

~~~ Those Privileged To Serve ~~~

Sunday 1st Service Welcome/ Announcements Prayer Song Leader Preside Communion Serving Preaching Closing Prayer Prepare Communion	May 14, 9:00 A.M. Scott Richards Scott Richards Russ Baker Larry Richardson Dylan Madden / Braeden Barnes Alfred Barnes Dylan Madden Debbie Lester	May 21, 9:00 A.M. Scott Richards Scott Richards Russ Baker Larry Richardson Dylan Madden/ Braeden Barnes Alfred Barnes Braeden Barnes Debbie Lester
Sunday 2nd Service Welcome/ Announcements Prayer Song Leader Preside Communion Serving Preaching Closing Prayer Wednesday Evening 7:00 PM	May 14, 11:30 A.M. Alfred Barnes Alfred Barnes Russ Baker Larry Richardson Dylan Madden / Braeden Barnes Alfred Barnes Dylan Madden May 17, 7:00 P.M.	May 21, 11:30 A.M. Scott Richards Scott Richards Russ Baker Larry Richardson Dylan Madden/ Braeden Barnes Alfred Barnes Braeden Barnes May 24, 7:00 P.M.
Weekly Assembly Schedule 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM - Worship 10:30 AM - 11:15 AM - Bible Classes 11:30 AM - 12:15 PM - Worship Wednesday Bible Study - 7:00 PM (Some variation may be necessary)		

“ In Christ Be Free In 2023 ”

<u>What Must I Do To Be Saved?</u>		<u>Record of Attendance</u>	
Realize I am lost	Rom. 3:23	<u>05/07 / 2023</u>	<u>Total</u>
Hear the Gospel	Acts 15:7	Sun. Bible Study	32
Believe the Gospel	Mk. 16:15-16	Sun. 1st Worship	58
Repent of sins	Acts 17:30	Sun. 2nd Worship	35
Confess Christ	Rom. 10:9-10	Wednesday Evening	23
Baptized to remit sins	Acts 2:38	Contribution	\$1,637.00
Remain faithful	2 Pet. 1:5-11		



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“The entrance of thy words giveth light; it giveth understanding unto the simple.” Psalm 119:130

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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

SUNDAY

1st Worship 9:00 am

Bible Class 10:30 am

2nd Worship 11:30 am

WEDNESDAY

Bible Study 7:00 pm

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A Mother's Love

There are times when only a
 Mother's love

Can understand our tears,
 Can soothe our disappoints
 And calm all of our fears.

There are times when only a
 Mother's love

Can share the joy we feel
 When something we've dreamed
 about
 Quite suddenly is real.

There are times when only a
 Mother's faith

Can help us on life's way
 And inspire in us the confidence
 We need from day to day.

For a Mother's heart and a Mother's
 faith

And a Mother's steadfast love
 Were fashioned by the Angels
 And sent from God above.

*If you still have your Mother,
 speak and show your love for
 her. If your mother has passed
 cherish her memory.*

Our Prayer List	
Bob Boykins— had surgery on his wrist and Laura is suffering from back pain. Ericka Lee, daughter of Havanna Goebel. Her cancer has returned. She had a 2nd biopsy. Maggie Miller— is back in Florida and had complications from a procedure for her headaches. Pray she has great progress from this procedure. She will return to Florida for a MRI in July for a update on her recovery. Don Cheek— is having some health issues. Frank Johnson, is having back and neck issues. Ivan Gonzales-received bad results from his EEG. The right side of this brain is not functioning and is sending the wrong signals to the left side of his brain. He can barely stay awake and his body temperature has been effected. Jill Richards, daughter-in-law of Scott Richards, was recently diagnosed with breast cancer. Keep this family in your prayers. Continued Prayer List—Josiah nephew of Maylene Lamy, Maggie Miller, Ron Brinkley, Terrance Hannah, Sal & Barbara Joseph, Bernice Harris, Ivan Gonzales, Eyvonne King, cousin of Angela Hollis, Myrna McKenzie, mother of Marilyn Valentine, Vera Pollard, daughter in law of Paul Pollard,, Doris Pate, Mozelle Jones, Willie Mae Brown - Carla Robison’s mother, Alfred and Lenora Barnes, parents of Alfred Barnes, <u>Send Cards, Make Calls, Show your Love and Care!</u>	
Activities And Event Today- 9:00 A.M. 1st morning service. Today- Sunday Morning Bible Classes at 10:30A.M. Today-11:30 A.M. 2nd service Wednesday night Bible class— 7:00 P.M. May 21th, We will be celebrating our high school graduates after the second worship service. May 28th,Tara to host a singing at 5 PM for the Southside Area Churches of Christ!	
