

An Update from Andrew...

October is a busy month for Graymere, and we have a lot to pray for and plan for in the next couple of weeks. We were thankful to pray for **Ben Stewart** who came forward on Sunday morning. It is always a blessing to pray for and encourage each other. We also had 60 teens and adults away on Sunday morning for the youth group retreat. **Jon David** does a great job with these retreats, and I know they are great opportunities for spiritual growth in the life of our students.

We are also preparing for Give Away Day, and part of that preparation includes "Sack the Pulpit" on Sunday. There are grocery bags and lists at every entrance of the auditorium, and we want as many people as possible to bring filled grocery bags to the building on Sunday morning. Let's see how many we can stack up at the front of the auditorium!

We also have the opportunity to donate money as well so that we can purchase new items for Give Away Day. This is important, because it allows us to supplement the areas where we don't have as many donated things. If you would like to do that and you haven't already, be sure to donate on Sunday morning. You can also sign up for an area to work during Give Away Day. Every year, Graymere always bands together to make this day a success, and we will continue to need everyone's help to make it work.

On the Sunday night after Give Away Day, we will celebrate our Trunk of Treat! This Sunday after class, there will be a meeting in the auditorium for everyone who is planning on participating in Trunk or Treat. Chad has laid out our plan for that evening, and I think the changes we are making will help the night be safe and enjoyable. We are also collecting candy in the bins located in the foyer, so be sure to bring some.

We also need to remember Columbia Bible Institute, which will begin on Sunday evening, November 5th. It is always a blessing to everyone who attends, and I am looking forward to the lessons which will be offered during the week. Let's keep learning and growing together!

Sunday's Messages

AM – Kindness Breaks Down Barriers (Luke 10:25-29)

PM – Chad Landman Speaking

ELDERS

Rick Combs	931.380.0081
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Fred Porter	931.388.8088
Roger Riddle	931.381.4657
Dennis Stephen	931.619.0329
Steve Thomason	931.797.8983
Kevin Thompson	931.797.6642
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MINISTERS

Andrew Phillips	Pulpit/TV
Chad Landman	Education
Jack Malone	Senior Adults
Jonathan Winchester	Missions/Evangelism
Jon David Schwartz	Youth

DEACONS

Rick Barker	Carl Martin
Billy Bishop	Wayne Phillips
Bobby Bishop	Troy Potts
Shawn Butterfield	Warren Robinson
Hollis Carpenter	Ed Self
Barry Christian	Charles Smith
Ken Compton	Austin Simmons
Ben Farris	Jeff Skelton
Randy Fleming	Ron Stone
Dwayne Fulks	Ricky Thompson
Jason Golden	Doug Wilburn
Randy Goodwin	Ken Wiles
Tim Gordon	Doug Williams
Eddie Harris	Larry Winchester
Jeff Harris	Phillip Wright
Vance Hendrickson	Ken Young
Josh Love	

OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Thursday 8:00 AM – 4:30 PM
Friday 8:00 AM – 3:00 PM
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TIMES OF WORSHIP

Sunday 9:00 AM
Sunday Bible Study 10:15 AM
Sunday 6:00 PM
Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 PM

COUNSELING CENTER

Mondays 11:00 AM—5:00 PM
931.540.0174

TELEVISION

Connections
Charter Channel 195
Wednesdays 7 PM,
Sundays 5 PM
CPWS Channel 13
Sundays 7:30 PM
Sunday Morning Worship
Charter Channel 195
Sundays 8 AM

OUR RECORD

Week of	10-15-17
Sunday AM	481
Bible Study	339
Sunday PM	352
Contribution	\$22,271.30
Wednesday PM	351
Budget	\$23,000.00

Graymere Yellow Pages

Years ago we had a booklet we called Graymere Yellow Pages. It contained information about business owned by Graymere members. We would like to start this process again. If you are a Graymere member and own a business you would like to be included in the Graymere Yellow Pages, go to graymere.com and under the "Contacts" like, click on "send us a note" and give us the information you would like the congregation to know about your business. It will take some time for us to get the information compiled and posted to the website, but we hope it will be a helpful tool to the congregation.

