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From Where I Sit . . .

“More Than Conquerors”

I read a fable once concerning a mouse which lived in the home of a magician. The mouse was in constant fear of cats. Taking pity on the mouse, the magician changed it into a cat, but immediately it developed a fear of dogs. Then the magician turned the mouse / now a cat into a dog, only to observe that it now feared lions. The magician mercifully turned the mouse / cat / dog into a lion, but in the form of a lion it trembled at the sight of hunters. Thereupon the magician bellowed, “Out upon you! Be a mouse again! You have only the heart of a mouse!”

Perhaps the magician learned what we all need to know — Even if we have the “magic” to change the outer form (like cosmetic surgery does) if the heart isn’t changed, one’s true nature still comes through. There was still a mouse’s heart in the lion. We can’t help but remember the words of sacred Scripture: **Prov. 23:7** “*For as he thinketh in his heart, so is he.*” Also **Prov. 4:23**, “*For out of the heart are the issues of life.*”

One cannot become a lion in the Kingdom of Heaven if he maintains the heart of a mouse! The fainthearted, fearful, doubtful, and unbelieving are spoken of in **Rev. 21:8** along with the abominable, idolaters, and liars, that they “*shall have their part in the lake which burneth with fire and brimstone...*” The writer of **Hebrews (3:19)** states that the reason Israel did not inherit the promised land sooner was for “unbelief”!

To become the kind of conqueror that Paul described in **Romans 8:35-37**, radical surgery must be performed ---- a virtual heart transplant!! If we just had a genie or magician to blink us into a state of change!! But there are no magicians ---- Only Christ can give us the heart of a lion!! He can equip us to be “*more than conquerors through Him that loved us.*” (**Rom. 8:37**).

Yes, a conqueror must have a “heart” change (**Romans 12:1-2**). The lion was just a “mouse” at heart. Some professed Christians still have the sinners heart. Some still have a heart in love with the world, **1 Jno. 2:15b** “*...if any man love the world, the love of the Father is not in Him.*” Some still have fearful and unbelieving hearts. **Heb. 4:11** “*Let us labor therefore to enter into that rest, lest any man fall after the same example of unbelief.*”

There is no room for “Faint-Hearted Christians.” **2 Cor 4:16** “*For which cause we faint not; but though our outward man perish, yet the inward man is renewed day by day.*” Jesus never intended that we be fearful. **2 Tim 1:7** “*For God hath not given us the spirit of fear; but of power, and of love, and of a sound mind.*”

However, for those of us who have a heart changing surgery by Jesus Christ, He wants us to be conquerors in His army -- Overcomers of the world!! He has equipped us to become just that as Christians, and to overcome the sin that so easily besets us. In the words of a very moving song: “**We are more than conquerors – Overcomers in this life; We’ve been made victorious: through the blood of Jesus Christ.**”

. . . . Terry Broome



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

Sam Wright underwent successful back surgery to remove spurs from his spine. He is doing well.

Sheila Helton is in HMC being treated for flu. She is hoping to come today

(Wednesday) or tomorrow. Pray for her.

Al Evett has an abdominal aortic aneurysm and will have surgery on April 5th at Huntsville Hospital. Keep him in your prayers.

Linda Hollis Lemieux is in MICU at UAB Hospital. Doctors are trying to clear a blockage from a shunt in her kidney which is causing very high blood pressure. She is experiencing brain swelling, seizures and is on a ventilator. Please pray for her. Her address is 158 Bouldin Lane, 35768.

Judi Weaver is having problems with her back. Keep her in your prayers.

Tom Combs, son of Mary Ruth Combs, had a stroke on Sunday and was transferred to Erlanger on Monday. He is doing well and will be transferred to Siskin for memory help today or tomorrow. Please keep him in your prayers. His address is 1004 Byron Rd., 35769.

Lila Duncan, 2 1/2 yr. old granddaughter of George Parks, is now in remission and doing well.

LONG-TERM PRAYER LIST

Ruth Gray

Polly Franklin

Julia Suchorski

Allan Brown

Brenda Holaway

Ken Lawrence, Jr.

Eli Woods

Elsie Goodman

Judy Roberts

Eva Latham

Cathy Lemaster 6170 Hwy 40, Dutton, AL 35744.

Cleo Williamson, 4083 Co. Rd. 30, 35768.

David Harris a friend of David & Beverly Precise.

Kay Peake, 6758 Co. Rd. 8, Woodville, 35776.

H.M. Simpson, grandfather of Misti Myers, 2147 Morningside Dr., Alexander City, AL 35010.

Easton Underwood, great-grandson of David Bellomy.

Truman Roberts, brother of Roxie Wright, 2244 Co. RD. 151, Henagar, AL 35978.

