

# EDDIE’S EDITORIAL

If you were asked who is king, you might say, king of what? If one asked, who is the king of rock and roll, you might say, Elvis. However, another might say, Chuck Berry. If one asked, who is the king of county music, you might say, George Strait. However, another might say, Waylon Jennings. If asked who is king of the blues, you might say BB King. But another might say Albert King. If asked, who is the king of wrestling, you might say, Jerry “The King” Lawler. Others might say, Hulk Hogan or Randy “Macho Man” Savage. If asked, who is king of the jungle, you might the mighty lion. But others might say, the elephant, due to its size. So, we see opinions do vary on the king subject.

In John 18 Pilate asked Jesus if He was the “king of the Jews?” Jesus assured him that His kingdom was not of this world. Yes, Jesus was a king but not of a worldly kingdom but a spiritual kingdom.

When it comes right down to it, it doesn’t matter who the king of rock and roll is, or king of the blues or king of country music or king of wrestling or even the king of the jungle. What matters is if the true king, Jesus, is king of our life. It makes all the difference now and in the next life to come. Eddie.

OUR RECORD	
Sunday Bible Study	101
Sunday Morning Worship	138
Sunday Evening Worship	71
Wednesday Night Bible Study	55
Contribution	\$3375

**Prayer list:**  
LARRY RUSHING is in the hospital at DCH Tuscaloosa.

TERRY STEPHENS, Brandon Stephens’ and Teralee Brown’s father, is in St. Vincent’s hospital in Birmingham.

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

PRAYERS
A.M. Robert McNees
P.M. Randy Thomas
SONG LEADERS
A.M. – Jason Burks
P.M. – Malik Walker
WED – Malik Walker
Announcements – Jerry Merchant
Lord’s Supper & Contribution – Lynn Pennington, Malik Walker, Phillip Bennett, Randy Thomas
Ladies to prepare Lord’s Supper: Liz Guyton
Security –5-25, Brandon Stephens, Austin Brown
5-28 – Bill Pennington, Corey Funderburk

**UPCOMING ACTIVITIES:**  
May 25-27 – Gospel Meeting at the Westside Church of Christ. See bulletin board for details.

June 1 – Meeting for all parents and youth in fellowship room after the AM service. Meal will be provided.

July 13-16 – Vacation Bible School at Vernon.

During the month of May the Vernon congregation is in charge of the devotional services at Generations each Sunday at 3:00. Group Four is in charge of the May 25 service.

## Landon's Letters

In Luke 6:27-36 we read some of the words that Jesus spoke that many of us have a hard time following. Those words were pertaining to those who do harm to us or say things about us. The human nature would be to seek revenge, but Jesus says the opposite. He says to love our enemies and do good to those who hate us. I am sure we all have struggled with having this mindset many times because that is the last thing most people want to do to someone who has wronged us. The thing is though if we are striving to be like Christ we need to do this very thing! He even prayed for the people who beat him and put him on a cross. If Christ can do that surely we can pray for those who have said hurtful things to us at some point!

We are going to do some service work this summer and with that being said we are in need of some work to do. If you have any or know of anybody who might need some help please let me know either in person or by phone. It will be a great opportunity for our teens and adults who are willing to help if we can get some lined up!

Our Vacation Bible School will be here before you know it which is going to be July 13<sup>th</sup> through the 16<sup>th</sup> this year. If you would like to help out with it please let me know! We need volunteers for all of the different rooms including: teachers, skit room, craft room, and the game room. If any of these you would like to participate in we will get you plugged in!

### What's Going On With The Youth

Please turn in your Legacy registration fee as soon as possible.

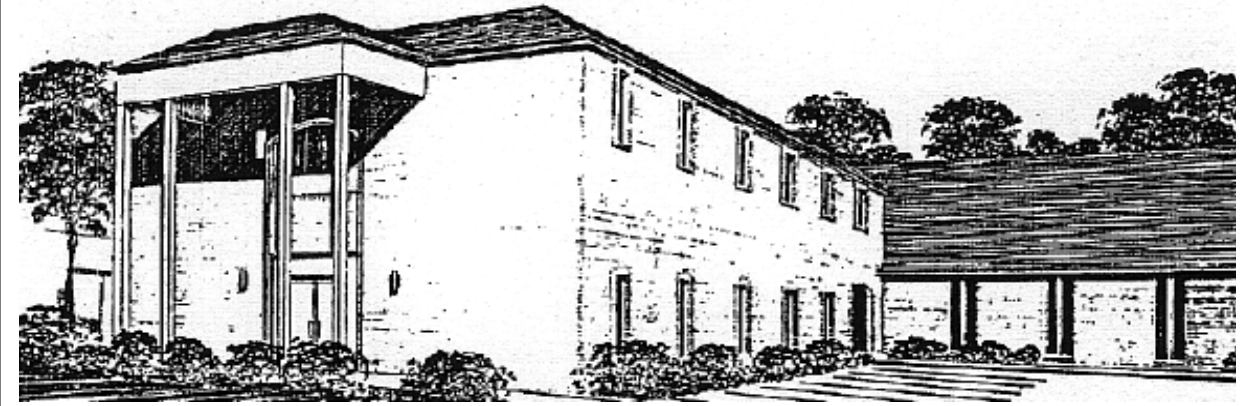
June 1-7<sup>th</sup> Maywood Christian Camp

June 8<sup>th</sup> Summer kickoff cookout @ Cantrell's house

May 25, 2025

VERNON INFORMER

## VERNON INFORMER



### **ELDERS**

Glenn Butler  
Allen Chandler  
Burt Hankins  
Kurt Hankins  
Hugh Windle

### **DEACONS**

Jason Burks  
Alvin Foster  
Curtis Heatherly  
Mike Randolph  
John P. Robertson  
O.Z. Rhudy

### **MINISTER**

Eddie Finch

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Landon Olson

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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