

A Lifesaving Holiday Wish – The Gift of Life

“Everyone can join the Organ Donor Registry” —*Noel Quinn*

During the holiday season, many wishes come true. Some wish for a meaningful family gathering while a child may wish for a favorite toy or game. For 16-year-old Brayden Morris, his wish is for the Gift of Life.

Brayden is from Muhlenberg County, Ken-

tucky and has been awaiting a heart transplant for six months. He has seen many friends at the Children's hospital where he receives medical care receive a life-saving organ transplant. Brayden's holiday wish is that it is his turn now. (photo

below)

"My son, Brayden was born with Hypoplastic Left Heart Syndrome. He has undergone three open heart surgeries, 10 surgeries total, plus numerous heart catheterizations and stress tests," said Brayden's

unchurched friends should be a key element to our celebration too. Who do you know that needs to hear about the Christ of Christmas?

Another activity that will help us, is pondering the true meaning of Christmas. Luke 2:19 tells us that after giving birth to the baby and hearing the report of the shepherds, Mary “pondered all the events in her heart.” Pondering means trying to put it all together, like stirring up ingredients of a cake. Get by yourself, contemplate, meditate on the Christmas story, and ponder the wonder of Bethlehem.

The message of Christmas isn't limited to December 25th. Recognize its glory and truth all 365 days of the coming year.

mother, Melissa Morris. Despite his health issues his mother says, "He has lead a relatively normal life. He loves basketball. Brayden wants to go to college and become a basketball coach."

In June of this year, Brayden suffered a stroke due to the pumping of his heart being so weak. While he recovered well from the stroke, his family realized his need for a new heart was more urgent than they previously thought.

During the holidays, many of us wish to give back but struggle to find the time and means to do so. There is something everyone can do year-round that costs nothing, takes less than a minute, and helps teens like Brayden. Joining the Organ Donor Registry gives hope to thousands of children, adults, and their families.

"Everyone can join the Organ Donor Registry," explains Noel Quinn. "Registering and supporting the gift of life means so much to families in need. Joining the Registry is saying 'If I could help someone when I'm gone, I'm willing to save a life.' There are over 1000 Kentuckians, and 115,000 Americans in need of a life-saving organ transplant. Many more in need of tissue and cornea transplants. And tragically, each day, 22 pa-

praise, think on these things."

All things that are true, honorable, just, pure, lovely, and of a good report are in line with moral excellence.

Living a virtuous life is characterized by doing what is right, regardless of the consequences. Virtue requires being truthful, even when it is awkward, unpleasant, or when it brings painful ramifications. Virtue will cause a person to keep their pledge, even if it costs them dearly (in finances, marriage, on the job, etc.). A person of virtue will lose a friend rather than to compromise on what is proper. Think of virtue as spiritual valor. Do you possess the bravery and conviction to think and act uprightly?

In Christ's service,
George Jensen

**By Bob
White**



Christmas not experiencing Christmas. What's the difference? Some of the characters in the Christmas story help us with our post-Christmas blahs. Take the shepherds for example. These guys experienced the nativity first hand. They were there that night, saw the stable, smelled the animals, and heard the baby cry. After their experience, they told anyone who would listen about what they had seen and heard. Our witness to

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as virtuous. The term is found only five times in the Greek New Testament.

1) 1 Peter 2:9. Christians are called upon to “show forth the excellencies” of God (ASV). The King James Version renders this, as “the praises” saints should show of God. In Isaiah 43:21 God says: “the people which I formed for myself, that they might set forth my praise.” This last word, in the Septuagint, is the same word used in 1 Peter 2:9. God’s deeds are so marvelous they deserve praise. His is perfectly virtuous!

2) 2 Peter 1:3. God has called us by His own “glory and virtue” (Cf. 2 Thessalonians 2:14). All that He does is morally excellent and therefore is praiseworthy. Glory is due Him.

3) 2 Peter 1:5 (twice in this verse). Here a challenge is issued. Diligence is required. Dear Christian, start with faith, and to “your faith supply virtue, and in your virtue [supply] knowledge.” To our faith we should add a tenacity to act with moral courage.

