

**Hillsville Christian Church
120 Edgewood Drive
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DISCIPLE

“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 May 31, 2015

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| Elders | Sandy Davis Erroll Rhea Jett |
| Diaconate | Marion Ayers Darik Donaldson Pam Webb Victor Webb |
| Greeter | Patrick Ross |
| Welcome Leader | Vickie Ross |
| Teller | Lois Jean McGrady |
| Flowers | Dale & Martha Crowder |
| Refreshments | Erroll Rhea & Margaret Jett |

By The Numbers 05-24-15

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| SS Attendance | 12 |
| SS Offering | \$12.00 |
| Worship Attendance | 38 |
| Worship Offering | \$1,262.00 |
| Pentecost Offering | \$80.00 |
| Food Pantry | \$100.00 |
| Other Offering | \$100.00 |

Remember Our Shut-Ins

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| Home | Edd Cole Dale Crowder Anita Lineberry |
| Countryside Manor | Mildred Cooley |
| Wheatland | Helen McGrady |

Thank You from CMF

The Christian Men's Fellowship would like to thank everyone that helped with the Pig Pickin' on Saturday. Thanks to those that donated food/drinks or worked to help make this fund raising event successful. Preliminary figures indicated we will make around \$1,800.00. We still have a couple of bills out and we have 18 cups of barbecue for sale. If you are interested in a cup, see one of the men's group members.

Yard Sale

Just a reminder that the CMF will be holding a yard sale on July 4th. You can bring items to the church or let one of the men's group members know if you need items picked up and we will make arrangements.

Meetings & Events

Regional Women's Retreat: Fri., June 5th through Sun., June 7th at Lynchburg College

PRC: Mon., June 8th at 7:00

Board Meeting: Sun., June 14th after worship

CWF/CMF: Thurs., June 18th at 5:30
**Men will meet at Rio Grande

Baby Bottle Campaign Ends: Sun., June 21st

This Week's Prayer Concerns

Church Members: Carl & Sandy Davis; Becky Horton; Tristan Mackey; Eugene Shockley; Dave & Mary Thorne

Family of Members: Family of Ollie Ayers; Frank Banks; Emily Bowman; Cody Bradley; Sharon Carico; Martin Crowder; Nick Davis; Ruth Davis; Jessica Greene; Kevin Harrod; Wilma Jackson; Sheila Jonas; Anne Koehler; Michaela Marchio; Tonya Gravley Pullen; Ronald Quesenberry; Ernie Shockley; Sarah Siebert

Friends: Anna Paige Arrington; Linda Banks; Mary Bays; Mary Coble; Earl Conklin; Les Harvey; Christine Huff; Colene Larrowe; Aubrey McGraw; Ava Quesenberry; Family of Jimmie Quesinberry; Tony Robinson; Melissa Sawyers; Cody Stone; Earl Tobler

Happy Birthday

Kathy McGrady – May 27
Charlotte Sheppard – May 27

Happy Anniversary

Dave Morgan & DK Dial – May 29
Bob & Sharon Beasley – May 30

Food Pantry

The Food Pantry items for May are vegetable soup, chicken noodle soup, dry rice, and canned fruit. Thank you for your support!

Christian Sympathy

Our deepest sympathy is extended to Donald Ayers and Donna Webb Ayers and family following the death of Donald's mother Ollie Ayers on May 17th. Funeral services were held on May 20th at Oak Grove Missionary Baptist Church in Cana. Memorial contributions may be made to the Oak Grove cemetery fund.

Thought for the Week

Read John 3:1-17

Jesus invites us to be born from above to receive new and abundant life. Salvation, or abundant life, is understood as a present reality in the Gospel of John. If the gift of God's love made known to us in Christ through the Spirit is stirred up by gratitude, what daily practice could increase your sense of gratitude? How could a simple practice of thanking God at any given moment in the day enliven your experience of salvation?

Holy God, source of all goodness, you gave your Son for the life of the world and sent your Spirit that your love might abide within us. Teach us how to love each other this day, that we may have life, and have it abundantly, with you, in Christ, and through the Holy Spirit, Amen.