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From Where I Sit . . .

“Respect For God’s Holiness”

A talk-show I heard about a number of years ago was dealing with the issue of school violence. This was after the string of high school shootings that terrified parents and teachers alike. The question that was asked is why are these kids doing this? **Montel Williams** was the host of the show and he had a number of top psychologists who offered opinions ranging from brain abnormalities, to cultural influences such as rock music and video games. After they had made their opinions, the host of the show Montel Williams gave his theory, and it may shock you. He said that he thought the reason why these kids were doing this was that they **no longer had any fear of God**. He explained, “That’s why they can go and murder ten classmates and then turn the gun on themselves because in their mind, that is the end to all their suffering. He said, “These kids no longer fear either God or death, so in their mind they can do what ever they want and not be held accountable for it.”

The Fear of God is a controversial issue for some. The argument made is that we should be telling people about the love of God, that God loves us and is our best friend. All this is true, but it is only part of the truth. Throughout the Bible we are taught that we ought to fear God: to stand in awe of His awesome power and might, and to fear His awful wrath. The Bible says that “**the fear of God is the beginning of wisdom.**” (Psa. 111:10). **Deuteronomy 10:12** - “**And now, O Israel, what does the Lord your God ask of you but to fear the Lord your God.**”

The Fear of God is a healthy fear to have, and the more I see the more I recognize the need for us to regain this fear. Fearing God means to have respect for Him and to obey Him. It means that you acknowledge Him to be your Creator and thus He has the right to be your Lord. It means that you act out of reverence for Him. This kind of fear is that of honoring the Holiness and Majesty of God. In our culture, God bashing has become a popular thing. This attitude is all too familiar. Though we may not be so brazen as to use verbal disrespect, we can still be guilty of profaning the Holiness of God in how we approach spiritual things. Failure to have the proper respect for His Holiness brings about the following kind of fear: **Hebrews 10:31 (KJV)** ³¹ “**It is a fearful thing to fall into the hands of the living God.**”

Habakkuk 2:20 (KJV) ²⁰ “**But the LORD is in his holy temple: let all the earth keep silence before him.**” This passage speaks of Godly reverence, respect for God’s Holiness! We don’t honor the physical building as Israel honored the Temple and consecrated it because it was Holy, but we are to honor the spiritual temple of God, the church, and the worship of the church as Holy. If we walk into the house of worship with no respect or honor for worship.... If we come to the Lord’s table with a careless attitude and a wandering mind.... We profane the Holy things of God, and by doing so we profane the name of God.

There Is Nothing the Church Needs More Desperately Today than a Fresh Encounter with the Holiness of God to Make Us Aware of the Dangers of Playing with Sin. We sing about his holiness very often:

“You Are Holy, You are mighty, you are worthy, worthy of praise....”

“Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty. All thy works shall praise thy name in earth and sky and sea....”

“This is holy ground, we’re standing on holy ground, For the Lord is present and where He is, is holy...”

. . . Terry Broome



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

Ernestine Pace is in Highlands Rehab for physical therapy. Please pray for a speedy recovery.

Vara Stiles is back home now and taking physical therapy three times a week. Please continue to pray for her as she heals.

LaRue Anderson is healing well and is feeling a little better each day. Please keep her in your prayers.

Tammy McGuire will resume radiation treatments in 2 more weeks. Please pray for Tammy.

Stan Hastings received good news from the recent scan. He will continue treatment for two more weeks and then be reevaluated. He will have a MRI at the end of August. Please continue to pray for Stan & Joyce.

James Rice is continuing his physical therapy. Please keep him in your prayers.

Jennifer Chandler, sister of Janet Necklaus, has improved some and was allowed to go home from the hospital. We still need to keep her in our prayers.

LONG-TERM PRAYER LIST

- Bill Price**
- Joan Jackson**
- David Precise**
- Cheryl Ellis**
- Melba Sloan**
- Becky Russell**
- Sam Wright**
- Margaret Crawford**
- Izella Proctor**
- Hayley Hastings**
- Ginger Myers**
- X'shi Ana Benavides**
- Irene Gist**
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- Ken Lawrence, Sr.**
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- Jackie Evans**, employee of Woods Cove Florist, 2661 Snodgrass Rd. 35769.
- Judy Tidwell McBride**, member at Larkinsville, 322 Co. Rd. 15, Woodville, AL 35776.
- Judy Solomon**, sister of Martha Pendley.

Kenny Jimenez, son-in-law of Dave & Elane Bagley and brother-in-law of David & Ashley Dover, 124 Helen Ave., Modesto, CA 95354.

