

Event Card Totals for April:

Visit: 80      Transportation: 16  
 Encouragement: 29      Benevolence: 6  
 Special Needs: 12      Calls: 55  
 Other: 4      *Grand Total: 202*

TODAY'S SERVANTS

**DOOR GREETERS**

**SOUTH:** DeAnna Flowers  
**MIDDLE:** Jim Harrison  
**NORTH:** Austin Hawkins

EVENING WORSHIP LEADERS

**SONG LEADER:** Jim Harrison  
**OPENING PRAYER:** Barry King  
**LESSON:** Ken Joines  
**CLOSING PRAYER:** Dave Parson

MONDAY EVENING- MAY 2, 2011

**SONG LEADER:** Kevin Wash  
**OPENING PRAYER:** Robert Allison  
**CLOSING PRAYER:** Richard Shelton

TUESDAY EVENING- MAY 3, 2011

**SONG LEADER:** Gary Meeker  
**OPENING PRAYER:** Norman Alexander  
**CLOSING PRAYER:** Jim Harrison

WEDNESDAY EVENING- MAY 4, 2011

**SONG LEADER:** Jim Morris  
**OPENING PRAYER:** Ryan Cox  
**CLOSING PRAYER:** Jim Watters

SERVING NEXT LORD'S DAY- MAY 8, 2011

**DOOR GREETERS**

**SOUTH:** Shirley Etchison  
**MIDDLE:** Matthew Johnson  
**NORTH:** Donovan Archer

**GREETING THE ASSEMBLY:** Bob Moorman

**SONG LEADERS**

A.M. Kevin Wash      P.M. Gary Meeker

**THE LORD'S TABLE:**

**1ST PRAYER:** Bill Etchison      **2ND PRAYER:** Bud Ray

**SCRIPTURE READING:**

**PRIMARY:** Jay Allison      **ALTERNATE:** Ethan Carpenter

**LEADING IN PRAYER:**

A.M. **OPENING:** Mike Wade  
 A.M. **CLOSING:** Jim Morris  
 P.M. **OPENING:** Mark Gooding  
 P.M. **CLOSING:** Miles Gooding

MAY ASSIGNMENTS

**ASSISTING ON THE LORD'S TABLE:**

Sean Alexander      Henry Batin      Austin Hawkins  
 Ron Johnson      Charles Lollar      Bob Zachary

**BAPTISMAL CLOTHING:** Sara & Marjorie Hollingsworth

**COMMUNION:** Sara & Marjorie Hollingsworth

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:** Barry King

**CHILDREN'S BIBLE HOUR TEACHERS**

**Ages 3-5:** Judy Lippman & Charlotte Meeker  
**Grades K-4:** Richard Shelton

Goals & Achievements

<u>Attendance</u>	<u>Last Week</u>
Sunday Bible Class	82
Sunday A.M. Worship	191
Sunday P.M. Worship	82
Wednesday Bible Class	102

Last Week's Gifts & Offerings

<u>Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Difference</u>
\$3,559.19	\$3,068.13	-\$491.06

April's Gifts & Offerings

<u>Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Difference</u>
\$14,236.76	\$13,894.62	-\$342.14

Benevolent Gifts & Offerings

<u>Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Difference</u>
\$3,000.00	\$0.00	-\$3,000.00

SHEPHERDS OF THE FLOCK

Norman Alexander      356-4483  
 Robert Allison, Sr.      534-3569  
 Barry King      778-4624  
 Gary Meeker      778-2868

PREACHING MINISTER

Gary Meeker      778-2868

YOUTH & FAMILY MINISTER

Ryan Cox      643-5152

SERVANTS OF THE CHURCH

EDUCATION/YOUTH, Richard Shelton      356-4473  
 FACILITIES, Ray Smith      649-7279  
 FINANCES/BUDGET, Dan Smith      642-4819  
 HEAT/AIR SYSTEMS, Jim Hodges      649-5143  
 MISSIONS, Jay Allison      649-5607  
 SAFETY SYSTEMS, Charles Buckner      642-6991  
 SUPPORT/SPECIAL SERVICES, Mark Gooding      724-9428  
 WORSHIP, Jim Morris      534-4448

# Columbus Avenue Church of Christ

May 1, 2011

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 and surrounding  
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ASSEMBLIES OF  
 THE CHURCH

Sunday Morning  
 Bible Study:  
 9:30 a.m.

