

Building/Communion Schedule	
Gomez	June 19
Loy	June 26
Children's Bible Time	
Sheldon	Month of June
Peyton	Month of July

**Preacher**  
Cecil Belk

**Ministers (Servants)**  
Every Member

**Times Of Assembly**

**Sunday**  
Bible Class & Nursery... 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Assembly..... 10:30 a.m.  
Evening Assembly..... 6:00 p.m.  
**Wednesday** Bible Study... 7:00 p.m.

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**“ My sheep  
hear My voice,  
and  
I know them,  
and  
they follow Me.”**  
  
 John 10:27 (NKJV)

**National TV & Radio Programs**  
**In Search Of the Lord's Way**  
 DirTV channel 364 — Sundays at 7:30 a.m. EST  
 INSP Network: Galaxy 1R — Transponder 17 — Orbit Position 133 West  
 Sundays-7:30 a.m. EST — Dish Channel 259, Sunday 7:30 a.m., EST  
 Gospel Broadcasting Network (GBN) Sun. 7:00 p.m. EST  
 Mon. 2:00 a.m./2:00 p.m. EST Thurs. 5:00 a.m./5:00 p.m. EST  
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**“And having been perfected,  
He (Jesus Christ) became the  
Author of eternal salvation  
to all who obey Him!”**  
Hebrews 5:9

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**Faith Of Our Fathers**



Christian Life Foundations

Hezekiah was one of the best men ever to reign upon the throne of Judah. His righteous character and devotion to God is all the more impressive when we consider the example of his father, the wicked Ahaz. Hezekiah rejected the course of life set by his father, and among the kings of Judah and Israel, that makes him the exception to the rule. More often we read, “And he did (good or evil) according to that which his father had done.”

There are many fine Christians today who have not had the advantage of godly parents. Nevertheless, I am convinced that there are some very precious, special blessings to be enjoyed only by those whose faith is developed out of the impressions made by the values and character of their fathers. I say “developed” because

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Whatever our parental examples, we must each make the personal choice of accepting or rejecting; and that explains the exceptions to the rule in either direction.

The faith of my father has been an outstanding factor in the formation of my ideals. It was something held in admiration until it finally stimulated my own study of Scripture. His priority system remains an influence that I am conscious of to this day. His personal convictions were never deter-

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**Thought for the week:** *“If any man be in Christ, he is a new creature.”* 2 Corinthians 5:17, Proverbs 19:13

## Faith Of Our Fthers

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mined by brotherhood politics, and from him I learned the meaning of independent commitment. He taught me that the responsibility to minister does not hinge on the appreciation or the gratitude of those served; a concept which has often sustained me through disappointment.

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There is absolutely no way to estimate the impact of his confidence and dedication to God upon my life, or that of my children. This is true, in spite of the mistakes all of us have made.

If you have that kind of heritage, praise God for it today! If not, resolve that your children will not miss such a blessing!

By Ruel D. Catlett  
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“Our fathers trusted in you; they trusted and you (God) delivered them.” (Psalms 22:4)

“We have heard with our ears, O God, our fathers have told us what deeds You did in their days, in the days of old.” (Psalms 44:1)

“And you fathers, do not provoke your children to wrath, but bring them up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord.” (Ephesians 6:4)

## THE TATER PEOPLE

Some people never seem motivated to participate, but are just content to watch while others work. They are called “**Spec Taters**”. Some people never do anything to help, but are gifted at finding fault with the way others do the work. They are called, “**Comment Taters**”. Some people are very bossy and like to tell others what to do. ... They are called “**Dick Taters**”. Some people are always looking to cause problems by asking others to agree with them. ... They are called “**Agie Taters**”. There are those who say they will help, but somehow never get around to the promised help. They are called “**Hezzie Taters**”. Some people put up a front and pretend to be someone they are not. They are called “**Emma Taters**”. Then there are those who love others and do what they say they will. They ...lend a helping hand. They bring real sunshine into the lives of others. They are called “**Sweet Taters**”. (Author Unknown)

## FAMILY NEWS



A WARM WELCOME  
TO OUR VISITORS.  
YOU ARE  
HONORED GUESTS!

## PRAYERS & THANKSGIVINGS



Pray earnestly for more souls to be saved, and more Christians to be involved in the work here!

**Our Military:** Prayers for **Doug Wilson** and **Zac Donaldson** and their families as they serve in the mid-east for several months.

We pray to our God for:

**The recent tornado and flood victims.**

**Ben Cisneros** asked the church for prayers on his behalf to be committed to serving the Lord more fully. **Jack Mullins**, receiving chemotherapy treatments, prayers. **Sharon Loy** health. **Jennifer Grote**, a young Christian mother in Russellville, KY who is extremely ill awaiting a lung transplant.

**Jerry Paulson, Cecil Jones, Audrey Otto, Sherri Belk, Jane Powers, Billy and Betty Clepper, Deloris Peyton, Catherine Stewart, Bruce & Vickie Bishop-ric**, health, guidance, strength, and blessings.

**Rebecka Baker**, carrying twin girls, prayers.

**Tom & Peggy Stripp**, (Joyce Lee's aunt & uncle),

**Bob Sheldon** and **Jim Sheldon** & wife **Marilyn**,

**Franklin King**, (Deloris' Peyton's father), **Estelle**

**Drisco**: (June Curran's grandmother), and **Lorraine**

**Blackstone** (June's mother), prayers. **Dan Curran,**

**Sr.**, & the **Fanella Family, Larry Davis**, health,

prayers.

**Chevon** (Leukemia), **Bobby Lingly**, (chemotherapy).

prayers.

**Debbie Cisneros' father**, suffered a stroke, prayers.

**Larry Cisneros' daughter**, died in an accident.

Prayers for the family.

## June Events

**Re-scheduled— Women's Bible Study in Proverbs**

Moved To Friday, June 17th, 10:30 a.m. at the building

Which is before our

**3rd Friday Fellowship Lunch On**

Friday, June 17th, 12:30 p.m., at Po Folks in Niceville

**Men's Work/Ministry Projects Saturday**

(Women's help also welcomed)

Saturday, June 18th, 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

“Making a difference for the Lord”

“Behold, how good and pleasant it is for brethren to dwell together in unity.”

Psalms 133:1

**June Birthdays**

18th Jasmine Laird