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#### From Where I Sit . . .

#### "What Will You Do With Jesus?"

The greatest person of history is Jesus of Nazareth. His life has attracted more attention, raised more questions, and given more hope and consolation to mankind than that of anyone else who ever walked the earth. During His personal ministry on earth He revealed marvelous things concerning himself. For instance He declared that he was: "The Son of God" - John 3:16; "One with the Father" - John 10:30; "Not from this world, but from above" - John 8:23; "The savior of the lost" - Luke 19:10.

These are only a few of the many wonderful truths He declared about himself. These declarations, in spite of their truthfulness, led to his death on the cross. When Jesus revealed himself to mankind, a decision had to be made: "What shall I do with Jesus?" Everyone who met him was faced with the same question. Even his own people chose to reject him (John 1:11) and delivered him to Pilate for trial and hopeful execution. You would do well to read again Matthew 27:11-22. Notice the last verse: Matthew 27:22 (KJV) "22 Pilate saith unto them, What shall I do then with Jesus which is called Christ? They all say unto him, Let him be crucified."

Lifting this question from its setting and bringing it forward 2000 years, we find the multitudes today either shifting responsibility like Pilate or rejecting him like the Jews. Only a few by comparison accept Jesus and make the commitment to live for him. We're quick to condemn Pilate for his act of cowardice, little realizing that we must answer the same question today. Consider Pilate: First he declared our Lord's innocence (Lk. 23:4); Second, he shifted responsibility to Herod Antipas of Galilee and Perea (Lk. 23:7); Pilate thirdly appealed to the decency of the people- Luke 23:14 - "I having examined him before you, have found no fault in this man touching those things whereof ye accuse him"; Lk 23:22 - "And he said unto them the third time, Why, what evil hath he done? I have found no cause of death in him: I will therefore chastise him, and let him go."

The appeal to decency failed yet he still wanted their favor, but not this injustice. Fourthly, he tried to free Jesus through offering for release either he or Barabbas - a murderer, robber, leader of insurrection. They wanted Barabbas! (Luke 23:19). Finally, he sought to wash his hands of the matter (Matthew 27:24) but Pilate could not wash his hands of the blood of the Son of God. His life could never be the same again. According to John's account, Pilate was greatly troubled when he learned Jesus claimed to be the Son of God.

Once we learn the truth about the Savior, we will never be the same again. Pilate's answer is not an alternative. You must either accept Jesus and all of his blessings that go with that acceptance, or you must reject Him and be ready to receive all of the fearful consequences. There is no third alternative! Jesus said - Matthew 12:30 - "He that is not with me is against me; and he that gathereth not with me scattereth abroad."

If you are a Christian, you stand with Christ and everything for which he stands. If you are not, you stand against Christ and everything for which he stands. What will you do with Jesus who is called the Christ?

.... Terry Broome



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

**Tammy McGuire** is in need of our prayers. She has been diagnosed with bone cancer in her spine.

**Debra Kime** requests our prayers on her behalf. She is in rehab and having a

difficult time. Cards may be sent to her at Signature Healthcare, 201 East 10 Street, South Pittsburg, TN 37380.

Bob Rice is having some heart issues. Prayers requested.

**Wendy Baird** had outpatient food surgery Wednesday. Prayers are requested.

**LaRue Anderson** is having several different health problems and would appreciate your prayers.

**Ralph Cook** spent some time in the hospital being treated for Covid & pneumonia. He made sufficient improvement that he is now home. He is still being treated with medication and oxygen.

**Jane and Mary Ann Burgess** are both at home with the Covid virus and are improving.

**Allen Brown,** a former member at Broad Street, and living in Tennessee currently, has been admitted to the hospital with the Covid Virus. He is improving. Please keep Allen in your prayers.

**Cissi Britt**, sister of Buddy Holt, had a heart procedure on Monday that showed that she has some blockages. She will undergo surgery on Sept. 29 to have a stent inserted. Please keep her in your prayers.

We have numerous other members that have been diagnosed with Covid and most are making good progress. Please keep all of our sick in your prayers.

#### LONG-TERM PRAYER LIST

**Renate Bridges** 

**Brenda Price** 

**Polly Franklin** 

Sam Wright

Harold Reynolds

**Judy Roberts** 

**Darlene Jacobs** 

**Joyce Alley** 

Mary Hodge, 88 Sumner Dr., 35769.

Judy Solomon, sister of Martha Pendley.

Hudson Coldwell, Martha Pendley's grandson.

Kenny Jimenez, son-in-law of Dave & Elane Bagley.

Leonard West, 95 year old uncle of Ron Graham.

Lana Jones, granddaughter of Doyle & Cathy Lemaster.

Bob Milk, brother-in-law of Robin Shelton.

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

**Roger Boyd**, friend of Ernie & Paula Foster, 119 Newport, Scottsboro, 35768.

**Sally Abbott**, aunt of Bill Price, 440 2<sup>nd</sup> St., S Naples, FL 34102-8620.

Susan Hill, friend & sitter of Nellie Spring.

**Roger Alley**, son-in-law of David & Margaret Crawford, 12931 AL Hwy 79, Scottsboro, 35768.

Ray Allen, a former member here.

**Jimmy Kimble**, brother of Joan Jackson, 303 Hollow St., Hohenwald, TN 38462.

Benn Farr, cousin of several of our members

Delmer Johnson, father of Rebecca Gardner.

