

Central Church of Christ

“A Community of Grace”

June 11, 2017

A Blind Leap of Faith?

by: Ron Adams

Some non-believers speak of a Christian's faith as a blind leap of faith. Not So! Faith in God and His Son gives one the ability to see the unseen.

"Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen." Hebrews 11:1 (KJV)

This is not a definition of faith; rather, it is a description of faith. Faith provides a foundation for hope and gives substance to things unseen, treating them as if they were already objects of sight.

It is said of Moses that he went about *"as seeing Him who is unseen."* Hebrews 11:27

Paul wrote, *"We look not at the things which are seen, but at the things which are not seen; for the things which are seen are temporal, but the things which are not seen are eternal."* 2 Corinthians 4:18

HOPE AND TRUST There is nothing mysterious about treating something unseen as if it were something already in sight. When one boards an airplane to travel to a small island in the vast Pacific Ocean for the first time, he does so "by faith." He has put his trust (faith) in the information and evidence provided that there is such a place. He trusts that the pilot knows how to fly the airplane to the island. He trusts the plane is capable of making the journey. And he hopes to arrive safely.

Those who go about blindly are not Christians. Christians walk in the light. The ones who walk in darkness are those who are going about blindly. *". . . the god of this world has blinded the minds of the unbelieving, that they might not see the light of the gospel of the glory of Christ, who is the image of God."* 2 Corinthians 4:4

Order of Worship

God Has Smiled On Me.....**John Atkison, Song Leader**

Welcome and Opening Prayer.....Clint Thrasher

You Are Holy
Great Are You Lord
I Love You Lord
I Gave My Life for Thee

Lord's Supper and Offering.....As per schedule below
A Beautiful Life

Children's Offering for water filters (Helping Hands International)

SermonClint Thrasher

Burdens Are Listed at Calvary

Announcements..... Song Leader

He's My King

Closing Prayer As per schedule below

Those Serving:

	June 11	June 18	June 25	July 2
Lead/ Bread	Logan Thrasher	Bill Goad	Greg Atkison	John Atkison
Fruit of Vine	Allen Smith	Tyler Goad	Jerry Henshaw	Clint Thrasher
Offering	Francis Jenkins	John Atkison	Allen Smith	Logan Thrasher
Closing Pray	Greg Atkison	Logan Thrasher	Francis Jenkins	Bill Goad
Door	Allen Smith	Tyler/ Whitney	Greg/ Brenda	Jobee/ Cathy
Greeters				

Birthday's and Anniversaries!

Alan Wilson June 13th

Marie Henshaw June 19th

Jesse & Raysha Johnston June 20th



Guest Speakers:

June 18th Greg Atkison

June 25th Jobee Thrasher

July 2nd Clint Thrasher

July 9th Tyler Goad

Prayer concerns

--- Shut-Ins ---

June Thrasher at Redbanks

Sue Hall (June Thrashers roommate)

Bobbi Doris Redbanks Rm #103

Clinton Jones, friend of Brenda's

--- Our Sick ---

Macy King, student of Cathy Thrasher
Bryan Wyatt, health problems, Jerry's
friend.

Leslie Goad, Bill's dad

Jean Jenkins – Heart rhythm issues

Delorma Atkison, Greg's mom

Pat Peyton – Allison Wilson's mom

--- Also Pray For ---

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Success @ West KY Youth Camp

Thanks to everyone for all the prayers
and concern shown both before and
after my recent surgery. God is great!

Brenda

Please support and encourage, with your attendance and kind words, all the fine men who have willingly stepped forward to preach in the interim as we search for a fulltime minister. For all of us who do not routinely do this, a lot of time and work goes into preparing a Sunday morning sermon. Thanks so much to all the men who have taken on this responsibility and for the great job you are doing.

Summer Fellowship Tonight

Where – at our building

When – 5:00

Devo – John Atkison

Food to bring – Sandwiches
and deserts

Games - corn-hole challenge

If you have corn-hole boards bring them just in case.

Try to come!! We grow as a family when we spend time together as a family.

**7 days without prayer
makes 1 weak!**

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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Sunday:

9:30 AM Sunday school

10:30 AM Worship Assembly

6:00 PM Bible Study

Wednesday:

6:30 PM Bible Study

Our statistics:

Sunday Worship	24
Sunday Night	19
Contribution	\$1,852.00
Wednesday Bible Study	5

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*The men's chairman for the next quarter (May-July) is J. Henshaw. The secretary is G. Atkison. The next mtg. is **July 8 at 9:00 am.***

Wednesday Night Class

Upcoming topics in the Randy Simmons audio series:

6/14 - Can a Christian Be a Good Citizen? (Part 1)

6/21 - Can a Christian Be a Good Citizen? (Part 2)

6/28 – What is the Biblical Position on Homosexuality (Part 1)

Summer Sunday's Schedule

All events, 5pm @ building unless other location is specified

June 18 - (Father's Day): **TBD**

June 25 - Children's Education discussion by Jobee -- **Mexican Foods**

July 2 - Speaker Jerry H. ---- **Fish Fry** ---- Kite Flying Day at the building.