



GLENDALE ROAD CHURCH OF CHRIST NEWS & NOTES

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-November 5, 2024-

When Zacharias Met Gabriel (Luke 1:5–25)

Zacharias was serving at the temple. As a priest, he was Aaron's son, and his wife was too. He and his wife were careful to live in a time of tumult (Dio Cassius 49.22; Macrobius *Saturnalia* 2.f.11). When the angel appeared to Zacharias, he was notably startled, and with good reason. One story of offering “strange fire” resulted in the death of the priests (Lev. 10:1–2; cf. Exod. 30:9), so perhaps Zacharias wondered if he and his offering were pure. On the other hand, it could also be that his distress resulted from the reverent fear that many lacked in his time. Regardless, Gabriel assured Zacharias that he would not lose his life.

Gabriel was the angel who stood before the Lord (Luke 1:19; cf. *Number Rabbah* 2.10). Whenever he appears in scripture, he is Messianic in his message (Dan. 8:15–27; 9:20–21). When he appeared before Daniel, it was evening, so when he appeared before Zacharias, it was evening as well (Luke 1:11). Luke pointed out that he stood to the right of the altar of incense, which would have been nearer to the entrance of the holy of holies. Since Zacharias saw him standing there, he may have very well believed that Gabriel came from the presence of God.

One must consider that Zacharias, as a priest, might have been a Sadducee because the priests and Levites typically were of this sect (cf. Acts 5:17; 23:8). Sadducees did not believe in a resurrection, spirits, or angels (Luke 20:27; Acts 23:8). If he were a Sadducee, Zacharias would have thought that his posterity would have been his sense of immortality on earth. For an angel to have given, this revelation would have been a contradictory belief to him. Regardless of if he were a Sadducee, God removed reproach from him and his wife amongst their villagers—that of not having a child. However, due to the aged priest's unbelief, he was struck dumb and thus unable to offer the closing benediction: “The LORD bless you and keep you; the LORD make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the LORD lift his countenance upon you and give you peace” (Num. 6:24–26). Barrenness was named among the great reproaches by the rabbis. Seven types of people were believed to have been excommunicated from God. Chiefly among those was the Jew who had no wife or whose wife was childless. Furthermore, according to Jewish law, a man could divorce his wife for childlessness. These factors allow us to appreciate Elizabeth's gratefulness even more.

–Steven



Sunday, November 24, 2024

**Little Ladies' Day
Young Men Leading
Evening Worship**

Wednesday, November 27, 2024

**Singing Before Thanksgiving
in the Auditorium. No Classes.**

Sunday, December 1, 2024

**Church Wide Potluck
Following Sunday PM Worship.
Evening Worship at 5:00.**

Saturday, December 7, 2024

Breakfast With Santa

Saturday, December 14, 2024

Widows & Widowers' Luncheon

Wednesday, December 25, 2024

**No Mid-Week Bible Study
Christmas Day**

Wednesday, January 1, 1025

**Mid-Week Bible Study
Regularly Scheduled Time
Singing Night In Semper Fi**

Garry

WORSHIP—Sunday AM: 9:00 Sunday PM: 6:00

CLASSES—Sunday AM: 10:15 Wednesday PM: 6:30

RADIO—Sunday AM: 9:00-10:00 Sunday PM: 6:00-7:00—WVHM FM 89.7

DAILY RADIO—Monday-Friday 6:25 & 7:25 am—FM 89.7

ANNOUNCEMENT LINE – (270) 759-4444

TYLER BOHANNON
COLLEGE & YOUNG-N-HEARTS



YOUNG - N - 

NOVEMBER 7th, 2024 - OUT TO EAT @ The BURGER BARN @ Kenlake. Please meet @ **10:30am** to **ride the van.** And please invite a friend to join us 😊

NOVEMBER 14th, 2024 - Young N Hearts Class @ 10:30am - Please invite a friend to join us 😊
NOVEMBER MEAL - will follow our class @ 11:30am. This is a great opportunity to bring someone new!

NOVEMBER 21st, 2024 - Young N Hearts Class @ 10:30am. Please invite a friend to join us 😊



NOVEMBER 6th, 2024 - SINGING NIGHT @ 6:30pm - Please invite a Friend to join us and meet in the Semper Fi Classroom 😊

NOVEMBER 10th, 2024 - C20 Class @ 10am - Topic: **The Life of Christ**

Library

E. Bailey

Satan & The Hymnbook # 2

Over the past century and a half many extremist groups of all types have attempted to use the Bible or traditional Christian hymns in an attempt to skew the Christian message toward some religious, political, fraternal or social point of view. Most cults that last any length of time also produce their own hymnbook.

While not generally known to modern Americans, the most diabolical and egregious examples of this can be found in what are commonly called the "Nazi Bible" and the "Nazi Hymnbook." One common misconception is that Hitler wrote this bible and/or compiled the hymnbook which he did not. The Nazi party operatives were responsible for both books.

Satan must have rejoiced when the "Nazi Bible" was produced in 1940 and the "Nazi Hymnal" followed in 1942. Next week's installment will delve a bit into both books.

YOUTH

Jacob Vaughan

The **Fall Retreat** will take place at WKYC from **November 8th - 10th**. This event is for middle and high schoolers. Bob Palmer will be our speaker again this year and we are sure to learn more about each other and the Lord. Please be making plans to attend, it is truly a wonderful time. The cost to attend will be \$50 per kid. Please sign up on the youth board if you plan on attending. I am currently working on my chaperones for the weekend. If you would like to chaperone, speak to me and we will see what we can make happen.

