



WORDS OF LIFE

YOU ARE NOT ALONE

Tucked away in Rusk County, Wisconsin are two towns called Atlanta and Murry. Within those towns is a small community called Imalone. This community was established by Snowball Anderson, who built a gas station in the area. No one knows for sure how the community received its unusual name but according to one story, while Anderson's station was being run by Bill Granger, a salesman asked for the name of the place to use on an invoice. Granger replied, "I'm alone," meaning no one else was there to answer his question, so the salesman wrote "Imalone" on the invoice. Another explanation states that Anderson named the community Imalone because he was.

Although sad, the reality is that many people are alone in our world today. Their loneliness stems from many things such as death of a close family member or an introverted personality that keeps them from having close relationships. They may even be the victims of a crime, abuse, or rejection.

As Christians, we receive the promise all throughout Scripture that the Lord will always be with us. At the close of the Great Commission, Jesus said, *"And I will be with you to the end of the age."* The Hebrew writer built on the Old Testament promise of God by affirming, *"I will never desert you, nor will I ever forsake you."* The Lord sees our needs and feels our pain and therefore reassures us that we never are alone.

God's plan was to always surround His people with a new family of fellow believers. The fellowship afforded by the church provides people to talk with as well as having them there as a source of advice. They can even help meet physical needs as well as emotional ones. And because the church is universal, this family is there even if we move or become ill while on vacation. The child of God should never list his address as Imalone.

-Gregg

Sunday: Bible Study: 9:00 A.M. Worship: 10:00 A.M. Evening Worship: 6:00 P.M. **Wednesday:** 6:30 P.M.

Gather + Grow + Go

Newsletter Date
May 27, 2018
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PRAYER LIST

Our Family

Beau Butler
Mark Butler
Dorothy Walker
Edna Cole
Neil Davis
Jennifer Heard
Eloise Duncan
Vernon Lay
Allen Mathis
Frances Mathis
Peggy McCurry
David Nutt
James Allen Nutt
Barnie Warren
Adam Nutt
Jason Skelton

Our Extended Family and Friends

Ruby Anderson
Johnny Andrews
Harper Mae Bastin
Lee Bissell
Vernon Bissell
Shirley Bradshaw
Jason Bunch
Robert & Darlene Bunch
Charles Butler
Lillian Butler
Lisa Butler
Mike Carroll
Connie Crews
Paulette Crowell
Dennis Davis
Rose Davis
Ray Dodd
Shirley Flanders
Patti Franks
Fay Gallian
Amy Gatlin
Brently Gobbel
Mandy Graves
Melvin Griggs
Christy Haddock
Nellie Hawkins

Colton Holder
Billy Horton
Faith Horton
Linda Horton
Tommy Horton
Reva Horton
Patricia Jackson
Robert and Margaret Johnson
Tonya Jones
James Kilburn
Jerry Ledbetter
Shirley Lindsey
Judy Long
Coby Mathis
Patty Mathis
Tubby Mathis
Natalie Horton May
Margaret Maynard
Arnold McClain
Rebecca Norman
Luke Olmstead
Allison Parrish
Kayla Parrish
Jasper & Katie Perry
April Potete
Frances Price
Elaine Rich
Ricky Neil Risner
Lisa Roberson
Shay Rossberg
Franklin Sharp
Alex Shelby
Carol Simmons
Frankie Skelton
Sonny Smith
Tommy Staggs
Barbara Stewart
Katherine "Toopie" Stooksberry
Linda Stutts
Harold Tatum
Sally Temaz
Brooklyn Templeton
Judy Ward
Andrea Wilkerson
Angela Williams
Caden Williams

Richard McNabb is in Maury Regional after having surgery on his foot last Friday. He is still undergoing tests.

Allen Mathis will have another surgery on his nose June 8. They will have to go a little deeper this time to get all the cancer.

Tony Hunt had rotator cuff surgery on his left shoulder on May 18, and is still having quite a bit of pain. He is going to therapy.

James Allen Nutt is doing better and hopes to be home Saturday. He should get his cast off May 31.

Colton Holder, Jerry Hollis' nephew, has a mass that has been found in his chest. He will be undergoing tests this week.

Tubby Mathis is in St. Thomas and had his heart shocked into rhythm. He and Patty will be going to WHRC.

Elaine Rich will have a treatment Thursday.

All that happens to you can bring you closer to God.

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Reba Berry (306B)
Nell Bevis (105)
LaKesha Brewer (211B)
George Bryant (104)
Lucille Kephart (308B)
Peggy McCurry (209)
Barnie Warren (312)

NURSING HOME SERVICE

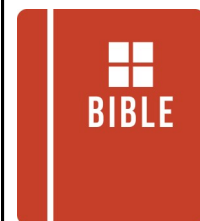
Wednesdays at 4 p.m. - **John Heard**



Richard Alquire
Cory Park
Andrew Zills,
Ft. Campbell, KY



Sunday evening **Jeff Skelton** and **Gregg Lee** gave an overview of **Wayne County Christian Camp, 2018**, which included a slide show. It is always inspiring to learn how the time at camp can change a young person's life. There is a feeling of safety, love, and friendship, and The Gospel is shared with all those in attendance. Each year a great staff is on hand to teach and guide. An expression of thanks was given to the congregation and all individuals who help support the camp financially or by giving of your time. You make it possible.