Winston Busby, brother of Doris Laney, 198 Weaver Rd., Henagar, AL 35978.

Sally Abbott, aunt of Bill Price, 440 2nd St., S Naples, FL 34102-8620.

Shep Knight, child of Jo Reed Brumley's cousin.

Tom & Mary Ann Worst, Libby Crona's brother & sister-in-law.

Jordan McCormack, US Navy

Trent McCormack, US Navy

Jordan Holt, US Navy

Abigail Holt, US Navy

Nathan Bridges, US Air Force- Reserve

Paige Chrisman, US Air Force

Nathaniel Doan, US Marine Corps

Anthony Worst, US Marine Corps

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Calendar of Upcoming Events—

- August 12 — Summer Series speaker: Chris Pressnell
- August 16 — Baby Shower for Jessica Helton Dawson, 4-6 p.m.
- August 19 — Summer Series speaker: Jimmy Holland

<i>One Measure Of Our Love</i>	Wed. Bible Study..... n/a Sunday Bible Study..... 113 Sun. A.M. Worship..... n/a Sun. Night Worship..... n/a Contribution..... \$9898.00 Budget..... \$7556.00
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Drive-Thru
Baby Shower!
It's A Boy!

Please join us on Sunday, August 16th for a Drive-Thru Baby Shower honoring Jessica Helton Dawson from 4:00-6:00 in the evening. Come through the covered awning to say your well wishes, drop off your gift, and pick up some yummy treats to go! Depending on the current outbreak situation, we hope to set up some tables (socially distanced of course) in the Handicap Parking Lot if you would like to safely visit with each other. Jessica is expecting a baby boy, James Campbell Dawson. She is registered at WalMart, Target, and Amazon. If you have any questions, please contact Melissa Precise Hamilton at mprecisehamilton@gmail.com or text 256-599-7703.

Beatitudes for Friends of the Aged

Blessed are they who understand
My faltering step and my palsied hand.
Blessed are they who know my ears today
Must strain to catch the things they say.
Blessed are they who seem to know
That my eyes dim and my wits are slow.
Blessed are they who look away
When coffee was spilled at the table today.
Blessed are they with a cheery smile
Who stop to chat for a little while.
Blessed are they who never say
"You've told that story twice today."
Blessed are they who know the way
To bring back memories of yesterday.
Blessed are they who make it known
I'm loved, respected and not alone.
Blessed are they who know I'm at a loss
To find the strength to carry the cross.
Blessed are they who ease the days
On my journey Home in loving ways.



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of Jim Anderson from:

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Chad's Chatter

Is GOD on a list in your life or the purpose in your life?

1st in our life sounds good, doesn't it? But, is it as good as being the center of your life and what everything else revolves around?

An interesting thought, isn't it? If GOD is 1st right now, could HE be 2nd or 3rd tomorrow? This was a thought in a class series from the website adventuresinministry.com If GOD is in a list of most important for you, then GOD could be bumped from 1st to another place depending on what is most important to you at that moment.

So, instead of thinking of the all-powerful GOD as on our list, think of HIM as the center of your life and that HE is what everything else revolves around. If you can't fit whatever you're wanting to do in your life as it centers around GOD, then that thing doesn't need to be in your life. *Matthew 6:24*



Thanks for all the many cards I received from Broad Street after the passing of my husband James (Jim) Anderson. Your kind words of comfort are very much appreciated. I miss all of you and have moved to Madison to be near to our daughter, Linda.

With Love and Thanks,

Nell Anderson

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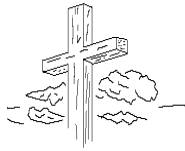
SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

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, August 16, 2020

Announcements: Buddy Holt
Song Leader: Chad Brown
Prayer: John A. Porch
Serve at the Lord's Table:
Presiding: C.B. Laney
Speaker: Terry Broome
Closing Prayer: Trey Russell



WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY:

Scripture: Grady Gattis
Song Leader: Chad Brown
Prayer: Jim Brown

CONTACT ELDER: Brad Wilhelm
OPEN & CLOSE BUILDING FOR THE MONTH:
By Committee

If you are unable to serve, please call:
Dave Precise 256-599-6668 -or- Dave Bagley 256-609-6468

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



“Therefore, as God’s chosen people, holy and dearly loved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness and patience.”

Colossians 3:12

grat·i·tude

[grat i tood]

noun

the quality of being thankful; readiness to show appreciation for and to return kindness

“Treat every person with kindness and respect, even those who are rude to you. Remember that you show compassion to others not because of who they are but because of who you are.”