

PAYNESVILLE CHRISTIAN CHURCH EPISTLE

JOE'S JOURNAL

We are looking forward to Revival services again this fall with the Hanover Christian Church, Lexington Christian church and Paynesville Christian Church participating on three Sunday evenings of worship, praise, fellowship and spiritual renewal. Mark these dates on your calendar, and bring your family and friends for a wonderful time of inspiration in the Lord. All services will begin at 6:30 p.m. You will be blessed by the preaching, special music, and a time of refreshments and fellowship after each service.

The schedule for this year is:

Sunday, October 20, 6:30 pm~

Joe McKay preaching at Hanover Christian Church

Sunday, October 27, 6:30 pm~ Mitchell

Hutchins preaching at Paynesville Christian Church

Sunday, November 3, 6:30 pm~ Mark Roseberry

preaching at Lexington Christian Church

GET THE REVIVAL DOWN PAT!

P ~~PRAY

A ~~ATTEND

T ~~TELL OTHERS.

WE'LL SEE YOU THERE!

JOE

“Go Ye Into All the World,,,”

Recently, Peter Ignatius spoke to the congregation during morning services. Ignatius is the President of Lakeview Bible College and Seminary in Chennai, India. He is also the minister of a church he planted there. Lakeview has been around about 20 years. Their church planting arm-SIGMA (Serving Indian Gospel Mission in Action) –has been functioning for seven years and have planted about eight churches in un-reached areas of the country. The seminary trains ministers and church planters through academic work and (required) practical outreach during each semester. Paynesville has used Lakeview-SIGMA for our VBS

offering the past three years. We have raised \$900.00 for Lakeview-SIGMA in that time. India is only one half the size of USA, but has 3 times as many people. It is estimated that there are 300 plus minor gods in the country and less than 2% are Christians.

Rylan <>--

“On Sunday are you serving the Lord or the devil?”

Therefore, Brethren, hold steadfast the tradition which you were taught, by word and our Epistle. II Thess 2:13

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YOUTH NEWS

Just do it.....God's Way. As summer draws to a close and a new school year begins, we are challenging the youth in Jr. Church to obey God--whatever He says. James tells us to not just listen to **God's Word**, but to actually do what it says. At church, home or school we want all of the youth to put their faith into practice by obeying God.

During Vacation Bible School we learned about the Apostle Paul's obedience to God in the face of danger and problems. We had 24 (kids and adults) at our first ever VBS at Hanover Park on Saturday, July 20 and we had 20 the following Sunday afternoon at the church. Thanks so much to Jonita Hardy and Janice Stanley for leading craft/memory verse time, Teresa Lawson and Kathy Stevens for organizing snack time, Loren Bair for running the games, Arleen Smith for being the group leader, Coragen Stevens and Tessa Martinez for being song leaders and doing puppets, Josef Stevens for puppets, Joe McKay for taking so many nice pictures, Debbie Bair for running the sound system, and Lee Smith for grilling. VBS was a great time for all. Thanks so much to all of the youth and adults who volunteered and obeyed God's call to service.

On June 22, fourteen of us carpooled to Spring Mill Park. We had a blast picnicking, exploring the Pioneer Village, looking around in the Space Museum, and my personal favorite-taking a cave boat tour. It was a great time of fellowship for the families of the church. Also, twelve of us visited the Louisville Zoo on May 25. It was a great day with great weather! We enjoyed seeing the animals, playing in the splash park, and riding the carousel.

August 25 we will have another family outing. We will be going to play miniature golf in Madison and then on to Pizza Hut for some pizza and fellowship. We hope all the youth can join us at 6:00PM. We wish to invite the congregation to go golfing and pizza-ing with us! Thanks to Janice Stanley for teaching Jr. Church on August 18 while Katie and I were out of town!

To God Be the Glory!

<>- Rylan

A Sunday School teacher began her lesson with a question “boys and girls, what do we know about God?” A hand shot up in the air, “He is an artist” said the kindergarten boy. The teacher asked, “How do we know that?” The boy replied, “you know, ‘Our Father who does art in Heaven’”. Smile!

Reference Check: Matthew 6:9 & Luke 11:2

MOVIN' ON ~~~ The lock installation has been completed. On July 20, several gathered and cleaned the former house site of debris. The stand at the Jubilee was renovated last year and there needs to be a new roof this year. Attempts to find a close match to the window glass in the sanctuary. Sweeper needs repair and copier has been serviced.



As has been the tradition of the congregation for many years, a monetary and clothing drive were a part of the donations to CRADLE in May. There were 22 knitted or crocheted blankets made by Alethea & Linda Sutherland, 2 quilts, 29 garments and other infant needs. The monetary donation was \$292.26 which included the May baby bottle campaign and the annual birthday and anniversary coins.

Sympathy is extended to the families of: Nancy Burton, Judy Grubbs, George Morgan, Mary Allen Sucokou (Gary Allen's daughter), Mary Newman Powers (daughter of Sandy Newman, dec.), Rachel Mozier, Roy May and Judith Bair Adams. Judy joined the congregation as a youth and was very blessed with the ability to create beautiful and exquisite craft articles. In the 1960's Judy initiated the selling of crafts at the Jubilee, which funded the youth activities. Judy used her talents as a member of the congregation to the betterment of all. There was a donation given to the church in her memory for a camper this year.

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Bro. Joe McKay, minister
Rylan & Katie Allen, Youth Leaders



There was a very gracious lady who was mailing the family Bible to her brother in another part of the country. "Is there anything breakable in the package", asked the Postal Clerk. She replied, "yes, the Ten Commandments."



Each Lord's Day a member of the congregation brings a spiritual blessing with music. We thank each and everyone for that. It is a special day for us all when "Lee Smith and the Leettes" perform. Their song was "All the Day Long" with pictures depicting the words of the song on the screen during the May 19th performance. .

YOU'LL FIND THE BEST 'FINE DINING' AT PAYNESVILLE COUNTRY DINER



The menu:

VITTLES

Green Beans, Mashed Taters, Rolls, Friend Chicken, White Gravy all served on red and white covered table cloths.

For dessert:

Jada's Peanut Butter Pie
Pecan Chocolate Chip pie
Blackberry Pie
(with ice cream)

The servers (the youth) were in western dress with accompanying country music.

It was a wonderful day for all. We give them a "big ole thank you!"

FROM THE CORNERSTONE:
From the "Crafton's Corner" news column in the *New Washington Courier*, dated August 20, 1931
"The revival meeting at Paynesville Christian Church closed Sunday night with twelve additions." From the "Saluda Sayings" Mr. and Mrs. O.N. Bayless and son Bushrod and Mr. and Mrs. Rollie Moore with children, Cecil and Hazel visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Goldsberry. Loren Roberts, an ex teacher of this township, has opened a 5 cent and 10 cent store in Carrollton, Ky. The revival services at Paynesville closed Sunday. Baptismal rites were administered to seven converts. Basket dinner was served. Special music at each service made the meetings enjoyable." (2013 editors' note- Otherwise are we to assume that the services would not have been enjoyable without music??) Give a Chuckle.

THE 147TH JUBILEE SEPTEMBER 6 & 7

The church will have its booth again this year. Helpers are needed to hand out free items and to meet the festival goers. The traditional free Bible will be given to registered guests and a large print Bible will be a gift for the longest married couple. This year there will be a special pen given to couples. **STOP IN**

MEET AND GREET

<p>SERVICE TIMES: SUNDAY WORSHIP 10:30 AM TUESDAY – BIBLE STUDY 6:30 pm</p>
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