

Striving for Heaven in 2011

Highway 36 Church of Christ

March 20, 2011

Remember in Your Prayers

Patty Ellis' Dad, Jack Ball
 Austin Barton's friend,
 Jacob Reicheneker
 James Conner
 Lou Cox
 Ronda Elston's grandfather,
 Woodrow Thomas
 Lee and Raneé Knox's
 friends, Eric and Sara
 Cebia Martin
 Teryl Rideout
 Ross Thomas and family

Rudolph, Becton and
 Conway/Kotrlík families on
 their recent losses.

Relief efforts to help combat
 sickness, hunger, disease,
 and death across Japan
 caused by the recent
 earthquake and tsunami.

Our high school seniors as
 they prepare to enter a new
 phase in their life.

Welcome Visitors

We hope you are blessed by worshiping God and studying the Bible with us this morning. Please fill out a visitor card and let us get to know you. We are people who care about people!



A new issue of the **House to House Heart to Heart** publication was received in mailboxes in our community this past week. If you didn't receive one, there are copies available on the tables in the foyer.

We look forward to the Straker family being with us tonight. Jonathan will be preaching and updating us on the situation with loved ones in Japan.

Fellowship Dinner Next Sunday!!

Men Serving This Morning

Announcements: Terry Chrane
 Song Leader: Greg Elston

Lord's Supper

Prayer—J Sanders,
 Tony Thompson, Jim Franklin,
 John Armor, Brian King,
 Rudy Johnston, Steve Carroll

Usher: Zach Hayhurst
 Usher: Doug Smoot
 Reading & Prayer: Don Southall
 Sermon: Bob Martin
 Closing Prayer: Jarrod Crockett

Men Serving This Evening

Song Leader: Greg Elston
 Special Speaker: Jonathan Straker
 Communion: Bill Shaner

Hwy. 36 Meeting Times

Sunday Morning
 Bible Class 10:00
 Worship 11:00
Sunday Evening
 Worship 6:30
Monday Morning
 Ladies Bible
 Class@10
Monday Night
 Mens Bible Class 7-8
Wednesday Evening
 Devotional/Class 7:00

Adult Bible Classes

Sunday Morning
Teachers
 Adult I—Bob Martin
 Adult II—Terry Chrane
 Both classes will be
 studying the roles of
 Elders and
 Deacons.

Wednesday Night

Teachers
 Billy Berny
 Charles Rudolph

The Role of Deacons

Deacons, as servants, must first follow Jesus. God will honor such men. The Lord's servant is instructed how to behave to win opponents.

John 12:25-26 (NIV, ©1984)

²⁵ The man who loves his life will lose it, while the man who hates his life in this world will keep it for eternal life. ²⁶ Whoever serves me must follow me; and where I am, my servant also will be. My Father will honor the one who serves me.

2 Timothy 2:23-25 (NIV, ©1984)

²³ Don't have anything to do with foolish and stupid arguments, because you know they produce quarrels.

²⁴ And the Lord's servant must not quarrel; instead, he must be kind to everyone, able to teach, not resentful.

²⁵ Those who oppose him he must gently instruct, in the hope that God will grant them repentance leading them to a knowledge of the truth.

Within these instructions, the characteristics that are to be demonstrated by a man in order to serve as a deacon are very similar to the type of man who may serve as an overseer. He is to be one worthy of respect and who has an unwavering understanding ("deep truths") of faith in Christ. Such a man must provide ably for the needs of his family. It is very much in line with inspired scripture to first assign tasks to a man to "test" his aptitude for such servant leadership before appointing him to lead in a particular area of work. If he holds up well under such test, then he gains a greater understanding of the work of a deacon and a better standing among his fellow Christians in the church for future leadership roles.

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Youth Activities—6th thru 12th grades

Today—LTC Practice: Puppets from 5-5:30; Drama from 5:30-6; Song Leading & Sign Language from 6-6:20
March 27—Devo after evening service in the home of Billy and Jan Berny.

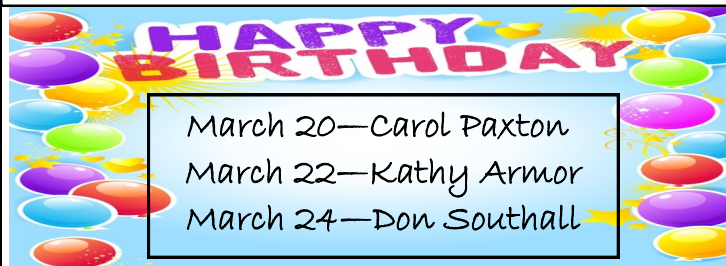
Upcoming Events

Tomorrow—Ladies Bible Class at 10 am.
Tomorrow—Men's Bible Study at 7:00 pm.
April 1,2—Area Wide Ladies Retreat at Hwy. 36
April 17—Wedding Shower at 4 pm for Kayla Young, bride elect of Jarrod Crockett
June 20-23—Family Vacation Bible School

Thanks

Dear Church Family,
On behalf of The Brown families and also the English family. We would like to thank everyone for the children's clothes and other donated items. Your many gifts were very much appreciated and very much needed. The love and support from our church family is amazing. Thank you all, you all are such a blessing.

With Love, Ashley Brown



March 20—Carol Paxton
March 22—Kathy Armor
March 24—Don Southall

"WORK OF ART" LADIES RETREAT

Friday, April 1st at 6:30

For Hwy. 36 Ladies

Church Fellowship Hall

Soups, Salads and Sandwiches

Speaker—Keri Sanders

Saturday, April 2nd, 10 am to 3:30 p.m.

Ladies from all of the churches of Christ in our area will be joining us.

We also encourage you to invite your family and friends as well.

Guest Speaker—D'Anne Melton

Childcare provided Friday and Saturday

For more information see

Glenda Broyles or Melissa Shaner

Elders Honored High School Seniors At A Special Banquet Last Night

Around 60 people gathered in the fellowship hall last night to honor our high school graduates. Thank you to the elders and their wives for serving a wonderful meal; the elders for a wonderful program; Youth minister J Sanders for a great speech and to his wife Keri for a memorable powerpoint presentation of our high school seniors. It was a great evening!

Senior Honorees

Angela Conway

Rhett Lawrence

Kainon Irons

Nick Rich

Kali King

Larry Taylor



The church cookbooks are going fast and there is only half a box left! So if you want one see Glenda Broyles or Melissa Shaner soon. They are \$5.

Two hearts joined in love,
united forever in love with joy and happiness
Carrie Franklin and Charles Wadley
are pleased to announce their marriage will
take place in a private ceremony on March 20,
2011 aboard the "Splendor of the Seas"
Cruise Ship, Los Angeles, California.
Carrie and Charles have gifts registered through
www.carnival.com/honeymoon.

Church Website: www.hwy36churchofchrist.org

OUR FULL-TIME MINISTER BOB MARTIN CAN BE REACHED AT 627-4236.

Send Church Family News to Janice Conway at this email address: hwy36churchofchrist@gmail.com