

February 19, 2017  
WORSHIP WITH A FRIENDLY CHURCH

Sunday: \_\_\_\_\_ Wednesday: \_\_\_\_\_  
9 am Worship      7 pm Bible Class  
10:15 Bible Class and Devotional  
5 pm Evening Worship

Van transportation available.  
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# FLORENCE BOULEVARD CHURCH OF CHRIST

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Mike Davidson  
Kevin Hunter  
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Dave Schmidt  
Matt Warner  
Don Williams  
Tommy Woodfin

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Joe Wells

## Youth

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Cody Peery

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### *Title: The Real Awards Night*

By Joe Wells

The glitz, glamour, stretch limousines, red carpet, photographers unending picture taking, the careers solidified, and the legends celebrated all point to a grand evening at the Grammy's. Artists are recognized for album of the year, best new artist, record of the year, song of the year, and many other accolades with a beautiful trophy that will eventually find it's way into a museum or into a box, never to be seen again except by the family of the star.

Millions of dollars have been spent on 30-second commercial spots because there will be more people watch this game than any other single event in television this year. Two teams play for the ultimate title – World Champions. Super Bowl rings are won, containing more diamonds than many in the America will ever see. Many of the rings will stay locked away in a safe somewhere; however, some, like those in the past, might end up finding their way to a pawn shop or sold on eBay.

In the Word of God we read, *“Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who according to His great mercy has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, to obtain an inheritance which is imperishable and undefiled and will not fade away, reserved in heaven for you,”* (1 Peter 2: 3-4) We're told of those who participate in the games at Corinth and how they received a perishable wreath, but how we, as Christians, will receive an imperishable one. (1 Corinthians 9:25) All awards given on this earth have one thing in common – they will eventually be gone because they are not designed to last forever. However, as Christians, we have a “real awards night” waiting for us in eternity, and the award then will never fade away. Live today so that you will not be disqualified from receiving your reward.

*May God bless you this week as you walk with HIM!*

SERMON TITLES & SCRIPTURE

**Sunday AM:** *New Beginnings: Grow Through Generations* (Genesis 35: 9-13)

**Sunday PM:** *To the Church...Hold On To Heavenly Wisdom* (1 Corinthians 1: 18-21)

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CHURCH PANTRY

We are in need of Canned Veggies (**DO NOT NEED CORN OR GREEN BEANS**) and Canned Soup for the church pantry. If you can help with this, please bring your items and place them outside of the pantry door. Also, if you would like to give money, to purchase items, you can give it to June Green or Kathy Kirby. We will be asking for different things every couple of weeks.

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TEACHER'S MEETING

There will be a teacher's meeting **TODAY**, for all teachers and assistants of Cradle Roll - Primary Classes, at 4:00 pm, in the Fellowship Hall.

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Everyone is encouraged to attend the "Brown Bag" Suppers that are on Wednesday Nights. Everyone brings their own food and enjoys a time of fellowship together. Meal begins at 6:00 pm.

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RULES TO LIVE BY

1. Don't make a tragedy out of things when they don't go your way.
2. Don't think you are the center of the universe and everything revolves around you.
3. Realize that people make mistakes and this is to be expected; be tolerant of yourself and others.
4. Don't think people have to like you at all times.
5. Don't live in the past.
6. Don't feel sorry for yourself.
7. Sometimes, be willing to do what you think is best, even if others don't like it.
8. Don't compare yourself with others in terms of money and clothes; they are false standards.

Happiness is the result of being too busy to be miserable. (copied)

CHURCH LIBRARY

The following book, *The New American Commentary*, by Paige Patterson, has been placed in the church library in memory of Billy Knight, brother of Martha Mayhall, by the Florence Blvd congregation.

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MARS HILL OPEN HOUSE

Mars Hill Bible School will host an Open House for prospective students for Pre-K and Kindergarten on Tuesday, March 7 from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. at the campus on Cox Creek Parkway. Teachers and administrators will be on hand to meet prospective students and parents. The \$100 registration fee will be waived for all students registering for Pre-K or Kindergarten that evening. For more information, please contact Jeannie Garrett at (256) 767-1203, ext 2005.

MARS HILL BENEFIT DINNER

MHBS welcomes Walt Aldridge and Gary Baker for the school's 33<sup>rd</sup> Annual Benefit Dinner. Enjoy an evening with two of our nation's top song writers as they share stories about and perform many of their award winning songs. Plus enjoy a delicious meal served by faculty and students of MHBS. Tickets are available through the Development office at (256) 767-1203, ext 2004.



<b>Assignments</b>		<b>Today</b>			<b>Sunday, February 26<sup>th</sup></b>		
<b>Greeters</b>	West	Butch Durham/Robert Holderfield			Don & Ruth Deaton		
	East	Larry & Patsy Gooch			Ronnie & Janet Putnam		
		<b>Morning</b>	<b>Evening</b>	<b>Morning</b>	<b>Evening</b>		
<b>Scripture Reading</b>		Kevin Clemons	Jimmy Black	Kevin Horton	Bruce Rivers		
<b>Prayer</b>	Opening	Dale Boren	Gregg Elrod	Mark Willingham	Gary Morris		
	Closing	Jake VanDyke	Zach Thompson	Donald Green	Don Williams		
<b>Youth Led Devo (4:55)</b>		<u>Song</u> Mason Woodfin	<u>Scripture</u> Remington Medley	<u>Prayer</u> Cayden Turbyfill	<u>Song</u> Cayden Turbyfill	<u>Scripture</u> Luke Woodfin	<u>Prayer</u> Wesley Warner
<b>Wednesday, February 22<sup>nd</sup></b>		<b>Closing Prayer:</b> Steve Ezell					

<b>February</b>	<b><u>Van Drivers-February</u></b>	<b><u>Young Boys to Pick Up Cards-February</u></b>
<b><u>Elder Contact</u></b> Ken Vanhorn	Sun. AM-Kenneth Cox Sun. PM-Donny Young Wed.-Tim Thompson	1-Bennett Wells 2-Logan Woodfin 3-Wesley Warner 4-Trent Woodfin 5-Camden Wells
<b><u>Wash Baptismal Garments/Towels-Feb.</u></b> June Green Judy Thompson	<b><u>Put in Attendance Cards</u></b> Feb. 20 <sup>th</sup> -Ann Hester	

<b>Our Record</b>	
<b>Sunday</b>	
AM Worship	297
Bible Class	239
PM Worship	209
Wednesday	207
Contribution	\$10,134

## Sermon Notes

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