4) Philippians 4:8. “Finally, brethren, whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honorable, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report; if there be any virtue, and if there be any

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HANCOCK COUNTY CHURCH DIRECTORY

HAWESVILLE BAPTIST CHURCH
Barry E. Fields, Pastor
Mark Ayers, Administration/Outreach
David Cook, Worship/Discipleship
Jacob Johnson, Students
www.hawesvillebaptist.com
Church: 270-927-8787

-Sunday Schedule-

Morning Worship	9:00 am
Sunday School	10:15 am
Restart Student Ministry	5:30 pm
Evening Worship	6:00 pm

Broadcast on 1160 AM, 97.9 FM and 101.3 FM
Broadcast 9:30am -

-Wednesday Schedule-
Fall, Winter & Spring
Activities for all ages 6:00 pm

UNION BAPTIST CHURCH
Andrew Hunt, Pastor
Jarod Gaynor, Pastor of Discipleship
5770 Hwy. 1389 - (270) 927-8078

Sunday School	9:00 am
Sunday morning Worship	10:00 am

-Wednesday Schedule-
Prayer Service & Bible Study 6:30 pm
Children & Youth activities..... 6:30 pm

Rise & Shine Preschool (Tues.-Thurs.)
8:00-11:30 am for 3 and 4 year-olds

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH
Church: 927-8465
www.centralbaptisthawesville.net
Brian Adkins, Pastor
Joe Kreisle Music Leader

Come visit us at Central Baptist Church

Sunday School	9:30 am
Sunday Worship	10:30 am
Sunday Evening Worship	6:00 pm
Wednesday Prayer Service	6:00 pm
Wednesday Youth & Children ...	6:00 pm

PATESVILLE BAPTIST CHURCH
Pastor: Steve Jackson
Phone: 927-6797

Bible Study	10:00 am
Sunday Worship	11:00 am
Sunday Evening Worship	7:00 pm
Wednesday Evening Worship ..	7:00 pm

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DeWayne Goodgine, Pastor
Teresa Roberts,
Director of Children's Ministry
www.lewisportbaptist.org

Ryan Singleton
Interim of Music
Phone 295-3322

Bible Study	9:30 am
Worship Service	10:45 am
Evening Worship	6:00 pm

--WEDNESDAY SCHEDULE--
Children's Activities 5:30 pm
Youth Discipleship 6:00 pm
Prayer Meeting 6:00p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF LEWISPORT
235 Market St., Lewisport, KY 42351
295-3970
www.fbclewisport.com
Jeff Hayes, Music Director

Sunday School	9:45 am
Sunday Morning Worship	11:00 am

ROSEVILLE BAPTIST CHURCH
Phillips Ln. Reynolds Sta, Ky.
Bro. Dale Brown, Pastor
Phone: 270- 927-6253

Sunday School	10:00 am
Sunday Worship	11:00 am
Wednesday Bible Study	10:00 am

MT. EDEN BAPTIST CHURCH
5150 St. Road 69S
Phone 270-927-9084
Steve Rice, Worship Leader

Sunday School	10:00 am
Sunday Worship	11:00 am
Sunday Evening Worship	6:00 pm

Wednesday Schedule
Prayer Meeting 6:00 pm

WEST POINT BAPTIST CHURCH
Pellville Road
Pastor: George Winchester

Sunday School	10:00 am
Sunday Worship	11:00 am
Sunday Evening Service	6:30 pm
Wednesday Bible Study	6:30 pm

HAWESVILLE BAPTIST CHURCH
www.hawesvillebaptist.com

BLACKSBURG BAPTIST CHURCH
Phone: 927-6160
Duane Morris, Pastor
Charles Swihart, Worship Leader
Christiana Swihart, Youth

Sunday Morning Worship	10:30 am
Sunday School	9:30am
Sunday Discipleship Training...	5:00 pm
Sunday Evening Worship	6:00 pm
Wednesday Worship	6:00 pm

PELLVILLE BAPTIST CHURCH
Bro. Kyle Franklin, Pastor
David Richard, Associate. Pastor
12120 St. 2181, Hawesville, KY 42348
270-233-5651

Sunday School	9:45 am
Sunday Worship	11:00 a.m.
Adult Small Groups	6:00 p.m.
Sunday Worship/Student Choir-All ages	6:00 p.m.
Adult Choir Practice...	7:00 p.m.

