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From Where I Sit . . .

“Having A Passion For Lost Souls”

I remember reading many years ago in a Muskogee, Oklahoma newspaper an advertisement something like this: “If you’re interested in knowing more about atheism...” and gave an address or phone number to call for material. **We should be so zealous** in letting people know that we would love to talk with them about the Lord. This is the message that burned the hearts of the men on the road to Emmaus after Jesus’ resurrection, and it’s the message that compelled the Apostles and disciples to traverse land and sea spreading the glorious good news.

If one were asked to give the prime reason for the church’s existence, I dare to say we would get an assortment of answers. One might say: “To bear glory to God,” “To honor Jesus by wearing His name,” “To be saved.” Though different, these are all correct statements and probably reflect how some particular person views the primary reason we exist as a church. I’d like to add to that list of ideas this thought: **We exist to bring forth fruit unto God.** *“Wherefore, my brethren, ye also are become dead to the law by the body of Christ; that ye should be married to another, even to him who is raised from the dead, that we should bring forth fruit unto God” (Romans 7:4).*

We are indeed **saved to save others.** Realizing that Jesus alone saves, please understand by this statement that we mean that we are to share with others the opportunity to learn of salvation. We are to do as the Apostle Paul, and with his passion: **“We persuade men” (2 Corinthians 5:11).** No church has the right to exist if it selfishly hordes the message of saving grace. We are not a saved fraternity. No church can truly be a church of Christ if it does not have Christ’s spirit of love for the multitudes who are as “sheep having no shepherd.” He died for them. We must at least live toward them in a manner that will let them know of His saving love.

Paul’s encounter with Jesus left him with a passion for souls that would drive him to the ends of the earth for converts. He would bear tribulation if necessary, saying, **“We glory in tribulations, knowing that tribulation worketh patience; and patience, experience; and experience hope; and hope maketh not ashamed” (Romans 5:3-5).**

Paul would bear affliction if necessary, saying: **“for our light affliction, which is but for a moment, worketh for us a far more exceeding and eternal weight of glory” (2 Corinthians 4:17).** He would suffer if necessary, saying: **“I reckon that the sufferings of this present time are not worthy to be compared with the glory which shall be revealed in us” (Romans 8:18).** The words of one of our hymns stirs an emotion within me each time we sing it:

*Jesus the Savior came down from above,
Came to bring mercy and love;
“Crucify Him” the mob scornfully cried,
So he on Calvary died;
While on the cross He prayed, “Father forgive,
For they know not what they do”
For us He died that for Him we might live,
Can He depend on you?*

. . . . Terry Broome



Please pray for our sick and remember them with cards, calls and visits.

Pete Ferguson has been very sick with bronchitis, but is doing better.

Ernie Brockway had surgery last Thursday and is home and doing well.

Bob Rice had out-patient shoulder surgery last Friday. The surgery went well and he has begun his physical therapy at TOC.

Robert Headrick is home following shoulder surgery in Birmingham. He will go back next week for a check-up. He is in a lot pain and has a long recovery ahead.

Scott Gray, friend and former classmate of Jeremy Paschal, is in the hospital in Fort Payne. Our prayers are requested.

Drake Dover, son of Dave & Ashley Dover, will have another check-up in 6 or 9 mos., but for now the doctor says he is doing fine.

Sheila Helton is scheduled for surgery today (Wednesday) for a shattered elbow. Then tomorrow she will have a filter put in her leg arteries to keep blood clots from the lungs. Please continue to pray for her.

Candace Brown, sister of Jeremy Paschal, had additional surgery this week and they found more cancer. She has an appt. at Vanderbilt this week. Our prayers are requested.

Yvonne Allen, sister of Terry Broome, had successful surgery for a blockage of her carotid artery and she is home now, slowly recovering. Her address is 143 Cherry St., Carrollton, GA 30117.

Agnes Jordan, a friend of Buddy & Donna Pace, will begin chemo on Monday. Please continue to pray for her. Her address is 597 Ridgedale Rd., Scottsboro, Al. 35768.

Kaye Peake, former TLC worker and a member at Skyline, has advanced cancer and will begin treatments soon. Please remember Kaye with prayers and cards. Her address is 6758 Co. Rd. 8, Woodville, AL 35776.

LONG-TERM PRAYER LIST

- Ann Crittendon**
- Joan Jackson**
- Ruth Gray**
- Leonard Wilson**
- Betty Bogle**

Amber McKnight, Jean Ferguson's granddaughter, 1169 Mantle Way, Murfreesboro, Tn. 37127.

Dr. Steve Chandler, Tommy Bellomy's son-in-law.