Amy Franklin Wright, granddaughter of Polly Franklin, 22 Cheywonah Dr., Scottsboro, 35769.

Joe Morgan, uncle of Wendy Baird, 2490 Lehigh Station Rd., Pittsford, NY, 14534.

Arnold Little, 78 yr. old brother of D. L. Little, 551 Leafwood Dr., Hixson, TN 37343.

Alvin Stevens, 91 yr. old brother of D. L. Little, is in Cloverdale for rehab

Tom Worst, brother of Libby Crona.

Linda Lloyd, friend of Linda Reynolds and Kellie Hancock, 300 Driftwood Shores, Scottsboro, AL 35769.

Sue Mateo, daughter of Leonard Wilson.

Jo Ray, Belmont Village, 6605 Quail Hollow Rd., Room 251, Memphis, TN 38129.

Kristy D’Auria McLeod c/o Friend of Bills, 343 South Maple St., Lebanon, TN 37087.

Larry Proctor, son of Izella Proctor

Betty James Hardin, member at Larkinsville.

Susan Waldrop, friend of Ann Williamson, 1661 Bob Jones Rd., 35769.

Sarah Hatfield, daughter of Jana Moore (who works at TLC), 514 Ward St., Scottsboro, AL 35769.

Sarah Cormier, 25 year old friend of Ashley Dover.

Paula Tabacchi, friend of Judi Weaver, 276 Lakeside Dr., Scottsboro, AL 35769.

Stobie Stewart, friend of Larue Anderson, 112 Pine St., 35768

Matt Avans, grandson of Ed Avans & cousin of Jason Frye.

Reuben Neeley, son-in-law of Robin Taylor.

Jordan Holt, US Navy

Abigail Holt, US Navy

Zac Laney, US Army, Special Forces

Nathan Bridges, US Air Force- Reserve

Wyatt Jones, US Air Force

Jason Crisman, US Air Force

Philip Doan, US Marine Corp-Reserve

Nathaniel Doan, US Marine Corp

Anthony Worst, US Marine Corp

NURSING HOME RESIDENTS & HOMEBOUND:

Sue Grider, Jean Hancock, Bob Harrington, Red & Edna Strickland, Joan Willard, Betty Williamson

Calendar of Upcoming Events—

- March 20 — Women Praying Together, MPR, 4:30 p.m.
- Elders/Deacons meeting, chapel, 4:45 p.m.
- March 25-27 — L 2 L Convention, Nashville
- April 3 — Bridal Tea for Savannah Sims, MPR, 1:30 p.m.-3:30 p.m.
- April 8 — Classics, MPR

JUST 4 YOUTH!

- March 20 — G.I.F.T.S., 2 p.m.
- Sr. Puppet Team practice, 4 p.m.
- Scrapbook Team work session, 4-6 p.m.
- Song Leading/Songs of Praise practice, 5 p.m.
- SNAC, 7 p.m.
- March 23 — KNOT
- March 27 — SNAC, 7 p.m.

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Measure	Wed. Bible Study..... N/A
Of Our	Sunday Bible Study..... 143
Love	Sun. A.M. Worship..... 260
	Sun. Night Worship..... 193
	Contribution..... \$6489.00
	Budget..... \$6953.00

PUPPET PROGRAM - March 20, 2016

- Narrator - Mark Price
- Teachers - 2-3 Years - Amber Linville
- 4-5 Years - Teri Matthews
- K-2nd - Chantel Shelton
- 3rd-6th - Cynthia Nance
- Puppets - Abbie Woods, Noah Linville, Samuel Cobb
- JJ Fennimore, Ragan Myers, Shelton McCormack

Several of our kids will be going on a school trip to Washington D.C. on Friday, March 18th. Please pray for their protection while they are away from home. Those going on the trip are Abbie Woods, Charlsi Henderson, Ragan Myers, Noah Linville and Samuel Cobb.



Bridal Tea Ladies, you are invited to a Bridal Tea in honor of Savannah Sims, granddaughter of Harold & Linda Reynolds, on April 3rd from 1:30 p.m. until 3:30 p.m. in the MPR. She is registered at Wal-Mart, Target and Bed, Bath & Beyond.



Scrapbook Team Work Session
Sunday, March 20, 4-6 p.m.

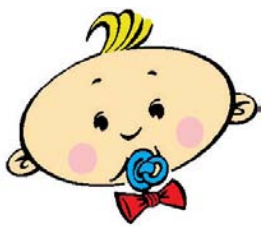
Please get recent event photos turned in to Beverly Precise ASAP. **ALL TEAM MEMBERS** need to be at this work session. We need to get the book finished as well as take a group photo for our book's first page.



