

Church of Christ

Rocketdyne Road

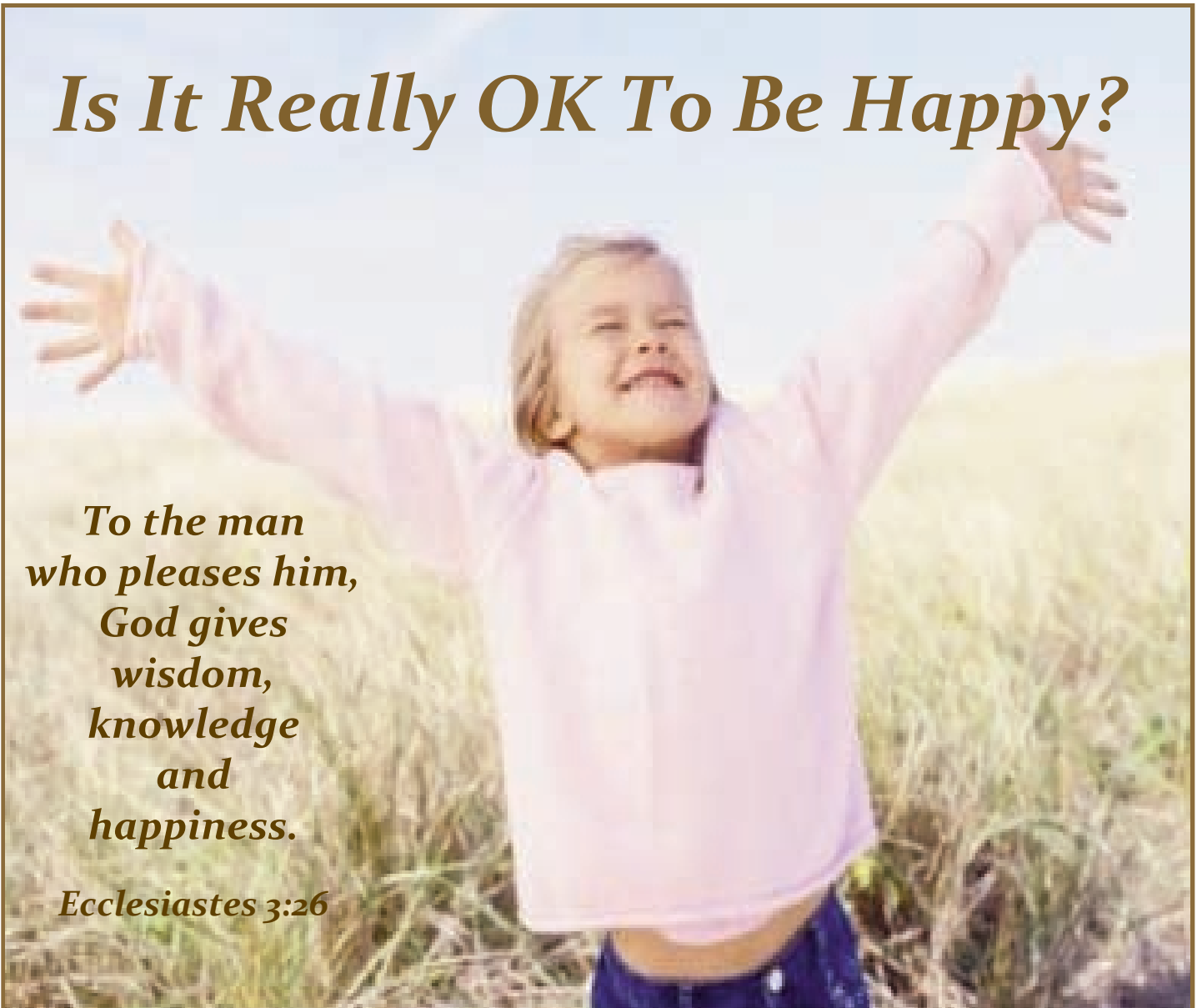
“Every member a minister...through service”

FEBRUARY 19, 2012

Is It Really OK To Be Happy?

*To the man
who pleases him,
God gives
wisdom,
knowledge
and
happiness.*

Ecclesiastes 3:26





Maxine Austin is a patient at Freeman-Neosho. Treva Haught has been moved to Medicalodge, Room 406 for therapy. Karen Lewis is in ICU at Freeman-Neosho. Pray for our homebound, our widows and live-alones, those on our sick list and for all our brothers and sisters.



The Lee Embrey Family

Our sincere sympathy goes to Nancy and her children Mark Embrey, Steve Embrey, Vicki Lazure, and Sandi Poage and Lee's sisters Clista Kruse and Wilma Garrison, and his many grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces and nephews.

Congratulations

Congratulations to Kaleb and Tiffany Sanny on the birth of a son February 9. Liam Charles weighed 7 lbs 13 oz and was 20 inches long.

Congratulations to Tom and Glenda Condict on the birth of a granddaughter. Roslyn Mae was born February 14 and weighed 8 pounds, 8 ounces. Parents are Tarren and Erin Condict.



We need to update our military list. If you have family serving in the military, please send their names and where they are stationed to sjnighthawk@hotmail.com or call the church office.

Shortcut To Happiness?

Some say the quickest way to happiness is to lower your expectations.

And the Scriptures lend some support to this idea when they say to be content with what you have. Surely, a person can be poor and yet be happy.

We have all experienced a degree of disappointment in trying to get happiness through what we possess. Getting more stuff can become an endless treadmill of work to acquire, thrill to purchase, and finally disillusionment to possess.

