

SUNDAY NEWS

APRIL 2, 2017

Elders

Gregg Woodall
 Tony Williams
 Tony Turner
 Dave Benner
 Terry Clark
 Gary Woodall

April Servant Elder

Tony Turner

Ministers

Steve Higginbotham
 Justin Morton

Deacons

Michael Albert
 Brad Alsup
 David Baldwin
 Lance Champion
 Rick Compton
 Chris Cox
 Dan Dresser
 Ben Griffith
 Walt Hillis
 John Hoffarth
 Gentry Jackson
 Bill Leeth
 Chris Pegg
 Dustin Roberts
 Don Scott
 John Seibel
 Steve Smith
 Jeff Snyder
 Dale Tanner
 Daniel Tanner
 Lee Toothman

**Construction Update**

By Tony Williams, for the elders

We accomplished a lot in the past few weeks even though it appears no construction progress has been made.

A general contractor has been selected. The architect is well underway and engineering drawings are nearly complete for the auditorium expansion. Once these are finalized, we will make application to the county for our site development permit. We are soliciting, through our contractor, subs who may want the Southeast office house that it might be relocated. If we are unable to move the house, we will submit to the county for a demolition permit as we did on the house across the street.

In a bittersweet situation, we are also soliciting bids for the removal of the beloved tree in our existing courtyard. Our contractor has

contact with some folks who might take the tree down in order to harvest the wood for building materials. I hate to see the old tree go, but I am thankful for the reason it is going.

We hope to have our site permit in the upcoming weeks. One of our timing targets was to not interrupt the Southeast Lectureship with our construction. The house, along with work on the tree may begin. However, we wanted to hold off interference with the building until after the Lectureship.

Please continue to pray for our expansion project. It is our prayer that we use this project to glorify our Lord and not ourselves.

This Week at Karns

Today

- **Autumn Care devo** at 1 p.m.
- **Bridal shower for Kesha Shipe** at 4 p.m. in the small fellowship room. See details in adjacent column.
- **Elders' follow-up meeting with the men who serve during worship** (or desire to do so) at 5 p.m. in the auditorium. Make every effort to attend.
- **Very important meeting with high school juniors and parents** at 5:30 p.m. in classroom 6.
- **MS/HS devo** at the Cheathams' home after p.m. worship. Our bus will be used for transport.

Tuesday, April 4

- **Ladies' class** meets at 10 a.m. in the small fellowship room.
- **PM ladies' class** at 6 p.m. in the small fellowship room. Sign up on the family board tonight.

Friday, April 7

- **Youth leave** for Spring ADVANCE at Appalachian Christian Camp. Be here no later 3:45 p.m.
- **Cookout/bonfire** for the college-age (in school or out) and Southeast students at the Alberts' home at 6:30 p.m.

Sunday, April 9

- **Bridal shower for Krystal Robins** at 4 p.m. in the small fellowship room. Details are in the adjacent column.

Bridal Shower Today

Today there will be a shower for **Kesha Shipe** at 4 p.m. in the small fellowship room. She is registered at Dillard's, Bed Bath & Beyond and William Sonoma. To give to a large gift, see Kathy Turner or Kelly Gibson.

PM Ladies' Bible Study

Sign up today on the family bulletin board for this once-a-month ladies' class. It meets this Tuesday in the small fellowship room at 6 p.m. *A new study will begin the first Tuesday of **next** month entitled *Paul: By the Grace of God* by Casandra Martin.

College & Southeast Cookout

The Albert family is hosting a cookout & bonfire for all college-age (whether in school or not) and Southeast students at 6:30 p.m. on **Friday, April 7th**.

Bridal Shower Next Sunday

On **Sunday, April 9th** there will be a bridal shower for **Krystal Robins** at 4 p.m. in the small fellowship room. She is registered at Target, and Bed Bath & Beyond. To give toward a large gift, see Sherrye Woodall.

Family Picnic & Egg Hunt

There will be a family picnic and egg hunt for all ages at the Baldwins' house Saturday, April 15th at 11:30. We will eat at 12 noon with the egg hunt to follow. Each child should bring 2 dozen candy filled eggs (no nuts, please). Adults should bring a main dish, lawn chairs, blankets and lawn games. **Sign up on the family board in the foyer.**

Horizons: Register ASAP

HORIZONS is July 2—7 at FHU and spaces are filling up! The deadline to register and pay your part of the fee is Sunday, April 23rd. You may do this online at <http://www.fhu.edu/horizons>. Be sure to let Justin know by April 23rd that you have registered so he can pay the other half of your fee.

Church Picnic at McFee Park

Sign up now if you are going to come to the church picnic on May 6th. It starts at 4 p.m. and we eat at 5:30. Dinner is catered. Bring outdoor games, lawn chairs, and blankets.

Prayer List

Ann Wagner will remain in Parkwest (room 259) until Tuesday for testing.

G.C. Robinson is recovering from recent surgery. No visits, please. Cards and prayers are appreciated.

Jerry Morton (Justin's father) had tests done in Nashville this past Thursday.

Ashley Matos (daughter of the Streets') learned from recent tests that she does not have a reoccurrence of cancer. This is wonderful news!

Rosalie Phifer (Vicky Covington's mother) is awaiting the results of tests. Her address is in the Encouragement List.

George Kolhbacher (friend of Sue Lango) is now in hospice care.

