



Wednesday, January 6, 2020

You can also view current information on our website
www.TrentonCrossingChurch.com



NOTICE!

Due to an increased demand on our hospital because of COVID-19 and other illnesses, we will **NOT BE MEETING** this Sunday (**January 10**). Please note that we are currently evaluating this situation on a week-to-week basis.

Watch our Facebook page or YouTube channel (Church of Christ at Trenton Crossing) as we livestream our time of worship at 10:00am on Sundays. In addition, Jeff Shocklee's 9:00am Bible Class will continue each week over Zoom. (Scroll down for more info.)



FROM GEOFFREY'S DESK . . .

Let me begin by wishing everyone a Happy New Year! This is the first issue of *The Messenger* for 2021, and we have turned the page on a new year. Without a doubt, this past year gave us our share of challenges, but that is always the case, even in “easier” years. I know we will still have challenges ahead in 2021, but we will also have opportunities. Let’s be open to those opportunities when they come our way, and let’s take advantage of those situations so that we can use them to bring glory to God.

One of the challenges we faced this past year—and it has continued into 2021—is knowing when to decide to forego in-person worship assemblies on a given week. The factor that influences us the most is what is happening at Tennova Hospital, and currently, the hospital’s capacity is being tested, not only due to COVID, but also because of other illnesses. We continue to pray that we are close to turning the corner thanks to distribution of vaccines, but in the meantime, the elders will be making decisions on a week-to-week basis. I thank you for your understanding, and I especially thank you for the way that you have continued your financial support through the ups and downs of the past year. Hopefully, we will not need to take another break from our assemblies once we begin meeting again, and perhaps we are being overly cautious with these judgement calls, but your support is not taken for granted. We will come through

all of this together, and I am looking forward to brighter days ahead in 2021.

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Upcoming Events

- **Thursday, February 11** - Dorcas Ministry, 6pm.

**More information about Upcoming Events
can be found in the box below.**



Church News

- **Parkinson's Awareness** - The Parkinson's Awareness Group usually meets here every 2nd Thursday at 3pm in the Fellowship Hall. They do not have current plans to meet due to COVID-19.
- **Dorcas Ministry** - The Dorcas Ministry usually meets every 2nd Thursday from 6-8pm in the Fellowship Hall. However, due to the spike in COVID-19 cases, they will not meet in January. The next scheduled meeting is February 11. This ministry is for anyone of any age or talent level interested in crafting for God's glory.



We Need Teachers!

We are in need of Sunday School teachers for the Preschool department. We also need nursery workers to help during our Sunday Morning Worship Assembly as well as teachers for our Ministry 937 (special needs class.) If you can help, please see or contact Gwyn Huggins at 931-220-6478.



World Bible School Reports

USA December Report

| | |
|--------------------|-----|
| Referrals | 184 |
| Lessons Graded | 151 |
| Graduates | 8 |
| New Students | 43 |
| Bibles Requested | 26 |
| Baptisms Requested | 3 |
| Baptisms Confirmed | 0 |
| Prayers Requested | 12 |

2020 Yearly Report

| | <u>USA</u> | <u>Malawi</u> |
|--------------------|------------|---------------|
| Referrals | 1995 | 286 |
| Lessons Graded | 1762 | 78 |
| Graduates | 170 | 10 |
| New Students | 448 | 38 |
| Bibles Requested | 259 | |
| Baptisms Requested | 49 | |



**Sunday Morning
9am**

Middle School Class (6th-8th)
High School Class (9th-12th)

**Wednesday Afternoon Mid-Week Bible Study
4:30-8pm**

Middle School Class (6th-8th)
High School Class (9th-12th)



News From The WELL

Items you can help replenish:

Men's WINTER clothing! Here is a list of items that we no longer have or are almost completely out of:

- Men's small jeans. Size 28-32
- Men's hoodies, long sleeve t-shirts, sweaters, fleece tops, sweatshirts (size small and 2x and up)
- Men's coats and jackets (all sizes)
- Men's belts
- Men's tennis shoes (no dress shoes please)
- New boxers

We will be happy to take any sizes in men's winter clothing and shoes!!!! **We all need coats for all ages, sizes, and genders.** Please make sure that your donated items are clean and in great shape. Drop-off times are Monday and Wednesday, 1-6pm. Come to the back of the building and ring the doorbell. Someone will come to the door and

receive your donations.

