#### **ACTIVITIES FOR MAY:**

- Song Request Singing Emphasis/ Ice Cream Social Dessert Fellowship (Honoring our High School Graduates)-TODAY -6 pm \*\*\*There is a sheet posted on the back bulletin for you to write down your song requests & to sign up for food items \*\*\*Our high school graduates: Jonathan Hartman, Ryan Vilain, Emory Armstrong & Haleigh McDougal—There is a basket in the back to drop off cards\*\*\*(Ladies in Charge: Cheryl Kelch & Susan Hartman)
- <u>Teen Night</u>— Friday, May 12 -6 pm at the Hutcheson's (*414 Cleer Rd. Bridgeport*) <u>AND</u> Friday, May 19 -6 pm Hosted by Adam & Danalea O'Connell
- Friends & Family Day— Sunday, May 21 (Luncheon will follow at the Bridgeport High School)- Post-card invitations are available on the tables! There is a food sign-up sheet on the back table.

  \*\*\*Help is always needed to set up/ clean up, Please see Karen Seyler if you can help!
- Pleasant Acres Ladies Meeting Tuesday, May 23 7 pm at Pleasant Acres

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

- <u>Pleasant Acres Needed Items</u> (*Please place donations in the baskets under the table*): Clorox Wipes, Pine Sol, TGel Shampoo, Baby Lotion, Conditioner, Tissues, Body Wash, Lysol Spray, Baby Wipes & 9V Batteries. *The staff, residents and families are grateful for your continued support*.
- <u>WV Christian Youth Camp Dates:</u> (Registration Forms are available on the tables— <u>Notice:</u> To be able to conduct a better "cost effective camp" the Board of Directors are adding a \$10 late fee to every registration form with a post mark that is not 2 weeks before the week of camp you plan on attending)

**College Week**– June 18-23 Sports Week– June 25-30

Senior Week- July 2-8 Intermediate Week- July 9-14

Junior Week- July 16-21 All Age Week- July 23-29

Singing Emphasis Week- July 30-August 5

- <u>Jamaican Mission Trip</u>— *Needed Items to Give to the Children*: Toys, Candy (*that won't melt*), and crayons. For details and a full list please see Thomas Palmer. Items can be placed in a tote near the restrooms— <u>Deadline</u>: <u>Wednesday</u>, <u>June 21</u>
- <u>VBS "Trailblazers for the Faith"</u>- Saturday, June 3 –10 am-3 pm (<u>Volunteers are Needed</u>: Teachers for Cradle Roll, K-2nd, 3rd-5th, Middle School, Teens, Crafts & Games. Sign-up on the back bulletin if you can help and if you have questions, see Amanda Sutton.)

# Bridgeport Church of Christ

May 7, 2017

## **God's Promise Is To Bless-Graduation Poem**



May God bless you as you move ahead With the plan He had in mind Before you were ever born Uniquely for you designed.

**M**ay you feel His presence with you As He guides you on your way For He's promised to never leave you When storm clouds fill your day.

Though the road may not be easy
As you push to climb uphill
Remember God will give you strength
When you're in His perfect will.

**J**or as you place your faith in God, Know He will never fail, For you will soar on eagles wings Lifted higher by the gale.

**G**od said, "The plans I have for you Are to prosper and to bless;"

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Sunday Worship
Bible Study 9:30 am Worship 10:30 am
Evening Worship 6 pm
Wednesday Bible Study 7 pm
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A hope beyond what you can dream For you His words express.

**S**o move ahead with confidence Holding firmly to God's hand Knowing He will be with you To fulfill what He has planned.

-Linda J Stevenson

## As graduation season approaches, we need to intensify our prayers for graduating students. Consider these suggestions:

- Pray for clear direction & wisdom regarding the future.
- Most students will be experiencing adult freedoms for the first time, which create new challenges. The world will bombard them with liberties that may have been taboo for them a short time ago. Pray for them to handle temptations.
- The students who go directly into the job market will have to assimilate into workplace environments that will include people of all ages & backgrounds. They may come in contact with unethical business practices, crude & vulgar language, or other less obvious behaviors. Pray for them to stand firm in their beliefs.
- New responsibilities will create new burdens for them financially & socially. They may have to pay for insurance, travel expenses, continuing education expenses, clothing, ect. Pray for God to meet their financial needs.
- Pray for those who will be continuing their education. Pray they will take their education seriously & learn skills that will be helpful later in life.

**Raymond Anderson, Lafe Hutcheson & Stan Williams Elders:** 

Gene Wright, Don Riffle, Robert Armstrong, Robbie Nichols ,Jeremy Sutton Deacons:

& Robbie Buffington

**Minister:** Ryan Currey Phone: (304) 842-6738

**Card Distributor:** Cheryl Kelch

May Baptismal Garments: Joyce Wright

May Greeters: 7– Susan Hartman 14, 21, 28-(Need Greeters)

## Our Record: April 30



**Sunday Morning** Assembly 130

**Sunday Bible Class** 

**Sunday Evening** 

Wednesday Bible Study

Contribution (Budget \$3,400) \$5.150

### May Birthdays & Anniversaries:



7-Cordell Hutcheson 8-Cristy Buffington/ Steve & Marcy Potts (A) 9-Raymond Anderson 10-Julie Armstrong/Loverine Pigott/Violet Neil 13 -Sally Harper/ Cecil & Kelly Holbert (A) 14-Jonah Griffin/ Wayne & Susan Hartman (A) 16-Rodney & Leah Sleeth (A) 17-Marcy Potts/Joseph Holbert/Randy Kerns 22-Noah Griffin 27-Conner Buffington/ Amanda Sutton

## **Prayers- Those of Our Congregation**

- Our shut-in's: Helen Potts & Jackie Moore
- Bob & Jackie Moore
- Vanessa Sandy home now To send a card or to call: 198 Giraffe Bridgeport, WV 26330 (304)842-5413
- Robert "Bob" Bice- To send a card of encouragement: 38 Wayback Lane, Bridgeport, WV 26330
- Justin, Karrissa, Lyndon & Baby Knight

### **Prayers- Family & Friends**

- Tony Hurtado (Sally Harper's Father)-will undergo 6 weeks of radiation.
- **Bonnie Cropp**
- **Brenna Board's Father**
- Terry Anderson (Raymond's Sister-in-law)
- Cassie Craig (Cheryl Kelch's sister)-recently underwent a full-body scan. To send a card: 22580 Hoyle Circle Maxton, NC 28364
- **Esther Lois** suffered a stroke-gradually improving-undergoing physical therapy.
- Cathy Lambert (Lorna's co-worker)-has a brain tumor & will undergo 2 surgeries.
- Mike Yost & Family
- Tiffany Braden (Mike Eagle's Sister)- had emergency surgery on her eye. To send a card: 117 Murray St., Clarksburg, WV 26301
- Lorna's Family- flooding in Missouri.
- Brooklyn Richmond's Teacher's Husband- recently in a motorcycle accident & suffered a coma.

(If you have a prayer request or need to put something in the bulletin- Please email or write it down and give it to Julie Armstrong before Thursday of that week: bgptchurchofchrist@yahoo.com)