



*We love sharing the truth of God's Word!*

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Summit

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*Christ Came, Died, was Buried,  
Resurrected, & will Return*

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Sunday 11am Worship

Sun. 6pm Bible Study & Devotional

Wednesday 7pm Bible Study

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## THE PATH TO VICTORY

Brad Herald

Psalm 25:2 "In you I trust, O my God,  
Do not let me be put to shame,  
nor let my enemies triumph over me."

Countless Psalms speak about enemies. Enemies are those who oppose not only us, but also God's way of living. While David was primarily referring to actual people, enemies can come in many different forms. We can view temptations such as, drugs and alcohol, money, success, lust, as our enemies.

David prayed to God to ask for God's help to keep his enemies from overcoming him, not only because they opposed what God stood for, but also, because he did not want his enemies' success to be an obstacle to the faith of others.

Psalm 25:3 "No one whose hope is in you  
will ever be put to shame,  
but they will be put to shame,  
who are treacherous without excuse."

If his enemies succeeded, David feared that many would think that living for God was futile. David did not question his own faith; he knew that God would triumph.

Psalm 25:4 "Show me your ways, O Lord, teach me your paths."

David now prays to express his desire for God's guidance. How do we receive God's guidance today? The first step is to want to be guided and to realize that God's primary guidance system is in His Word. By reading the Bible and constantly learning from it, we will gain the wisdom to perceive God's direction for our lives.

When we face enemies or struggles in our lives, we may be tempted to demand answers from God, but David prayed and asked for God's help, for God's direction, and for God's guidance. When we are willing to seek God wholeheartedly, to learn from his Word, and to obey His commands, then will we receive His specific guidance.

Psalms 37:39-40 "The salvation of the righteous comes from the Lord;  
He is their stronghold in time of trouble.

<sup>40</sup>The Lord helps them and delivers them;

He delivers them from the wicked and saves them,  
because they take refuge in Him."



## From Neville's Desk...

### FINDING RELIEF

There is a real need for Jesus Christ in our world. This has led to a populous filled with pain. They are thirsting for the living water that flows from only one source. However, as they search for their "balm of Gilead", they find many who ensnare them by prescribing positive mental attitude or pills – which only serve to mask their pain. But what they really need is their Savior.

From the wilderness, the Prophet Cries out: Jeremiah 8:22 (ESV), Is there no balm in Gilead? Is there no physician there? Why then has the health of the daughter of my people not been restored?

To which the well-known African American Spiritual

answers: *There is a balm in Gilead To make the wounded whole; There is a balm in Gilead To heal the sin-sick soul.*

In Psalm 31:1-2, David gives us a personal example of how he applies God's medicine.

In you, O Lord, do I take REFUGE; let me never be put to shame; in your righteousness deliver me! Incline your ear to me; RESCUE me speedily! Be a ROCK of REFUGE for me, a strong fortress to save me!

Friend, you have been carrying your burden too long! Right now, call to Him for RESCUE. Then run to Him, the ROCK of His REFUGE. The Rock of His Refuge is His Body in this World. Join us today!



### AMEN!

Robert Murphy

Why do we say "amen" at the end of a prayer? Or, better, why do we usually not say "amen" at the end of a public prayer? What does this word even mean? I've thought a lot about these questions the past several months and it has led me to certain convictions for why I say "amen" and how public prayer works.

The English word "amen" comes from the Latin *amen* which comes from the Greek *amēn* (ἀμήν) which comes from the Hebrew *amen* (אמן). The Hebrew word was used as a declaration meaning "surely!" or "let it be so!" or "it is trustworthy!" It was spoken by the Israelites after Moses pronounced the curses on those who broke God's commandments in Deut. 27. Here, **to say "amen" is like signing your name on a document written up by another person.** It shows that you agree with the terms of what was said and

acknowledge them as your own. This is why doxologies (i.e., praises of God; e.g., Jude 25) always end in "amen." Additionally, whenever someone spoke in a Christian assembly, the listeners would say "amen" in agreement with what was said (see 1 Cor 14:6).

I used to think that when I listen to a prayer lead by another, that I was supposed to say my own prayer in my head and follow along with the contents of what the person was praying. However, as my understanding of what "amen" changed, so did my prayer life. For in our public prayers, we ought to say "amen" when we agree with what was prayed. By saying "amen," we metaphorically sign our name to the prayer as though we ourselves said it. Thus, we all – men, women, and children – ought to say "amen" at the end of a public prayer, given that we agree with what was prayed. We also should not be afraid to say "amen" during a sermon when we agree with the lesson. This is what the early church did. We should practice it all the same.

# News, Notes & Announcements...



## GUESS WHO'S COMING TO DINNER

Saturday, March 26th. Whether you're a host or guest, both will be a surprise! Sign-up sheets are on the bulletin board. Please see Douwene with any questions.

## TEACHERS FOR NEXT QUARTER

The sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board. If you are interested and/or have questions, please see Steve Proctor, an elder, or someone who has taught class before.

## 2022 COMMUNION PREPARATION

There's a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board.

## POTTER CHILDREN'S HOME GLEANER CANS

Available for pick-up. Please contact the office if you would like a can to fill.

## LADIES DAY AT CHURCH OF CHRIST ON FISHINGER RD.

Saturday, March 5th. Sign-up sheet and flyer are on the bulletin board in the foyer.

## March Wedding Anniversaries

Adam & Cori Fuller	14th
Dave & Nancy Carnes	23rd
Dimitri & Becky Baloglou	28th

## UPCOMING EVENTS...

YOUTH RALLY AT CEDAR SPRINGS CHURCH OF CHRIST  
Saturday, March 12th. Jerry Elder will be the speaker. Please see Cori Fuller or Daryl Denham if interested or with questions.

