

1701 Pippin Road
Cookeville, TN 38501
(931) 372-9113
pippincoc@gmail.com
<http://www.pippincoc.com/>

Sunday AM Bible Study	9:30 AM
Sunday AM Worship	10:30 AM
Sunday PM Worship	5:30 PM
Wednesday Bible Class	7:00 PM

Elders

Eddie Frizzell	(931) 526-3505
Gary Medley	(931) 528-8768
Roger Mayberry	(931) 537-3265

Deacons

Colonel Wheeler	(931) 526-5808
Greg Frizzell	(931) 265-2192
Kale Burchett	(615) 533-9134

Preacher

Randy Bybee	(931) 268-0912
--------------------	----------------

Welcome

The Pippin church of Christ extends to you a cordial welcome. We hope the services have been uplifting, and you will want to return at every opportunity.

Our purpose in meeting is to worship God in Spirit and in truth. God is a Spirit, and they that worship Him must worship Him in Spirit and Truth. John 4:24

How to Become a Christian

Hear the Word - Romans 10:17
Believe - Mark 16:15
Repent of Past Sins - Luke 13:3
Confess - Romans 10:9
Be Baptized - Acts 2:38
Remain Faithful - Revelation 2:10

Radio Programs

The Lord's Way
AM 920 WLIV - Tuesdays @ 10:10AM

A Challenge to Think
AM 1400 WHUB - Sundays @ 9:05AM

Volume 35, No. 9

I Need Thee Every Hour

By Ron Thomas

“What you have learned and received and heard and seen in me-- practice these things, and the God of peace will be with you....And my God will supply every need of yours according to his riches in glory in Christ Jesus” (Philippians 4:9, 19 ESV)

Peace and tranquility in life is very important to each of us. Sometimes, however, it seems to be missing. In Scripture there is a peace from God that is never missing. Paul reminds us of that in the two verses from Philippians 4. We are also reminded of this in the song we sing, “I need thee every hour.” Let us reflect on a few thoughts from the song.

1) No tender voice like thine can peace afford. There is nothing like the soothing voice of a mother to help when the pain of life is so great it makes one immobile. Jesus’s voice is tender (Matthew 11:28-30), but let us not think it is so tender than He does not demand that we turn from our sins and live righteously (Ephesians 5:17, 17). It is unfortunate that many in this world look upon Jesus as only a tender voice that calls us from despair, and while He is that, I am glad He is certainly that and more.

2) Temptations lose their power when thou art nigh. When you are tempted, and the temptation is overwhelmingly powerful, to whom do you turn in this time of crisis? Or, perhaps, a better question might be, do you turn away from the temptation? Temptation hits us all differently, but also with a good deal of sameness (if you will). In times of weakness, it is the time when the Lord’s name is not only on our lips, but in our heart. Though we are vulnerable, He is our strength.

Sometimes the temptation is so great the ability to withstand seems impossible. Consequently, we just say to ourselves, “I will pay the price later.” The problem is, when later comes, the price is every bit as oppressive as the original temptation. The weight of guilt is oppressive, and those who give in are called to run from the continuing danger in soupy mud two feet thick.

(continued on back)

SERMON TOPICS

Morning	Making Havoc of the Church	Acts 8:3
Evening	Reflections on Saul's Conversion II	Acts 9:6-9

PRAYER LIST

THOSE STILL IN NEED OF PRAYERS - Continue to remember those who are recovering from recent surgeries and illnesses. Also, pray for the ones who have lost a loved one.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

TIME CHANGE 2018

Remember the time change next weekend, March 11.

LADIES DAY 2018 AT EAST MAIN IN MURFREESBORO

East Main will host a ladies day April 7, 2018. Speaker: Denise Martin. Breakfast and registration will begin at 8:15 a.m. 9 a.m. - noon with lunch served at noon.

ELECTRONIC BULLETIN

If you are interested in receiving an electronic copy of the bulletin prior to Sunday via email, you can sign up at www.pippincoc.com and enter your email address in the box on the right of the page.

BULLETIN UPDATES

The bulletin is a great communication tool. If you have updates, additions or removals of sick please let one of the deacons know so the appropriate updates and changes can be made.

(continued)

3) In joy or pain, come quickly and abide or life is vain. There is no person like a Christian who has life laid out in such a way the path is clear. Some who try to live without the Lord can turn to a loved one to help in time of need, but sometimes that loved-one has no answer, no solution to the deep and dark counsels of one's heart. To who, then, does a non-Christian turn? The Christian turns, and continues to turn to the Lord, for only He can give an answer and solution to most emptiness of life, taking the "vainness" away and giving hope. Sometimes, however, the taking and giving experience can be painful. What will you gain for your pain?

4) O make me thine indeed, thou blessed Son. God's love is so great that His Son came to this earth to not only give us relief from sin, but hope to tread our way through this life. More than that, however, He came to give us life, life in Him, in the Father's Son. "For ye are all the children of God by faith in Christ Jesus. For as many of you as have been baptized into Christ have put on Christ" (Galatians 3:26-27, KJV).

Does peace flow like a river through your soul? It won't if the love of God is not center-seat in your heart. It may be a challenge for each of us to find that desired peace, but the peace we should desire is the peace that comes from God, surpassing all understanding.

All Month - March

Table	Joey Frizzell
Tray Preparation	Carol Mayberry
Table Assist	Harold Frizzell John Lane Josh Lawson Vestle Hensley

Sunday AM Worship

Announcements	Kale Burchett
Lead Singing	Andrew Pippin
Read Scripture	Mike Martin
First Prayer	Colonel Wheeler
Last Prayer	Andrew Scott
Greet at Door	John & Myra Jones
Slide Production	Kale Burchett

Sunday PM Worship

Announcements	Kale Burchett
Lead Singing	Larry Jackson
Read Scripture	John Lane
First Prayer	Mike Martin
Last Prayer	Josh Lawson
Slide Production	Kale Burchett

Wednesday Bible Class

Announcements	Kale Burchett
Lead Singing	Joey Frizzell
Read Scripture	Conner Swallows
First Prayer	Joe Brown
Last Prayer	Dennis Chaffin
Slide Production	Kale Burchett

Happy Birthday

Shirley Lane	3/11
Hunter Wattenbarger	3/13
Peyton Bean	3/16
Chad York	3/16

Happy Anniversary

Gary & Amy Medley	3/10
-------------------	------

Daily Bible Reading

Leviticus 17-18; Mark 9:1-29	3/4
Leviticus 19-20; Mark 9:30-50	3/5
Leviticus 21-22; Mark 10:1-31	3/6
Leviticus 23-24; Mark 10:32-52	3/7
Leviticus 25; Mark 11:1-18	3/8
Leviticus 26-27; Mark 11:19-33	3/9
Numbers 1-2; Mark 12:1-27	3/10

Question for the Week

What lawyer did Paul command Titus to bring on his journey diligently?

Answer to Previous Question

What was the name of Joseph's older son?
Manasseh; Gn. 41:51; 48:14