	<i>Finale in F</i>	Wilson

The Sanctuary flowers are placed in celebration of Melinda and Reggie Waddell's 50th wedding anniversary.

Online

You can also join us online at www.Vimeo.com/cbcfc

Catalyst

Welcome to Worshipers		Ande Myers
Moment of Silence		
	<i>You Were On the Cross</i> <i>Glorious Day</i> <i>Firm Foundation</i>	
Offering & Prayer		
	<i>Gratitude</i>	
Message	<i>The Seven Last Words</i> "Woman, here is your son... Here is your mother."	Ande Myers
Response/Invitation		
	<i>Come Thou Fount</i>	

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