Wednesday Night Service.
Student/Children Small Groups : 6:00pm
Prayer and Bible Study 6:00 pm

OLD PANTHER CREEK BAPTIST CHURCH
Mark Adkins, Pastor

Sunday School	10:00am
Sunday Worship	11:00am
Sunday Evening Worship.....	6:00pm
Wednesday Prayer Meeting	6:00pm

NEWTON SPRINGS BAPTIST CHURCH
Bro. Eddie Harpole, Pastor

Sunday School	10:00 am
Sunday Worship	10:45 am
Wednesday Evening Worship...	6:00 pm

Come Join Us For Sunday Services!

DAWSON MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH
11235 Grandview Rd., Maceo, KY
Pastor, Rev. Steve Boyd

Sunday School	10:00 a.m.
Service	11:00 a.m.

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LEWISPORT UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Bro. Joseph Kim, Pastor
Phone 295-3113

Sunday School	10:00 am
Sunday Worship	11:00 am
Youth	5:00 pm
Tuesday Bible study.....	6:00 pm

WEDNESDAY

Bible study	10:00 am
Youth (Middle HighSchool)	5:00 pm
Kids Club	5:15 pm

NEW CHAPEL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Bro. Joseph Kim, Pastor
Church: 295-3113

Sunday Worship	9:30 am
Sunday School	10:15 am

Hawesville Church of Christ
2535 Hwy. 60 West, Hawesville, KY (270) 927-9701
Evangelist George Jensen

Sunday Bible Study	9:00 a.m.
Worship	10:00 a.m.
Worship	12 noon
Wed. Bible Study	6:30 p.m.

HILLDALE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
750 Hilldale Road
Rev. Claudia Nava-Galloway, Pastor
www.hilldaleumcky.com
Church: 270-922-2459

Sunday School	9:00 a.m.
Sunday Worship Service	10:00 am
Morning prayer Wednesday	8:00 am
Children & Youth Wednesday ..	5:00 pm

HAWESVILLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
www.hawesvilleumc.com
Peter Han, Pastor
Church: 927-8404

Worship Service	10:00 am
Sunday School	9:00 a.m.
Wednesday Classes	6:00 pm
AA Meetings Friday	7:00 pm

BOLING CHAPEL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Mark Watson, pastor
Byron McManaway, Lay Leader
David Corley, Song Leader

Sunday School	8:45 am
Sunday Worship	9:30 am
Thursday night Bible Study	6:00 pm

CATHOLIC

ST. COLUMBA CATHOLIC CHURCH LEWISPORT
Father Terry Devine, Pastor
Denise Long, CRE - Phone: 295-3682

Saturday	5:00 pm
Sunday	8:30 am

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH HAWESVILLE
Father Terry Devine, Pastor
Denise Long, CRE - Phone: 927-8419

Sunday	10:30 am
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CHURCH OF CHRIST

Hawesville Church of Christ
2535 Hwy. 60 West, Hawesville, KY (270) 927-9701
Evangelist George Jensen

Sunday Bible Study	9:00 a.m.
Worship	10:00 a.m.
Worship	12 noon
Wed. Bible Study	6:30 p.m.

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www.safeharbor.church

Sunday	10:30 am
Wednesday	6:00 pm

Hawesville Undenominational Church
Hawesville/Pellville Road
Rev. Frances N. Bruce, Pastor
Phone: 927-922-5742

Sunday School	10:00 am
Sunday Worship	11:00 am

EASTON COMMUNITY CHURCH
Hawesville Easton Road
Pastor, David Fuqua (270) 276-3515

Friday Night	7:00 p.m.
Sunday School	10:00 a.m.

FRIENDLY GROVE CHURCH
Pastor: Allan Widdifield
Hwy. 1389

Bible Study Thursday	6:00 pm
Children's Church Sunday	10:30 am
Sunday Worship	11:00 a.m.

PRESBYTERIAN

DUKES CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Hwy. 144, Dukes, Ky.
Kimberley Wilborn, Pastor
Phone: 927-9577

Sunday School	9:30 am
Sunday Worship	10:30 am
Sunday Bible Study	6:00 pm

Youth & Children Activities at varied times

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