But is the simplest route to happiness found in simply not wanting much of anything? Getting little or nothing and being happy with it?

It depends on what you really want, doesn't it?

If it's stuff, then you need more stuff.

If it's God, then you must have more God.

Maybe it isn't a shortcut. Maybe it is sometimes arduous. But Jesus teaches by His lifestyle and life choices that a relationship with God is the only sure and lasting way to be happy.

With God then we find ourselves happy...with little or much.

Directory Change

Shirley Anderson's new address is 604 E. South Street, Neosho and her phone number is 455-2686.

Thursday Visitation

There will not be a Thursday visitation this month.

Neosho Public Schools
Character Trait For February

HONESTY

Being the kind of person whom other people can have confidence in

Come And Share Your Master's Happiness

(Matthew 25:21,23)

This is what Jesus says to His faithful servants when their lives are over.

Come and Share Your Master's Happiness!!!

Think about it - Our Master is Happy!

And we can share in His happiness!

Why is Jesus happy?

He Won!

Jesus defeated sin for us when He died on the cross – His ordeal of suffering is over!

Jesus broke the stronghold of death when He came out of the grave!

He ascended to the Father and rules with all power and authority in heaven and earth!

What happiness must be His when He considers all He has done and is doing for everyone who follows Him!

His happiness must be greater than any other.

And we are invited to share it with Him.

It begins even now, by faith, doesn't it?

But the Bible leads us to believe...we haven't seen anything yet!

I Was Hungry...And You Fed Me

There are hungry children here in Neosho. That's why the Rocketdyne Road Church Family contributed \$1,200 Bright Futures, the Public School program that provides a backpack of food for children to take home for the weekend.

Many students in Neosho are on public assisted school lunches, but this doesn't help them on the weekends. This program does. Our contribution provides cereal for the kids.



SNT - Tonight 7 to 9 pm at Joplin Starbucks

Christeens Youth Rally - Next weekend - Feb. 24-26

We will leave from the Harmony building at 3 pm Friday. Bring money for Friday meal and Sunday lunch. Also give Tye the \$30 registration fee by Friday.

Leaf Raking - We are going to rake leaves today after lunch at 1 pm. Everyone who wants to help is invited to meet at the building at that time.

Camping Trip - March 16-18. This trip is for senior youth, parents and chaperones. See Tye ASAP if you are interested.



GOD IS MOVING AMONG OUR CHILDREN!

We had a total of **39** children last week! God is good! We learned that sometimes we can change colors like a Chameleon. We also learned to keep our eyes on Jesus, pray all the time, be thankful and joyful at all times. This will help us stay true to Jesus.

Join us today for another puppet skit.

See you there!

Mi Mi Lu and Pa Pa H

Always remember

JESUS LOVES YOU!!!!

We do too.

Workers for next week:

Security - Myron Lessman;

Teachers - Tonna Powers, Jimmie Douglass,

Jeff Deneffrio, Bryce Beeson;

Helpers - Gavin Payne, Eli Cupp,

Lauren Deneffrio, Stevie Douglass,

Coda Lumpkins, Luke Casady, Cheryl Marion,

James Grigsby, Noah Francisco

Assignments
Sunday, February 19, 2012

Morning Worship

PrayerPete Ramon
 Shepherd's Prayer Jerry Davis

Lord's Table

Prayers: Jeff Denefrio

East Side

Don Johnston
 Ron Lankford
 Harley Schriever
 Jim Sexton

West Side

Quinton Platner
 Jim Pollick
 Charles Routledge
 Andrew Hendrick

Next Sunday

PrayerTom Condict
 Table PrayersKael Powers
 Shepherd's PrayerClyde Hopper

Lord's Table For Next Sunday

Lonnie Swaffar	Jon Reagan, Sr.
Daniel Witcher	Dean Welcher
Rick Wolfe	Alan Woodward
Roger Zartman	David Garman

Wednesday, February 22

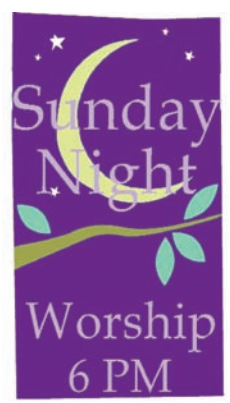
Song Leader...Jimmie Douglass
 PrayerBrian Lewis



Singing Practice
Tonight At 5:30

with
Jimmie Douglass
Matt Engels
 and
Wade Williams

Join Us For



Our Elders

Kenneth Cope
 Jerry Davis
 Clyde Hopper
 David Hutchings
 Ben Lane
 Earl Reynolds
 Jack Stafford
 Ray Stipp

Our Ministers

Denny Kruse
 592-3419
 Tye Zola
 658-9000

Our Deacons

Randy Bass
 Jonathan Davis
 Myron Lessman
 Brian Lewis
 Brent Marion
 Kael Powers
 Pete Ramon
 Jon Reagan
 Rod Whorton
 Rick Wolfe
 Alan Woodward

GREETERS **SCHEDULE**

February 26
 Team 4

Fair Haven

Pantry Needs

Powdered Sugar

February 19
 Renee` and Breanna Lewis

February 26
 Sue Hughes, Leslie Roark

nursery

FAMILY GATHERINGS

Sunday Morning Bible Study9:30
Sunday Morning Worship10:30
Sunday Evening Singing Practice5:30
Sunday Evening Worship6:00
Wednesday Evening Bible Study7:00

Our Purpose

To praise and glorify God
To spread the gospel of Jesus Christ
To show our love by serving each other
and the world