

## Ellendale Church of Christ

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### SCHEDULE OF WEEKLY ACTIVITY

#### SUNDAY

Bible Study.....9:30 a.m.  
Worship.....10:30 a.m.  
Worship service at Hearthside.....1:30 p.m.  
Worship.....5:30 p.m.

#### WEDNESDAY

Bible Study and Devotional...7:00 p.m.

#### THURSDAY

Bible Study at Hearthside.....1:30 p.m.

### ORDER OF SERVICES

**March 10, 2019**

#### A.M. Services

Announcements  
Lead Singing - Mike O'Guinn  
Opening Prayer  
Communion  
Sermon - Barry Grider

#### P.M. Services

Sermon - Barry Grider

(Please meet in the library as soon  
as possible after Bible Study.)

#### Mission Work

Eastern European Mission  
Haiti  
India (Jerry Bates)  
India (Purpose and Vision)  
In Search of the Lord's Way  
Paragould Children's Home

### FOR THE LORD'S SERVICE

**March 3, 2019**

Budget. .... \$2,900.00  
Contribution..... \$2,663,50  
Attendance..... 43

### OPPORTUNITIES WHEN HOMEBOUND

#### **John DeBerry - Coleman Ave.:**

WTWV TV 23 Sun. 4 p.m., Tues. 6:30  
p.m., Weds. 6:00 p.m., Sat. 6:30 p.m.  
Channel 14 Comcast/Direct TV

#### **John Shannon - James Road:**

YouTube; TV: Channel 17, 20 & 21 -  
Weds. 6 p.m.; Channels 14 & 23 - Fri. 6  
p.m.; Sat. 12:00 p.m.

#### **GBN - The Truth in Love:**

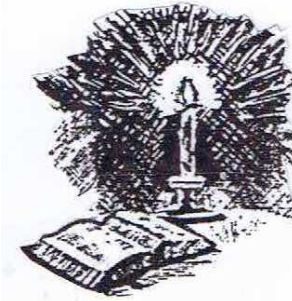
WHBQ AM 560 - Sunday 8 a.m.

#### **In Search of the Lord's Way:**

WLMT TV Channel 30 - Sunday 7 a.m.

## The Bulletin...

**March 10, 2019**



*Ellendale Church of Christ*

*"Where Christ is our Lord and the Bible our guide"*

"Thy word is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path." Psalm 119:105  
Jesus said, "...I am the light of the world: he that followeth me shall not walk in  
darkness, but shall have the light of life." John 8:12



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## News & Notes

### God Made Life Interesting

Seeds may be dropped into the ground upside down or sideways, yet the plants come up to the surface. One grain of corn will produce a stalk on which there may be two ears, with perhaps 742 grains on each ear. A light crop of wheat will produce approximately thirty grains on each stalk; a good crop will produce approximately sixty grains per stalk. There will always be an even number of grains.

Beans grow up a pole from left to right, while the morning glory grows up a pole from right to left. If turned upside down, “twining” plants will uncoil and recircle their support. Guide a twiner in the “wrong” direction, and the plant will rewind itself. The higher a twiner grows, the more tightly it claps its support.<sup>1</sup>

The dandelion will grow above its surroundings whether the grass be two, ten, or twenty inches,<sup>2</sup> for it must get up into the sunlight. An ordinary watermelon will have ten stripes on it. Larger ones may have twelve to sixteen stripes but always an even number.

Every form of life in the vegetable and animal kingdom has a predetermined set of characteristics, a master plan perfect in every detail—God’s plan. God has a perfect plan for my life and yours which supplies all our needs—His Word (2 Peter 1:3). By His grace we receive strength to rise above all our circumstances (Romans 8:31).

How wonderful to witness His majesty in the changing seasons.

Endnotes:

<sup>1</sup> Brooklyn Botanical Garden.

<sup>2</sup> After 24 inches, the weight of the flower causes the stalk to bend.

*“Then God saw everything that He had made, and indeed it was very good.”*

GENESIS 1:31; c f. 1:11–12, 21, 24–25; ISAIAH 40:28; PSALM 104:24; EPHESIANS 3:10

(From House to House, Heart to Heart  
Volume 23, Number 12)

### OUR SICK

Joe Neil Brown

Betty Harder

A. J. Henson

Glenda Kirk

Yvonne Meyers

JoeAnn Patterson

Evan Raspberry

Martin Raspberry

Ron Raspberry

Tamara Rochelle

Dick Romine

Nancy Romine

Jessie Sparks

(Quail Ridge Alzheimer Special Care Center,  
Rm. 358)

Cindy Wheeler

Frances Williams

(Quail Ridge Alzheimer Special Care Center,  
Rm. 6)

### UPCOMING EVENTS

Mar. 10 - Devotional at Hearthside, 1:30 p.m.

Mar. 14 - Bible Study at Hearthside, 1:30 p.m.

Mar. 14 - Ladies’ Night, 6 p.m. Mary Bryson,  
hostess



Pick up a visitation card in the library after evening services. A card, call and/or a visit means a lot to those who are unable to attend.

## Children’s Home Food Run

The next food run will be **Monday, May 20**. A Grocery Needs list was published in the Children’s Home magazine. Each week five of those items will be listed in this bulletin.. If everyone would bring at least one or more of those items each week, our carts would be full and overflowing.

### Grocery Needs this week:

Juice  
Canned Carrots  
Canned Fruit  
Cream of Chicken Soup  
Cream of Mushroom Soup

### **Let’s give it a try!!!**

(Note: If you are interested in bringing clothes, please refer to information on the bulletin board.)



## **FIFTY-THIRD ANNUAL LECTURESHIP**

March 31 – April 4, 2019

GENERAL THEME  
“Purer in Heart, O God”

Conducted By:  
Memphis School of Preaching