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**BROAD STREET CHURCH OF CHRIST** 

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From Where I Sit . . .

#### "DEDICATED TO WORSHIP"

One of the most obvious ways to see a person's dedication to Christ is through

worship. A story is told of a preacher who had become greatly disturbed over a member of his congregation who had quit coming to the worship services. The member was sorely missed by the congregation and by the preacher himself. The preacher decided to visit this wayward brother. He found the brother sitting by an open fire in his house. The brother brought a chair for the preacher to sit in and braced himself for the expected rebuke he thought might follow. Instead not a word did the preacher say. He simply reached into the fire with some tongs and took out a single glowing ember. He sat the red glowing ember of coal on the cold hearth. Remaining painfully silent, they watched the glowing ember slowly become cold and eventually die out. The absentee brother broke the silence, "You don't need to say a word, preacher. I'll be there at the next service where I belong."

As the temperatures begin to soar around us, we seem to be actively involved pursuing more and more things that can pull us away from our dedication to worship God. Jesus made it very clear and very plain that worship is not an option if we want to be pleasing to God, John 4: 23 - 24 "[23] "But the hour is coming, and now is, when the true worshipers will worship the Father in spirit and truth; for the Father is seeking such to worship Him. [24] "God is Spirit, and those who worship Him must worship in spirit and truth." Worship not only pleases God, but it does some very important things for us also. Take a good look at **Hebrews 10: 19 - 25**, "[19] Therefore, brethren, having boldness to enter the Holiest by the blood of Jesus, [20] by a new and living way which He consecrated for us, through the veil, that is, His flesh, [21] and having a High Priest over the house of God, [22] let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of faith, having our hearts sprinkled from an evil conscience and our bodies washed with pure water. [23] Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for He who promised is faithful. [24] And let us consider one another in order to stir up love and good works, [25] not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as is the manner of some, but exhorting one another, and so much the more as you see the Day approaching." Worship brings us to the holiest place on earth where the saints of God are gathered with God in their very presence. Worship brings us into commune with God as we remember and celebrate the death, the burial and the resurrection of Jesus Christ and we remember that He is coming back. Worship is a time to profess our faith in God with others who have the same faith. Worship is a time of encouragement to continue to do the work God requires his children to do.

Taking the illustration of the ember of coal. Worship is the opportunity for us to keep our ember from becoming cold and from dying out. If you travel or you find yourself so busy this summer from activities that demand so much time, do not forget to worship God. None of us wants our ember to grow cold and die.



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

Healthy recovery Tammy McGuire was able to have her procedure done on Monday, June 12<sup>th</sup>. She will have the radiation beads inserted this

week. Please keep her in your prayers.

**Buddy Pace** had back surgery recently and is now in a residential rehab in Huntsville. Please no visitors at this time but prayers for Buddy and Donna are appreciated.

**Milred Lasater**, from the Skyline and East Huntsville Coc, had an accident on Sunday morning and is in Huntsville Hospital. Please pray for her and her family.

#### LONG-TERM PRAYER LIST

Joe Manning

**Nancy Miles** 

Linda Mobbs

**Wendy Baird** 

Debra Wilhelm

**Bob Rice** 

**Angel Chancy** 

Jill Russell

Jim Brown

**Deborah Wacked** 

Martha Foster

Rachel Underwood

Irene Gist

**Ginger Myers** 

**Harold Reynolds** 

Ciss Britt, sister of Buddy Holt.

Lana Jones, grand daughter of Doyle and Cathy Lemaster.

**Don Thornton**, Mickey Thornton's brother.

Anne Loyd, member at the Gonce CoC.

Olivia Lemaster, daughter of Darshell Lemaster.

Scott Speers, friend of Rick Baird.

Amelia Kate Moore, Matthew Moore's niece.

Terry Finch, Erica Russell's father.

**Heather Blizzard George**, 127 Walking Trail Way, Madison, AL 35758.

Mark Hastings, Joyce Hastings' son.

**Adrienne Farmer**, friend of many in congregation,3371 Clemons Rd., Scottsboro, 35769.

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

Nettie Murrah, Tracy Brumley's mother.

**Pam Devenport**, Scott Grant's mother, 93 Lorelei Dr., Fayetteville, OH 45118.

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

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

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

Caleb Baker, US Navy

#### NURSING HOME RESIDENTS & HOMEBOUND

Cloverdale	Rosewood	Southern
Manor	Manor	Estates
412 Cloverdale Rd.	1513 Co. Park Rd.	212 E. Stewart Rd.
Scottsboro, 35768	Scottsboro, 35769	Scottsboro, 35769
	Jaxie Hargrave	
	Debra Kime	
	Dot Bean	

Nellie Spring 1950 Bob Jones Rd., 35769 Elsie Goodman 2010 Cunningham St., 35769

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—

June 28 – Summer Series - Guest Speaker: David Powell, "The First Gospel Sermon" Acts 2

July 5 — Summer Series - Guest Speaker: Dave Miller, Apologetics Press, "What Was Jesus Really Like"

July 16 - Roller Skating in Rainsville @ 2 PM, all ages

July 29 - Back to School Bash, @ Cornelison's Farm, all ages

Wed. Bible Study. 189 Sunday Bible Study. 161 Sun. A.M. Worship 259 Sun. Night Worship. 129 Contribution. \$7,722.54 Budget. \$8,147.00

Dear Church Family,

hank You

Thank you so much for the beautiful cards, calls, and especially your prayers for my recent back surgery. The prayers and words of encouragement have meant so very much to me.

