March 31, 2024 Vernon Informer

EDDIE'S EDITORIAL

Be sure to remember our Lads/Leaders group as they head to Nashville Thursday. We wish them the best as they develop their talents from year to year. It is always a very tiring weekend with many miles walked at the convention. Looking forward to hearing from them after they return.

Did you hear about the Elevation church in Charlotte, N.C.? This church is a mega church and when it comes to its beliefs most anything goes as long as it is pleasing to the crowd. This past week it was announced that in order to not offend anyone the words calvary, blood of Jesus, resurrection and other words would not be said during the service. With the church expecting a large number, due to Easter being this weekend, they didn't want to offend anyone by using such words. I guess the next move is to remove such words from the Bible itself.

This is the direction that religion is taking in America. Keep watering it down till it is unrecognizable. This doesn't bother many because all they are wanting to hear is something that gives them the warm fuzzies. When it comes right down to it they are ashamed of the scriptures. More about pleasing man than God.

It was Peter who said in Acts 5:29, "We ought to obey God rather than men." May we always seek first to please God.

Looking forward to seeing you Sunday. Eddie

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Prayer list:

GREG BARDON is home recovering from by-pass surgery.

JOE RAYFIELD will be having surgery March 28 in Birmingham.

NELL TOMLIN, Kathy Heatherly's mother, is not doing well at home.

LARRY PAGE, Tracy Windle's brother, is home from the hospital.

HARLEY TUCKER, student at Sulligent H.S. is in Children' hospital in B'ham in critical condition.

Remember our shut-ins in your prayers: Robbie Collins, Lola M. Edwards, Linda Livingston, Jean McGee, Liz Randolph, Jo Seay, Norma Stanford.

PRAYERS

A.M. Glen Butler P.M. Jason Burks

SONG LEADERS

A.M. - Joe McNees

P.M. – Mike Randolph

WED -McKenlee Bardon

Announcements – Austin Brown

Contribution - John Windle

Lord's Supper – John P. Robertson

Security – 3-31–Alvin Foster, Chris Crimm 4-3 -Bill Pennington, Matt Rouse

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES:

April 7 – Bible Bowl practice at 4:00.

April 7 - Bible Bowl at Detroit.

Landon's Letters

Well it is here! The weekend that so many have been preparing for since last fall. Lads 2 Leaders will be taking place all over the United States this weekend and several other places later on in April. Our teens and little children have been training in song leading, speech, and many other events they will take place in. While the competition aspect of it is fun we need to be praying that more will come from these experiences than just a trophy! Be praying that these young people will one day be able to lead the Lord's Church from gaining this experience!

We would love for you to be praying for our safety as we all travel to and from Nashville this weekend!

What's Going On With The Youth

March 28-31 Lads 2 Leaders Convention in Nashville.

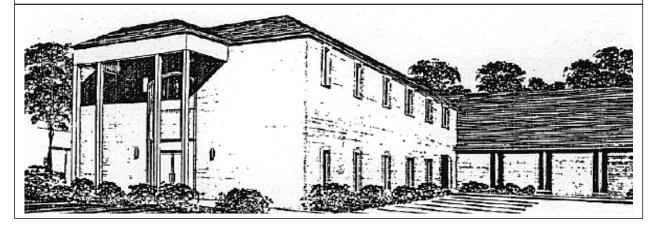
March 31st Lads 2 Leaders recap after the evening service.

April 7th Bible Bowl Practice @4pm.

April 7th Bible Bowl @ Detroit.

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ELDERS

Glenn Butler Allen Chandler Burt Hankins Hugh Windle

DEACONS

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Alvin Foster
Kurt Hankins
Curtis Heatherly
Mike Randolph
John P. Robertson
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Schedule of Services
Sunday Bible Study 10:00 a.m. Sunday Morning Worship
10:45 a.m. Sunday Evening Worship 5:00 p.m. Wednesday
Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

"The churches of Christ salute you . . ." Romans 16:16