

Worship & Bible Study

Sunday Morning
Bible Classes - 9:30 AM
Worship - 10:30 AM

Wednesday Evening
Bible Class 7:00 PM
Bible Study— 7:00 PM

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Today's Worship April 3, 2016

♪ *Said I Wasn't*

♪ *Down In The River To Pray*

Prayer

Welcome/Family Time

♪ *Just A Little Talk With Jesus*

♪ *Here In This Place*

Teaching

♪ *This I Believe*

Communion

♪ *I Need Thee Every Hour*

Communion

♪ *Lord, I Need You*

Offering/Family Matters

♪ *The Lord Has A Will*

To Our Guests This Morning!

We are glad you're here and feel blessed to have the opportunity to worship with you. We would like to ask you to complete an attendance card and drop it in the offering. If you have children, they are always welcome in our worship service. For your convenience, a nursery is provided for newborn to 2 years old. Children's Worship is available every Sunday except the 1st Sunday of the month.

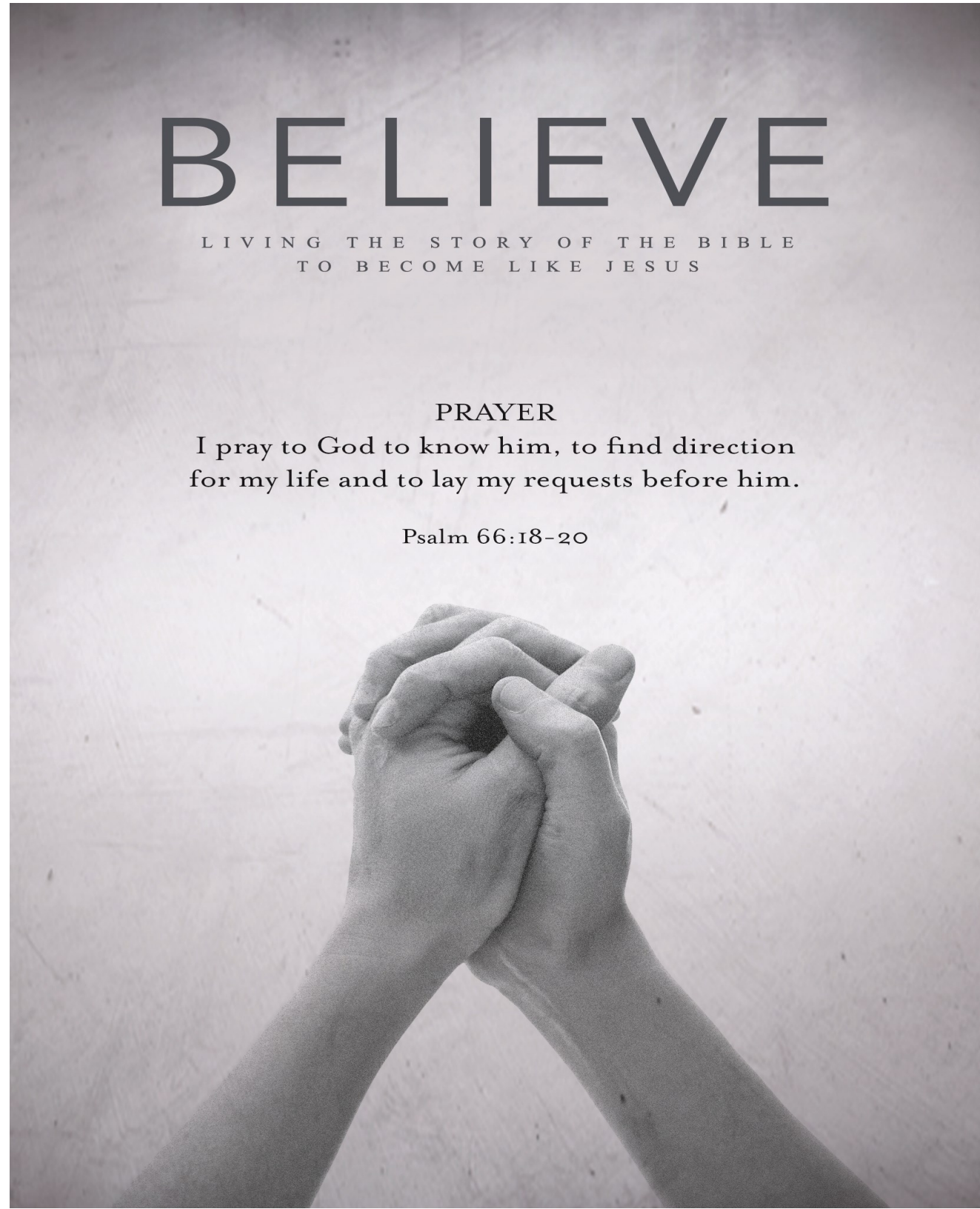
BELIEVE

LIVING THE STORY OF THE BIBLE
TO BECOME LIKE JESUS

PRAYER

I pray to God to know him, to find direction
for my life and to lay my requests before him.

Psalm 66:18-20



Believe: Prayer

Think

Key Idea: I pray to God to know him, to find direction for my life and to lay my requests before him.