**Dale Roden**, mother of Diane Laney, 685 Co. Rd. 357, Pisgah, AL 35765.

**Joe Precise.** cousin of David.

**Vickie Farr**, sister of Charlotte Vinson,4319 Hanging Moss Dr. Orange Park, FL 32073.

**Rhonda Harrison**, sister of Brenda Devers, 74 Sarah Betty Lane, Apt. B1, Scottsboro, 35769.

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

Jordan McCormack, US Navy

Trent McCormack, US Navy

Jordan Holt, US Navy-Reserve

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

#### NURSING HOME RESIDENTS & HOMEBOUND

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Ruth Spurgeon 8922 AL 227, Crossville, AL 35962

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Sunday Bible Study...
Sun. A.M. Worship...
Of Our
Sun. Night Worship...
Contribution...
\$4740.00
Budget...
\$7556.00



Beginning Sunday, September 19, all services will resume at regularly scheduled times.



Julia Suchorski passed away on Tuesday following a battle with the Covid virus. We grieve with the family for the loss of our dear sister. Our condolences are extended to

her family. Arrangements are pending.

Sister Jean Hancock passed away on Tuesday morning. A graveside service will be conducted at Goosepond Cemetery on Thursday at 11:00 a.m. Those attending are asked to please wear a mask. Our heartfelt sympathy goes to Rayford, Tom & Billie and the entire family.

James Seale, brother of Linda Loyd, passed away on Sunday after battling the Covid virus. A graveside service was held on Tuesday in Bridgeport. Our love and Christian sympathy are extended to Linda & her family.

We want to share with the congregation the happy news for the Central Church in Rainsville. Our Bro. Winfred Russell has accepted the full-time position as their minister. "Russ" and Jill have been members "on loan" to other congregations from Broad Street in recent years. Our prayers go with them for a successful ministry in Rainsville.

#### Washington's Mother

A French officer once asked George Washington's mother how she managed to rear such a splendid son. She simply replied, "I taught him to obey."

Obedience is something that must be taught. In the perilous times, there will be those who are "disobedient to parents" (2 Timothy 3:2). The whole idea of rebellion against parents and authority is ungodly.

Children are told to honor their father and mother, obeying them in the Lord (Ephesians 6:1–2). We must teach them to obey, or they will have to answer for it. We should set the example in showing obedience to our Father (Hebrews 5:9; 1 John 5:3).

Doy Moyer
The South End Expounder

### Chad's Chatter

#### Be Like Mike

Do you remember this phrase "Be like Mike?" It was from the company, Gatorade. They had Michael Jordan as their face for a time. I think it was a successful campaign for them. It's still stuck in my memory today! Why do slogans like this work? I submit that we (people) see individuals like Michael Jordan and think it would be so nice to have everything they have. They are loved by most of the world, it seems. They have all the money they could ever want. They are talented and I'm sure they have a nice house and everything in his life is totally paid for and wonderful.

Well, first, let me tell you; Michael Jordan, like everyone, has had problems. Money doesn't fix everything. In fact, money often times creates problems. Secondly, they may seem loved by everyone, but when you are in the spotlight, often times that means you are also under a microscope. So, any detail in your personal life can be abused and twisted to make you look like a horrible person, whether you are or not.

Now, think about what it would take for Michael Jordan to give everything up that he had in the 90s and no one know who he is. No one wants to be like him or take a picture with him. He would have to give up his money, his talents, his fame, and all his family.

#### Be like CHRIST

Let this mind be in you which was also in CHRIST JESUS, who, being in the form of GOD, did not consider it robbery to be equal with GOD, but made Himself of no reputation, taking the form of a bondservant, and coming in the likeness of man. And being found in appearance as a man, He humbled Himself and became obedient to the point of death, even the death of the cross.

Phil. 2:5-8

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hank Dear Broad St. Church of **You!** Christ,

The flowers you sent to Larry Proctor's funeral

were beautiful. My family and I appreciate your thoughtfulness and consideration during this difficult time.

Gratefully, Izella Proctor & family

#### **ELDERS**

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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, September 19, 2021 **Announcements: Trey Russell** Song Leader: Mark Price **Prayer: Brad Laney** Serve at the Lord's Table: Presiding: Robin Shelton Speaker: Chad Brown

Closing Prayer: Kenneth Beard **Ushers: Nelson Page & Tim Allen** 

#### P.M. SERVICE:

Song Leader: Mark Price Scripture: Nelson Page **Prayer: Robin Shelton** Speaker: Chad Brown

Lord's Supper: Nelson Page & Joe Manning

**Closing Prayer: Will Shelton** 

#### WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY:

Scripture: Ted Crona Song Leader: Chad Brown Prayer: Pat Russell

> **CONTACT ELDER: Brad Wilhelm** OPEN & CLOSE BUILDING FOR THE MONTH:

**David Dover** 

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

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

First Class

If you go to worship to hear something other The Word of God (the Bible) never changes

You have gone for the wrong reason. If you hear something other,



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# A LITTLE PLACE

'AH, LITTLE ONE, SEARCH THAT HEART OF THINE, AND THE WORD HE SPOKE, IT WAS NOT STERN NO MATTER HOW WELL MY WORK WAS DONE. I ANSWERED QUICKLY, "OH NO, NOT THERE, FATHER, WHERE SHALL I WORK TODAY? AND MY LOVE FLOWED WARM AND FREE ART THOU WORKING FOR THEM OR ME? THEN HE POINTED OUT A TINY SPOT AND SAID, "TEND THAT FOR ME." NOT & LITTLE PLACE FOR ME!" WHY, NO ONE WOULD EVER SEE HE ANSWERED ME TENDERLY;

NAZARETH WAS A LITTLE PLACE

AND SO WAS GALILEE."