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From Where I Sit . . .

"Do You Really Trust The Lord?"

Our lives are filled with self-contradictions. We may profess to believe that a certain thing is true but then act in a totally opposite direction of disbelief when it comes to the application

of that belief to our lives.

For example, we can be both confident that good can come but pessimistic that it will come for us. We can feel both encouraged that things will get better and yet discouraged about the state of our life facing the same situation. We can look at circumstances and express a real sense of hope, and moments later declare feelings of profound hopelessness about the same circumstances. According to some, a situation may provide real opportunity (for others at least, but probably not for me).

We've probably all observed someone who demonstrates such contradictions, but have you ever noticed yourself doing that? I fear that we do this with Jesus, and the power of God at work in our lives. We avow that "...all things work together for good to them that love God..." (Romans 8:28) and yet we are consumed with fear thoughts as to how we're going to possibly survive the situation.

We avow that we believe that God is at work in us (Phil. 2:13) "...both to will and to do of his good pleasure," and yet we sometimes act like, "Well, He does that for other people, but I have no talents that God or this church can use; nothing to contribute."

Or consider one who says: "I believe that Jesus can forgive a person of their sins," and then we shy away from God, the church, and sometimes from our fellow man as if we've committed an unforgivable sin. It's almost as if we hold back a little parenthesis that says "Yes, But!" – "I believe God can save sinners, but I doubt if he can forgive me."

Many believe hope is unrealistic. Ancient philosophers such as Aristotle did not think hope was a virtue, but rather a passion. Hope was something that hindered rational living by fostering **unrealistic expectations**. Perhaps at our low moments we all face hopelessness. Despair seems so much more realistic than hope.

General Douglas MacArthur was one of the most famous graduates of West Point, and a true American Hero, yet he crossed some wires that angered some politicians and his dreams came to a screeching halt. After MacArthur was fired as commander of the armed forces in Korea, he was given an opportunity to address the United States Congress. As he spoke, he said, "I am closing my 52 years of military service. When I joined the army, even before the turn of the century, it was the fulfillment of all my boyish hopes and dreams. The world has turned over many times since I took the oath on the plain at West Point, and the hopes and dreams have long since vanished."

What a contradiction of faith! As God's children, we should claim the words of Jesus for ourselves: Mark 9:23-24 (KJV) ²³Jesus said unto him, <u>If thou canst believe</u>, all things *are* possible to him that believeth. ²⁴And straightway the father of the child cried out, and said with tears, Lord, I believe; help thou mine unbelief.

.... Terry Broome



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

Pray Healthy done and would appreciate prayers for good results.

Steve Chandler, son in law of Tommy Bellomy, had a heart catherization last week. He will be undergoing additional tests to determine his continued pain in his chest. Prayers are appreciated.

Xavier Benevides, grandson of Terry and Greta Collins, has covid and complications from asthma. Please pray for him and that the virus doesn't spread throughout the household.

Betty D'Auria took a fall Sunday before church service. She is pretty bruised and skinned up but thankfully no broken bones. Prayers are appreciated.

LONG-TERM PRAYER LIST

Deborah Wacker

Charlotte Vinson

Russell Wilhelm

Ed Clayson

Roxie Wright

David Nickell

Martha Foster

Tammy McQuire

Rachel Underwood

Irene Gist

Ginger Myers

Harold Reynolds

Nellie Spring

Jill Russell

Robin Gable, granddaughter in law of Terry Broome's stepmother, 2246 Neal Gap Road, Summerville, GA 30747.

Robert Lemaster, son of Doyle and Cathy Lemaster.

Tommy Young, Jill Russell's brother.

Nettie Murrah, mother of Tracy Brumley.

Mary Hodge, 88 Sumner Dr., 35769.

Roger Alley, son-in-law of David and Margaret Crawford.

Leroy Armstrong, Holly Cobb's father.

Judy Solomon, sister of Martha Pendley.

Ron Gardner, father of Joel.

Terry Shelton, cousin of Vicki Shelton & Arlene Allen, 1113 Co. Rd. 68, Scottsboro, AL 35768.

Viola Manning, aunt of Vicki Shelton & Arlene Allen, 1930 Co. Rd 107, Scottsboro, AL 35768.

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

Melanie Lanier, daughter of Ron Graham.

Brenda Wininger, aunt of David Precise.

Rhonda Harrison, sister of Brenda Devers and daughter of Helen Ott, 74 Sarah Betty Lane, Apt Bl, Scottsboro, AL 35769.