Fountain Walker, friend of Ernie & Paula Foster, his address is 611 Carlisle Cutoff, Boaz, Al. 35495.

Dale Andrews II, grandson of Al & Dot Evett, 145 John Roach Lane, Big Cove, AL 35763.

Tom Worst, Libby Crona's brother, 215 Walnut St., Sistersville, WV 26175.

Sharon Proctor, daughter of Izella Proctor.

Billy Fred Word, cousin of LaRue Anderson, 410 W. Charlotte, 35768.

Glenda Myers, Debra Wilhelm's mother.

Roy Guess, Harold & Linda Reynolds, brother-in-law, 986 Co. Rd. 258, Stevenson, AL 35772.

Teresa Johnson, friend of several members here.

Hillary Broome, Terry's brother, 2342 N. Tennessee Blvd., Unit 603, Murfreesboro, TN 37130.

Carolyn Spencer, Polly Franklin's daughter, 1425 Emerald Mtn. Parkway, Wetumpka, AL 36193.

Debbie Brooks, Nancy's Miles sister.

Sherry Parker, a former teacher at Brownwood.

Jim Hastings, father-in-law of Haley Hastings, 24997 Al. Hway 35, Woodville, AL 35776.

Martha Rodgers, Amber Neeley's great-aunt, 1868 Ridgedale Rd., Scottsboro, AL 35768.

Thomas Cook, nephew of Ralph Cook & cousin of Myra McCormack.

Bobby Myers, brother of Debra Wilhelm, P. O. Box 292, Pisgah, AL 35769.

Daygen Lynch, grandson of Jean Hancock, 900 Porter Rd., 35768.

Hudson Colwell, grandson of Martha Pendley, 2509 Co. Rd. 209, Bridgeport, 35740

Ken Caudle, brother of Jack Caudle.

Annie Holcomb, mother of Euyless, 2126 Co. Rd. 101, 35768.

Jesse Reed, nephew of Debra Kime, IJC/KAIA, Attn: FUPLANS, APO.AE 9320.

Jordan Holt.

NURSING HOME RESIDENTS & HOMEBOUND:
 Leroy Gist, Sue Grider, Jean Hancock, Ruth Harrington, Virginia Saint, Mary Sheppard, Red & Edna Strickland, Joan Willard, Betty Williamson

Calendar of Upcoming Events—

- March 22 — Care Group 1 meeting, Western Sizzlin, 9 a.m.
- March 27 — S.L.A.W. group meeting, MPR, 11 am
- March 29 — Youth Rally, Meridianville, AL, 9 a.m.
- April 10 — Heritage Christian Partnership Dinner, 6:30 p.m.
- April 13 — Baby Shower for Erika Holt

JUST 4 YOUTH!

Lads to Leaders Activities

- Mar 23 — Lads Song Leading practice, 5 p.m.
- Mar 26 — Senior Puppet Team practice, 6 p.m.
- Apr 18-20 — Lads to Leaders Convention 2014

7th Grade & Up

- Mar 29 — Youth Rally, Meridianville, AL

One Measure Of Our Love	Wed. Bible Study 177 Sunday Bible Study 156 Sun. A.M. Worship 264 Sun. Night Worship 195 Contribution \$6146.64 Budget \$6903.00
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March (24) Nell Anderson (25) Tracy Brumley, Doyle Lemaster (26) Collin Little, James Rice (27) Haley Bogue (29) Bandy Staton (31) Eoin Bilke, Brent Cornelison

Meridianville Youth Rally

There will be a Youth Rally in Meridianville, AL, Saturday, March 29th from 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. This is for adults and the young. The theme for this rally is "I Know That Song." Speakers are Clark Sims, Lonnie Jones, and Craig Evans. Please sign up on the bulletin board so that we can get a head count.

Puppet Team Lock-In

The Senior Puppet Team will have a Lock-In at the Youth Center on Friday, March 21st at 6:00 p.m. until Saturday morning at 8:00 a.m. Bring snacks; pizza and drinks will be ordered.



Bob & Ruth Harrington's 70th Wedding Anniversary will be on March 24th. Congratulations on reaching such an outstanding milestone. Much love and good wishes to you both!

Two of our sisters responded to the invitation last Sunday. Please remember them in your prayers.

Helen Corbin came forward asking for the prayers of the church. She said that her faith grows weak and she lets fear overcome her.

Betty Barnes Hughes responded to the invitation on Sunday evening. She said she had grown weak in faith and had not been the right example for her family. She asked for prayers that she could be stronger.

Area Events

- Acappella Singing, Cullman church of Christ, Friday, March 28, 7-9 p.m.
- Friday Night Singing, Austinville church of Christ, Decatur, April 4, 7 p.m.

