



# Pathfinder

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TODAY – brother Steve McCarley is unable to be with us for Sunday morning and evening worship and classes. He is at home looking after his wife, Ms. Janet, following her successful surgery that took place this past Thursday, February 29<sup>th</sup>.

The elders have invited Darrick Shepherd to be our guest speaker for our time together on this Lord’s Day. Darrick is the son of Carolyn and the late Bige Shepherd. Darrick is the preaching minister for the Una Church of Christ in Nashville,

Tennessee. He has worked with the Una church since September 2022. Darrick has been married to his best friend Kathryn for 16 years. They have two children – Evan and Emersyn – who we see on occasion down SONshine Street when they have visited their grandparents..

Darrick will be sharing a lesson with the adult Bible class in the main auditorium from the book of James entitled “Breathing Fire”. His sermon during our morning worship is entitled “Not Ashamed to Live in God’s Will”. He will also teach the adult Bible class during our Sunday PM classes with a lesson from Nehemiah.

We appreciate Darrick’s willingness to come and help us in the absence of Steve. Please help us make him and his families time today a warm and enjoyable experience.

The Women’s Ministry is hosting a “Four Leaf Favs” gathering this coming Friday, March 8<sup>th</sup> in the Fellowship Hall beginning at 6:00 p.m. All ladies are encouraged to attend and wear your **GREEN!!** There is a sign up sheet in the foyer to assist.

- Bring a finger food to share with others.
- Bring your favorite thing. (3 of the same item should be brought)
- Do not wrap your items - however - you can make it pretty.
- Be prepared to tell everyone why it’s your favorite thing.
- Items do not need to be expensive - nothing over \$15 total for the 3 items.



**“Four Leaf Favs”**  
March 8th @ 6:00 p.m.  
Fellowship Hall



## Couples Retreat to Asheville, N.C.

A couples trip has been planned to Asheville, North Carolina for those interested in going. Plans are for everyone to travel on Friday - meet up for dinner that evening - tour the Biltmore and other attractions on Saturday and then visit a local church on Sunday morning before heading back home. Of course - there will be fellowship and also some devotional time together. Please see Brenda Parker for more details.

# What's Happening

I'M NOT  
ASHAMED

2024 Theme

Romans 1:16

## THIS WEEK - March 3<sup>rd</sup>-9<sup>th</sup>!!

- Sunday, March 3<sup>rd</sup>
  - Every One Counts Sunday
- Monday, March 4<sup>th</sup>
  - Ladies Prayer Warriors - Time: 5:00 p.m.
- Tuesday, March 5<sup>th</sup>
  - Mother's Day Out - Time: 8:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.
  - Ladies Bible Class - Time: 10:00 a.m.
- Wednesday, March 6<sup>th</sup>
  - A.S.W. - Time: 3:00-6:30 p.m.
  - Wednesday PM Devotional & Bible Classes - Time: 6:30 p.m.
- Thursday, March 7<sup>th</sup>
  - Mother's Day Out - Time: 8:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.
  - Ambassadors - Time: 10:00 a.m.
- Friday, March 8<sup>th</sup>
  - "Four Leaves Favs" Women's Ministry Gathering
- Saturday, March 9<sup>th</sup>
  - Daylight Savings Time Ends - Spring Forward!!!



## NEXT WEEK - March 10<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup>!!

- Sunday, March 10<sup>th</sup>
  - Lads to Leaders Banner Group - Time: 3:00-5:00 p.m.
- Tuesday, March 12<sup>th</sup>
  - Mother's Day Out - Time: 8:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.
  - Ladies Bible Class - Time: 10:00 a.m.
  - American Red Cross Blood Drive - Time: 12:00-6:00 p.m.
- Wednesday, March 13<sup>th</sup>
  - A.S.W. - Time: 3:00-6:30 p.m.
  - Wednesday PM Devotional & Bible Classes - Time: 6:30 p.m.
- Thursday, March 14<sup>th</sup>
  - Mother's Day Out - Time: 8:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.
- Saturday, March 16<sup>th</sup>
  - Taylor Christian Camp Open House

## UPCOMING EVENTS/ACTIVITIES - PLEASE MARK YOUR CALENDARS!!

- March 28<sup>th</sup>-31<sup>st</sup> - Lads to Leaders Convention (Louisville, KY)