## FAMILY WORKSHOP

There will be a Family Workshop/Seminar at Summit with Adam & Leah Faughn on Saturday, April 30, 2022 from 9am-2pm. This seminar is meant to encourage and educate parents as they seek to raise godly adults.

## Summit's Prayer List

*Pray for these - Send a card - Make a call - Visit someone - Help with needs - Encourage someone today!*

Alisha Proctor Experiencing vertigo  
Anthony McMurray Trip to ER after falling down a flight of steps  
Clara Downard Many health struggles over the last couple of months, she is now wheelchair bound and living in a nursing care facility  
Ethan & Mona Judy (friends of Fuller family) Ethan has stage 4 stomach cancer  
Jimmy Hutchings Waiting for biopsy results  
Joy Adams Recovering from cancer surgery on 2/25  
Lori Bell Tore ACL & MCL, surgery March 10th  
Lucy Ferguson Knee brace limits her mobility but doing well  
Melanie Schaefer Recovering from knee replacement surgery  
Michelle Robbins (Dalys' daughter) Recovering from thyroid surgery  
Pam Bezold (friend of Tracy Menetrey) Diagnosed with breast cancer, waiting on treatment plan  
Samantha Pearson Testing to determine if she needs open-heart surgery  
Tom Smith In rehab at Cold Spring Transitional Care

### Cancer

- Dan Read (Dan McNeese's friend) Tumor is shrinking
- Dave Hammer, Jr (Sharon's son) Cancer is stable
- Ruthann Taylor- Radiation treatments
- Vickie Steffan (Jeff Brown's sister) Chemotherapy
- Wayne Young (Ann Young's son) Cancer in remission

### Long-term Needs

- Evon Herald- Onset of dementia
- Joey Adams- Needs a suitable group home
- Kerri Herald- Pray for her ability to be independent as an adult
- Parker Webster- Juvenile diabetes
- Peggy Holt- Recovering from a stroke
- Raye Arroyos (Melissa Denham's mom) Recovery from her stroke is going well
- Stephanie Gilliam (Mike Hein's friend) Liver failure

### Shut-In Members

- Billie Rogers
- Clara Downard
- Dana Fuller
- Harold Painter
- Lloyd Eastham
- Shirley Holt

### Ongoing Requests

Ben Buchanan-Alaska mission  
Neville Buchanan-counseling work  
For our country and our leaders  
For our members to grow in the Word  
Our Community's lost souls  
Summit's planning efforts for the future  
Summit Family-greater love for one another  
Summit's Deacons-encouragement in service



## ~ Order of Worship ~

**Song Leader:** Billy Herald  
*Call to Worship #474 Thank You, Lord*  
*Hymn #535 The Glory Land Way*

**Opening Prayer:** George Reagan  
*Hymn #538 My Hope Is Built*  
*Hymn #350 When My Love to Christ Grows Weak*

**Lord's Supper:** Michael Braswell

**Offering:** 2 Corinthians 9:10  
*Hymn #458 Redeemed*

**Scripture Reading:** Roy Gentry

**Message:** Neville Buchanan  
*Invitation Hymn #911 Bring Christ Your Broken Life*

**Closing Prayer:** Billy Herald

### SERMON NOTES:

#### A FAMILY'S PRAYER

#### EPHESIANS 1:15-23

1. WHAT WE H\_\_\_\_\_, EPHESIANS 1:15-16

2. WHAT WE N\_\_\_\_\_, EPHESIANS 1:17-18

3. WHAT WE MUST K\_\_\_\_\_, EPHESIANS  
 1:18-23

Do you have an item for **The Summit Bulletin**? Please email it to Morgan at [nkychurch@gmail.com](mailto:nkychurch@gmail.com) by Thursday. If you have announcement items for the website, or any questions/comments in general about the website, please submit them to [nkychurch@gmail.com](mailto:nkychurch@gmail.com) too.

## ~ For the Record ~

### Upcoming Events

February 25-27	CYC in Pigeon Forge
Saturday, Mar. 5	Ladies Day Fishinger Rd.
Saturday, Mar. 12	Cedar Springs Youth Rally
March 1-14	Online Bible Bowl Testing
Friday, Mar. 18	Movie & Pizza Party for Bible Bowl Participants

### Mark Your Calendars

April 14-17	L2L Convention
Saturday, April 30	Family Workshop, 9-2pm
May 27-29	Ft Hill Young Adult Retreat
September 23-24	Men's Retreat

### Attendance

Jan 30, 2022  
 Feb 06, 2022  
 Feb 13, 2022  
 Feb 20, 2022

### Class

71  
 69  
 75  
 74

### AM

127  
 121  
 124  
 131

### Wed

53  
 48  
 50  
 47

### YTD AVG Attendance

118

### CONTRIBUTION

Weekly Budget \$4,876.00	YTD AVG - \$4,701.00
Over/Under: <b>-\$1,400.00</b>	
Jan 30, 2022-\$4,385.00	Feb 06, 2022-\$7,652.00
Feb 13, 2022-\$5,036.00	Feb 20, 2022-\$3,398.00

### Serving the Nursery

02/27—Douwene Buchanan  
 03/06—Nancy and Ashley Brown  
 03/13—Stephanie and Aubri, Alexa Painter  
 03/20—Bettie C. and Debra Martin

### Communion Preparation

March—Dalys Hill



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

**FEB. 27TH—MAR. 6TH**

**NICK BROWN**

**3RD**

**JESUS RIERA**

**3RD**

**BILLIE ROGERS**

**6TH**