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EDDIE'S EDITORIAL

If you are fortunate enough to have siblings you know that at times things can get difficult. Some call it a sibling rivalry when the competition between siblings can become fierce.

So, what if Jesus were your brother? Jesus did have siblings according to John 7:2-5. On this account His siblings were ashamed of Him and wanted Him to leave town and do His miracles elsewhere. There was just too much controversary and they didn't want to be a part of it. On another occasion when the crowd gather at their home the family told the crowd that "He was out of His mind" (Mark 3:20-21).

But the good news is that His siblings gradually came around to believe that their brother was the Son of God. In Acts 1:14 we find a group of individuals having prayer after Christ ascended back to heaven. Among those there were His brothers. They were now believers. They had witnessed the death of their brother and now witnessed His resurrection and ascension. They were now true believers.

I suppose every family has their moments and the family of Jesus was no different. With time their faith grew into becoming strong disciples. May our faith grow as well. Eddie

OUR RECORD	
Sunday Bible Study	100
Sunday Morning Worship	146
Sunday Evening Worship	82
Wednesday Night Bible Study	86
Contribution	\$2957

Prayer list:

LARRY RUSHING had tests this week and waiting for results.

JIMMY BOGUS, Jennifer Welch's father, is not doing well.

RANDY JONES, son of Robbie Collins, is undergoing cancer treatments in Nashville and requests our prayers.

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

There are trash cans at the back of the auditorium and in the foyer for disposing the communion cups and candy wrappers. It would be appreciated if you use these and not the songbook racks or pews. Thanks. PRAYERS A.M. Austin Brown P.M. Lynn Pennington

SONG LEADERS A.M. – Joe McNees P.M. – Jason Burks WED –McKenlee Bardon Announcements – John R. Johnson Contribution – Nathan Murphy Lord's Supper – Landon Olson

Security – 4-28–Jimmy Rogers, Alvin Foster 5-1- Randy Thomas, Austin Brown

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES:

April 30 – Deadline to sign up and pay \$95 for Legacy (Jul 18-21)

May 5 – High School senior reception after the evening service. Everyone bring finger foods. Our seniors this year are: McKenlee Bardon, Julianne Burks, Kirsten Burks and Malik Walker,

June 23-26 – Vacation Bible School at Vernon.

During the month of May the Vernon congregation is in charge of the devotional services at Generations. Group ONE is in charge of the May 5 service.

Landon's Letters

In a few short weeks our high school seniors will be walking across the stage to receive their diplomas that they have worked so hard for! When they step off of that stage they will no longer be a student in the Lamar County School systems something that they have been a part of for a huge portion of their life to this point. We want to congratulate them for achieving this milestone and we are excited to see where they go from here! One thing is for sure that if you keep God first you can go far in this life if you rely on him! Lets all join together in praying for them and their journey through this life!

Congratulations to our Lamar County High School graduates Mckenlee Bardon, Julianne Burks, Kirsten Burks, and Malik Walker!

What's Going On With The Youth

April 30th Deadline to sign up and pay \$95 for Legacy (Jul 18-21).

May 5th Senior Reception after pm service.

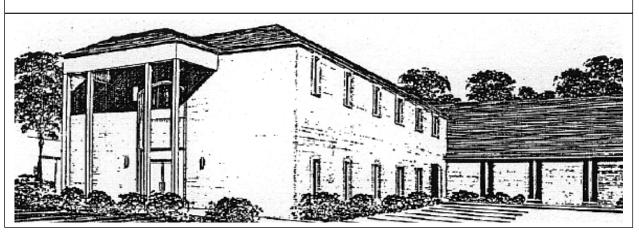
June 2-7th Maywood Christian Camp

June 23-26th Vacation Bible School

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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.

MINISTER Eddie Finch ASSOC. MINISTER Landon Olson

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