

## WEEKLY TOTALS

05/06 & 05/09

Bible Study	89
AM Worship	104
PM Worship	59
Mid-Week	57

OFFERING 05/06

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## STAY INFORMED

Are you on the email list for weekly updates, urgent notifications, prayer requests, and the digital version of the bulletin?

If not please email Amy at:  
**amy30655@hotmail.com**

## HEARING DEVICES

If you need a hearing device please let John Newham know!

## MUFFINS and MUGS

May 19th the ladies will meet in the Fellowship Hall at 8:53 AM. Please bring your favorite mug...FILLED and your favorite muffin! They will be discussing plans for this years Ladies Day!

## VBS June 30TH

DATE CHANGE! The final date for VBS has been changed to June 30th. Please mark your calendar and invite your friends. It will be a full day. Lunch will be served and the day will end with a bonfire!

# CAMP INAGEHI

**JUNE 17-22**

Early Registration-May 31

\$160 per person

Regular Registration

\$170 per person

Visit [campinagehi.org](http://campinagehi.org) to sign up!

Price includes lodging, food, crafts, t-shirt, and canteen!

If there are any adults that can go PLEASE let Crissy know!

**GREAT**  
the ~~Good~~ Doctor  
**MARK 2:17**

# WELCOME

## to the Monroe church of Christ

We are so glad you decided to join us today!

MAY 13, 2018

## WELCOME

You are truly our honored guests! We hope that you find our Bible Study and Worship Service beneficial to you. We seek only to worship God in the same manner as done by Christians when the church began in Acts 2.

## CONNECTION CARDS

Please fill out a Connections Card in the pew in front of you. Pass it to the end of your row to be collected.

## PRAYERS

Do you need prayers? Whether its health, personal, or for others we will pray for you!

Gene Anderson, Anthony Ansley, Teena Cheek, Carl Worn, Art Hein, Jewel Taylor, Sharon Eldridge, Josh Tittle, Debroah Huggins, Karon Sims, Sharon Eldridge, Tim Ragan Gloria Ansley, Annie Bryant, Gregory Campbell, Cristina Cason, Brandon Parker

MILITARY: Matt Callihan, Jacob Shepherd, Tim Dixon, Matt Shepherd, Wes Shepherd

## UPCOMING DATES AND EVENTS

Mens Weekly Breakfast:

Wednesdays 9AM at the Pot Luck Cafe

Ladies Monthly Bible Study:

2nd Monday of the Month

Team A-1st Sunday of the Month

Team B-3rd Sunday of the Month

Ladies Bible Study-May 14th•

6PM in the Fellowship Hall

Mugs & Muffins-May 19th

8:53 AM-Fellowship Hall

Luncheon-May 20•

Graduation Celebration for Grant Parker

## FEEDING THE FLOCK

CANNED HAM • KRAFT MAC & CHEESE • APPLESAUCE • LAUNDRY DETERGENT

Assembly Times:

**Sunday**

Bible Study-9:30 am

Worship-10:30 am

PM Worship-5:00 pm

**Wednesday**

Bible Study

Morning-10:30 am

Evening-7:00 pm

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## PLAN OF SALVATION

Hear	Believe	Repent	Confess	Baptized	Live Faithfully
Romans 10:17	John 8:24	Acts 17:30	Romans 10:9-10	Acts 22:16	Matthew 7:21

Graduation Celebration Meal for Grant Parker...May 20th after morning worship!

Bring your favorite Mexican Dish! Cake will be served. Way to go Grant!

## **Honor Your Mother**

Honor your father and mother... (Ex. 20:12)

The second Sunday of May has been for over one hundred years a day that our nation has set aside to honor mothers. This tradition was established largely by the efforts of a native of Grafton, West Virginia, Ana Jarvis. She convinced her mother's congregation to conduct a memorial service in honor of all mothers on the anniversary of her mother's death, May 10, 1908. Jarvis became a leader of a campaign to make the event a national memorial. In 1914 President Woodrow Wilson officially proclaimed a national observance to be held each year for mothers on the second Sunday in May. Now one hundred and one years after that first official memorial and one hundred and seven years after that local memorial in one little church in Grafton, WV, we continue that tradition.

Notwithstanding that the Lord's Day assembly is for the purpose of honoring God and His Son, Jesus Christ, it seems good, proper, and biblically sound to take some of our time to honor mothers, which are, arguably among all His creation, His finest temporal blessing. Without mothers there would be no sons or daughters. Without mothers, who were first wives, there would be a short-lived world of unhappy men. Without mothers there would not be the tender nurture that carries children on gossamer wings from the cradle to adulthood. Without mothers there would be absent from the world that gentle touch that helps to soften an otherwise cold and cruel world.

Without mothers there would be lacking the example of pure selflessness that secures the safety of her children against threats larger than her life and terrors that would turn a warrior's heart cold. It is a mother's love that can stretch her protective wings across mountains and valleys, over continents and oceans, to the remotest corners of the world, into its darkest and loneliest reaches, and there give comfort that surpasses understanding. Thoughts of mothers come with memories of kitchen aromas, cool touches to fevered brows, warm embraces to chilled bones, sounds of the soft patter of gentle feet before we arise and long after we have gone to bed, comfort to trouble hearts, and warmth to lonely souls that are beaten down by the world. All these things and more come flooding back every time we pause to think of home. Home and mothers seem like synonymous terms, each largely defining the other. There is a saying that goes, "home is where the heart is." Maybe this is true because home is where mother resides.

... which is the first commandment with promise (Eph. 6:1).

## **GARRY JONES**

The Elders have decided to pledge more money to Garry for his mission efforts in India. If you would like to add to the offer please give it to the Elders. Also if there are any items you would like to donate please do so.

## **PERRY CHURCH**

The Elders have decided to send support to the congregation in Perry, GA. They are a small church and are in need of some help. If you need more info about this please let the Elders know.

## **CONGRATULATIONS**

Grant Parker will be graduating from Walnut Grove High School. We are so proud of him!! There will be a Mexican themed meal for Grant on May 20th. A cake and money tree will be given as well. Please come and help Grant celebrate this huge achievement. Please see the sign-up sheet in the foyer! EVERYONE IS INVITED!! Give Anita Sutton any money for the tree.

## **PANTRY ITEMS**

Our pantry gets used all of the time. We need to keep it stocked. Please help out in any way that you can. We spotlight certain items every month. However, any items can be used. Think of items you use every day that someone may not be fortunate enough to have. Deodorant, soap, toothpaste...items to make a meal with...rice-beef stew-and-canned fruit could be put together for a meal. Put together items that would be used for a hearty meal. Canned meat...dry beans...etc.

Could your family pledge to bring a meal such as suggested above? Look through your pantry. Maybe you have extras. Check out the BOGO sales! Coupons! Let's all work together to keep our pantry stocked. God loves a cheerful giver!

## **LADIES BIBLE STUDY**

The ladies meet on the second Monday of each month for a monthly bible study. They meet at SIX o'clock in the fellowship hall. This month they will meet May 14th at 6:00 pm. Please be there if you can!

## **ELECTRONIC BULLETIN**

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