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There may be those who receive this bulletin who are searching God's Word to see what they must do to be saved. If you are searching for salvation, we encourage you to turn and study these Bible references:

One must **HEAR** the gospel plan of salvation  
(John 6:45; Revelation 1:3)

One must **BELIEVE** (have faith) in Christ  
(James 2:24; Mark 16:16; John 6:29)

One must **REPENT** of sin  
(Luke 13:3; Acts 2:38; 3:19)

One must **CONFESS** Christ deity  
(Romans 10:9, 10; Matthew 10:32, 33)

One must **BE IMMERSUED FOR FORGIVENESS OF SINS**  
(1 Peter 3:21; acts 22:16)

One must **BE FAITHFUL UNTO DEATH**  
(Revelation 2:10)

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**HONORED TO SERVE**  
**SUNDAY JANUARY 10, 2010**  
Announcements..... George Glover  
Song Leader AM..... Andrew Herndon  
Morning Prayer..... George Glover  
Speaker..... Mike Tucker  
Dismissal..... Tony Thorpe

**USHERS**  
Tony Kelton..... Jesse Adkison  
Eddie Dillon

**PRESIDING AT TABLE**  
James Burgess..... Larry Rhea

**ASSISTANTS**  
Garrett Ballard..... Phillip Russell  
Konor Copeland..... Wayne Malone  
Collin Fitzgerald..... Russ Kirby

Scripture Reading..... Robert Copeland  
Mark 14:22-25

Song Leader PM..... Randy Sullivan  
Evening Prayer..... Robert Copeland  
Speaker..... Mike Tucker  
Dismissal..... Chris Green  
Lord's Table..... Jim Shelby

**NURSERY ATTENDANTS**  
Peggy Ross..... Joyce Kelton

**BUS DRIVER**  
Week of January 10, 2010  
Chris Green..... 247-6527

**CAN'T SERVE?**  
Ladies call..... 245-5634  
Men call Hugh Kirby..... 623-8730  
Or Larry Rhea..... 247-6955  
Song leaders call Bill McCallon... 247-6466

**STATISTICS—JANUARY 3, 2010**  
Bible Study..... 189  
Worship AM..... 240  
Worship PM..... 171  
Mid Week (12/30)..... 173  
Contribution..... \$6,474.75  
Weekly Budget..... \$5,446.00  
Over Budget..... \$576.02

News from....

Northside church of Christ



**“WHAT IF”** January 6, 2010

The words “What if...” are typically spoken after an event is finished. “What if we would have begun saving money when we were younger?” “What if we would have double-teamed their best shooter?” Or, “What if we would have given more priority to the church when our children were younger?” These are useless words; words that are too late to matter or to make any difference. However, these two words don't have to be words that are relegated to vain words of regret. The words, “What if...” are words of full vision and possibility. They are words that make the difference between success and failure. Rather than being vain words spoken too late, they can also be powerful words spoken in a timely fashion that makes all the difference between success and failure.

Here are a few “What ifs...” that we can be asking that are not too late, but are full of potential and life changing possibilities.

- **What if...** every family in our local church decided to attend all the services of the church? What impact would that have on my family, other Christians, and the world? Can you imagine the influence for good it would have on the lost who see no significant drop in numbers from one service to the next? Can you imagine how encouraging it would be to each other? Can you imagine what impact this would have on our Bible knowledge? Can you imagine what an influence for good this would have upon our children? What if? Just what if we chose to do this? The potential is unlimited. I for one, think it's worth trying. Does anyone know of a good reason why we shouldn't?
- **What if...** every member in our congregation decided to make the salvation of a lost soul a priority for one year? What if, instead of allowing days, weeks, and months go by wherein we failed to talk to others about Jesus, we invited people to worship and study with us? What if we asked people if they would be willing to sit down some evening in our home and talk about the Scriptures? Can you imagine how many conversions would occur in a year's time? What holds us back is only our fear. What if we overcame our fear? Can you imagine what a change this would make in our congregation?



<b>ELDERS</b>	<b>EVANGELIST</b>	<b>SCHEDULE OF SERVICES</b>
Don Canter 856-4409	Mike Tucker 247-8574	Sunday
George Glover 623-8629	Home 251-2899	Wednesday
Jerry Steele 623-6291	E-mail mike@cocns.com	Bible Study 9:30 AM Bible
		Morning Worship 10:30 AM Study
		Evening Worship 6:00 PM 7:00 P.M.