Key Scripture: If I had cherished sin in my heart,
the Lord would not have listened;
but God has surely listened and has heard my prayer.
Praise be to God, who has not rejected my prayer
or withheld his love from me! Psalm 66:18-20

Many people struggle with prayer. What is prayer? Prayer is talking to God; getting to know him better and being honest with your fears, your joys, or what is happening within your world. There is no need to be formal; God just requests your presence. Find out what works best for you.

Some people are early risers and enjoy spending the early morning hours after they wake spending time in conversation with God. But some people are night owls; they would rather talk to God after everyone else has gone to bed. Find a time that works best for you. If you are a night owl, the early morning hours probably won't work for you because you are too tired and find it hard to focus. Spending time in prayer should be a joyful experience so the best time to spend with God is that time of the day that works best for you.

Some people find it best to have a special place to pray. This might be a living room chair or this might be your bed. Prayer is talking to God but it is also listening for his voice so it might be better to have a place with few interruptions. I have found that some of my best conversations with God are in the car as I am driving to work. Turn off the radio or lower the volume so that you can talk and listen. The same is true for any other place you might call your prayer closet. You want a place where you and God can come together for a one-on-one conversation. Minimize the distractions.

Some people find it handy to have a notebook or paper next to them as they pray. When a thought comes your way that is distracting you from prayer, stop, write it down and then bring your focus back to God. If a certain person comes to mind, that may be an indication that you should pray for that person, especially if you are struggling with how to interact with that person.

Most of us struggle with listening to God. Practice listening for God throughout the day. Many times God speaks to us by bringing the name of a person or a situation to us. If that occurs, ask God what you should do for or about that specific person or situation.

Talking to God should be like talking to your best friend. Since God already knows everything about the situation, it should make it easier to let God know your true feelings. Let God direct your thoughts and actions and that happens as we get to know him in prayer.

Life Application: Prayer is an honest conversation with God.

Prayer: Father, help me to be honest in my conversations with you. Open my heart and open my ears to what you would have me say and do. Amen.



A baby shower is planned for Alyssia Brundige Ramos at the church on today from 2:30-4. She is registered at Bye, Bye Baby and Babies R Us. For more information please contact Camy Pollard, Cindy Wilson, or Anna Williams.

Metropolitan Detroit Youth Chorus
The MDYC (Philip Brackney) will be at Farragut this Wednesday, April 6th to perform. We will serve dinner at 5:30 and the concert will be from 6:30—8.
We will be asking folks to house the members of the chorus for 2 nights while they are in the Knoxville area. If you are able to help with this please see Paul Phelps.

March 20, 2016

Family news

Elders

We want to thank everyone for their participation in the Eldership reaffirmation and nomination process. We had 48 individuals who nominated many well-qualified men. Of all the nominations we had 11 men who qualified to be potential elders (receiving at least 25% of the votes). . Of these 14 men no one desires to go forward and seek the nomination. We would ask you to be prayerful as we look to make plans for our future.

Thank You

Farragut,
Thank you so much for allowing KCS to use your vehicles and your sound equipment. Your gifts of physical equipment were much appreciated, but most importantly we thank you and your church family for your help through prayer and support.
Thank you for your willingness to support our school's mission.
Sincerely,
Jarra Snyder
Principal

Pick-Up Schedule for Jeff Hacker

March 20	Jim Goodeve Marilyn Harper
March 27	Larry Nance Larry Nance
April 3	Johnny Parham Larry Nance
April 10	Bob Hyatt Charles Dial

Please Pray For...

Tammy Brown—Lois Dial's great niece, test in April

Leah Ezelle—Treatment options for her eyes

Jennifer Hacker— Continued Health problems.

***Bill Headrick** —Maple Court, 7545 Thunder Ct. Powell, TN. 37849

Dottie Joyner—Fractured shoulder

Kim LaRue—FHS Baseball mom – cancer.

Kathy Rutter—FHS baseball mom-cancer

David Timmerman- Treatment for Cancer.

Parham Family-Death of Mrs. Elise.

Rachel Williams—Squamous cell carcinoma. Treatment for next few weeks.

Reva Day-- shut in/health

Laura Horn—Back and nerve pain

***Barbara**—Carol Jackson's sister

YAH

The next YAH meeting will be Tuesday, April 5th. Please meet at the church to go to the Cumberland Playhouse. See Lois Dial for more details.

2016 Budget \$337,000 year \$28,083 month			
Month	Month Giving	Year To Date	+/-
January	\$21,572.86	\$21,572.86	(\$6,510.14)
February	\$31,995.75	\$53,568.61	(2,597.39)
March			

Upcoming events

- Next Sunday, Easter Service—10 A.M. Worship Only
- Saturday, March 19th 1-4pm, Hope Central Easter Egg hunt. (everyone is welcome)
- May 15—Senior Banquet honoring our graduating Seniors
- June 6-10th VBS
- July 23-30 Chihuahua, Mexico partnership

CHILDREN

Sunday morning Children's Classes Begin at 9:30
Adults are available in the hall to show the children to their classes

Children's Worship—watch for the dismissal slide in worship

Wednesday Night Children's Class K-4th "Connection Now" 5th-8th grade