Virgil McIntosh, preacher at Jackson Church of Christ in KY.

Hillary Broome, Terry's brother, 2151 Alexander Blvd., Murfreesboro, Tn 37130.

Lyndal Brumley, daughter-in-law of Jo Reed & Tracy **Barry Allen**, Terry's brother-in-law, 143 Cherry St., Carrollton, GA 30117.

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

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

Noah Linville, US Navy Academy

NURSING HOME RESIDENTS & HOMEBOUND

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Manor	Manor	Estates
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Ruth Spurgeon 8922 AL 227, Crossville, AL 35962

Calendar of Upcoming Events—

Oct 15 - Fall Festival, 10 AM - 2 PM

Oct 16 - Church Fellowship Meal Potluck after morning services

Oct 20 - TWIGS, Woods Cove @ 5:30 PM,

sign up on bulletin board.



Oct 15 Fall Festival, 10 AM to 2 PM Oct 16 Rosewood & Shut-Ins Singing,@ 1:30 PM (ALL AGES)

- Fall Retreat, 7th - 12th, sign up on Oct 21-23 bulletin board

Oct 23 Trunk or Treat after PM services

Oct 30 Young Men's Training Night



Larkinsville Church of Christ will be having a Gospel Meeting October 16 -19. More information on bulletin board in



Broad Street will be having a fellowship potluck lunch after morning services on All-Church Potluck Sunday, October 16th. We

encourage all members to bring a dish and enjoy a fellowship meal with our church family. All visitors are welcome to join us.



Haley Travis, member at Fort Payne, has opened a clothing room at Fort Payne Church of Christ. If you are interested in donating clothes to the

clothing room, please see Josh or Wendy Baird. Haley is collecting all sizes in adult and children's clothing.



Ryan and Chanda Dunaway met with the elders and have expressed their wishes to place membership at Broad Street. We welcome Ryan, Chanda, Anabeth,

Analeaha, and Anasophia. Annabeth and Analeaha are away at Harding University.

PUPPET PROGRAM - October 16, 2022

Narrator - Chad Brown

Teachers - Misti, Roger, Cynthia, Wendy

Puppets - John Hollis, Joseph, Nina, Jacob, Traci, Cheyenne



Broad Street is switching to a new Church Directory. Setup instructions are located on table in main foyer. Please see Scott Roberts if you have any questions or need help

setting up new directory.

~Lads to Leaders Calendar~

Oct 16 - GIFTS meet in the chapel for Sunday School (23rd will be cancelled due to youth retreat)

Oct 26 – Bible Bowl Practice @ 5:30 PM

Oct 30 - Young Men's Training @ 5 PM Girls Song Leading @ 5 PM Bulletin Board @ 3 PM

Nov 6 - Providers at Gardner's House @12:30 PM Scrapbook Work Day @ 3 PM (bring printed pictures with you to work day)



Please join us for a Fall Festival on Saturday, October 15th from 10 AM to 2 PM. We will have games, food, prizes, and lots of fun!!

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Love	Contribution. \$6435.00 Budget. \$8326.00

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, October 16, 2022

Announcements: Nick Ledbetter Song Leader: Chad Brown Prayer: Rabon McCormack Serve at the Lord's Table: **Presiding: Vince Laney**

1W- Ernie Brockway 1E-Roger Myers **2W-Doug Tucker** 2E-Ragan Myers **3W- Grady Gattis** 3E-John Hollis Myers **4W- Clay Kennamer** 4E-Brad Laney 5E-Russell Wilhelm **5W- Chuck Davis 6W- Phillip Chaney 6E-Nelson Page** 7W -Rvan Rice 7E-John A. Porch

Speaker: Terry Broome **Closing Prayer: Jerel Hunt**

Ushers: Ragan Myers & John Hollis Myers

P.M. SERVICE:

Song Leader: Kenneth Beard **Scripture: Grady Gattis Prayer: Buddy Holt** Speaker: Terry Broome

Lord's Supper: Roger Myers & John Hollis Myers

Closing Prayer: Ernie Brockway

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY:

Scripture: Euyless Holcomb Song Leader: Will Robinson Prayer: Phillip Chaney

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

Jo Reed Brumley

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

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

If you hear something other,

You



BROAD STREET BANNER

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Take It All to Jesus

With far too much to do,

re plagued and vexed with worries life's more than you can bear, Why not take it all to Jesus nd just too much for you, He'll comfort, rest and soothe He'll help you to unwind Silently in prayer?

– Bulletin Digest