Kay Saint had begun visiting the Larkinsville congregation during Jerry's long term illness. She has decided to continue worshipping there because it is closer to her home. We'll miss her and hope she visits us often.



Thank you to all the ladies that attended the recent Ladies' Retreat. Delois Smith gave us 2 wonderful lessons on "Becoming a Vessel God Can Use" and we spent some special time growing with our Christian sisters. Delois has sent her notes and a reminder for us to "STAY ON THE WHEEL" and "NOT YET". A special thank you to Tatum Shelton, Ruby Cobb, Annalee Rice and Kaitlyn Price for coming to lead a song for us. And an extra special thank you to LaRue Anderson for sharing her talent of decorating with flowers and giving us life lessons with her beautiful creations. Looking forward to our next retreat.

Beverly Precise

Retreat Planning Committee



Pat and I would like to say a special thank you to the young adults who organized and worked so hard to put the circus and meal together for the Young at Heart Banquet. The meal was delicious, and the entertainment was just awesome! It was just a fun night, and it did our hearts good to see all of you working so closely together. The decorations looked great and fit the occasion perfectly. The children did an excellent job in their performances and seemed to be having fun while they were doing it. You made us feel special and we are very grateful for your willingness to do all that you did. Thank you again for remembering us in such a nice way.

Sincerely, Pat & Becky Russell

WEEK 4 PUPPET TEAM

Puppets: Emily McCormack, Bandy Staton, Chris Harris

Debra Kime is collecting donations for the MS Walk to be held in Huntsville on May 3rd. Funds that are collected are used for research to find a cure for multiple sclerosis and better medications for the treatment of this disease. Deadline to give a donation to Debra will be April 30th.

The Portrait Collection will be coming to Broad Street on April 27th to take pictures to update our picture board. If you would like to have your picture updated, please choose a time slot on the bulletin board and sign your name.



A DELL charger was found at Camp Ney a ti after the recent ladies' retreat. Please see Beverly to find out how to claim it.

ELDERS

TOMMY BELLOMY 574-3573 JACK CAUDLE 574-5185
PAT RUSSELL 259-0800 BRAD WILHELM 574-2793

DEACONS

Russell Alley Jim Anderson Dave Bagley
Rick Baird Ernie Brockway Jo Reed Brumley
Marty Cobb David Crawford David Dover
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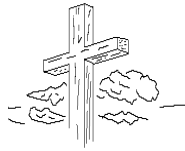
SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

WORSHIP Sunday 9:55 A.M. and 6:00 P.M.
BIBLE STUDY Sunday 9:00 A.M.
and Wednesday 7:00P.M.
LADIES BIBLE CLASS Tuesday 10:00 A.M.

Those to Serve...

SUNDAY, March 23, 2014

Announcements: Jack Caudle
Song Leader: Chris Harris
Prayer: Vince Laney
Serve at the Lord's Table:



Presiding: Ralph Cook
1W- Jo Reed Brumley 1E- Russell Alley
2W- Will Parks 2E- Jim Brown
3W- Marty Cobb 3E- Bill Vinson
4W- Buddy Holt 4E- Johnny McCrary
5W- Tyler Blizzard 5E- John McCrary

Closing Prayer: Roger Kime
Nursery: Izella Proctor & Meghan Cornelison
Ushers: Scott Roberts *Tim Allen
Trey Russell Ray Latham

*Assist David Crawford with Building Security during AM & PM
Elders in library after A.M.: Jack Caudle & Pat Russell

P.M. SERVICE:

Song Leader: Elijah Reed
Scripture: Mark Price
Prayer: Bill Price
Lord's Supper: Johnny McCrary & Russell Alley
Closing Prayer: C.B. Laney

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY:

Scripture: Bill Vinson
Song Leader: Tres Sanford
Invitation: Terry Broome
Prayer: Bill Parks

CONTACT ELDER: Brad Wilhelm

OPEN & CLOSE BUILDING FOR THE MONTH:
David Crawford

COMMUNION TO SHUT-INS
Bill Vinson

If you are unable to serve, please call:
Euyless Holcomb 609-0057 -or- Dave Bagley 228-8030

The Learning Center Pre-School (Infants - 4 yrs.)
Debra Wilhelm, Director ♦ 259-0005

**Requires
First Class
Stamp Here**

*The Word of God (the Bible) never changes.
If you go to worship to hear something other
than His Word,
You have gone for the wrong reason.
If you hear something other,
You are at the wrong place.*

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*“Sir, my concern is not
whether God is on our
side; my greatest concern
is to be on God’s side, for
God is always right.”*

Abraham Lincoln