

## Prayer Requests:

*"Pray for one another"* — James 5:16

- Bob Cook - overall health concerns
- Diane Cote - dealing with chronic pain due to suffering with diabetes; fibromyalgia; tendonitis and neuropathy
- LuAnn Harris (sister in Christ & friend of Terry & Betty) - diagnosed with uterine cancer; having a hysterectomy on July 1
- Richard & Kathy Judkins - struggling with serious health issues
- George & Caren Nick - family struggles; pray especially for Angel & Vivian and families, & that Caren's trip to South Africa is realized
- Ernie & Wealthie Perry - health concerns
- Don Pfeiffer (husband of Terry Kennedy's close friend) - non-invasive bladder cancer
- Lesley Hamblin (Rebecca's friend) - grieving the loss of her husband Tim who died last week; please pray that she may agree to a future Bible study and be led to Christ
- Jan Sampson - chronic & severe hip pain
- Wayne Sampson - right knee replacement surgery was successful; home now taking PT
- Ron Sanborn (Terry K's dear friend from the Church of Christ in Conway) - was recently diagnosed with throat cancer
- Sandra Schmidt (Terry & Betty's daughter in law) - in USAF deployed to the Middle East
- Tatiana (Rebecca's friend) - grieving the loss of a high school friend who died in a crash as a result of her heroin use
- Karolyn Terrill - will have additional medical tests in July
- Karlee Wells - dealing with chronic pain; requests prayers for physical concerns and work issues; struggling in many areas
- Debbie Woodley - suffered a stroke in Feb and is in rehab; still has serious issues
- Please pray for those not with us today

*"Pray without ceasing"* — 1 Thess 5:17



## Happy Father's Day!

Celebrated on the third Sunday of June, *Father's Day* is a national holiday honoring fathers. The idea for creating a special day to honor fathers was born out of love and gratitude from a daughter who cherished her beloved father. Civil War veteran Henry Jackson Smart was widowed when his wife died in childbirth with their sixth child. He then had to raise the newborn and his other five children by himself on a rural farm in Washington State. Years later, his daughter Mrs. Sonora Smart Dodd realized the strength and selflessness her father had shown in raising his children as a single parent. Because of his parental sacrifices, she wanted to show her appreciation to him in a special way.

Since her father was born in June, she chose to hold the first Father's Day celebration in Spokane, Washington on June 19<sup>th</sup>, 1910. In 1924 President Calvin Coolidge proclaimed the third Sunday in June as Father's Day. In 1972 President Richard Nixon established a permanent national observance of Father's Day to be held on the third Sunday of June. God, our Father who created us all, holds fatherhood in high regard, giving fathers responsibility as the head of the household and a place of honor in the family (Eph 6:1-4; Col 3:18-21; 1 Thess 2:11-12; Heb 12:9).

While our permissive society has allowed the respect due our fathers to increasingly diminish over the years, may those who follow Christ set the greatest example in honoring our fathers, not only on this special day, but every day of the year.

— Terry Schmidt ✍

**"Sirs, what must I do to be saved?"**

**- Acts 16:30 -**

**Hear** the Gospel - John 6:44-45; Rom 10:14,17

**Believe** [trust in] God - John 3:16; 8:24; Ac 16:31  
Heb 11:6

**Repent** of sins - Luke 13:1-5; Acts 2:38; 3:19; 17:30

**Confess** Christ - Mt 10:32-33; Ac 8:36-37;  
Rom 10:8-10

**Be baptized** - Mk 16:16; Ac 2:38; 8:36; 22:16;  
1 Pet 3:21

**Be faithful** unto death - Mt 7:21; 10:22; Heb 5:9;  
Rev 2:10

True happiness cannot be found in momentary pleasures. Pleasure lasts for a moment and then is gone. Happiness is the contentment and peace of God regardless of our circumstances. So often people throw away their chance at true happiness by focusing on the temporary pleasures of the world. The book of Proverbs says this about happiness: "Whoso trusteth in the Lord, happy is he!" (Proverbs 16:20 KJV).



☺ **Welcome Visitors!** ☺

We are glad you have come to worship with us today. We want you to know that you are welcome. Please don't hesitate to ask if you have questions or if we can help you in any way. Please fill out a visitor's card and sign our guest book before you depart. Have a great week!





## Ladies' Corner

Nursing Home: Our next visit to the nursing home will be Wednesday, July 15th. We meet there at 9:30 am. The residents are very encouraged by our visits.



## June Birthdays:

21st – Nathaniel Hios



## ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- Next Men's Business Meeting: July 5

# SNACKS!

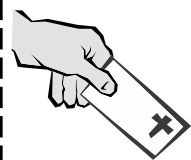
June 21: Jan  
June 28: Betty



"A good father is one of the most unsung, unpraised, unnoticed, and yet one of the most valuable assets in our society."

*Christian Evangelist*

**BULLETIN ITEMS:** If you have a prayer request or an announcement for the bulletin, please contact Terry Schmidt at 284-9191 or e-mail at [tls654b@gwi.net](mailto:tls654b@gwi.net)



Numbers for 6/14/15

Attendance - 24  
Contribution - N/A.

# Order of Worship

June 21, 2015

*"Serve the LORD with gladness: come before His presence with singing. Enter into His gates with thanksgiving, and into His courts with praise: be thankful unto Him, and bless His name."*

~ Psalm 100:2, 4 ~

Song Leader: *Nate Hios*

Song

Opening Prayer: *Nate Hios*

Song

Scripture Reading: *George Nick*

~ Luke 15:11-24 ~

Song

The Lord's Supper:  
*Henry Terrill & Paul Cote*

Contribution

Song

Sermon: *Terry Schmidt*  
"The Loving Father"

Song

Announcements & Closing Prayer:  
*Tony Grant*

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Lord's Supper Prep: *Susana Kazel*

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*We love Him, because  
He first loved us.  
- 1 John 4:19 -*

**June 21, 2015**

## Sunday Assembly Times:

9:30 am — Bible Class  
10:30 am — Worship  
6:00 — Bible Study

## Wednesday Assembly:

7:00 — Bible Study

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