

Sermon Notes

ADVICE FOR GRADS

The greatest advice you could ever be given as you ponder your life from this day forward came from a lady nearly 2,000 years ago. She was speaking of her son, with the pride and confidence that only a mother possesses, *“Do whatever he tells you.”* (Jn. 2:5)

- I. DO IT BECAUSE OF _____ HE IS
 - **Jesus is the Christ, the Son of the Living God**

- II. DO IT BECAUSE OF WHO _____ ARE
 - **We are sinners in need of a savior**

- III DO IT BECAUSE OF _____ YOU ARE HEADED
 - **We are all headed to the judgement seat of Christ**

Graduation is a life-changing event. Doors previously closed to you will be opened. However, one thing remains the same: Jesus Christ is the same, yesterday, today, and forever (Heb. 13:8). Do whatever He tells you!

Welcome to Bethlehem Church of Christ

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“His mother said to the servants, ‘Do whatever he tells you.’”

— John 2:5

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Order of Worship

Welcome / Prayer

(Please pass the blue books located at the end of each pew.)

I Will Follow

The Stand

Cornerstone



All disciples of Jesus are invited to partake as the emblems are passed.

Offering to God - Guests are welcome to participate, or may simply place the visitor card in the plate.

(Offering music: Renee Huff)

Encouragement time

Parent letters to graduates

Message Kerry Allen

Lord, I Need You

Decisions

Reminders & prayer

Bethlehem News

Welcome

We're glad you are here, and we also welcome our youth from Children 's Worship to the auditorium for Family Sunday. Nursery and the 2's & 3's class are still available.

Our Guest Preacher

Kerry Allen preached his first sermon at age 13, first revival at 16, and has never stopped since, having preached on 4 continents. Since 1999 he has been Director of Person to Person Ministries and leads the renowned Hillsboro Family Camp which draws thousands each July.

Also Today

12:15 - luncheon for graduates & their family in the gym.
(We will have **no gathering this evening** due to graduation & Memorial Day observances).

BCC Graduates

Melissa Lacey - EHS, May 20
Bryant Lung - NAHS, May 26
Laramie Wells - Western Governors Univ.;
Masters of Business Administration;
March.
Adam Foster - Kentucky Christian Univ.;
Masters of Christian Leadership /
Ministry; May 12.

Next Sunday

10:30 - "Heroes for God" sermon and kick-off for VBS. We'll introduce & pray for the week..
7:00 - Vesper service in pavilion. Join us for a relaxing and devotional time in our new facility.

VBS

June 4 - 7, 6:30 - 8:30 pm

- Only one-week to go !
- Registration for BCC youth continues.
- We need a few more snacks for the kids.
- You can order 2018 T-shirts.
- Invitation cards are available in the foyer for you to use to invite children to our VBS. Take as many as you will use.
- Please check the sign up sheets to help with food for the workers. If you have any questions see Missy Campbell or Tami Davis.

June 10

1. 10:30 am - Special BCC celebration, looking back & forward.
2. 12:15 pm - Women2Women hike at Buzzard's Roost following lunch together.
3. 8:00 pm - Family Movie Night.

Mark Your Calendar

July 1 - Sept. 2, 7:00 pm
Summer Connection Challenge.

New Door

The single door to the right of the main entrance has been replaced. The cleaning keys will no longer work there, so cleaners will need to enter through the fellowship hall.

Partner to Help Youth

Please continue to put bottles of assorted fruit juices in the boxes in the foyer to stock the kitchen at our wonderful church camp.

June BCC Calendars

Make sure you pick up your copy of the June calendar so you can stay aware, involved, and pray for events.

Join Us in Praying

- ✠ Praise God for being the eternally wise Lord of all.
- ✠ Thank God for the minds, bodies, & opportunities He has given us.
- ✠ Pray for the submission & courage to follow the example & instructions of Jesus
- ✠ Pray for our important search for another staff member.
- ✠ Pray that Terry Parker and his group can complete many projects and share the love of Christ in Haiti.
- ✠ Mission: Bousman International Radio Ministry.
- ✠ Tom Claibourne - has begun some simple exercises; may wear sling as long as July 4; lots of trouble sleeping.
- ✠ Linnea Claibourne - has done quite well since her surgery.
- ✠ Matt Bihl - being treated for pneumonia, kidney infection & Lyme disease.
- ✠ Bernice Smith - much improved from recent stroke; receiving therapy at home.
- ✠ Mary Ruth Newman - recovering from recent stroke; undergoing therapy for memory problems; Emily Wells' grandma.
- ✠ Joe Strunk - still recovering slowly at home; not regaining strength very fast.
- ✠ Kristen Fisher - just began series of chemo treatments after giving birth 2 weeks before; Monica Bales' great-niece.
- ✠ Continued prayer list is on the prayer board. Please update the office from time to time when you put someone on the prayer list.

Cleaning Teams: Basford Family
McKenzie Family/ Hale Family

Mowing: This week: David Davis
Next week: Sam Young

Nursery (3) Coordinator: Melissa Brown
9:30 - Kristen Souder
10:30 - Linda Wells/Lauren Holton