

Hillsville Christian Church
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“By this all men will know that you are by disciples,
 If you have love for one another.” John 13:35

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Serving January 5, 2014

Elders	Jim Kilbourne Rosemary Surratt
Serving	Cassandra Donaldson Darik Donaldson Justin Moore Vickie Ross
Greeter	Patrick Ross
Welcome Leader	tbd
Teller	tbd
Flowers	Rosemary Surratt
Refreshments	Ross Family

Remember Our Shut-Ins

Home	Coolidge Beasley Edd Cole Dale Crowder Anita Lineberry
Countryside Manor	Mildred Cooley
Waddell	Ethel Vass
Wheatland	Helen McGrady

By the Numbers
December 29, 2013

Sunday School Attend.	16
Sunday School Offering	\$11.00
Worship Service Attend.	39
Worship Service Offering	\$777.00
Food Pantry	\$20.00

Regional Youth

Youth in grades 6-12 are invited to attend this years Regional Winter Retreat Friday, Feb. 14th through Sunday, Feb. 16th in Richmond. The focus of the retreat will be civil rights and how we as Christians respond to the needs around us. Activities will include a visit to the Richmond Slave Trail and the Richmond Holocaust Musuem, as well as a viewing of the movie *The Butler*. The cost is \$110 and includes meals and lodging. We are asked to have all registration in by January 20th; please talk to Amanda if you are interested in attending.

This Week's Sermon
 The Power to Become
 Based on John 1:10-18

Meetings & Events

Board Meeting: Sun., Jan. 12th after worship

Prayer Group: Wed., Jan. 15th at 10:00

CWF/CMF: Thurs., Jan. 16th at 5:30

This Week's Prayer Concerns

Church Members: Family of Jack Cooley; Carl & Sandy Davis; Guy Hanks; Tom Hawks; Tristan Mackey; Eugene Shockley

Family of Members: Family of Foster Beasley; Emily Bowman; Family of Nancy Dalton; Kevin Harrod; Howlett Family; Wilma Jackson; William Nichols; Bill & Donna Webb

Friends: Linda Banks; Family of Jim Combs; Ralph Gibson; Tom Holloway; Carolyn Horton; Colene Larrowe; Sharon Larrowe; Linda Lovell; Roger Philips; Ava Quesenberry; Family of Carolyn Hurst Quesenberry; Hope Ridge; Mildred Turman

Happy Birthday

John Nichols (Jan 2); Sandy Davis (Jan 3); Sharon Beasley (Jan 12); Vance Leggett (Jan 12)

Food Pantry

Our food pantry items for January are soup, beef stew, spaghetti noodles & sauce, cake mix, and peanut butter. Thank you for your support!

New Church Year

Special thanks to those who have agreed to serve in various church leadership positions in 2014.

Our new Elders are Rita Smith and Joyce Spence.

Our new Diaconate are: Cassandra Donaldson, Darik Donaldson, Michael Hawks, Gail McGrady, Justin Moore, Kaitlyn Smith, and Donna Webb, with Jack and Jeannine Marchio serving as summer alternates.

Our 2014 Ministry Chairs are: Michael Hawks, Christian Education; Paul Smith, Evangelism; Vickie Ross, Outreach; Jim Kilbourne, Pastoral Relations; Lois Jean McGrady, Membership; Becky Horton, Property; Dale Ross, Stewardship; Justin Moore, Worship.

Our Trustees and Diaconate Check Signers will stay the same, as will the special committee to create a Policies Manual. Jim Kilbourne and Vickie Ross will continue as Board Secretary and Clerk, respectively; Rita Smith returns as Board Treasurer.

Other positions will be determined at the January Board Meeting.

Newsletter Schedule

There will be no newsletter mailed the week of January 6th. We will resume our normal schedule January 13th.

Prayer for the Week

O Lord our God, your glory shines as far as the east is from the west, from the north to the south, so that all people may see and be radiant, so that every heart might thrill and rejoice. Guide us on our baptismal journey in Christ. Overwhelm us with the joy of your presence. May we enter your house and pay homage to him whose infant arms were already reaching out to the ends of the earth that all might be gathered in. In your triune name we pray, Amen.