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From Where I Sit . . .

“A New Year’s Resolution”

It’s hard to believe we’re typing 2023 on this issue of the bulletin. It seems that time is speeding up and years are now just racing by. Do you remember these words of an old poem: “When as a child I laughed and wept, time crept”? Well not any more! We’re reminded of the words of James in the New Testament: **“Whereas ye know not what shall be on the morrow. For what is your life? It is even a vapour, that appeareth for a little time, and then vanisheth away”** (James 4:14).

The older I get, the more I realize the urgency of “redeeming the time” God allows us to have. Typically at the beginning of each year, well-meaning people make New Year’s Resolutions to **be better, do better, and do more** than the year before. I suppose the most frequently spoken resolution is to lose weight this year. I recently heard one man say on national television that his resolution was to “quit lying.” When asked if he lied he admitted that he did. It turned out he had lied to his girlfriend about where they were going. He had plotted to get her to the television studio, so he lied about where they were going. He also had lied about not being able to get engaged, all so that he could surprise her with a proposal of marriage on national television. His resolution to quit lying was a part of the plot to set up the proposal. While the situation may seem humorous, it made light of a very serious matter. Oh that we had only accomplished a portion of all the grand resolutions of yesteryear!

May we learn from Daniel who **“purposed in his heart that he would not defile himself with the portion of the king’s meat, nor with the wine which he drank: therefore he requested of the prince of the eunuchs that he might not defile himself (Daniel 1:8)**. Now that’s a resolution worth thinking about. “Resolved, that I will not defile myself this year with the works of the flesh;” “Resolved, that I will give myself to Him who died for me.” The hymnist writes:

*“I am resolved no longer to linger,
charmed by the world’s delight.
Things that are higher, things that are nobler,
these have allured my sight.
I will hasten, hasten to Him;
hasten so glad and free.
Jesus, greatest, highest,
I will come to Thee.”*

May we all resolve with the writers of old that we will give ourselves totally to the work of the Master. Remember these words from another hymn: **“I’ll live for Him who died for me.”** May this be the year that those who have not begun this New Life actually carry out the commencement of this resolution. Obey the Lord by being baptized into Him in trusting faith (Col. 2:12). May those of us who have so begun, continue to walk close to our God as we follow in the steps of Jesus.

Resolve to lead someone to Christ in 2023. May we all enjoy a blessed and wonderful New Year!!

. . . . Terry Broome



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

Hillary Broome, Terry's brother, had to be taken back to the hospital on Tuesday, January 3rd. He was having a fast heart beat that they are treating with medication. They do not think it is rejection. They will be keeping him for several days in ICU. Please continue to keep him and family in your prayers. 2151 Alexander Blvd., Murfreesboro, TN 37130.

LONG-TERM PRAYER LIST

- Jill Russell
- Mitzi Gattis
- Roger Wilhelm
- David Precise
- Betty Hughes
- Jim Kendrick
- Dave Bagley
- Deborah Wacker
- Charlotte Vinson
- Ed Clayson
- Martha Foster
- Tammy McGuire
- Rachel Underwood
- Irene Gist
- Ginger Myers
- Harold Reynolds
- Paul Wright**, Roxy Wright's son, 129 Pine Hill Rd., Rainsville, AL 35986.
- Nettie Murrah**, Tracy Brumley's mother.
- Robin Gable**, granddaughter in law of Terry Broome's stepmother, 2246 Neal Gap Road, Summerville, GA 30747.
- Tommy Young**, Jill Russell's brother.
- Mary Hodge**, 88 Sumner Dr., 35769.
- Leroy Armstrong**, Holly Cobb's father.
- Judy Solomon**, sister of Martha Pendley.
- 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.
- Lyndal Brumley**, daughter-in-law of Jo Reed & Tracy.
- 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

Cloverdale Manor 412 Cloverdale Rd. Scottsboro, 35768	Rosewood Manor 1513 Co. Park Rd. Scottsboro, 35769 Jaxie Hargrave Doris Johnson Debra Kime Dot Bean	Southern Estates 212 E. Stewart Rd. Scottsboro, 35769
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- Nellie Spring** 1950 Bob Jones Rd., 35769
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- Martha Nan Baker** 701 Monroe St., NW, Russellville, 35653
- Nell Anderson** 121 Brookridge Dr., Apt. 148, Madison, 35758
- Ruth Spurgeon** 8922 AL 227, Crossville, AL 35962
- Mark Little** County Road 245 Box 788, AL 35768

Calendar of Upcoming Events—

Jan 8 – Baby Shower honoring Abigail Edmonds in MPR @ 1 PM to 3 PM

One Measure Of Our Love	Wed. Bible Study..... 141 Sunday Bible Study..... 146 Sun. A.M. Worship..... 242 Sun. Night Worship..... 160 Contribution..... \$10,119.00 Budget..... \$8,326.00
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Thank you for every act of love and kindness that has been shown to us during our recent loss. The prayers, visits, and cards were so appreciated. Our hearts were touched deeply with the gift of the beautiful afghan and the delicious food trays that were prepared and brought for us. Words cannot express our gratitude for all of the love and support shown to us. Please continue to pray for us in the coming days for comfort and strength.

*In Christian Love,
The Family of Gary Loyd*

Teri Matthews and Tres Sanford responded to the invitation on Sunday, January 1st and asked for forgiveness of sins and for prayers of the church. We rejoice with Teri and Tres for their decision.