"For this very reason, make every effort to supplement your faith with virtue, and virtue with knowledge, and knowledge with self-control, and self-control with steadfastness, and steadfastness with godliness, and godliness with brotherly affection, and brotherly affection with love." II Peter

Announcements:

- **His Word Bible Devotional:**
This week Acts 7 - 11, pages 116 - 120
Next week Acts 12 - 16, pages 122 - 126
- **Vacation Bible School** - July 16th - 18th. Mark your calendars!
- Our Summer Series speaker Wednesday, May 30, will be **Noel Gallaher**.
- A fund has been set up at at Wayne County Bank to help with **Elaine Rich's** expenses.



This Sunday -- The Tie That Binds

Please bring ties to be taken on the Honduras mission trip. Also needed are men's sport coats or suits in medium or large sizes. Thank you!

HONDURAS MISSION TRIP: June 8 - 15, 2018
 Our team: **Larry Casias, Jerry Duren, John Austin Skelton, Mitchell Skelton.** Keep them in your prayers.

Words to Inspire

At a graduation commencement a student was touched by a comment made by the president of the university. Years later, he had become a great success and was invited to come back to speak at graduation. During part of his speech he mentioned how important the president had been during his education and how he carried the words with him always the president had spoken to him at his graduation. Following the ceremonies a reception was held. The president found this young man and confessed he did not really remember him from school. He then asked him what the words were he had spoken so many years ago that had influenced and inspired him. The man said, "As we walked across the stage you shook my hand and leaned in close and said, 'Keep moving. Keep moving.' I have always remembered those words and tried to keep moving forward in my life."

Always **keep moving** in your walk with Christ to become a stronger Christian and let your light shine.

When We Worship...

- We glorify God through SINGING
- We glorify God through PRAYER
- We glorify God through PREACHING
- We glorify God through COMMUNION
- We glorify God through COMMITMENT

**--Enter to serve God through worship
 Leave to worship God through service.--**

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HONORED TO SERVE
May 27, 2018

SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY
 Scripture Reading.....Ronnie Mathis
 Prayer.....Greg Griggs

SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP
 Announcements.....Mike Maples
 Song Leader.....Terry Bryant
 Opening Prayer.....Noel Gallaher

LORD'S TABLE

John Fort	John Heard
Greg Griggs	Steven Stegall
Jerry Duren	Charles Hunt
Dawson Mathis	Daniel Skelton

Speaker.....Mitchell Skelton
 Closing Prayer.....Zach Mathis

GREETERS
 Jeff Duren and Jacob Duren

PICK UP CARDS AFTER WORSHIP
 Mason Moore, Brady Duren
 Ledger Skelton, Barrett Gallian

PICK UP COMMUNION CUPS
 Patricia Clayton, Janice Stooksberry
 Pam Hunt, Anna Marshall

NURSERY ATTENDANTS
 Anna Beth Haggard and Amanda Moore

AUDIO-VISUAL THIS WEEK
 John Austin Skelton and Jacob Duren

SUNDAY EVENING

Song Leader.....Jack Barber
 Opening Prayer.....Jeff Skelton
Speaker.....Mitchell Skelton
 Lord's TableSteven Stegall
 Announcements.....Mike Maples
 Closing Prayer.....Alan Bell

WEDNESDAY EVENING **5/30/18**

Song Leader.....Josh Canterbury
 ScriptureDawson Mathis
 Opening Prayer.....David Hardin
Speaker.....Noel Gallaher
 Announcements.....Mitchell Skelton
 Closing Prayer.....Clint Bryant

Prepare Communion:
 May: Sheila Mathis
 June: The Lee Family

Angel Food Coordinators:
 May: Dean Stegall & Misha Johannes
 June: The Lee Family

Birthdays and Anniversaries

May and June

- 22 - Braden Canterbury
- 22 - Seanna Mathis
- 25 - Brenda Brewer
- 28 - Michaela Gallian
- 28 ♥ Mark & Cynthia Maples
- 30 - Peggy McCurry
- 31 - Cody Bryant
- 1 ♥ Jeff & Dawn Skelton
- 2 - Jason Skelton
- 3 ♥ Neil & Pat Davis
- 4 - Betty Crews
- 4 - Carson Moore
- 5 - Dorothy Walker

EVENTS CALENDAR

- May 22nd: Red Cross Blood Drive
- May 24th: Clara Mathis (TOPS) 4 - 7
- May 28th: Dean Stegall (DAR) 10 - 2
- May 31st: Clara Mathis (TOPS) 4 - 7
- June 7th: Clara Mathis (TOPS) 4 - 7
- June 12th: Pam Hunt (FCE) 6 - 9
- June 14th: Clara Mathis (TOPS) 4 - 7
- June 21st: Clara Mathis (TOPS) 4 - 7
- June 28th: Clara Mathis (TOPS) 4 - 7
- July 5th: Clara Mathis (TOPS) 4 - 7
- July 10th: Pam Hunt (FCE) 6 - 9
- July 12th: Clara Mathis (TOPS) 4 - 7
- July 16th - 18th: **VBS**
- July 12th: Clara Mathis (TOPS) 4 - 7
- July 19th: Clara Mathis (TOPS) 4 - 7

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- Terry Bryant.....722-9693
- Jerry Duren.....722-5928
- Mike Gallian.....722-3934
- Charles Hunt.....722-9658

MINISTERS

- Mitchell Skelton**.....722-8227
- Gregg Lee**.....332-5414

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 Betty Meredith.....**Secretary**

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DEACONS

- Clint Bryant.....722-0615
- Jeff Duren.....722-2820
- Ben Gallian.....722-7017
- David Hardin.....722-9249
- Jerry Hollis.....722-2363
- Ronnie Mathis.....722-3397
- Richard McNabb.....722-9278
- Cleve Moore.....332-6929
- James Allen Nutt.....332-6034
- Jeff Skelton.....722-0873
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