



Mid-Week Informer

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A COMMUNITY OF GRACE
THAT IS **GROWING**
AND **GOING**

UPCOMING EVENTS:

FEBRUARY

- Sunday School Teacher Lunch and meeting on Feb. 24th after AM service
- Bro. Barry Jeffries Preaching at Bethel Baptist Feb. 25th

PRAYER WARRIOR
Bill Rhodus

GROW Teams
March Meetings on Your
Teams Night

Rightnow MEDIA
(Interested in access-email
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ON MISSION: Always & Everywhere



Name: _____

Specific Prayer Request: _____

From Your Pastor: *Living with Urgency*

How then will they call on him in whom they have not believed? And how are they to believe in him of whom they have never heard? And how are they to hear without someone preaching? And how are they to preach unless they are sent? As it is written, "How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the good news!" **Romans 10:14-15**

On Tuesday morning, Mrs. Arber Della Meadows passed away. Last week, Harold and Arber Della celebrated 75 years of marriage. I've shared before how blessed I was to see the love that was shared between Harold and Arber Della. Harold said, "I'm sure going to miss her." Arber Della was a unique lady in so many ways. She was as honest and blunt as anybody I ever met. I remember the time she asked me if I was putting on a few pounds! Arber Della loved the church and was always asking about how things were going and how other people were doing.

The thing that I will remember the most is her concern for those whom she thought might be lost. She was concerned about family members, neighbors, and her roommates. She would often say, "maybe you can talk to them about the Lord" or "you need to talk to my roommate because I don't think she knows if she is saved or not." After preaching through Revelation, I hope we all have a little greater urgency in sharing the gospel and making sure friends, relatives, neighbors, and associates are ready for the Lord's return. Arber Della lived with that kind of urgency. Arber Della didn't hesitate to encourage people she knew and loved to share how to have a saving relationship with Jesus Christ.

I'm not sure why we don't have the urgency for the lost as past generations. Maybe we are too comfortable? I asked for people to put somebody on a "Who's Your One?" card and let me join you in praying for them this year. I got 15 cards back. Sometimes we wonder why we don't see more people getting saved. Maybe there are a few reasons. Maybe we don't have gospel conversations very often. Maybe we seldom invite the lost to come to church. Maybe we seldom pray for lost people. Maybe we are not burdened to see lost people get saved. Maybe we think that since we have our ticket to heaven punched, we don't have to worry about anyone else. Maybe we aren't intentional in building relationships with our lost neighbors. Maybe we don't pray, fast, and weep over our lost family and friends. Maybe we are sure of our own relationship with Jesus Christ.

Maybe, just maybe, Arber Della's concern for the lost might challenge you to be more intentional about sharing Christ with those who are far from Him. Maybe you want to join me in praying for Austin, Colton, Connor, Colton, Devin, Doug, Drew, Dustin, John, John, Kurtis, Liz, Lydia, Mariam, Michael, Rebecca, RJ, Sandra, Slade, and Trace. Maybe you will be intentional about participating with the GROW team in your area to reach your community for Christ. Jesus is coming, let's make sure the people we know and love are ready. Let's go share the good news! **Bro. Harold**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHER SPAGHETTI LUNCH & MEETING: Sun. Feb. 24th after AM Service in the FLC. (Meeting for Teachers and Assistant Teachers and their families.)

MARVELOUS MONDAYS: Bro Barry Jeffries will be preaching at Bethel Baptist (Bro. Stephen's church) in Harrodsburg on Monday Feb. 25th. If anyone is interested in going, we can take a bus and would need to leave at 5:30 PM.

UPWARD BASKETBALL & CHEERLEADING: Final games of the season are this Sat. Feb. 23rd from 9 AM-7 PM. Upward Celebration is Thursday, March 7th at 6:00 PM at the Garrard Middle School gym. Upward Sunday will be March 10th. We will have donuts, juice, etc. for them around 9:30 AM. Please make them feel welcomed.

BASCOM (SAM) OWENS: Bascom is from Lancaster Baptist and has been a missionary in Italy (and other places) for several years. He will be preaching at LBC on March 3rd.

STUDENT CAMP: Summer Camp for 6th through 12th Grade will be July 2nd - 6th at Cedamore. Sign-up now. \$50 deposit will be required by 3/24/19.

BOTTLES OF BLESSING: Please return your baby bottles with change by Sun. Mar. 10th to the front table or church office. Thank you!