In Christian Love, Debra Wilhelm



June 23-24 - Fireflies Camp @ Camp Neyati, sign up on bulletin board

June 25-29 - Rocket City Youth Camp @ Camp Neyati, sign up on bulletin board

June 28 - Youth Dinner @ 5:30 PM, meet at Wendy's

July 9 - Youth Devo after evening services

July 16 - Roller Skating in Rainsville @ 2 PM, all ages

July 29 - Back to School Bash, @ Cornelison's Farm, all ages

Sign up sheets are posted on the bulletin board between the two foyers for you th events over the summer. Please sign up if you are willing to host an event. Hosts are needed for Sunday night devotionals, TNT, KFC, and Wednesday evening dinners.



Rocket City Youth Camp check in time for Sunday, June 25<sup>th</sup> will be from 1:30 PM-2:30 PM. Please bring your payment and any medication that your child will need for the week to the

registration desk. Check out will be on Thursday, June 29 from 10:30 AM to 11:00 AM.

Parents and guests of all ages are welcome to join the youth for their evening devotional at the pavilion every evening. Please let Camp Neyati know by lunch time if you plan on having dinner with the campers at 5 PM. Meals are \$6.00 per person.

6pm Guest Speakers

Sun - Paddy Flanagan

Mon - Andrew Lamica

Tues - Mike Baker

Wed - Lonnie Jones

Skits Wednesday 7pm

#### NO PUPPET PROGRAM - June 25, 2023

# Sign up to receive the Broad Street Banner!

The Broad Street Banner is available as a weekly email subscription. To receive the weekly email, please go to



www.broadstreetchurchofchrist.com/media/broadstreet-banner/. Please scroll to the bottom of the page and sign up with your name and email address. Paper copies will still be available on Wednesday evenings in the two foyers. The weekly bulletin is also available on the church website and on the Church Connect App.



## Broad Street

### Church Connect APP

Scan QR code , go to <a href="https://bscoc.churchtrac.com/">https://bscoc.churchtrac.com/</a> , or under Members on the Broad Street

website <a href="https://www.broadstreetchurchofchrist.com/">https://www.broadstreetchurchofchrist.com/</a> to complete registration.

- Follow the instructions on website to complete your user profile.
- After you complete the registration process, the administrator will give you access to the online directory.
- After you have access, you will be able to view the church directory and upcoming events.
- Save the website to your Home Screen





- If you have any questions about the setup or using the new church app, please direct your questions to Scott Roberts.
- There are many new features and benefits to Connect over the Instant Church Directory that we have been using. After the setup and introductory period of the new directory, more features will be added.

#### **ELDERS**

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#### **DEACONS**

Josh Baird Rick Baird Jo Reed Brumley David Dover Joel Gardner Nick Ledbetter Joe Manning Roger Myers **Nelson Page** John A. Porch Dave Precise **Mark Price** 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, June 21, 2023** 

**Announcements: Trey Russell** Song Leader: Terry Broome

Praver: Pat Russell Serve at the Lord's Table: Presiding: Brad Wilhelm

**1W-Wesley Stewart** 1E-Roger Myers 2W- Zane Stewart 2E-Doug Tucker **3W- Abram Stewart 3E-Phillip Chaney** 4W- Max Stewart 4E - David Dover 5W-Tom Morgan 5E-J.J. Bagley

6- Preston Dover

7W- Alex Baird **7E-Hughes Edmonds** 

Speaker: Randy Brown **Closing Prayer: Robin Shelton** 

Ushers: Wesley Stewart & Zane Stewart

#### P.M. SERVICE:

Song Leader: Mark Price Scripture: Nelson Page Prayer: Rabon McCormack Speaker: Randy Brown

Lord's Supper: Roger Myers & David Dover

Closing Prayer: Ernie Brockway

#### WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY: June 28, 2023

Scripture: David Precise Song Leader: Kenneth Beard **Prayer: Tres Sanford** 

CONTACT ELDER: Brad Wilhelm

#### OPEN & CLOSE BUILDING FOR THE MONTH:

Mark Price

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

# 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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remember that our Redeemer lives (Job 19:25; Heb. 7:25; Rev. 1:17-18). - Bart Warren

remember that this world is not all that there is (Job 1:6; 2:1; 16:19; Rev. 21:3-4; Matt. 25:46)

When it seems all is lost...

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remember that the Creator sees us Job 34:21; Psafm 33:13-15; Heb. 4:13)

When it seems all is lost...

South Green Street church of Christ