



The church of Christ

at Grandview Pines

October 2, 2011

Home Remedies

During the “good ole days” people relied on home remedies because a doctor wasn’t always available. Even if one could be found you might not be able to afford his fee. Many today are returning to the idea of “home remedies.” They are trying to find natural medicines in contrast to conventional treatments for disease.

We want to stress the word “HOME” in our title. Does the home, that is the family, need some attention because of various ills? Many homes are plagued with problems. What can be done to make our homes “well” again? Without a doubt following the right prescription will help. The best remedy is taking the scriptures and applying them liberally.

A CHEERFUL attitude is a good home remedy. Most of what we hear through the media paints a very bleak picture of home life in America. If these statistics are any where near correct then we need a remedy. We need to restore hope to our homes! Solomon wrote, “A merry heart doeth good like a medicine: but a broken spirit drieth the bones” (Pro. 17:22). How long has it been since real laughter was heard in your home? Someone has defined happiness this way—“It’s like jam, you can’t spread it around without getting some on yourself.” Too many homes are filled with sorrow, sadness and sin. Paul offers this prescription in Romans 5:2, “By Whom also we have access by faith into this grace wherein we stand, and REJOICE in HOPE of the glory of God.” Does your home need a good dose of cheer? It will go a long way toward improving the health of your home.

Another home remedy we need is GENTLENESS. A lack of gentleness can be seen by the words used in the home and how we treat one another. “A SOFT answer turneth away wrath: But grievous words stir up anger. The TONGUE of the WISE useth knowledge aright: But the mouth of FOOLS poureth out foolishness” (Pro. 15:1-2). How often are home torn apart because there is no gentleness to be found? Mary Poppins said, “A spoonful of sugar helps the medicine go down.” Do you remember taking the polio vaccine in a sugar cube. The sugar made the medicine more “gentle” to take. Paul reminds us to “be kind one to another” (Eph. 4:32). If you’ve broken your arm, don’t you want the doctor to be gentle while mending that hurt? If we follow the “Golden Rule” (Matt. 7:12) then we will use gentleness in helping our homes.

Removing ANGER is a necessary home remedy. “A wrathful man stirreth up strife: But he that is slow to anger appeaseth strife” (Pro. 15:18). Anger can be like a cancer. It will continue to grow and grow until it finally kills. We are to be “angry and sin not” (Eph. 4:28). How many, out of anger, have either said or done something that inflicted pain to their family? Paul, in the above verse, continues by saying, “let not the sun go down upon your wrath.” The cure for anger needs to be taken quickly. Anger doesn’t need to be allowed to fester into wrath and hatred. Anger is one of those diseases that needs immediate attention. It can have devastating effects on the lives of everyone within the home.

The final home remedy that needs to be taken is FORGIVENESS. From time to time everyone within a home will need forgiveness? Why? We are accountable persons who sin. God has offered each of us forgiveness through His Son. Jesus is the prescription to attain forgiveness. We can only be forgiven if we forgive others (Matt. 6:12). Husbands and wives need to be forgiving of one another. Parents and children should forgive each other. Brothers and sisters and family members are to offer forgiveness when the erring repents (Luke 17:3-4). Think for a moment about the forgiveness depicted in Luke 15 of the father and his prodigal son. Dwell on the thought of our Savior hanging on the tree for our forgiveness. We are to forgive “one

Welcome to the services of the Grandview Pines church of Christ

We are thankful to be able to gather to worship our God (John 4:24). Visitors, please take time to fill out a card and place it in the collection plate. If you have questions about what you see or hear we would be glad to answer them after the service. We hope all leave edified and uplifted.

News, Notes & Nouncements

Monthly Bible Study

Our monthly Bible study begins October 14th.

Our Topic will be "How to Study the Bible"

Pictorial Directory

Over the next few weeks we will be taking pictures after services for our new pictorial directory . Please have your family's picture taken so we can have an updated directory.

Our Shut-Ins

Please take the time to call, visit, or send a card to our Shut-Ins.

Linda Bush - Prattville Rehab & Nursing Home, RM 212.

