

PULPIT PREVIEW – SEPTEMBER 10, 2006

Worship AM – *The Center of Attention – The Cross*
Worship PM – *Trail of Tears*

GREETERS – SEPTEMBER 10, 2006

Bobby & Mary Belle Holland
Patsy Dawson, Shirley Dawson

SUNDAY – SEPTEMBER 10, 2006

- **Morningside Devotional** at 2 p.m.
- **Visitation Team #2** will meet after the evening services.

SICK LIST

Catherine Moffitt has been discharged from the hospital and is now at Green Acres Nursing Home.

Jim McGill will be moved to Vanderbilt Medical Center as soon as an opening is available.

Charlie Satterwhite is in Jackson Purchase Medical Center with a staph infection and does not need visitors.

Thelma Holshouser is in Lourdes Hospital in room 607.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT CLASSES

- **Jerry Steele** will be teaching a class on “The Holy Spirit” in the auditorium beginning on September 13th.
- **Mike Tucker’s** class will be studying *Looking at Eternity From Earth via the Bible – A study of 1,2, and 3 John and Jude* in the fellowship building.

LADIES’ BIBLE CLASS

The Ladies’ Bible Class will begin Tuesday, September 19th at 10 a.m. in the back classroom. Books will be on the front pews for you to pick up.

CARDS

To all our family at Northside, Thanks to you all for the cards, visits, food, and well wishes during the birth of Emily. We are thrilled to share this happy time with such a great group of brothers and sisters. We love you all!

In Christian love,

Eddie, Heather, Wesley, and Emily Dillon

Thank you for your expressions of sympathy during the passing of Era Duncan. It was greatly appreciated.

The Duncan Family

Dear Northside members, Thank you so much for thinking of me during my stay in the hospital. The flowers were beautiful and I am enjoying all the cards and visits. Please keep me in you prayers. Thanks again.

Love,

Thelma Holshouser

Dear Northside church members, Thanks for all the cards, visits, and prayers offered on my behalf while in the nursing home and hospital. Thanks for the visit from the young people, also.

In Christian Love,
Catherine Moffitt

DONATION

A gift subscription to *Biblical Archaeology Review* has been donated to the library from Ned Burnette.

AREA EVENTS:

GOSPEL MEETING:

- **Lee Street**, September 10-13 with Graham McGill, Richie Spann, Bobby Crittendon, and Thomas Todd. Services will begin at 7 p.m. Monday through Wednesday.
- **Green Plain**, September 10-14 with Mike Kiser. Services will begin at 7 p.m. Monday through Thursday.

OPEN HOUSE:

- **Seven Oaks**, September 17th from 2 to 4 p.m. The ribbon cutting will be at 2 p.m. and evening worship will be at 4 p.m.

HOME COMING:

- **New Concord**, Sunday, September 17th with Jim Bill McInteer. Please see the bulletin board for complete schedule.

LADIES’ DAY:

- **Glendale Road**, Saturday, September 9th from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. with Karen McCuiston.
- **Central**, Saturday, September 16th with Laurel Sewell. Registration begins at 8:30 a.m.
- **Highway 45** in South Fulton, Saturday, September 16th with Robbie Clark. Registration begins at 8:30 a.m.
- **Parkway**, September 23rd with Dietlinde E. Spears. Registration begins at 9 a.m.

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So, what has happened? Have people all of a sudden begun to listen to preachers and study their Bibles? No. Unfortunately, the above descriptions are not about sin. Though the subject might at first glance appear to be sin, it is actually *gasoline consumption*. People have seen for themselves the high cost of dependence on petroleum – that are paying more for it through virtually every product and service they purchase.

As a preacher, I am amazed by the sweeping effects of the current gasoline crisis. However, there really is no mystery to it. People change when *they* see the need to change. We can talk all day long about sin and its consequences, but a person will not move until they know it applies to them and are persuaded that change is something they can and should do.

There’s something else about this crisis: people are affected personally, but also see the need to help others change as well. In an interesting twist, we all realize we must change our *own* behavior, but know that it will be better for all concerned if we persuade others.

As Jesus said, “*He who has ears to hear, let him hear*” (Matthew 13:43).

~Lance Cordle

Our gospel meeting with Brent Arnold is September 24th through September 27th beginning at 7 p.m. Monday through Wednesday. Our theme is “Righteousness Exalts a Nation”. Begin inviting your friends to attend!