

Dates to Remember

April 22nd **Ladies Night Out** @ 6pm, bring item for Manna House
 May 19th **Men's Breakfast** @ 8am
 June 30th **Potluck** after services



Sunday Bible Class 9:15 a.m.
 Sunday Worship 10:15 a.m.
 Sunday Bible Class 11:15 a.m.
 Wednesday Evening 6:00 p.m.
 Nursing Home 3rd Sunday 2 p.m.

Please bring money or items for the Children's Homes

Tuna Ivarest Gatorate Canned Chicken Bottled Water
 Diapers (Newborn & Size 1) Rotel Velveeta Cereal Flour
 Granola Bars Pringles Vienna Sausage Healthy Snacks

Elders

Danny Brightwell
 291-3439

 Shelby Qualls
 346-5255

Deacons

Bryan Phillips 373-0546
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 Alan Love 243-4608
 Frank Fowler 291-1784

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Family News

- Wedding Shower for Mary Hannah Sipe & Mills Bryant on April 28 @ 2pm in the Fellowship Hall. Registered at Home Place, Wal-Mart, Amazon.com and Bed, Bath & Beyond.
- * Communion is gluten-free and travel communion is available.

Melbourne Church of Christ

"A family of believers seeking to grow spiritually while sharing Jesus and serving others."

Seeing Jesus

by Bart Warren

It has often been noted that the resurrection of Jesus had a life-altering effect upon the apostles and other disciples. Jesus predicted His arrest and death would cause the disciples to desert Him (Matt. 26:31) and they would be overcome with sorrow (John 16:20). They do indeed scatter—they "left Him and fled" (Matt. 26:56). They were hiding behind locked doors because they were afraid of the Jewish leadership that had seen to the death of Jesus (John 20:19).

But then something changed. Those who had scattered and once sought safety behind closed doors suddenly became undefeatable. They became overcomers through Christ! They were ready to tell anyone and everyone about this Jesus who had conquered death and cleared a path to the presence of the Father. The cowards became champions! They now realized that everything Jesus had ever said was true. They now understood that His resurrection from the dead meant that they didn't have to be afraid of anything because He had defeated all the things that might make us afraid.

Seeing Jesus changed everything!

Such should be true of us as well. We won't get to experience the same things the apostles did—no broiled fish dinners (Luke 24:42-43)—but we can still see Jesus. All of the Bible reveals the Son of God to us.

As Jesus said to Thomas: "Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have believed" (John 20:29; cf. 1 Peter 1:8).

May we all see Jesus and be forever changed!

	TODAY	NEXT SUNDAY
SONG LEADER	Doyle Wyatt	Doyle Wyatt
OPENING PRAYER	Bryan Phillips	Brad Sipe
CLOSING PRAYER	Wyatt Fowler	Ted Wammack
		
Ted Wammack Joe Cooper	Joe Ingram Brad Sipe	Randy Haney Shelby Qualls
<u>DOOR GREETERS</u> APRIL 21 ST SHELBY & RAMONA QUALLS APRIL 28 TH DOYLE & DIANA WYATT		
<u>CHILDREN'S GATHERING TEACHERS FOR APRIL</u> BETTY BRIGHTWELL, NATALIE BRIGHTWELL & RAMONA QUALLS		
<u>Nursery</u> April 21 st Holly Cooper April 28 th Christie Haney		
<u>Communion for Shut-In</u> April 21 st Shelby Qualls April 28 th Doyle Wyatt		
<u>Power in Prayer Project</u> Father, thank You for transforming Your church into Your image. May we proclaim and project Christ on this earth, not only when we meet together but also in every step of every day. Please help every lost soul to understand their need for Christ and His salvation. Prepare hearts to obey Your gospel and enter into the new identity and life You have waiting for them.		

<u>Prayer List</u>			
Military: Derek Love, Tyler Talkington, A.J. Talkington			
Officers: Steven & Sherry Davidson, Josh Morehead, Jamie Irvin, Tyler Webb, Caeden Wolfe			
Health: Dot Sanders	Joyce Newbrey	Cal Gillihan	Joanna Smith
Joe Guiltner	Larry Cooley	Emma Jean Cooper	Wilma Cooper
Wayne Crosby	Tracy Thomas	Brooke Pritchard	Ruth Lewis
James Nicholson	Bill Roland	Hayden Phillips	Donny Smith
Joanne Weston	Bill Wiseman	Debbie Nicholson	Helen King
Eutha Vest	Tommy Washington	Jim Fowler	Dale Smith
Andrew Pearson	Ivy Jo Slade	Andrew Weaver	Jeff Young
Sue Washington	Johnny Guthrie	Wanda Mcconnaughay	Dan Clark
Nursing Home: Lucille Linn, Jerri Haney, Audrey Eddings, Mary Alice Short, Debbie Hoskinds, Holly Stroud, Jimmy Gillihan			
<u>April Birthdays</u>			
Betty Brightwell 2 nd	Tyler Kelly 4 th	Donna Hill 7 th	
Derek Love 8 th	Imodean Webb 9 th	Cleve Weaver 12 th	
Melissa Morrison 14 th	Nancy Richardson 15 th	Rhett Morrison 17 th	
Son Lamb 18 th	Francis Gillihan 22 nd	Doug Sipe 25 th	
Michelle Smith 26 th	Kenya Wyatt 29 th	Dana Ingram 30 th	
<u>April Anniversaries</u>			
Joe & Dana Ingram 17 th			
<p>Sir Winston Churchill's funeral was on January 30, 1965. People from 112 countries attended and 350 million watched via television. Churchill had once been an agnostic. But experiences during WWI made him a firm believer in God.</p> <p>He planned part of his own funeral and instructed that after the eulogy, a bugler would play Taps, a song that marks the day's end. But that was not the end. Another bugler was to play Reveille, a song that marks the coming of a new day and a call to rise.</p> <p>That was Churchill's testimony concerning the resurrection. He wanted those gathered to know that there is hope beyond the grave and judgment because Jesus Christ has opened the door to eternal life by His own death, burial and resurrection.</p>			