“Healing Hurting Families” Christian Counseling Center 2820 Jefferson, Paducah, KY 1-888-328-8560  
www.ccchope.com

**PULPIT PREVIEW – January 10, 2010**

**Worship AM –**

**Worship PM –**

**GREETERS**

James and Cindy Burgess, Shirley Dawson,  
Jennifer Roberts

**PICK-UP CARDS**

Will Flatt, Jared Green, Sidney Herndon

**SUNDAY**

- **Morningside Devotional** – at 2:00 p.m. Every one is encouraged to attend.
- **Visitation Team 2** – will meet following evening services.
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**SICK LIST**

- **Kevin Green** had his tonsils removed on Monday. He is recuperating at home.
- **Katie Green**, Chris Green's grandmother, has been dismissed from the hospital. She is back at Heritage Manor.
- **John Hoover** has been dismissed from the hospital and is recuperating at home following back surgery.
- **Sue Ann Tidwell** the mother of Tammy Lamb had surgery last week to remove cancer from her ribs. She is at home.
- **Gail Spillman** cancer patient is undergoing treatment in Lexington. May have surgery on Tuesday.

**WELCOME**

We want to welcome **DAVID AND LESLIE WHITESIDE** as members of our congregation. Their address is 703 Macedonia Street their telephone number is 247-4856. They will be in zone 4. Please make them welcome.

**THANK YOU CARDS**

To My Northside Family,  
Thank you so much for the beautiful poinsettia and remembering me with all the beautiful Christmas cards. I also want to say a special "thank you" and God bless to the ladies in Thursday visitation, their visits and especially the prayers they share with me are so uplifting. You are truly seeing to the needs of your church family and of others. Thank you again and may God bless each of you.

You Sister-in-Christ, **Vi Hiett**

To all at Northside,  
Thank you for the wonderful fruit basket also for all who helped prepare and deliver it, we enjoyed it.

Thanks also for all of the beautiful Christmas cards and Gerald's birthday cards. We enjoyed them all.

Love,  
Phyllis and Gerald Canter

We have received thank you cards for the fruit baskets and Christmas cards from **Lucille English, Jerry Williams, Charles & Estelle Goin, James Bennett, Sue Pittman, Bernard & Linda Foster.**

**YOUTH FUND DONATION**

There has been a donation made to the youth fund from **Jerry and Beverly Williams.** We certainly appreciate their kindness and generosity.

**Red Cross Blood Drive**

There will be a blood drive on Wednesday, January 20<sup>th</sup> from 1:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. in the multi-purpose building. We need volunteers to help during the blood drive and we also need people to bring desserts. There are sign up sheets in the front foyers for any one to sign who is willing to help. There is also a sign up sheet for any one planning to donate blood.



**LITERATURE PICK-UP**

The next collection of new and used Bibles, song books, and left over church literature will be on **Monday, January 11<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 a.m.** Also, if you would like to help purchase Bibles, please make checks payable to Crieve Hall church of Christ and turn it in to the church office. All money and literature will be forwarded to mission fields all over the world.

**AREA EVENTS**

**4<sup>th</sup> Annual Youth Rally** – Saturday, January 9<sup>th</sup> at Central church of Christ in Paducah. The theme will be "Is God N UR Plans? UR N His!" The speaker will be Dr. Jim Selbe from Hopkinsville. The song leader will be Adam Faughn from Nashville. Registration begins at 9:45 a.m. Lunch will be provided.

**Girls' Day** – Saturday, January 30<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. at Seven Oaks church of Christ. Laura Poston from Jackson, TN will be the speaker. Classes will be taught by Ashley Mathis and Brandy Crutchfield. The theme is "Confessions of a Gentle Spirit". This is for girls ages 7<sup>th</sup> grade through college.

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- **What if...**every member of the church viewed themselves as unprofitable servants? What if we all realized that the Lord owes us nothing and we owe Him everything? What if we stopped asking what the church can do for us and began asking what we can do for the church? What if we realized how indebted we were to God? Can you imagine the good that we could do, the service that we could render, and determination we would have? No one could dissuade or discourage us. We would press on. Just think what it would be like to live among and serve beside a kingdom of servants who had no expectations, but only a sense of responsibility.

Friends, these "What ifs" are not empty, useless words considered after the fact and too late to do any good. Rather the "What ifs" this article wrote about are visionary, challenging, and life-changing. They are full of potential, and could very well change the future of the church. But now here's the best news. These "what ifs" are within the reach of each of us. There is no reason we cannot do them. It's just a matter of the will.

Will you accept this challenge? Just think, "**What if** you and others do?"

~Steve Higginbotham