Clothing Guidelines:

- Drop-off times are Monday and Wednesday, 1-6pm. Come to the back of the building and ring the doorbell. Someone will come to the door and receive your donations.
- We are ONLY accepting items that are in GREAT shape. Please send all other items to another ministry in town.
- The green bin behind our building is closed at this time. Please do not leave your donations outside! Any items left outside will be disposed of.

Food Item: None at this time.

Well Contact Information:

931-802-2889

TheWell@TrentonCrossingChurch.com



If you or someone you know needs to be added to our TC Prayer List, please contact the church office.

- **Rehab:** Carol Baker is in Clarksville Nursing and Rehab (room 301) for therapy for her broken ankle. Barbara Tatum is in Encompass Rehab (room 222) in Franklin, TN.
- **Deployed:** Perry Patton, Brian Quinn, Charlie Reed, and John Reed.

- **Continued Prayers:** Joyce Carpenter, Geneva Chester, Susan Claud, Marta Dean, Glen & Marilyn Ezell, Robert & Lenetta Graves, Frances Johnson, Jean Langley, Bob Lewis, Mary Linton, Virgie Mallory, Joe & Shirley Marable, Glenda McKinney, Allison Quinn, Ann Suddeath, Greg Troupe, Marlene Walker, Amy Williams, and Lillian Wright.
- **Home-Centered:** Linda Allen, Jimmy & Betty Collier, Frances Johnson, Virgie Mallory, and Dorothy Oliver.
- **Family & Friends:** David and Shirley Bradley (brother and sister-in-law of Blakey Bradley); Billy Carpenter (son of Joyce Carpenter); Glen Chester (brother of Teresa Winn); Harold Galbraith (former elder is now home following heart surgery); Tara Gant (friend of Joyce Johnson); Charles Givens (brother of Pat Thompson); Brenda Gray (friend of Joyce Johnson) is undergoing treatments for cancer; Bryan & Alice Gunter (friends of Mark Sharp) Brian was diagnosed with leukemia; Michael Hardy (son of Nita Hardy) various health issues; Dylan Lawrence (student at Montgomery Central High School diagnosed with an inoperable brain tumor); Danny and Felicia Loya (uncle and aunt of Ken Allen) diagnosed with COVID-19; Dixie Maxwell

(aunt of Tiffany Hampton) was diagnosed with an inoperable brain tumor; Johnny Miller was diagnosed with skin cancer; Mystic Family (friends of Jill Compton), Phil Oliver (neighbor of Guy and Barbara Beeman); Judy Rye (relative of Pat Thompson); Carol Sharp (sister-in-law of Mark Sharp) diagnosed with a brain tumor; Lucian Wyatt (brother of Debbie Waynick) is in St. Thomas Mid-Town with COVID-19; Margaret West (mother of Myrna Travis); and Bobbie Wilson (friend of Nita Hardy).

- **Arcadia Senior Living:** Harold and Carolyn Vann, Apt. 313; Lovetta Wright, Room 332
- **Jubilee House:** John Harrison, Room 114, (475 Bellamy Lane, 37043)
- **Uffelman:** Tammy Roe, Apt. 302: (215 Uffelman Dr., 37043)
- **Walking Horse:** Anita Cooper, Room 125 (207 Uffelman Dr., 37043)



WAYS TO CONNECT

As you know, these are unusual times, and we are not having any public gatherings this Sunday

(January 3). In the meantime, there are various ways that you can connect with us throughout the week, and they are posted below.

PLEASE NOTE: You DO NOT need to be registered on Facebook in order to access our Facebook page. Simply go to www.facebook.com and go to our page (Church of Christ at Trenton Crossing)

SPECIAL NOTE FOR YOUTH: Chris Middleton is conducting several meetings/studies throughout the week using Zoom. Please scroll back to “Youth Group News” for the schedule and link information.

Sunday at 9am – Bible Class with Jeff Shocklee on Zoom

The link is: [https://us04web.zoom.us/j/ . . .](https://us04web.zoom.us/j/...)

Meeting ID: 344 569 933

Password: 019541

Sunday at 10am – Live Stream Worship

Our Facebook Page

(Church of Christ at Trenton Crossing)

Our Website (www.trentoncrossingchurch.com)

YouTube (Church of Christ at Trenton Crossing)

Sunday at 5:30pm – “Virtual LIFE Group”

Devotional with Geoffrey

Facebook Live on our Facebook Page

(Church of Christ at Trenton Crossing)

Wednesday at 6:30pm – Midweek Devotional with

Geoffrey

Facebook Live on our Facebook Page

(Church of Christ at Trenton Crossing)