**Gr. #1:** Ruth Bayles, Sterling Cassetty, Donnie Cassity, Earlene Carpenter, Becky Carr, Charlotte Cauthen, Mayme Grace Freas, Larry Freeman, Emalene Hughes, Sandra Huffines, Troy James, Clara Ruth Kinnaird, Delno Moore, Carolyn Shepherd

**Gr. #2:** Wayne Burrell, Danny & Betty Emerson, Jana Hammock, Wayne Ladd, Janet McCarley, Joyce Sampson

**Gr. #3:** Anita Eubanks, Matthew Frazier, Geneva Peyton, Glenda Taylor

**Gr. #4:** Sue Lynn Kirby, Lindy Sledge, Billy Vance

**Serving Our Country:** Brandon Boyer, Paul Chadwick, Connor Dorris, Jon Joshlin, Shayne Luongo, Jonathon Pedigo, Dominique McKinnon, Melanie Pettitt-McKinnon, Nash Smith, Daniel Warden

**Family & Friends:** Amanda Adams, Jesse Brandon, Hadley Jo Brindley, Scott Bullington, Lou Ann Burgett, Donald Burton, Greg Burton, Donna Davis Carter, Paula Clark, Harold Cook, Marion Cooper, William Davis, Bart Deadman, Michael Diguiseppe, Collette Domenicon, Pat Ellis, Robert Fisher, Faye Forshee, Martha Johnson Gallaher, Sue Ellen Gann, Beth George, Tony Graham, Ellison Cade Grey, Dave Hammack, Richard Hearn, Ricky Keen, Ben King, Dorothy Ladd, Marlin Lawson, Stephanie Lindsey, Margaret Marks, Chelsie Marshall, Sandra Mayes, Virgil McIntosh, Lauren Meier, Beckett McElroy, Don Miller, Timothy Morris, Ethan Neal, Chuck Neely, Dan Nitz, Sheila Parker, Shawn Patterson, Sally Pedigo, Ella Perry, James Phillips, Margaret Phillips, Lacey Poppy, Johnnie Ray, Lee Thurmond Richardson, Brenda Satterly, Monica Shaw, Sandra Smith, Tina Smith, John Steen, Logan Steenbergen, Joe Stephens, Chris Strum, Esther Taylor, Laverne Taylor, Aiden Thomas, Bubba Thomas, Jerry Thomas, Noble Travis, Bonnie Fugate White, Diane White, Billy Williams, Abby Wilson, Patricia Wilson, Josh Wyatt



LOVE one another, As I have LOVED you.  
John 13:34

**Every One Counts Sunday  
March 2024**

This week's collection will be going to a local grandmother who recently adopted her seven year old grandson. She is fully retired from her job - however - following the adoption of the child her income has changed due to some loss of child support, etc.. She has gotten behind on some bills and she is just trying to catch up and get her finances in order following the adoption. Let us keep her and her grandson in our prayers during this transition.

Get ready to spring forward next weekend. If you don't want to be late to church next Sunday, March 10<sup>th</sup> make sure you set those clocks ahead one hour before you go to bed on Saturday night, March 9<sup>th</sup>. Daylight savings time starts at 2:00 a.m. on March 10<sup>th</sup>. So, go to bed early and maybe your won't feel like you lost that one hour of sleep. See ya at 9:30 for Bible class & 10:30 for worship!!



All ladies that are interested in attending this event are asked to see Sandra Hurt - as soon as possible! Like TODAY!!!!

Transform Ladies Conference is held the weekend of September 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> in Pigeon Forge, TN at the LeConte Center. Registration ends in late July - however - if you see Sandra and get registered by TODAY - you will be saving \$10 off your registration. Any other expenses needed for the trip will be collected at a later date.

It's that time of year again where we pack a SHOEBOX with Love! MAGI Collection Boxes are now available for pickup in the foyer. For over 20 years the MAGI Project has been blessing the lives of kids around the world. There are detailed instructions inside each box. Please follow them closely and do not overstuff the box - it needs to close securely. There is also a container available for donations to cover mailing costs. For more details about the MAGI Shoebox Collection - please see or contact Kirby. The return date to bring your boxes back to church will be Sunday, March 24<sup>th</sup>.