Sunday Morning  
 Worship:  
 10:30 a.m.

Sunday Evening  
 Worship:  
 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday Evening  
 Bible Study:  
 7:00 p.m.

Bible Study at other  
 times by appointment

Office Hours:  
 M-F, 9a-2p

## Spring 2011 Gospel Meeting With Ken Joines TODAY-WEDNESDAY

Sunday

9:30 am- We Need an Encouraging Word  
 10:30 am- A Weekly Reminder of His Death  
 6:00 pm- Faithful Even Though From a Dysfunctional Family

Monday

7:00 pm- When the Undeserving are Blessed

Tuesday

7:00 pm- He Offers Hope

Wednesday

7:00 pm- Remembering Who You Are

*Ken and his wife, Jan, have 3 children and 4 grandchildren. He has studied at David Lipscomb University, Oklahoma Christian University and Abilene Christian University. Ken has served as minister for churches of Christ in Montana, Oklahoma, Kansas, Florida, Kentucky, Texas, Tennessee and Mississippi. He retired in 2003 from full-time preaching after 28 years at the Goodman Oaks Church of Christ in Southaven, Missouri.*

**There is a pitch-in immediately after our morning assembly today. We invite everyone to stay and fellowship with us**



**Welcome**

*Welcome to all! We gather to praise God for the innumerable blessings given to us and to grow deeper in the Spirit. Joyfully, let us lift our hearts to God.*

Please take the time to fill out an attendance card and place it in the offering tray at the appropriate time.

Please remember to silence all pagers and cell phones during worship.

This morning: there is a Bible class is available during the sermon for children from age 3 and up thru the 4th grade.

Children will be dismissed after the Lord's Supper Observance.

**To our members:** Please take the time to fill out an Event Card and place it in the offering tray. We would like a record of how often we, as a congregation, have reached out to our brethren each week.

Thank you.  
~The Elders

**The Watering Hole**

***Gospel Minutes***

“Light Shall Shine out of Darkness”

You Can Live Again!

**Sunday Morning Worship Schedule**

**Greeting the Assembly:** Jim Watters  
**Song Service led by:** Jim Morris

**Prayer:** Gary Meeker

**23–** *Our God, He Is Alive*

**464–** *Because He Lives*

**683–** *I Am Mine No More*

**Offering**

**606–** *Remind Me, Dear Lord*

**The Lord's Supper**

1st Prayer– Kevin Wash  
2nd Prayer—Danny Smith

**563–** *I Love You, My Jesus*  
(Children dismissed to classes)

**608–** *He Gave Me A Song*

**Scripture Reading:** *Matthew 26:26-29*  
Ryan Cox

**Lesson:** Ken Joines

**912–** *Burdens Are Lifted at Calvary*

**Announcements:** Barry King

**605–** *I Will Serve You*

**Prayer:** Bob Moorman

**YOUTH NEWS**

**Grades 7-12**

We will have a devotional at Ryan & Summer's house this Friday, May 6 from 6-9 pm. Food will be provided.

Also, we will be joining the youth groups from West Side and Towne Acres for devo's every other Monday. For more details or if you have questions, please see Ryan.

**LTC Recognition**

Those who participated in LTC 2011 will be presented their awards next Sunday evening immediately following our worship service.

**Grades 3-12**

You are invited to the Shelton's on Sunday, May 15, immediately after the morning worship service for the **Annual Fishing Tournament**. Worms are provided. If you prefer to use another form of bait you must supply it.

Bring a sack lunch!

***Consider the Lilies***

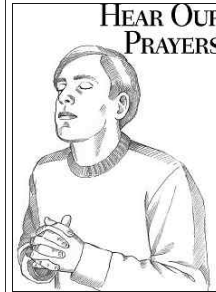
*“Why are you anxious...?” asked our Lord. Then he said, “Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow; they neither toil nor spin; yet I tell you even Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these” (Matthew 6:28-29). His point was that just as God sees to it that the lilies of the field always come forth in their wholeness and beauty, so God can be counted on to provide for us. People who have faith in him come to understand that marvelous reality.*

*In the words that follow, a poet reminds us of the reliability of God as seen in the familiar flowers that now are bursting forth in their glorious beauty.*

*God does not send strange flowers every year,  
When the Spring wind blows over the pleasant places,  
The same dear things lift up the same fair faces,  
The violet is here.*

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS



**Dortha Alexander** sees the doctor again tomorrow regarding her back pain.

**Donna Mae Allen** is home! On a sadder note, her nephew passed away last week. Please keep Donna Mae and her family in your prayers.