Katie King - Room 308, 95 Charlton Place, Old Prattville Hwy. 290-2966

Fall Festival

October 29th at 5:30pm. More details to follow.

Bible Study

Sunday Morning

Topic: The book of Philippians.

Teacher: George Vinson

Wednesday Night

Topic: The book of John

And the Lord Added...

Angel's husband Richard Koche was baptized Thursday night.

Ladies Breakfast

October 8th at 9am. Our Elders and Deacons will be serving breakfast for the ladies of the congregation.

Cell Phone Usage

Please silence cell phones so our worship services will not be interrupted. Please do not be disrespectful to God and those assembled by sending or receiving messages during class and worship. Thank you for your help in this matter.

Autumn Place

We will meet with the residents at four this afternoon. Come join us as we sing and study.

Sermons for today:

Morning
"The Church"

Evening
Tom Young preaching

Spiritual Sword

The new Spiritual Sword publications can be found on the tables in the foyer.

Creation/Evolution Debate

The recent debate will be made available on DVD. More info will come.

Silver Threads

A luncheon is planned for Oct. 13th at Shoney's in Prattville.

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another, even as God for Christ's sake hath forgiven you" (Eph. 4:32). Forgiveness may be seen as a "bitter pill to swallow" but it's necessary for the wellbeing of our homes.

The Great Physician has given the prescription for the hurting home. We need to follow His directions so that we can be healthy and happy. May God bless our homes.

Youth News

Let no one despise your youth, but be an example to the believers in word, in conduct, in love, in spirit, in faith, in purity. - 1 Timothy 4:12

Youth Devotional Sign-up List

A new sign-up sheet for our fourth Sunday youth devotionals has been placed in the foyer.

Upcoming Events

October 9th - **Area Wide Youth Devo** Hosted by Walnut St congregation

October 28th - **Youth Devo** Hosted by Jim and Diane Cox

October 30th - **Young Men Conduct Services**

February 24-26 - **Challenge Youth Conference**

Bulletin Updates, Changes & Removal of Names

Don't forget to let us know if prayer list or other bulletin information needs to be changed.

Please email Trey Harvell by Friday night. trey.harvell@gmail.com

Prayer List

... but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known unto God. — *Philippians 4:6*

(in alphabetical order by last name)

Lee Bowren - (A. Sadler's mother) in nursing home in Heber Springs, AR.

David Brown - (Mont. Police officer) - recovering from serious motorcycle accident.

Hulon Cooper and his wife Barbara - (B. Little's family) In motorcycle accident, sister-in-law broke her leg.

Jackie Cooper - (B. Little's family)

Rickey Cooper - (B. Little's family)

Russell Cooper - (B. Little's family)

Jerry Davidson - (Director of Guyana missions) Parkinson's Disease.

Charles Dobbins - (friend of the May family) under hospice care.

Sydney Fuller - (G. Fuller's brother) has two inoperable aneurisms. Continue to pray for him.

Addison Hall - will be going in for tests in October.

Kylie Hall - Surgery on her ear drum on the 30th of November.

Myra Hall-Dealing with gall bladder issues, recovering from C-section.

Fredrick Harbaugh - Continuing to deal with illness.

Marilyn Hatcher - (E. Howard's mother) Returned home from chemo treatments.

Jennifer Hill - (daughter of coworker of Jeremy and T. Harvell) In hospital receiving treatment for several blood clots.

Willie Mae Hunt - fell and broke her wrist.

Tim Johnson - (G. Shelton's uncle) is undergoing cancer treatments. Cancer has spread to his liver.

Angel Koche - expecting

Holly Sadler (Jay's wife) diagnosed with diabetes and liver damage.

Rayford Lee - (J. Sadler's father-in-law)

Walter & Cheryl May - (R. May's parents) both facing physical ailments.

Hendon Mixon - (M. Hall's grandfather) had a pacemaker inserted recently.

Melanie Payne was hit by a car while walking. Having headaches and back pain. In physical therapy.

Martha Pilkinton (Glenda Gregory's sister-in-law) terminal cancer.

