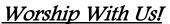
# Gandy Church of Christ

March 25, 2018



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#### Sunday

Morning Bible Class.....10:00 a.m. Morning Worship.......11:00 a.m. Evening Worship.......6:00 p.m.

#### Wednesday

Bible Class.....7:00 p.m.



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#### WHAT MUST I DO TO BE SAVED?

- 1. Hear the Gospel Romans 10:17
- 2. Believe the Gospel Mark 16:15-16
- 3. Repent of Sins Acts 17:30
- 4. Confess Christ Romans 10:9, 10
- 5. Be Baptized Acts 2:38

#### HOW DO I KEEP FROM FALLING?

- 1. Read your Bible daily 2 Tim. 2;15
- 2. Add to your faith the seven Christian Graces – 2 Peter 1:5-11
- 3. Attend every service Acts 20:7, Heb. 10:25
- 4. Be faithful unto death Rev. 2:10

A special Welcome to all of our guests today! We are glad you are here. If you would like a Bible Study in your home, please contact our elders.

## Don't forget to fill up the SUNSHINE BASKET!



### SPECIAL DATES TO REMEMBER

- Mar 25- Combined Evening Service at Long Branch, 6:00 p.m.
- Mar 26-30-Searching the Scriptures--Gandy, 12:45 p.m. daily, WDXE Radio-(1370 AM).
- Mar 30- Friday night singing at Midway, 7:00 p.m.



CONGRATULATIONS!! TO: Rick & Louann Sellers Grandson Lucas Cameron Reynolds

James & Linda Smith Great Grand Daughter Annalise Corinne Jaeger Parents: Kaitlan & Jarrod Jaeger

## Birthdays & Anniversaries MARCH 26 Charles Smith 31 Donnie Vandiver 31 Terry Risner APRIL 2 Keiley Rijhoff 4 Terry Bailey

12 Pam Smith 13 Bob & Betty Houser

13 Gary Bailey

## \*\*\*\*Announcements: GARY BAILEY\*\*\*\*

	READING	HEAD TABLE	PASS TRAYS	PRAYER
Mar 25	Sam Slater	Phillip Gattis	Cecil Porter	Opening: Billy Gobble
			Bill Bailey	Closing: Gary Bailey
			Donnie Vandiver	
Pantry	Cherry Pie Filling	Green Beans	Spagettio's	Canned Peaches
Items				

## DISCERNING THE DIFFERENCE

The church is divine in origin, spiritual in nature, and eternal in duration. It is a monument to divine wisdom. It is a portrait of beauty and simplicity beyond the Rembrandts of the ages.

Sin drove a wedge between man and God. The church is the sphere of reconciliation. It was God's will from eternity to unite all men "in one body by the cross" (Ephesians 2:16). That one body is the church (Ephesians 1:22-23). Jesus saves only the church (Ephesians 5:23) because it is composed of those who have obeyed the Gospel (Acts 2), God's only power to save (Romans 1:16). There are as many saved people outside the church as there were outside the ark in Noah's day.

If ancient Israel was the "apple of God's eye" (Deuteronomy 32:10), what must the church be but the joy of His heart! Even now, God awaits the moment when time shall give way to eternity, and the church, His Son's bride, robed in the beauty of holiness by virtue of His Son's blood, shall make its entrance into that heavenly realm to the enjoyment of eternal bliss and happiness.

Denominationalism is human in origin, physical in nature, and temporal in duration. It is a monument to human self ~ will, man's determination to do what he pleased instead of what God says. It is a portrait of chaos and confusion, a tool in the hand of the Devil to blind the "minds of them which believe not, lest the light of the glorious gospel of Christ, who is the image of God, should shine unto them" (2 Corinthians 4:4).

Jesus did not plant denominationalism and it "shall be rooted up" (Matthew 15:13). Its worship is ostentatious and mechanical, its kingdom hope is material, and its laws are ritualistic and traditional. David said, "I hate every false way" (Psalm 119:128). Let us love the people, but loathe the system. Israel was to discern between things holy and profane (Ezekiel 22:26). Christians need to perceive the grave distinction between the church set forth in the New Testament and denominationalism. There is a difference.

<sup>--</sup>Frank Chesser, The Voice of Truth International

## **Prayer Requests**



Cindy Francis is sick.

Linda Smith had some tests run this past week, has diverticulits. Ruth Toungette has a cold.

Ruth Byrd, Maggie Johnston, Bill Gobble and James Smith in your thoughts, they have all felt poorly this week.

## **Continuing in Prayer:**

Pam Smith (rehab), Becky Leonard (rehab, Van Slater, (rehab), Chris Craig (paralyzed), Greg Slater (cancer), Frank Baker (cancer), Donnie Russell, Judy Smith (cancer), Mary Bowden (cancer), Donnie Jones, Gina Wilson (cancer), Valeria Painter (cancer), Luke Gowen, Patricia Chapman (cancer), Mavis Johnston, Viola Green (NHC Brink), Judy Vandiver, Thomas Wesley, Kellie Rodgers, Earline Price, John Dryden (cancer), James Smith, Bill Gobble, Ruth Byrd, Lolamae Sides, Linda Taylor, Ms. Ayers, Raymond & Faye Weeks, Elsie Slater, Larry Jones, Robbie Guthrie, Maggie Sue Johnston, Ruth Bryant (Country Cottage).

**In Sympathy:** The family of C.M. Porter, Memorial Service March 25<sup>th</sup>, 2:00 p.m.at Gandy, (Cecil Porter & Maggie Johnston's brother).

#### **Bags of Blessings** SAVE THE DATE Sponsored by Salem For Jerry Morgan Missionary to Ukraine **April 22, 2018 Spring Revival** Antibiotic Cremes/ Band Aids/ Baby Powder/ Baby Wipes At Candles/ Matches/ Sheets / Quilts/ Towels/ Hand Towels/ Wash Cloths Gandy Jeans/ Slacks/ Shirts/ Blouses/ Coats/ Gloves/ Shoes/ Sox/ Underwear/ **Speaker: Tracy Love** Sweatshirts Shampoo/ Soap/ Hand Sanitizer/ Toilet Tissue/ Paper Towels/ Deodorant/ Toothbrush/ Toothpaste/ Razor/ Shaving Crème/ Soup Pot/ Mixing Spoons/ Toys/ Clothes Lines/ Clothes Pins