

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!



- May 16 Danny Stewart
- 17 Johnny Brooks
Ginger O’Kain
- 18 H.D. Minish
- 21 Peyton Wesley
- 22 Darlene Abbott
Aliveea Fisher
- 24 Terry Roberts
- 25 Brittany White
- 26 Will Scott
- 27 Mary Long

WEEKLY OFFERING RECORD

	04/08/18	04/15/18
Total Offering	5876.00	9878.58
Budget	5164.00	7094.58
Designated	712.00	2784.00
SS Attendance	82	87

CHURCH STAFF

- Brian Scott, Pastor
- Elijah Tafao, Minister of Music
- Jack Abbott, Minister to Students
- Judy White, Secretary/Bookkeeper
- Jean Helbig, Pianist
- Rudolph Nemeth, Organist



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CHILDCARE SCHEDULE

April 22, 2018

Birth-Two

Jenny Mitchell

Preschool Praise

Spencer and Christina Clagg

Children’s Church

Norma Carter and Marilyn Kerley

April 29, 2018

Birth-Two

Betty McMahan and Jackie Harris

Preschool Praise

Kelsie Suggs and Judy White

Children’s Church

A volunteer needed

BUILDING CLOSING

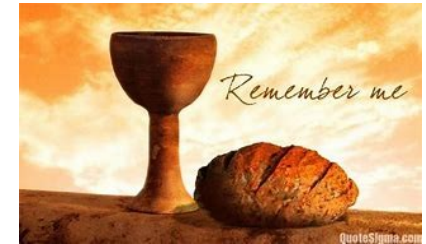
April 22 Danny Stewart

April 29 Steve Knicely

LORD’S SUPPER

April 29, 2018

10:50am



SENIOR ADULT LUNCHEON

May 3, Noon

Please sign up on office bulletin board.



SAVE THE DATE

72nd HOMECOMING SUNDAY

May 27, 2018

Dinner on the grounds following morning service.



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Church family,

Recently, I had a conversation with a fellow minister in town and we were discussing what all ministers get around to discussing. It started with a question that went something like this, "So how are things going at the church?" This question isn't always as benign as it may appear. Before I answer these kinds of questions I always have to conduct an internal, lightening-speed round of introspection to be sure I answer in honest, positive way. Actually, I want to be sure I give the Lord the credit that's due Him. So in this recent ministerial Q & A session, I began to share that things at the church were going very well. I reflected that there has always been and continues to be a noticeably vibrant spirit in our gatherings. Our worship has energy and expression. Our prayers are deeply authentic. Our ears, hearts, and minds are open to hearing from God's Word. Our hands and arms are extended in Christ-like hospitality to church family and guests alike. People, young and old, are responsive to the Spirit of Christ moving in their hearts. And most of all, the presence of Jesus can be felt and encountered. I told my minister friend that, though Robertsville is getting some age on her (72 this year), the "old girl" is still rocking right along, hand in hand with our Lord Jesus. Let's gather again this Sunday and keep rocking with Jesus.

See you Sunday,
Brian

HAPPY EASTERTIDE!

Did you know that the season of Easter lasts 50 days? The Christian calendar follows the Jewish Festivals of Passover (Hebrew *Pesach* - where we get Pascal) and *Shavu'ot* (in Greek *Pentecost* for 50th). Eastertide is the joyful season of worship between the resurrection of Jesus and the coming of the Holy Spirit at the Feast of Pentecost, 50 days later. With the coming of the Holy Spirit, Jesus' promises (what the prophets foretold) were fulfilled of a Helper to come alongside us (Greek *Paraclete*). Jesus' resurrection and the Holy Spirit's coming accomplished what we could never attain on our own. How are you continuing to celebrate Jesus' resurrection? Let's celebrate and worship as the Spirit empowers us to be witnesses of the resurrection!

Elijah Tafao

ADDED TO OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Will Caylor
114 Nesper Rd.
Oak Ridge TN 37830

SYMPATHY

Pastor Scott and the church family wish to express its Christian sympathy to Jnell Pleasant in the death of her brother, Norman Pleasant; to Johnny and Margaret Brooks and family in the death of his brother-in-law, Herman Queener.

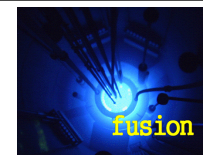
PUERTO RICO TEAM MEETINGS



- May 6
- May 20
- June 10
- June 24

All meetings are in Fellowship Hall following morning service. Bring your own lunch.

FUSION YOUTH MINISTRY



I would like to thank the church for allowing to me to step into my new role at the church on Tuesdays and Thursdays as the Custodial/Maintenance person. Last week was my first week and I really enjoyed preparing the sanctuary for Sunday's worship service. For me this kind of labor is worship. I almost feel guilty that I get to claim sole responsibility for this preparation each week. I have been asked to prepare a list of tasks that a volunteer wanting to worship the way I do could participate on their own time. So, I will be working on this and have it posted in Room 212. Feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

Love in Christ,
Jack Abbott

RAM SUPPLIES

Deadline for supplies is April 22.

- Bottled water
- Kitchen paper towels
- 55 gallon garbage bags

Please notify the church office if you are planning to bring supplies.