- Jan 14 - Family Game Night for all ages @ Ledbetter's Home, 5 PM to 8 PM, bring drinks.
- Jan 15 - Rosewood Singing @ 1:30 PM
- Lock-In for 7th and Up, after PM service
- Jan 19 - TNT Devo, 5:30 PM to 8 PM
- Jan 22 - Area Wide Devo @ Arab
- Jan 26 - KFC Devo, 5 PM to 7:30 PM
- Feb 24-26 - CYC, sign up on bulletin board,
- April 6 - 9 - Lads to Leaders Convention, hotel sign up on bulletin board

PUPPET PROGRAM - January 8, 2023

Narrator - Trey Russell

Teachers - Bandy, Erica, Chantel, Cynthia

Puppets - Tyler, Tatum, Stone, Patton, Eliza, Ruby

Chad's Chatter

New Year's Beginnings

What better time to start new habits, quit old habits, and declare a new direction or focus in one's life than at the beginning of the year? It seems more significant to declare some major change to one's life at the beginning of the year, but actually, you can make major changes to your life any and every day you live. From the time you wake up in the morning, you are making decisions constantly. You may decide what clothes to wear, what you're going to eat, what words come out of your mouth, what you watch, read, who you hang out with, what's important to you that day, and even what kind of attitude you're going to have.

However, at the beginning of the year, it still seems like a good time to start over. Nevertheless, I encourage you, if you do make a list, be specific in your "resolutions." If you say, "I want to be a better person this year and connect with GOD more," of course, that's a great new beginning. Still, in reality, it's so vague, it's almost a statement that can't be measured. The point is, be specific in the changes or lists that you're making. I believe, it will be much easier to stay focused on the task than a vague wish you have for the year.

For instance, your list could look something like:

1. I want to read at least a chapter in the Bible every day and read through the Bible in one year.
2. I want to make a list every week of people to pray for and pray every night for them that week.
3. I want to go to every church function that I can without making excuses.
4. I want to talk to someone at least once a week about GOD.

May GOD bless you this year! **Numbers 6:24-26**

~Chad

~Lads to Leaders Calendar~

- Jan 11 - Keeper's Childcare Course by Debra Wilhelm and Ashley Dover @ 4:30 PM
- Jan 18 - Bible Bowl @ 5:30 PM
- Jan 29 - Young Men's Training @ 5 PM
Girl's Song Leading @ 5 PM
Bulletin Board @ 3 PM
- Jan 29 - Registration deadline for event participation. All year round activities need to be submitted to Chad or Pam.
- Feb 1 - Scrapbook pages due (please remember to keep printing pictures).

Please join us on Sunday, January 8th at 1 PM to 3 PM in MPR for a Baby Shower honoring Abigail Edmonds. Abigail is registered at Amazon.



Ladies'
Bible Class Tuesday Morning Ladies Bible Class will resume meeting on January 10th at 10 AM.



Broad Street is switching to a new Church Directory. Setup instructions are located on podium in both foyers. Please see Scott Roberts if you have any questions or need help setting up new directory. Parents are encouraged to set up account for their teens also, so they will be able to get notifications as well. Please add your teen's email address and cell phone number to family account before you create an account for teen. After you create an account, you may save the website to your home screen on phone and the directory will run like an app.

ELDERS

DAVID PRECISE 574-3790 PAT RUSSELL 259-0800
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DEACONS

Josh Baird	Rick Baird	Jo Reed Brumley
David Dover	Joel Gardner	Nick Ledbetter
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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, January 8, 2023

Announcements: Nick Ledbetter

Song Leader: Mark Price

Prayer: Brad Wilhelm

Serve at the Lord's Table:

Presiding: Bill Price

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| 1W- Jerel Hunt | 1E- Bill Price |
| 2W- David Crawford | 2E- Brad Laney |
| 3W- Ted Crona | 3E- D.L. Little |
| 4W- Tyler Blizzard | 4E- Tripp Ledbetter |
| 5W- Joseph Gardner | 5E- Major Ledbetter |
| 6W- David Dover | 6E- Johnny McCrary |

7 - Preston Dover

Speaker: Terry Broome

Closing Prayer: Kenneth Beard

Ushers: Tyler Blizzard & Joseph Gardner

P.M. SERVICE:

Song Leader: Chad Brown

Scripture: Nelson Page

Prayer: Trey Russell

Speaker: Terry Broome

Lord's Supper: Jerel Hunt & Brad Laney

Closing Prayer: Russell Wilhelm

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY: January 11, 2023

Scripture: Major Ledbetter

Song Leader: Preston Dover

Prayer: Will Shelton

CONTACT ELDER: David Precise

OPEN & CLOSE BUILDING FOR THE MONTH:

Nick Ledbetter

If you are unable to serve, please call:

Dave Precise 256-599-6668



**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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The New Leaf

*He came to my desk with a quivering lip;
The lesson was done;
"Dear Teacher, I want a new leaf," he said,
"I have spoiled this one."
I took the old leaf, torn and blotted,
And gave him a new one, all unspotted,
And into his sad eyes smiled,
"Do better now, my child!"
I came to the Throne with a trembling heart;
The year's work was done;
"Dear Father, I want a new leaf," I said,
"I have spoiled this one."
He took the old year, torn and blotted,
And gave me a new one, all unspotted,
And into my sad heart smiled;
"Do better now, my child."*