

Attendance and Contribution						
Mo	Wk	BS	MW	EW	Wed	Cont
Oct	31	8	18	19	16	\$482
Oct	24	11	16	18	16	\$445
Oct	17	10	19	21	13	\$651
Oct	10	9	14	20	14	\$462



## Church of Christ at Beech Grove

meeting at Beechgrove, TN since 1875

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### Programs to Watch and Share

#### SEARCH

Sundays @ 7:00 am WUXP-TV 30

Sundays @ 10:00 am WHTN-TV 39

Mack Lyon, speaker

[www.searchtv.org](http://www.searchtv.org)

#### PREACHING THE GOSPEL

Sundays @ 7:30 am WUXP-TV30

James Watkins, speaker

Assignments	November
Song leader (SS)	Ken Thomas
Announcements	Tim Waldron
Songleader-Worship	Tim Waldron
Scripture reading	T. J. Waldron
Opening prayer	Steve Miller
Table service (center)	T J Waldron
(center)	Junior Conner
(outside)	Tim Waldron
(outside)	Cole Gordon
Closing Prayer	Lee Rose

### Bible Reading Schedule Week of Nov. 7-Nov 14

Ezek. 16-30; Heb. 8-12:13; Ps. 106-112; Prov. 27:7-17

	Sun	Mon	Tue.	Wed.	Thur.	Fri.	Sat.	Sun.
Ezekiel	16:42-17:24	18-19	20	21-22	23	24-26	27-28	29-30
Heb	8::1-13	9:1-10	9:11-28	10:1-17	10:18-38	11:1-16	11:17-31	11:32-12:13
Psalms	106:13-31	106:32-46	107	108	109	110	111	112
Prov.27	7-9	10	11	12	13	14	15-16	17

Remember - the Sunday evening lesson is based on the previous week's reading.

### Jesus Loves Me, This I Know by Jeff A. Jenkins

"Jesus loves me this I know, for the Bible tells me so." These simple words in the beloved hymn for children, speak to the most profound truth in Scripture.

There is another song that we sing as adults that proclaims the same truth. "Why did my Savior come to earth, and to the humble go? Why did he choose the lowly birth, because he loves me so."

In a world where the idea of love is given multiple definitions, it is one of the greatest blessings of life to know of the love Jesus has for us. Each time we gather around the Table of our Lord, we are reminded of his great love for us.

As we eat the bread and drink the fruit of the vine, we remember again how blessed we are to

know his love. One of the greatest principles associated with his love for us is that it cannot be taken away from us.

Paul states this very clearly in Romans 8:35-39, when he says that there is nothing in this world that can "separate us from the love of God which is in Christ Jesus."

God will never remove his love from us. In spite of how we may treat him and how we may live, Jesus will still love us. He loved those who hung him on the cross and treated him with such cruelty a long time ago.

Dear Father, help us never forget the most profound fact in all the world. May we never forget how much we are loved by our Savior. As we gather to feast on the Lord's Supper, help us to always be thankful for the amazing love that has been showered upon us.

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### Sunday Schedule

Bible Classes	10 AM
Worship	11 AM
Worship	6 PM
Wednesday: Bible Classes	7 PM

### Mission Works & Evangelism

House to House/ Heart to Heart  
Restoration Radio  
Jim Waldron  
Manuelito Children's Home  
Church of Christ at Columbia, MS

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## Beech Grove News and Prayer Requests

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**Sick list - members, relatives and friends:** Sandra Toops (Kristin's, mom), Glen Oaks Convalescent Center in Shelbyville. Laura Singleton is at home.

**Sympathy** is expressed to the family of **Bill Bouldin**. He died early Thursday after a long bout with cancer. He had preached at Beech Grove in the past, and more recently had preached at Pocahontas. His visitation was Saturday at Central Funeral Home, and the memorial service will be today at 2:00 P.M. at the meetinghouse of Trinity Baptist Church. Burial will be in the Bean's Creek cemetery at Hillsboro.

**Visitors:** Last Sunday night **Lacy Jones**, a high school student at Oakland, was baptized. She lives in Murfreesboro. Pray for her to grow strong in the service of the Lord.

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### Prayer list . . . Pray for

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- Beechgrove, to hear the gospel.
- Christians who teach the gospel around the world.
- Mission work at home and abroad
- The effectiveness of our direct mailing of HtH/HtH.
- Those tempted by Satan to forsake

the Lord, His church, and godly living.

- The lukewarm
- The sick and injured
- Widows and orphans
- Those who are bereaved.
- The unemployed and underemployed.
- Leaders of nations and local leaders.
- School teachers and students
- Garland Brown, Elizabeth Walker
- Military personnel: Andy Miller family in Japan. Adam Thomas in N.C.
- People suffering from disasters caused by nature and weather

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### Enduring The Blows Of Life by Tim Hall

What keeps us going when the going gets tough?

Many analogies have been used to describe our lives on earth: voyages across often-stormy seas, climbing to the summit of tall mountains, fighting daily battles. We steer clear of comparisons like "a bed of roses" because we know one thing for sure: Life is sometimes quite difficult.

What keeps God's people going when those blows are allowed to land? Here are a couple of passages that have helped many: Hebrews 12:2 - "Looking unto Jesus, the author and finisher of our faith ..." Peter was granted an awesome privilege - to walk on water, just like Jesus was doing. Peter's walk was cut short, however. Why did he begin to sink? Matthew tells us: "But when he saw that the wind was boisterous, he was afraid; and beginning to sink he cried out, saying, 'Lord, save me!'" (Matthew 14:30)

If we concentrate on the blows of life, we may also begin to sink. Let us learn the truth presented in Hebrews 12:2. Let us never stop "looking unto Jesus, the author and finisher of our faith."

1 Corinthians 15:58 - "Therefore, my beloved brethren, be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that your labor is not in vain in the Lord." Here is a needed admonition for those who have been disappointed in God's decisions. Some, after suffering hard blows,

consider giving up.

Once again, Peter illustrates the concept. On one occasion Jesus' teachings offended many of his followers. Some even turned away from following him. Jesus looked at those who remained and asked, "Do you also want to go away?" ( John 6:67)

Peter spoke for faithful disciples of all times when he responded: "Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. Also we have come to believe and know that You are the Christ, the Son of the living God" ( John 6:68,69).

We won't always understand God's will for us. Sometimes we won't even like it. But to whom will we go? Only in Christ will we find everlasting life. And one thing more we believe: "We'll understand it all by and by."

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