**Karen Scholl** requests prayers for her and her mother while they endure health and financial struggles.

**Pat Wilson** is home!

**Mary Crum** responded to the Lord's invitation last Sunday asking for prayers of encouragement.

**Mickey Parsons** responded to the Lord's invitation last Sunday asking for prayers and encouragement as she restores her relationship with God.

**Phyllis Grieb** passed away last Wednesday. Her funeral was yesterday. Please keep the families of Ms. Grieb in your prayers during this time of loss.

**FAMILY MEMBERS AND FRIENDS WITH ON-GOING CONCERNS:** Bill Beck, Ron Johnson, Jerry Johnston, Dennis Keener, Don & Debbie Archer, Debbie Bair, Wayne Bryan, Vic & Della Stalcup, Harriet Hobbs, Jean & Jerry Weir, Jean Kendall, Tiena Smith, Luther Hodges, Marie Davis, Bob Stalnaker, Cona Mae Winkle, Lura Richardson, Jean Kinser

**OUR HOMEBOUND:** Thelma Smith, Phyllis Fraser, Nina McIntyre, Norma Musick, Becky Adkins, Edna Bookout, Mandy Ray, Jean Kendall, Rosemary Beals, Jean Kinser

**OUR NURSING HOME/ASSISTED LIVING RESIDENTS:**

**Manor Care:** Jewell Braden

**Fall Creek Retirement Village:** Mattye Gum

**Meadowbrook Rehab Center:** Laura Oliver

**Rawlins House:** Betty Wunder, Garnet McKinney

**Community Northview:** Margie Tompkins, Robbie Dickerson

**Miller's Merry Manor, Chesterfield:** Mary Janes

**Miller's Merry Manor, Middletown:** Gladys Boles, Betty Hathcoat

**MISSION WORKERS:** Jody Apple (TN), Ned Isonguyo (Nigeria), Vito & Antonietta Ligorio (Italy)

### TIDBITS

An estimated \$450 worth of pickles, salsa, and hot sauce was collected for the Shults Lewis Children's Home!

The church building is reserved May 20-21

### CELEBRATIONS THIS WEEK

**Happy Birthday to:**

Sara Hollingsworth.....May 4

Leon Hollingsworth.....May 6

## DATES TO REMEMBER

**TODAY**

### Devotional

We will host a short devotional at the Community Northview Care Center at 3:00 p.m.

**May 3**

### Support Group

The Hands & Hearts Breast Cancer Support Group will meet here at 6:15 pm.

**May 8**

This is a great opportunity for fellowship with one another.



**May 15**

### Pitch-in

We will celebrate with those who have a April birthday/anniversary after the evening worship assembly. The theme is Desserts!

**May 17**

### Time for Lunch

Everyone is invited to join each other for lunch this Tuesday at Ryan's Buffett at 11:30 a.m. To ensure adequate seating, please sign up if intend to attend.

**May 21**

### Spring Mill Bible Camp Rally Day

Plan to join us for a great day of fun, food, and fellowship!

**\*COMING SOON!\***

**June 24-25**

**Men's Fishing Trip:** Those interested in going on this annual trip need to reserve their spot on the boat(s) now! A sign-up sheet is posted on the 'Things To Do' bulletin board.

### Mother/Daughter Brunch

"Learn How to K.I.S.S.  
(Keep It Simple, Sister)"

This year's Mother/Daughter Celebration will be a brunch on Saturday, May 7 at 10:00 a.m.

This is a pitch-in brunch; please let us know what you will be bringing by signing up on the "Things To Do" bulletin Board.

We encourage all women to join us for a fun-filled morning!

**RSVP TODAY!**

Please fill out the card below and drop it in the box located on the table in the Family Room.  
(Even if you are interested, but not sure you can attend, please fill out the card.)



**YES!** I plan to attend the Mother/Daughter Brunch!

My name is: \_\_\_\_\_

My guest(s) are: \_\_\_\_\_

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