Peggy Rice - (Janice Claunch's mother)

Carolyn Stanley - (Coworker of Jeremy and T. Harvell) Undergoing several procedures including spinal surgery over the next few months.

June Stringer - Arm has healed, but

she still needs prayers and support.

Tina Tatum - will continue to see doctor every 6 months to monitor illness. Tina has a birthday this Tuesday. Why not send her a card?

Mickey Thomas - (former member) Room 313 Prattville Rehab.

Amy Turner - continuing to deal with illness.

Kevin Turner - ALS

Juanita Waggoner - (M. Stinson's aunt) advanced stage of Parkinson's Disease.

Wayne Weldon - (A. Hammonds' father) Diagnosed with cancer. Doctors will perform a bone scan to determine treatment/surgery.

Garrett Young - heart problems.

Military personnel & their families

-Matthew Cooper (Basic—AIT)

-Britt Shores (Afghanistan)

-Keith Golden (Goldens' son)

-Joshua Corey - deployed

-Stewart Burkey - (Afghanistan) lost a member of his infantry in a firefight.

-Todd Wheeler - being deployed

Do You Know Your Bible?

Study to shew thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth. — *2 Timothy 2:15*

This Week's Question

Which book in the Old Testament is the shortest? Also, which book in the New Testament is shortest?

Answer to Last Week's Question

Who is Philemon's slave?

Onesimus - Philemon 1:10

Elders:

Terry Claunch 285-4142
Jim Cox 303-0414
Glenn Fuller 365-4923
Lary Sadler 285-7455
George Vinson 262-3440

Deacons:

Lonnie Burkey 467-9444
Jason Hall 549-1869
James Woodruff 285-2947
Luke Wright 205-280-6454

Minister:

Terry Claunch
Study 285-6327
Home 285-4142
Cell 313-1539

Work of Evangelism:

Home Bible Studies
Bible Correspondence Studies
Biblical Tracts
Staton & Tutwiler Prisons
Sermon CDs & Cassettes
Gospel Broadcasting Network

Work of Benevolence:

Food Pantry
Guyana Missions - Summerdale
Congregation
1st Sun. singing - Autumn Place
2nd Sun. singing - Merry Wood Lodge
Clothes for Panama
Eye Glasses for Thailand
Assistance to those in need

Work of Edification:

Sunday
Bible Class 9:00 AM
Worship 10:00 AM
Worship 5:00 PM
Wednesday
Ladies' Class 10:30 AM
Bible Class 7:00 PM

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Where We Meet

165 Deatsville Hwy,
Millbrook, AL, 36054

*Privileged to Serve
Sunday Worship Services*

	Today: October 2nd	Next Week: October 9th
AM Service		
Announcements	Jim Hammonds	Tom Young
Song Leader	Sammie Girod	Luke Wright
Opening Prayer	Lonnie Burkey	Tim Ashley
Closing Prayer	Garrett Young	George Vinson
Scripture Reading	Christopher May 1 Peter 2:13-17	Coby Mayne Matthew 5:43-48
Lord's Table - Head	Jim Cox	David Conyers
Lord's Table - Serve	Nick Girod Lary Sadler George Vinson Luke Wright	Jim Hammonds Brandon Gonzalez Jason Hall Trey Harvell
PM Service		
Announcements	Jim Hammonds	Tom Young
Song Leader	Sammie Girod	Luke Wright
Opening Prayer	Terry Claunch	Glenn Fuller
Closing Prayer	Robert Golden	Jim Hammonds
Lord's Table	Jim Cox	David Conyers
1st Sunday Sermon	Tom Young	
<i>Sunday Helpers' List</i>		
Foyer Attendant	David Conyers	Charles Price
Greeters	Jeremy Claunch Bryant Weldon	James Woodruff Jackie Conyers
Nursery Attendant	Toni Colquitt	Andrea Sadler
<i>Wednesday Bible Study</i>		
	This Week: October 5th	Next Week: October 12th
Song Leader	Luke Wright	Brandon Gonzalez
Invitation	Jeremy Claunch	Lary Sadler
Closing Prayer	Tim Ashley	James Woodruff
If you cannot meet your scheduled duty & cannot find a		

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