

Wednesday Devotional

7:00 PM

Art Morris.....Aug 10
Bob Washington.....Aug 17
Briar Dawdy.....Aug 24
Mickey Sweeney.....Aug 31
Dink Kimbrow.....Sept 07
Tim Woody.....Sept 14
Jason Dawdy.....Sept 21
Justin Dawdy.....Sept 28

LOVE IS THE KEY.

A recent study of maladjusted high schoolers shows how important it is to tell our children we love them. After the counselors had worked long enough to gain rapport with ten of the most maladjusted students, they asked them how long it had been since their parents had told them they loved them. Not a single one could remember having heard such a comment. By contrast, ten of the best adjusted teens answered the question by saying "this morning" or "last night" or indicated that had been verbally reassured of their parents' love with in the last few hours.

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Those who Serve

August 21, 2016

Announcements.....Ken Wiles
Song Director.....Tim Woody
Ushers.....Ben Dawdy
Briar Dawdy

Services:

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| Morning | Evening |
| <u>Lord's Supper</u> | |
| Presiding: Bob Washington | |
| Linn Rice | Eric Scroggins |
| Curtis Kinzey | |
| Charlie Rogers | |
| Derry Henbest | |

Opening Prayer

Larry Dawdy Mickey Sweeney

Closing Prayer

Eric Scroggins Colby Hatfield

Bible Reading Plan

- ☐ Sunday – I Timothy 1-3
- ☐ Monday - Numbers 1-4
- ☐ Tuesday - II Kings 21-25
- ☐ Wednesday - Psalms 90-92
- ☐ Thursday - Proverbs 14-15
- ☐ Friday - Ezekiel 43-48
- ☐ Saturday - John 1-2



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Carl's Dye-a-logue

Last week, I learned something that, I guess, I already knew: I am right about average!

I saw on the news that the average height for males in the US was just over 5 foot 9 inches and I am 5'9" tall. The average weight was...well...right at what I weigh as well.

Apparently over the last 10 or so years the average height of a male has not changed, but the average weight has increased by about 20 pounds.

I have no idea where these statistics came from or who conducted a study to figure out what the average height and weight were for people. All I know is that I am, apparently, average.

Some would interpret this to mean that there is nothing special about me, after all, isn't that what it means to be "average"?

But, as I thought about this, it dawned on me that I am very special to at least three people: my wife and my two daughters (OK, and my mom and dad...so that makes five). So even though the world may see me as "average," there are some folks who would say I am "better-than-average."

And, by the way, there is One other who thinks I am worth an awful lot. In fact, He thinks I am worth so much that He was willing to give up His unique, special Son of Promise...and He did it for me!

Never ever let the world tell you that you are "just average." Never ever let the world tell you that you are not special. Never ever let the world tell you that you are not worth anything.

God loves you so much that He sent His One and Only unique Son of Promise to reclaim you (John 3:16). Jesus loves you so much He was willing to leave heaven and come to earth and die for you (Philippians 2:5-11).

I am not average. You are not average. We are loved by God Himself. He claims us as His own. He bought us at great cost to Himself. We are very special to Him and that's all that really matters!

OUR RECORDS

Sunday, August 7, 2016

Morning Worship.....96
Bible Class.....52
Evening Worship38
Contribution.....\$2381

Wednesday August 3, 2016

Bible Class and Devotional47

Sunday, August 07, 2016
Sermon Preview

AM: "What Will YOU do With Jesus? Turn to Him"

PM: "The Forgotten Vow of Jacob"

August 14, 2016

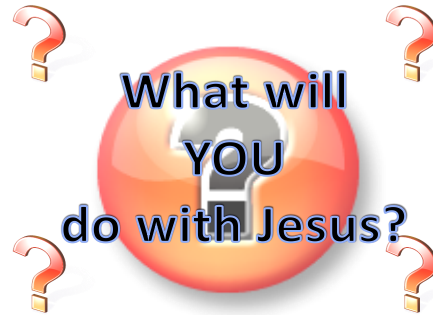
Family Life Group #2
(Ingram)
will meet for potluck and
meeting
following the morning
service.

Elder/Deacon Meeting
Sunday, Aug 14, 2016
Following the Evening
Service

Friend's Day

Friend's Day will be August 28, 2016. Begin now to invite your friends, neighbors, co-workers, even your enemies to attend this fantastic day of outreach. There are plenty of invitations on the table in the foyer: some are designed to be mailed, others handed out. If you notice we are running low, please let the office know.

This year we will simply be asking a question:



August 21, 2016

Family Life Group #3
(Rice)
will meet for potluck and
meeting
following the morning
service.



Youth News!

Back-to-school youth devo will be Saturday August 20th, at the Rogers' farm in Decatur for K-12th. We would like parents to come and stay. We will be playing in the creek; so everyone please bring a lawn chair, towel, and a change of clothes. Boys bring drinks and girls bring chips. We will begin at 4:00pm and leave the farm by 8:00pm. If you would like to ride the van, it will leave the building at 3:30pm. There is a signup sheet on the youth bulletin board.

Ruth Rally for 7-12th grade girls will be Friday, September 30 - Saturday, October 1. The cost is \$15.00. Please have your money turned in by Wednesday August 31. There is a signup sheet on the youth bulletin board. More details/schedule to come.

The Deeper Youth Conference for 6th-12th grade will be October 21-22. More detail/schedule to come.



Bus Driver

August
Johnna Dawdy
Call the church office
if you need a ride

Communion Trays – AUG
Preparation - E/S Scroggins
Cleaning - C/H Kinzey

Nursery Attendants
August 14, 2016
A.M. Johnna Dawdy
P.M. Donna Noll

Search TV
August 14, 2016
"BELIEVING IN JESUS"
(Check your provider for air time)