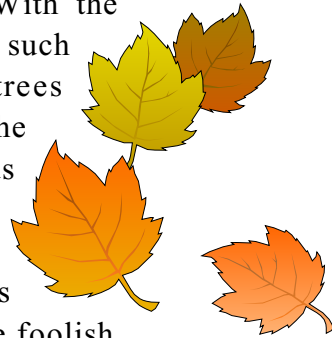


Munfordville Church of Christ

No 967

September 22, 2013

Fall officially arrives today. With the arrival of this season comes such natural happenings as trees changing to vibrant colors and the falling of leaves. Not one of us expects the leaves to wait until next spring before they start falling. We can know of a surety from autumns past that this will occur. It would be foolish to count on it happening at a later season.



On the contrary, so many count on death happening at a later season. Even though they have the evidence of so many others who have kept their appointments with death, they see their own death as some far away future event. Consideration is never given to the fact that it will actually occur. It will catch them by surprise, and they will die unprepared.

If we die prepared, just as the new leaves come out each spring, after our death, we will spring into life eternal. Now is the season to obey.

—Marty Edwards ❖

Munfordville Church of Christ
104 Back St — P.O. Box 322
Munfordville, KY 42765
(270) 524-3345
www.munfordvillechurchofchrist.com

Marty Edwards, Minister
577 Possum Trot Road
Hardyville, KY 42746
(270) 528-1298
martywedwards@gmail.com

Sunday 9 AM & 6 PM — Wednesday 6 PM

Sowing & Reaping

Fall is here and one of the major activities of the area is the harvesting of crops. When a farmer sows a crop early in the year, the harvest reaped months later will be the same as the crop sown earlier. Even if the farmer wanted a different crop at harvest time, it would not be possible.



Not only will one reap the same crop as has been sown, but the harvest brings forth far more than was originally sown. When one plants a kernel of corn, many kernels are expected on the stalk. This is a law of nature upon which we depend.

The same holds true in our lives. If we sow “wild oats” then we will reap wild oats later. Do not expect something different. Carefully consider the seed you are sowing. You will reap an abundant harvest. Will you enjoy the “crop” at harvest time? Galatians 6:7-8, *“⁷Be not deceived; God is not mocked: for whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap. ⁸For he that soweth to his flesh shall of the flesh reap corruption; but he that soweth to the Spirit shall of the Spirit reap life everlasting.”*

—Marty Edwards ❖

★ ★ ★



“Follow me, and I will make you fishers of men.”

—Matthew 4:19—

News

—Continue to remember **Sally Marshall, Jewell Watkins** and **Jean Coffey**.

—Thanks to **Mark Crabtree** for building the new podium at the Church building. It's a beautiful work of art that perfectly matches the already installed furniture in the building. Not only is it perfectly useful as a traditional speaking podium but it was designed in such a way as to accommodate the electronics we use to record and broadcast our worship services.

Mark built the table that holds the large screen in Spring of 2000. It was reported in the June 9, 2000 bulletin. I commented in that bulletin that we had been using the computer for over a year and a half at that point. We have been using computers to display scripture and record our services since 1998— over 15 years.

We are able to do so much more with the computer today such as broadcasting live and archiving on line. Computers have changed beyond what we could have imagined in 1998. There is much more power in your cell phone today than the first computer we used here in 1998. We were still using that computer from 1998 until February of this year, and it was still running fine when we retired it from service. We are able to do much more by upgrading to a new computer.

We broadcast live to YouTube as well as TuneIn Radio. YouTube has not only our audio but the video of the large screen. You can view live or later. TuneIn Radio is audio only and one can easily listen to our services via any computer, tablet, and most cell phones. When we are not broadcasting our services, the remaining time during the week we broadcast Bible readings around the clock. The entire Bible is read a little over two times each week.

Continued on back...

Sunday, September 15, 2013		
Classes	15	Acts 10:17-48
Preaching	25	Ephesians 6 (Christian Armor)
Contribution	\$706.00	
Evening	14	Job 10:1-22
Wednesday, September 18, 2013		
Classes	17	I Samuel 16:1-23

Visitors— Sep 15 (PM) Joanna Locke (Hardyville, KY)

Bible Quiz

Job said the LORD hunted him as what?

Last Week's Answer— the heavens (Job 9:8)

...continued from previous page

We can all take great comfort in the fact that as quickly as computers, society, and things around us change so very rapidly, the Gospel changes not one bit. What we study, learn, and obey will stand forever.

—Marty

—God's Plan of Salvation—

1. Hear the Gospel (Romans 10:14)
2. Believe on the Lord and His Word (Mark 16:16; John 8:24)
3. Repent of your sins (Luke 13:3,5; Acts 17:30)
4. Confess Christ (Matthew 10:32,33; Luke 12:8; Romans 10:9)
5. Be baptized (immersed in water) for the remission of sins (Acts 2:38; Mark 16:16; Galatians 3:27; I Peter 3:21)
6. Live a faithful, dedicated life (Revelation 2:10; II Peter 1:5-10)