Food Collection

The SHS National Honor Society members and sponsors made a donation of food to our Food Pantry this week. We are very appreciative of this generous donation and it will go a long way in helping those of our community in need.

Rueger Levi was born to Ashley & David Dover on March 11th weighing 7 pounds, 4 ounces and 19 inches in length. Big brothers are Preston, Trevor and Drake. Proud grandparents are Elane & Dave Bagley. Congratulations on your new addition!



Life Line Screening will be at Scottsboro Parks and Recreation Department on Monday, May 2, 2016 offering safe, painless, non-invasive preventive

health screenings that are typically not a part of a routine physical. To be more proactive about your health and to live longer for yourself, your family and your community, you may wish to register for these potentially life-saving tests today. Please refer to the flyer on the table in the east foyer to get more info about how you can sign up, costs, etc.

TNT (Thursday Night Teens) will have a special time of prayer for those that are going on the trip to Washington D.C.

L 2 L Mandatory Meeting

A final mandatory L 2 L meeting will be on Sunday after the a.m. service in the chapel. Also, Sunday is the deadline to give your payments to Matthew for the convention.

Roy Paul Venable, brother of Ruth Gray, passed away on March 9th. His funeral was on Friday in Stevenson. We want to express our sincere condolences to Ruth in this time of loss.



AREA EVENTS

- Gospel Singing, Gurley church of Christ, March 18, 7:00 p.m.
- 18th Annual Gospel Singing, Austinville Church of Christ, Decatur, AL, April 1st, 7 PM, MC: Tom Holland



ELDERS

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

DEACONS

Russell Alley Dave Bagley Rick Baird
Ernie Brockway Jo Reed Brumley Marty Cobb
David Crawford David Dover Joel Gardner
Roger Kime Joe Manning Bill Parks
David Precise Lee Rice Scott Roberts
William Underwood Russell Wilhelm

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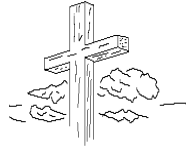
SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

WORSHIP. Sunday 9:55 A.M. and 6:00 P.M.
BIBLE STUDY..... Sunday 9:00 A.M.
and Wednesday 6:30 P.M.
LADIES BIBLE CLASS. Tuesday 10:00 A.M.

Those to Serve...

SUNDAY, March 20, 2016

Announcements: Buddy Holt
Song Leader: Mark Price
Prayer: Ernie Brockway
Serve at the Lord's Table:



Presiding: Pat Russell
1W- Russell Wilhelm 1E- Joe Manning
2W- William Underwood 2E- Will Shelton
3W- Nelson Page 3E- Ralph Cook
4W- Will Parks 4E- David Bagley
5W- Scott Roberts 5E- Dave Precise

Speaker: Matthew Moore
Closing Prayer: Trey Russell
Nursery: Kelsey Porch & Glenda Robertson
Ushers: 6W- Tim Allen 6E- Larry Laney*
7W- Jeremy Paschal 7E- Bill Vinson

*Assist David Precise with Building Security during AM & PM
Elders in library after A.M.:

P.M. SERVICE:
Song Leader: Joey Manning
Scripture: Grady Gattis
Prayer: Bill Vinson
Speaker: Terry Broome
Lord's Supper: David Bagley & Dave Precise
Closing Prayer: Joel Gardner

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY:
Scripture: Jeremy Paschal
Song Leader: Aaron Manning
Prayer: Jim Brown

CONTACT ELDER: Brad Wilhelm
OPEN & CLOSE BUILDING FOR THE MONTH:
David Precise

COMMUNION TO SHUT-INS
Matthew Moore

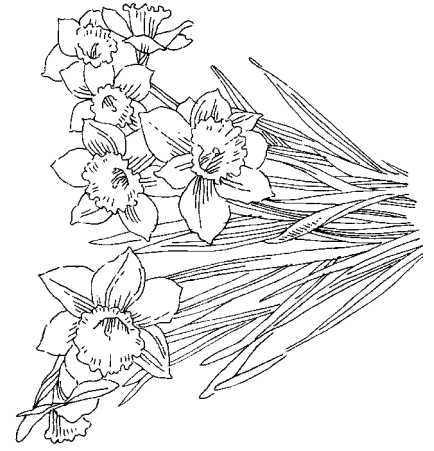
If you are unable to serve, please call:
Marty Cobb 609-7906 -or- Dave Bagley 609-6468

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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My Savior Walks Beside Me

*My savior walks beside me, Where troubled paths I tread;
He whispers words of comfort, And fills my ev'ry need.
He went this way before me, Up Calv'ry's hill to climb,
To bring me His salvation, And joyous peace sublime.
Each day He walks beside me; I lean upon His breast;
I know the way He leadeth, Will always be God's best.*

Kathryn Thorne Bowsher