We will be taking our highschoolers on a mission trip this summer to **Honduras** from June 25th - July 2nd. We have room for only a few more to join us on this trip. The last day to sign up is November 24th. We currently have 20 individuals going and will be able to take 25. You will need to be obtaining a passport relatively soon if you are making this journey.

The **Youth Christmas Party** will be held on December 21st starting at 5:00 and running through 7:00. Currently the party will be held here at the church. Many memories will be made as we play ridiculous games and have a good meal together. I hope all our youth will be able to make it out. We will play a game of White Elephant/ Dirty Santa with the cost of the gift being no more than fifteen dollars.

We will be making a trip to Memphis on January 20th to catch a Grizzlies game. That is Martin Luther King Jr. Day. The cost per ticket is looking like it will be \$65. We will also be eating both Lunch and dinner while in Memphis so you will need to plan accordingly for that as well. We will be visiting the great pyramid of Memphis while in the area.

Breakfast With Santa - Saturday, Dec. 7th

“Rejoice, Give Thanks, Pray”

Daughters of Dorcas and Young Men's Training

All Girls and boys ages 3 & up are invited to participate. They will meet on Sunday nights at 5:00 in the MPR on November 10th and 17th

On November 24th

Little Ladies' Day @ 5
Young Men Lead Evening Service @ 6

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## **CARING & SHARING NEEDS**

Clothes – Boys & Girls size 2T and any jeans kids-adult

Food – Peanut Butter

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Charlotte and Herschell McKinley are in need of prayers as she is battling cancer. They attended here with their 3 boys until they had to move for her treatments. Their address is: 1011 Ballew Circle
Fairview, TN 37062

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## **Western Kentucky Ladies' Digging Deep Bible Study**

6:00 PM Each 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month at Briensburg Church of Christ  
Studying the book “Conversations - When God Talked to Women”  
by Cindy Colley  
Will meet through July 15<sup>th</sup>

## **BABY MONEY GIFT**

There will be a baby money gift collected during classes this Sunday, November 10<sup>th</sup> for Paul and Alayna Peters and expected baby girl. See Stacy Bell if you would like to give before then.

## **LADIES' BIBLE CLASS**

Ladies' Bible Class will meet on Tuesday, November 12<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 in the east end of the multipurpose room. They will be studying pages 53-56. All ladies are invited to attend.



### **~ELDERS~**

|               |                 |              |
|---------------|-----------------|--------------|
| Jeremy Bell   | Johnny Bohannon | Brent Canter |
| Raymond Grady | Allen McKeel    |              |

### **~DEACONS~**

|                  |                 |                 |
|------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Darrell Beane    | Terry Bourland  | Josh Bybee      |
| Landon Clark     | Gerald Coles    | Tim Coles       |
| Mike Cooper      | Dan Davis       | Jody DeWitt     |
| Garry Evans      | Andrew Falwell  | Jacob Falwell   |
| Joel Fisher      | James Gibson    | Matt Gingles    |
| Seth Grogan      | Chris Jones     | Justin Hendrick |
| Ryan Houston     | Derek Jones     | Chad Lawson     |
| John Mahan       | Terry McCallon  | Josh McKeel     |
| Mike Orr         | Shawn Simmons   | Jay Stark       |
| Tim Stark        | Kelly Starks    | Rob Thompson    |
| Stacey Underhill | Nicholas Webber | Daron Wilson    |

### **~CARE TEAM LEADERS~**

Jody Dewitt – Care Team 1  
Dan Davis – Care Team 2  
Jerry Stark – Care Team 3  
Mike Orr – Care Team 4  
Chuck Adams – Care Team 5  
Garry Evans – Care Team 6  
Terry Bourland – Care Team 7

**~SUNDAY SERVANTS~**

**11/10/2024**

**9:00 Morning Worship**

**Welcome/Announcements** ..... Garry Evans  
**Song Service** ..... Derek Jones  
**Opening Prayer** ..... Brent Canter  
**Preside** ..... Billy Elmore  
**Scripture Reading** ..... Bob Hargrove  
**Scripture** ..... Revelation 4:2-3  
**Speaker** ..... Steven Hunter  
**Sermon** ..... He's Still on the Throne!  
**Closing Prayer** ..... Johnny Bohannon  
**Nursery** ..... Neely Grogan, Mandy Lawson  
**Greeters** ..... Stacy Bell, Jackson Bell, Alisha Bohannon, Hillary Bohannon, Johnny Bohannon, Toni Bohannon

**Serve the Lord's Supper**

**South**

**North**

Karsen Starks..... Stacey Underhill  
Kameron Starks ..... Tyler Underhill  
Rob Thompson ..... Zach Underhill  
Isaac Ward ..... Jacob Vaughan  
Daron Wilson ..... Hunter Williams  
Keith York..... Randy Young

**Alternates:** Daniel Walker, Jamey Armstrong, Luke Armstrong, Ernie Bailey, Darrell Beane, Dennis Blagg

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**6:00 Evening Worship**

**Welcome/Announcements** ..... Garry Evans  
**Song Service** ..... Derek Jones  
**Opening Prayer** ..... Billy Joe Hendon  
**Scripture Reading** ..... Mike Orr  
**Scripture** ..... TBA  
**Speaker** ..... Bob Palmer  
**Sermon** ..... Miscreant & Misfits  
**Preside** ..... Lance Harper  
**Closing Prayer** ..... Shane Pace  
**Nursery** ..... Jessica Morris, Madison Morris  
**Greeters** ..... Justin Hendrick, Chelsea Hendrick, Kerry Higgins, Melody Higgins, Ryan Houston, Brittney Houston

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**Van Drivers:**

Sunday AM – Terry McCallon (270-293-2720)  
Sunday PM – Dan Davis (270-917-4445)  
Wednesday – Terry McCallon (270-293-2720)

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