

First Christian Church, Russellville, KY May, 2023

## Larry's Lines

Spring is here, even with all of the cold snaps we always have—winters as we call them: redbud, dogwood, locust, strawberry, blackberry, and some I have omitted. Leaves have come out, flowers have bloomed, and people are anxious to plant gardens and reap the harvest.

Spring is an excellent time for us to have a spiritual garden. Talk to your friends about your faith in Christ, invite them to worship with you, help those in need in the name of Jesus. You may be planting the seed in someone's heart, or you may be watering the seed already planted by someone else.

Invite your family and friends to worship with you. And don't stop after one invitation. Keep asking but also tell them how important attending services is to you.

In writing about comparisons of ministers Paul wrote in 1 Corinthians 3: "What then is Apollos? And what is Paul? Servants through whom you believed, even as the Lord gave opportunity to each one. I planted, Apollos watered, but God was causing the growth. So then neither the one who plants nor the one who waters is anything, but God who causes the growth. Now the one who plants and the one who waters are one; but each will receive his own reward according to his own labor. For we are God's fellow workers; you are God's field, God's building."

I trust I will see you this Sunday and every Sunday at 10:45 a.m.

In Christ, Larry

Pastor Larry will be on vacation May 8-17. Enjoy...safe travel!

Welcome Rev. Rachel Nance Woehler as our Guest Minister on May 14.

## NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER May 4, 2023

## **Noon Service at Old Court House**

The National Day of Prayer is observed annually on the first Thursday in May. This day observance, designated by the United States Congress, asks people "to turn to God in prayer and meditation."

For many, prayer is an integral part of daily life. Prayer offers a rich connection to our spiritual lives, nurturing our relationships and faith. It also provides comfort in times of crisis or need.

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Veterans Program
Tuesday May 30th 6pm
Fellowship Church of Christ

BOARD MEETING
May 21st
After services

**Serving in May 2023** 

**Elders:** Judy Suiter, Jesse Tapp

Deacons: Linda Robertson, Briley Gorrell

Worship Leader: Jesse Tapp

Prayer Concerns:			
Roger Colston	Dann Masden	Ken Mercer	Lauren Riley Stafford
Lori McClure	Rita Stuart	Freddie Wright	Scottie Markham
Patricia Y. Bailey	Betty Johnson	Esther Kees	Mildred Taylor
Donna Bryan	Frankie Smith	Gary Arnold	Paula Clark
Bettye O'Kelley	Tom Kemp	Amy Givens	Sally Neeley
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