Karla Snyder (a new member of Greenville church of Christ) is in ICU at UT. Additionally, her 10 yr-old son will have surgery on April 10th.

Response

Suzan Walling responded to the invitation last Sunday. Continue to pray for and encourage her.

Sign Up To Serve During Lectureship

The lectures are a great time of fellowship and learning, but it's also a lot of hard work. This church family's sacrifice of time and effort during lectureship week is well-known throughout the brotherhood. Without you, the lectures would not be possible. This year, the lectureship takes place from April 23-26. **There are several needs (housing for speakers, food donations, childcare, kitchen workers) and sign-up sheets are now posted.** We hope you'll help and are grateful for ALL you do!!

You Are Invited

Planning for Your Family's Estate & Financial Future will be hosted by Southeast Institute of Biblical Studies on **Saturday, April 29th** from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. in the small fellowship room. Conrad Slate and attorney, Eddy Smith will present ways to avoid estate planning pitfalls, plus information and techniques useful in everyone's planning. This will be beneficial for those of us who are interested in protecting our heirs. **Sign up on the table under the family bulletin board or see Will Hanstein or Conrad Slate.**

College-Age Information Needed

Rick Compton needs everyone who is a **CURRENT** student, **GRADUATING** or getting a certificate from or any other higher education (college/trade school, etc.), to fill out one of the forms located on the table in front of the family board. You can email Rick at dre11956@gmail.com with the info or turn in your form to him **before Sunday, April 16th.** Parents are encouraged to help with this as well.

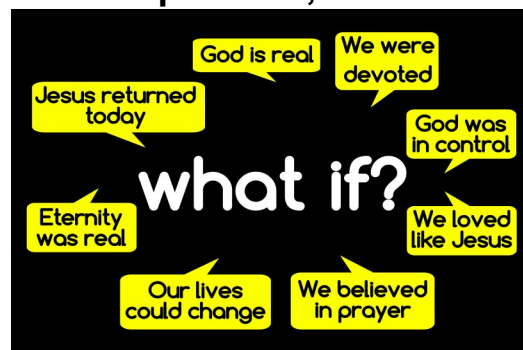
Meals For Our Shut-Ins

Check the family bulletin board for the TLC sheet each week and sign up to donate food, help prepare or deliver meals to the sick and shut-ins each Tuesday. The recipients of these meals appreciate them.

Spreading the Gospel

Karns has a need for volunteers to reach the lost through our Bible correspondence course ministry. This ministry is extremely active and growing weekly. Course graders are always needed. If you would like to be involved in sharing the gospel in this way, see **Jonathan Huddleston.**

Teens' Spring ADVANCE April 7—9, 2017



Information sheets are at
the youth table.

Sunday News

Morning

Welcome & Reading: Chris Gibson
(Proverbs 3:3-6)

Song Leader: Chris Cox

Song: Seek Ye First, 452

Prayer for the Sick: Dave Benner

Song: What the Lord Has Done in Me, 902

Song: That's Why We Praise Him, 157

Communion and Collection

Presider: Steve Smith

(Attendance cards collected during next song)

Song: A Beautiful Life, 374

Prayer: Brent Hurst

Sermon: Justin Morton

Song: There's a Great Day Coming, 923

Song: What a Day Will Be, 854

Prayer: Darren McCoy

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Sound/Video:

John Seibel

Billy Fields

Camera

Tim Harty

April Attendance Cards:

Ian Beatty

Devin Brewer

Sam Hanstein

Alex Leeth

Evening

Welcome & Reading: Chris Gibson
(Proverbs 3:13-18)

Song Leader: Alan Goins

Song: Jesus Loves Me, 954

Prayer: Bill Leeth

Song: No, Not One, 285

(Attendance cards collected during next song)

Song: I Stand Amazed, 133

Sermon: Mark Hanstein

Song: Why Do You Wait? 977

Song: Ivory Palaces, 803

Song: God Be with You, 623

Prayer: Eric Cutrer

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Nursery:

Lynlee Robinson

Amanda McCarver

Welcome Center:

Sherry Smith

Sara Terlecki

Wednesday, April 5

Announcements: Daniel Tanner

Song Leader: Darrel Collins

Speaker: Bill Leeth

Prayer: Mathew Menarchek

Door 6 Usher: Brad Alsup

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Office Hours: 8 am—4 pm

(Monday—Friday)

Times of Services:

Sun. Bible Study: 9 am

Sun. Worship: 10 am, 6 pm

Wed. Bible Study: 7 pm

2017 Statistics

Sunday, March 26, 2017

Attendance: 391

Contribution: \$14,692

Average: 16,648

Budget: \$17,000

Placed membership: 15

Baptisms: 4

Responses: 24

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Our Goal

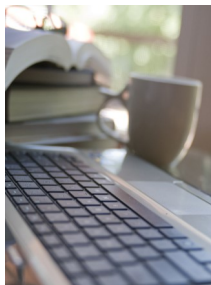
To be transformed by God by

Reflecting the life of Jesus,

Giving hope to the lost,

Growing as a family,

Bound together by the cross.



Online Resources Available

- Our services are broadcast live at www.youtube.com/user/karnscoc.
- Archives of our video sermons: vimeo.com/channels/karnschurch.
- Our website (karnschurch.org) contains many Bible articles and sermon outlines.
- Archives of our audio sermons are posted at karnschurch.org/audio-sermons.