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Dear Ones,

I repeat myself this as I say my word for the day is BIBLE! We kicked off our "Bible Reader's Challenge" for 2015 this past Sunday, February 22nd. We will have commitment sheets available in your bulletin this coming Sunday, March First if you have yet to sign up. We want the FCC Memphis Church family to be Bible Readers!

I appreciated the comments shared by our Elders Sunday morning. Each of the Pastors had one or more thoughts to encourage us in our Bible reading habit. I am reminded "I can do all things through Christ who give me strength." I was reminded that trials are not "If" but "When." I am glad that thought was followed by how we may acquire wisdom in the midst of them! I was reminded in another testimony that God responds to the fervent prayers of those who strive to live for Him. It is sobering to think our lives are a "dash" on a tombstone. Let's use our "dash" to do all the good we can in Jesus' name that all might be saved and God be glorified.

Have you read the little article just to the left of our prayer list in the weekly bulletin? Read the article over a couple of times. Notice the emphasis on Bible revealed in "What we believe." It is not meant to tell you everything to be known about FCC Memphis, but it does a great job of explaining our heritage and our desire to build FCC Memphis on the foundation of God's Word.

I understand from history that our Country was founded on principles from the Bible. I attest that families are stronger and healthier when the teaching of Bible Principles are part of family life. I take Jesus seriously when he tells us a wise man builds his foundation on the teaching of Jesus! The wise man, Jesus said, is the man who hears His Word and does what it says.

Lord Bless, *Preacher Jack*

Youth Minister's Post

How many of you have been the victim of a surprise before? Well on March 1 the T.A.S.K children, Stephanie and I will be talking about a surprise story in the Old Testament. I am not going to reveal any clues as to which story we will be talking about. You will have to come and find out for yourself. However, I can say this, the T.A.S.K children will be leading most of the services on Sunday. Jacob Kapfer will be bringing us the communion meditation. I would like to ask all of you to come and support the Kindergarten through Sixth Grade children. It will mean a lot to them now and down the road. They will remember the time that dad, mom, grandpa, grandma, uncle, aunt, cousin, brother, and sister came to watch them. **Since this is a Youth Sunday there will be no Super Church. Also, on this particular Youth Sunday, we WILL NOT HAVE JUNIOR WORSHIP!** The following Youth Sunday's will happen on May 3 (Camp Kickoff & Sr. Recognition, August 2 (NYR Presentation), and November 1.

Looking forward to seeing you on Sunday!

In Christ, *Josiah Holloway*

Prayer Requests:

Mary Ann Blessing	Russell James
Donna Wheeler	Bob Carney
Donna Meeks	Willideane Crist
Gina Kittle	Rose Miller
John Wheeler	Shirley Green
Dixie Drummond	Susan Rynearson
Donna Houghton	George & Sheila
Levonne Ketchum	Owings

Hospital

FCC MEMBERS at:

SCCC & R.C.F

Jeri Baker	Audrey Drummond
Velva Freburg	Louise Frederick
Vetrice Goins	Gene Parsons
Harriet Poole	Jean Allen

Schuyler County N.H.

Marietta Garrison

Verse of the week:

Mark 10:27

And Jesus looking upon them saith; "With men *it is impossible*, but not with God: for God all things are possible."



February Book of Month

Acts

STATISTICS

February 8, 2015

Sunday School...58	
Worship...95	
General Fund.....	\$5,467.25
Elevator.....	\$40.00
Capet.....	\$60.00

BUDGET (To date)

Weekly Needs	\$3,242.00
Budget needs.....	\$25,936.00
Gifts.....	\$30,492.05

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BIBLE READING CHALLENGE!

On **Sunday, February 22nd & March 1st**, everyone attending Memphis First Christian Church will be encouraged to join in our annual congregational Bible reading Challenge.

Will you join us in this challenge? You can register at church or by calling the church office.

March 1st

Please join us this Sunday as the service will be brought to you by our youth.



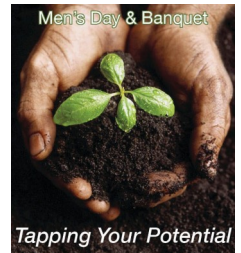
Men's Banquet

March 12th @ 6:30pm

At Central Christian College of the Bible in Moberly, MO

Tapping Your Potential

Jim Powell speaker



TULSA WORKSHOP March 18-21 "Speak Life"

Would you like to attend this year's workshop? Please let "Preacher Jack" know as soon as possible if you would like to attend. Lodging for the event is limited and needs to be secured early! For more information, go to:

www.tulsaworkshop.org.



For **9th-12th graders** for NYR camp, on **March 29th** there will be an informational meeting. If you are interested please attend these meetings so we can see how many are wanting to go.

Sunday Services

Sunday School.....	9:20 AM
Worship.....	10:30 AM
Junior Worship (Ages 3 to 5yrs).	10:30 AM
Super Church (Grades K—6th).....	During sermon

Church Staff

Jack Sumption.....	Preacher
Josiah Holloway.....	Youth Minister
Kelly Cochran.....	Secretary

Reminder March 1, 2015

West Greeter.....	Beth Terrill
West Usher.....	Steve Terrill
East Greeter.....	Helen Clough
Sunday School at SCCC.....	Mike Cantril
SCCC Pianist.....	Leah Terrill
Nursery.....	Kim & Brooke Smith
March Bus Driver.....	Lee Parish

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