

EDDIE’S EDITORIAL

It was great to attend Polish the Pulpit last week and even greater to be back home. There were a lot of speakers covering a lot of different topics during this event and I appreciate being allowed to attend.

If you were ever wondering what takes place at Polishing the Pulpit you now can have access to all the speakers and topics covered each year. PTP has made it possible for congregations to subscribe to their webpage and each member can have access to the thousands of lessons on this website. The elders at Vernon thought this to be a good way for each member to increase their knowledge of God’s word. There is a yearly subscription cost in which the church will cover so be sure to take advantage of this great opportunity to learn. I have the information available on where and how to log on and start viewing the many programs available. I hope each member will take advantage of this golden opportunity.

Looking forward to seeing you Sunday. Hope everyone stays for the lunch and 1:00 service. Eddie

OUR RECORD	
Sunday Bible Study	95
Sunday Morning Worship	145
Sunday Evening Worship	74
Wednesday Night Bible Study	62
Contribution	\$3659

Prayer list:
DON RUSHING is home from rehab.
FLORA HAWKINS is home recovering from a broken wrist.
LAURIE RHUDY is home recovering from knee surgery.
LINDA LIVINGSTON will be having a skin cancer removed from her scalp Thursday.

Remember our shut-ins in your prayers: Robbie Collins, Lola M. Edwards, Jean McGee, Cynthia Morton, Larry Rushing, Jo Seay, Norma Stanford.

During the month of August the Vernon congregation is in charge of the devotional service at Generations each Sunday at 3:00. Youth Group is in charge of the August 31st service.

PRAYERS
A.M. Kurt Hankins
P.M. John P. Robertson
SONG LEADERS
A.M. – Glen Bardon
P.M. – Jason Burks
WED – Mike Randolph
Announcements – Jerry Merchant
Lord’s Supper & Contribution – Jason Burks, Greg Bardon, McKenlee Bardon, Malik Walker
Ladies to prepare Lord’s Supper: Kathy Finch
Security –8-31, Mark Thomas, Jimmy Rogers
9-3 – Corey Funderburk, John Windle

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES:
Aug. 31– Bible Bowl practice after fellowship meal.
Aug. 30 – Baby shower for Kirsten Burks and baby Kolton at the Kennedy Old School at 3:00.
Aug. 31 – 5th Sunday fellowship followed by the 1:00 afternoon service.
Sept. 3 – Ladies Bible class begins in the fellowship room.
Sept. 7 – Bible Bowl at Kingville.

Landon's Letters

Throughout our process of making a move we have been going through the home buying process and that brings on many different decisions to be made. One of which is the selection of homeowner's insurance and because of this I have been on the phone with several different agents trying to get our best quote. During this time, it got me thinking about insurance in general and how it relates to Christians.

Life is full of uncertainties and none of us know what tomorrow will bring according to James 4:14 and because of this many people consider all types of insurances: health, life, car, and home owner's insurance. While some might think that buying insurance would be a lack of faith in God's care, I think we can take a different view if we consult scripture. Having insurance can be like planning ahead. Like the proverb writer commends the ant for storing up food in proverbs 6:6-8. Having insurance can be a part of caring for your family like Paul talks about in 1 Tim. 5:8. While it is a good thing to get insurance as Christians our ultimate trust should be put in the Lord first! Let's remember that while insurance can protect our material things only God can protect and secure our souls!

What's Going On With The Youth

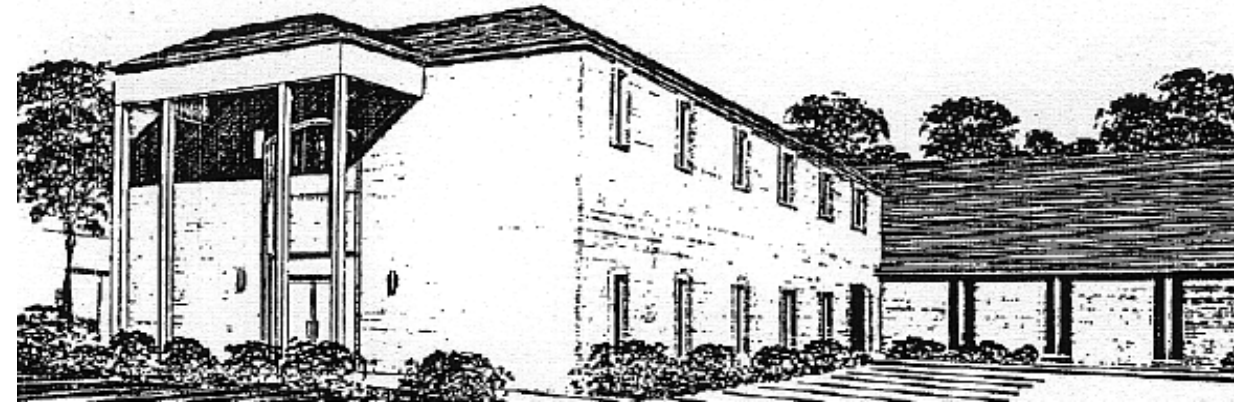
August 31st Bible Bowl Practice in between services

September 7th Bible Bowl @ Kingville

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ELDERS

Glenn Butler
Allen Chandler
Burt Hankins
Kurt Hankins
Hugh Windle

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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