## Franklin Church of Christ

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Website - [www.franklinkycoc.org](http://www.franklinkycoc.org)

### Church Office Hours

Monday-Friday - 8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

### Times of Church Services & Activities

Sunday AM Bible Classes - 9:30 a.m.

Sunday AM Worship - 10:30 a.m.

Sunday PM Singing & Classes - 5:30 p.m.

Tuesday Ladies Class (September-May) - 10:00 a.m.

Wednesday PM Devo & Bible Classes - 6:30 p.m.

Mother's Day Out (Tuesdays & Thursdays) - 8:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

## WE WANT TO WELCOME OUR GUEST! THANK YOU FOR COMING!



Stop by our Welcome Center for more information about our church. Also - please fill out a Connection Card (located in the pew) or scan the QR Code to fill out our online Connection Card.

Welcome Center: Joe & Jennifer Batson  
Main Auditorium Foyer: Darrick Shepherd

### BE A PART OF OUR CHURCH FAMILY

If you are interested in identifying with the Franklin church, please leave us a note on the back your Connection card, stop by the welcome center, or contact Steven Kirby (270-586-4315 ext. #102) or email him at [steven.kirby@franklinkycoc.org](mailto:steven.kirby@franklinkycoc.org). He will contact you asap.



To access free WiFi here at the church building  
**Network** - FCoc Office / **PW** - FranklinCoC#1

## HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

March 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Walt & Sherry Heath (46 yrs.)
March 10 <sup>th</sup>	Brad & Valerie Herndon (17 yrs.)
March 27 <sup>th</sup>	Brett & Tori Krantz (6 yrs.)
April 1 <sup>st</sup>	Jimmy & LaNan Swindle (7 yrs.)
April 4 <sup>th</sup>	Tim & Toni Gibbs (20 yrs.)

### Staff

Steve McCarley - Pulpit Minister - [steve.mccarley@franklinkycoc.org](mailto:steve.mccarley@franklinkycoc.org)  
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Craig Mann - Custodian - [craig.mann@franklinkycoc.org](mailto:craig.mann@franklinkycoc.org)

## For The Record - Sunday, February 25<sup>th</sup>

Sunday AM Bible Classes.....	115
Sunday AM Worship.....	214 (41 @ CYC)
Sunday PM Singing & Bible Classes.....	.65
Tuesday Ladies Bible Class.....	.15
Wednesday PM Devotional & Bible Classes.....	.99
Weekly Goal.....	\$8,461.54
Weekly Contribution.....	\$7,951.00
YTD Goal.....	\$76,153.86
Contribution YTD.....	\$92,933.74
Every One Counts (February 2024).....	\$2,300.00

## Privileged to Serve - Sunday, March 3<sup>rd</sup>

Welcome & Announcements.....	Steven Kirby
Song Leader.....	Colton Hurt
Song.....	
Opening Prayer.....	Eli Hurt
Song.....	
Lord's Supper & Contribution.....	Nick Chandler
Reading..... ( Philippians 1:19-23 ).....	Gabe Hamilton
Song.....	
Song.....	
Song.....	
Sermon.....	Darrick Shepherd
<i>"Not Ashamed to Live in God's Will"</i>	
Song.....	
Closing Prayer.....	Trai Williams
Pick-Up Cards.....	Rylan Colombo & Will McCarley
Pick-Up Cups.....	Lyla Williams & Sadie Williams
AV Room.....	Craig Mann & Wade Gipson
Lord's Supper Servers...Rylan Jernigan, Cade Jernigan, Andrew Shepherd, Mark White, Harry Mann, Brooks Kirby, Joe Utley, Dominique Shepherd	



March 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Cameron Pedigo
March 4 <sup>th</sup>	Triscilla Harding
March 6 <sup>th</sup>	Rae Caudill
March 7 <sup>th</sup>	Juandaline West
March 8 <sup>th</sup>	Benson Krantz
March 10 <sup>th</sup>	Dean Herndon, Victoria Huffines
March 12 <sup>th</sup>	Hutcheson "Hut Hut" Sanford
March 13 <sup>th</sup>	Debbie Akin
March 18 <sup>th</sup>	Buddy Morgan

### Elders

Joe Batson, Frank Cardwell, Mike Harris & Jerry Jernigan

### Deacons

Bruce Akin, Ron Black, Jim Cummings, Brian Gipson, David Pedigo, Scott Pedigo, Kenny Perry & Dennis Vaughn

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