15TH ANNUAL
**GIVE
AWAY
DAY**

PACKING & SORTING
[IN GIVEAWAY DAY BLDG]
EVERY TUES NIGHT @ 6:30
GIVEAWAY DAY IS OCT 28!

Sign up at the Information Desk to work at Give Away Day. Grocery lists and sacks are at all auditorium entrances. You may purchase filled bags at Piggly Wiggly. October 22 is SACK THE PULPIT DAY! If you would like to make a monetary donation, please see Andrew or Katie Williams, Matt or Julie Bowling or bring it by the church office.

Wednesday Morning Ladies Class

"The Days of Our Lives" —Wanda Robinson, teacher

All ladies are invited to attend the Wednesday morning Bible class as we study lessons centered around specific times and circumstances in our lives. These lessons are designed to be relevant for all women as we strive to help one another live the Christian life. If you are unable to attend every week, we would love for you to come whenever you can. Some of these lessons may be of particular interest to you and you are welcome to attend those classes. Listed below are the lesson topics through January.

October 25: After the "I Do's"
November 1: I'm a Mother! What Now?
November 8: Guest speaker and luncheon with CBI
November 15: Devotional, Prepare and deliver Thanksgiving baskets
November 29: Surviving the Teenage Years
December 6: guest speaker
December 13: Middle Age and the Empty Nest
January 3: Guest speaker
January 10: Growing Old Gracefully
January 17: Facing Life as a Widow
January 24: Making Friends with Your In-Laws
January 31: The Single Christian Woman



New Members

We welcome **Tyler and Tiffany Crews** to the Graymere family. They have two children, **Henry and Maggie**. Their address is: 4049 Pleasant Gate Lane, Columbia, TN 38401. Tiffany is a nurse at Maury Regional, her phone # is 931-982-3001. Tyler is a fire fighter in Williamson County and his phone # is 931-981-7079. Tyler is the son of Monte and Barbara Crews.

Restored

We rejoice with **Ben Stewart** who was restored Sunday.

Our Sick

Dismissed: **Taylor Thompson**
NHC-MR: **Sarah Johnson**, 1302; **Lillian Bills**, 2506

Sympathy

We extend our sympathy to the family of **Ollie Carter**, mother of Scott Carter and grandmother of Landon Carter. Funeral was Sunday in Alabama.

L2LL

- *Registration forms* are due to Chris Tullis no later than November 12. Everyone participating in any events or wanting a hotel room for convention MUST turn in a registration form. For more information about L2LL, convention dates or registration forms please contact Chris Tullis.
- *Bible Bowl practice* — Sunday at 5:00 in FR2.

Trunk or Treat — October 29

If you would like to donate candy for Trunk or Treat, bins are in the educational foyer. *There will be a short Trunk-or-Treat meeting this Sunday in the auditorium immediately after Bible Classes. If you plan to be involved in any way, please attend.*

Upcoming Events

- **Meals Program**
October 23: Kyla Harris
October 25: Kathie Porter
October 27: Lynda Barker
- **Visitation Teams-Sunday**
Team 10: Matt Bowling (Sr. Ctr.)
- Ladies of the congregation are invited to a Bridal Tea honoring **Hannah Wright**, bride-elect of **Korey Alfred**, October 29, 1-2:30 PM in the Fellowship Hall. Hannah is the daughter of Phillip & Jana Wright. Registered: Ye Peddler, Belk, Target
- **Fall Golf Outing** is October 21. See Jimmy Fann for details.
- Boys in grades 2-5 who are interested in **Boys Oral Bible Reading**, please sign up or see Josh Love.
- **Pantry Items:** oatmeal or cereal. *Thanks to everyone who contributes items to our pantry!*

Annual Worship Night With Southgate Youth October 22

At the Bishop's & Thomas's
This is for the entire Graymere Youth Group and their families.