Pippin church of Christ

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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

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Beware the Band Wagon!

By Joe Slater

A band wagon was a large, decorated wagon upon which a musical band performed, often at the front of a parade. As spectators applauded the musicians, other people might jump onboard and ride along, hoping to share in the glory. When the music stopped and the applause died down, however, the extra passengers would jump right back off. Thus, the practice of joining any popular trend came to be known as "climbing onto the band wagon."

In New Testament days, multitudes of people were converting to Christ. They faced the danger of the "band wagon" effect just as we do. Paul taught some of them: "as you have always obeyed, not as in my presence only, but now much more in my absence, work out your own salvation with fear and trembling" (Philippians 2:12). To work something out is to see it through to completion (think of "working out" a math problem – you cannot stop in the middle of your calculations, but must complete the process).

Happily, our brethren in the Jerusalem church were not band wagon disciples. Luke mentions four items (Acts 2:42) in which they continued steadfastly:

The apostles' teaching. First, they continued to be taught by the apostles. Second, they constantly behaved in keeping with what the apostles taught them. Being a Christian involves life-long learning and growing. When you stop learning and growing, you start dying! Fellowship. The church is a spiritual family. Going it alone is next to impossible. The early church regularly spent much time together, sharing one another's joys, sorrows, successes, and failures. When fellowship wanes, disciples weaken and may perish.

The breaking of the bread. We need constant reminders of Jesus and what He did for us at Calvary. The Lord ordained Communion (the Lord's Supper) upon the first day of each week (Acts 20:7) for this very purpose. "Do this in remembrance of Me" (Luke 22:19).

Prayers. Paul wrote to the Colossians to "continue in prayer" (4:2). Jesus taught that we ought always to pray and not lose heart (Luke 18:1). Did you pray yesterday? Pray again today! Did you pray this morning? Pray again tonight!

Let us not treat the Lord and His church like a band wagon. When we obeyed the gospel, we committed ourselves to a lifetime of faithfulness. May we continue steadfastly as the early disciples did!

SERMON TOPICS

Morning	Only On Sunday?	Lk. 9:23
Evening	What Thy Hand Findeth To Do	Ecc. 9:10

PRAYER LIST

VESTLE HENSLEY - He is doing well after his recent eye procedure. He will have another procedure June 13th.

JAMES FRIZZELL - He is suffering from some serious health issues. He is the husband of Wanda Frizzell and the brother of Harold Frizzell.

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.

MISSIONARIES - Remember to pray for those who spread the gospel around the world.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

GOSPEL MEETING

Brother Randy Bybee will be speaking at the Rockliff Church of Christ 5384 Viola Road, McMinnville, TN 37110

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.

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.

Answer to Previous Question

What was the name of the high priest who allowed the enemy of God's people to live in the temple? Answer: Eliashib; Neh. 13:4ff

All Month - June		
Table	Gary Medley	
Tray Preparation	Denese Bybee	
Table Assist	Chad York	
	Harold Frizzell	
	Josh Lawson	
	Larry Jackson	
Sunday AM Worship		
Announcements	Lester Boles	
Lead Singing	Eddie Frizzell	
Read Scripture	Colonel Wheeler	
First Prayer	Mike Martin	
Last Prayer	John Lane	
Greet at Door	Chad & Denise York	
Slide Production	Greg Frizzell	
Sunday PM Worship		
Announcements	Lester Boles	
Lead Singing	Andrew Scott	
Read Scripture	John Jones	
First Prayer	Joe Brown	
Last Prayer	Joey Frizzell	
Slide Production	Greg Frizzell	
Wednesday Bible Clas	s	
Announcements	Lester Boles	
Lead Singing	Joey Frizzell	
Read Scripture	Dennis Chaffin	
First Prayer	Gary Medley	
Last Prayer	Roger Mayberry	
Slide Production	Greg Frizzell	
Happy Birthday		
Jewel Flatt	6/11	
Harold Frizzell	6/17	
Ralph Mabry	6/20	
Gary Medley	6/22	
Corie Beth McDonald	6/22	
Happy Anniversary		
Dale & Judy Flatt	6/10	
Colonel & Ida Wheeler	6/11	
James and Sherry Scott	6/19	
Daily Bible Reading		
1 Kings 3-4; Proverbs 1; Galatians 3 6/2		
Proverbs 2-4; Galatians	•	
Proverbs 5-7; Galatians	5 6/12	
Proverbs 8-9; Galatians	,	
Proverbs 10-12; Acts 16		
Proverbs 13-15; Acts 16:22-40		
Proverbs 16-18; Philipp	oians 1 6/16	
Question for the West	,	
Question for the Week In what city did Jesus pe		
recorded miracle?		