## HIGHLAND CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

## **May 2018**

Highland Church reaches out in the name of Jesus Christ building disciples with vision for ministry.

Romans 10:11 For "whoever calls upon the name of the Lord shall be saved."

This is wonderful news to all of God's creation! It means anyone can repent of their sins and call upon Jesus and be saved. Jesus came to seek and save that which was lost. His desire is that none should perish but come to repentance. We are so blessed to be a part of the Cumberland Church which bases its confession of faith upon "whosoever will may come". This statement is reinforced in articles 2.01 and 4.03 plus others in our "Confession of Faith". These articles support the four statements outlined on the "Preface" of our confession.

- 1. That there are no eternal reprobates.
- 2. That Christ died not for part only, but for all mankind.
- 3. That all infants dying in infancy are saved through Christ and the sanctification of the

Spirit.

4. That the Spirit of God operates on the world, or as coextensively as Christ has made atonement, in such a manner as to leave all mankind inexcusable.

God wants His creation to walk away from sin and come to Him. Many need our help in walking away from their sin. We can help by inviting them to church, talking with them, praying with them plus many other things. Please help them!

I would like to take this opportunity to thank Highland for trusting and supporting me as your associate pastor. I consider it an honor and will do my best for the church. It's a joy for me to serve under Bro. Bud for he truly loves the Lord and His children.

Again, thank you! In His Love! Bro. Doug Hughes

#### **CPWM**

The Highland Cumberland Presbyterian Women's Ministry participated in Holy Week Services at Margaret Hank on Wednesday, March 28 by providing lunch for the noon worship service. Bro. Bud delivered the devotion that day as well.

We did not have a regular meeting in April. However, some of our ladies did participate in the Regional meeting, April 21 at the Oakland CPC.

Our next meeting will be Monday, May 7 at 10 am in the Fellowship Hall. We will be updating our members on activities and the actions taken at the Regional meeting.

Our CPWM will be honoring the following graduates during the month of May: Jennifer Roberts – Southern Indiana University, masters in Social Work Jamie Gamble – University of Louisville, degree in Exercise Science Addison Dumes, Alec Golightly and Ben Hall – McCracken County High School

#### **Session Notes**

Items approved at the April meeting:

- Award Addison Dumes and Alec Golightly \$1,000 each as recipients of the Chester and Emma Cathey Memorial Scholarship for the graduating class of 2018
- Host a dinner to honor the recipients of the Cathey Scholarship award May 6
- Second quarter Communion will be June 3.
- Request for adult volunteers in nursery
  - Mother's Day offering of \$250 to Covenant Presbytery Widows Fund
  - Father's Day offering of \$250 to Wounded Warrior Project
  - Purchase additional wireless microphone at a cost of \$460.00
  - Request from Decorating Comm. for \$476 for Men's Restroom
  - Pay secretary, Paula Bell for her vacation week, April 2-6

### **April Numbers**

Stewardship Report as of April 30, 2018

Receipts \$ 26,628.84 Disbursements \$ 15,595.58

#### **Attendance Record**

Morning Worship April 1 Easter – 200 April 8 – 71 April 15 – 98 April 22 – 98 April 29 - 81

#### **PCM food need** Instant Potatoes

## **Change of Address**

The Dumes Family 230 Downing Cove Paducah, KY 42001

#### **May Calendar**

May 3 – National Day of Prayer

May 6 – Scholarship Dinner, 6:00 p.m.

May 7 – CPWM, 10:00 a.m.

May 17 – Highlanders, 10:30 a.m.

May 20 – Session meeting, 2:00 p.m.

Tina Gamble, devotion

May 22 – Primary Election, Outreach Center

May 24 – Cumberland Pioneers, Pizza Inn, 10:30

May Ushers Ronnie and May Parker,
Johnny Overton, Velva Mullen

May Elders Elaine Kaye, Steve Shrewsberry

#### **Highlanders News**

The Highlanders will be going to Majestic Steak House in Draffenville Thursday May 17. The bus will leave the church at 10:30. Join us for a good lunch buffet.

#### **Adult Bible Trivia**

Bro. Doug will be quizzing us on the Book of Ephesians, Wednesday, May 16 at 6:00 p.m.

#### **Primary Election**

Please be aware that the Outreach Center will be in use Tuesday, May 22 for the May Primary.

## **Youth**

Church Camp Forms are due to the office no later than May 27 Sr. High Camp – June 24-29 Jr./ Jr. High Camp – July 15-20

## May Birthdays

- 1 Alissa Gannaway
- 5 Marlene Wallace
- 6 Madeline Wooten
- 17 Shanna Cornwell

Miranda Cooper

Lauren Parker

Emma Grace Cooper

- 19 Kasen Barton
- 22 Tina Gamble

**Tanner Parker** 

- 25 Cooper Hill
- 27 Rob Gannaway
- 28 Gini Cunningham
- 29 Phyllis Hammonds

**Harriet Ballow** 

30 - Pat McDonald

# May Anniversaries

- 7 Tyler and Lauren Parker
- 22 Randy and Cindy Robertson
- 31 Casey and Carrie McKee
- 31 Rev. John and LaDonna Rogers

True humility is not thinking less of yourself, it is thinking of yourself less.

-C.S. Lewis