FINANCIAL PEACE UNIVERSITY: Sunday Evenings at 5:30 PM. If interested, please see Ray or Jennifer Pevley.

REVIVE 2019 EXERCISE CLASSES: YogaFit™ Mondays at 6:00 PM, Refit on Tues and Thurs @ 6:00 PM. Both classes are in the Multipurpose Room.

MISSION TRIPS 2019: Sign up now for El Salvador (6/8-6/15 and 6/22-6/29), Alaska (7/7-7/13) or Haiti (TBD).

GROW TEAMS: Grow teams will begin meeting again this week to pray and plan outreach areas for 2019. Please make plans to be here on your district's particular night. Green Team will meet Mar. 4th at 7:00 PM. Red Team will meet on Mar. 11th at 6:00 PM.

AMERICAN GOSPEL: CHRIST ALONE: This important movie will be shown on Sun. Evenings, Mar. 3rd & 10th here at LBC at 5:30 PM.

HAVEN CARE CENTER: Open House at their new location (464 South 4th St. in Danville) on Fri. Mar. 15th and Sat. Mar. 16th from 9 AM-6 PM. All invited!

PRAYER REQUEST (*Pray without ceasing... 1 Thessalonians 5:17*) Della Hall – (859) 548-9250

Jayce April	Randall Grant	David & Debbie	Derek Smith	LBC
Daniel Armstrong	Deborah Gumm	Middleton	John "Bubba" Smith	Bro. Harold & Family
Linda Baird	Barbara Hackney	Nancy Moberly	Carol Sparks	Bro. Nehemiah & Family
Jennifer Baker	Barb & Leland Hall	Betty Montgomery	Tyler Stratton	Bro. Gary & Family
Sue Ballard	Jeanne Hall	Allen Moore	Andy Sutton	Bro. Michael & Family
Dorothy Bennett	Phillip Haynes	Phil & Vicki Murphy	Mike Sutton	Chervens
Sunnie Brock	Eva Hicks	Ralph Murphy Family	Oda Taylor	Our Deacons
Scott Brown	David Holland	Ruby Padgett	Bro. Leon Thomas	Our SS Teachers
Bob & Janice Bryant	Dixie Holman	Hildreth Patterson	Sue Thompson	Church Leaders
Denny Bullock	Misty Horton	Samantha Rush-Peek	Crystal Tudor	Adam and CJ
Kaleigh Burkhardt	Judy Hoskins	Faye Poff	Beth Turner	College Students
Eric Caldwell	Sara Hoskins	Brenda Powers	Mildred Underwood	Lost
Lisa R. Caldwell	Carolyn Hunt	Amber Rankin	Isaac White	COMMUNITY
Jerry Carrier	Jakobe & Family	Robert J. Reister	Danny Wilson	County Judge (Wilson)
Lisa Caudill	Lonnie Jenkins	Bo Renfro	HOMEBOUND	City Mayor (Norton)
Clay Clark	Cheryl Johnson	Johnny Reynold	· Betty Arnold	Representative
Sally Jo Clark	Melody Jones	Kelly Richards	· Marie Black	(Brenda)
Levi Clontz	Austin Jordan Family	Betty Rigsby	· Nellie Cole	Police/Sheriff Dept.
Tracy Cook	Julia Kay	Derek Roach	· JoAnn Grow	Fire/EMS
Rosa Cranfill	Don King	Bobby Robbins	· Anna Meadows	Schools
Ron Crutchfield	Barbara Knock	Liz Robinson	· Marie Naylor	Lost
Dorsey Davis	Buffy Lawson	Lisa Logan Rogers	· Katherine Sowder	NATION
Ruth Dean	Michael Lemay	Dave Ruda	LANDMARK	President (Trump)
Frances Deshon	Leon Lenore	Leroy Russell	· Mary (Pug) Adkinson	Governor (Bevins)
Elizabeth Durham	Mandy Lynch	Bob Schrock	· Lois Carrier	Legislatures
Stephanie Elam	Darin Mackey	Betty Scott	· Margaret Land	Armed Forces
Nathan Floyd	Sue Major	Mike Sexton	· Virginia May	Missionaries
Jimmy Flynn	Sherry Martin	David Simpson	· Tina Montgomery	Persecuted Christians
Joyce Frizer	Lindsey Meadors	Virginia Simpson	· Dorothy Shockley	Spiritual Awakening
Dorothy Gider Family	Arber Della Meadows	Elizabeth Smallwood	· Billy Williams	
Gereline Gilliam	Family	Danny Smith		