Continued Prayer List Gainell Green, sister of Willie Green , is in ICU and will be moved to hospice. Havanna Goebel-is still experiencing pain. Her niece passed away and she asked the church to pray for the Grant family. (her niece’s family) Chanee Hunte-her apartment unit burn down and she and her family lost everything. Please keep Chanee and her mother and two children in your prayers. DeShield Family - friend of Susan Wellman. Please pray for this family. The daughter has cancer. Garreck Beck— nephew of Richard & Dixie Harp ,was injured on the job. Bob Cadenhead— is in the hospital at Piedmont Fayette in room 264.	
Happy Mother’s Day!	
In Search Of The Lord's Way Sundays - Channel 57 - 7:30 AM 5/21/23 “Rejoice In the Lord” 5/28/23 “Can I Repent” 	
<u>ELDERS’ COMMENTS</u> Can you tell that the Tara congregation is building back following the covid 19 pandemic? Attendance for both Sunday worship services and Bible classes, and even Wednesday night, indicates an increase. This is because more members realize the need to assemble with the church when the church comes together. Sickness, or the fear of it, may hinder our attendance temporarily, but the time comes when life must resume when possible. And life for the faithful Christian involves assembling with the church for worship and Bible study. Noticeably also is the increased number of visitors we are having. Many of them return again and again because of what they receive in Bible teaching, as well as the warm welcome they get from Tara. We commend those members who are active in encouraging your friends and neighbors to visit with us.	

HONORING MOTHER THROUGH LIFE

Of all the people in the world to be honored, those women who have taken the role of motherhood, and have done so with love, devotion, sacrifice and loyalty, are worthy of all the recognition and honor that could be bestowed upon them. How we best honor our mother may be determined by her stage in life. Life changes for her, and it changes for her family as the years pass us by. Let's consider the various stages of our lives when our mothers are due love, honor and respect.

We honor her in our youth. It is natural for infants and small children to cling to their mothers. Not only did they give birth to them, but mothers are on duty every hour of every day, unless relieved temporarily. They nurse them, feed them, change them, bathe them, doctor them, cuddle them, play with them, watch out for them, protect them and dozens of other things better than anybody else could ever do. Honoring her with a picked flower, a warm hug and kiss, and a genuine "I love you" comes natural for little children. And as they grow older their love for mother even deepens with more thoughtful ways to express it. Growing children must be taught that honoring her with both words and actions is the beginning of their growth to maturity. She will never forget the little expressions of their love and devotion during those early years. *"Children, obey your parents in the Lord for this is right. Honor your father and your mother...."* (Eph. 6:1,2)

We honor her as young adults. We should never forsake our father's instructions, nor our mother's teaching. (Prov.1:8) Leaving home for college, independence, or to marry and start one's own family is expected and commendable. But mother's teaching should go with us. We should remember the principles she tried to instill within us, the example she set for us, and the sacrifices she made for us. Thanking her for these things at various times honors her and fills her heart with joy. Apologizing for any heartache or disappointment we may have caused during those difficult teenage years would bring honor to her as she now realizes that her faithful counsel was not in vain. Words and actions that show honor and respect are the greatest of gifts to a mother.

We honor her as grandmother. *"...do not despise your mother when she is old."* (Prov.23:22) Becoming a grandmother and a great-grandmother expands the joy and blessings of motherhood. It also increases our responsibility in honoring her. We teach and train our children to love and honor her, and they influence their children to do the same. She is now the loved and respected matriarch of the family. She cherishes the little talks and visits with her family members who drop in for awhile just to check on her. She enjoys reminiscing about the delightful occasions she has had with her family, and we honor her when we listen and laugh with her. As her health deteriorates and her dependence on others increases we honor her by being there to comfort, support and provide her needs. She loved and cared for us all those years, now we have the responsibility to return it. We treat her with dignity, patience and understanding. We honor her by doing what is best for her health and well-being, even if the decisions are most difficult for her and for us. And finally, when death takes our mother away from us we honor her in our memories and in trying to be the kind of person she always taught us to be.

Richard

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In 2023

Please remember to turn off your cell phone during Bible study and Worship!