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From Where I Sit . . .

"DO WE TRULY SEE THE VALUE?"

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So many times we cannot see the true value of things. How many times have we passed by something thinking it must not be worth much only to find out it had great value? I think of this every time I see a baseball card and wonder if any of those cards I had that were

placed on the spokes of my bicycle wheels had any real value. Theard a story that illustrates this point.

A wealthy man and his son loved to collect rare works of art. They had everything in their collection from Picasso to Raphael. When the Vietnam conflict broke out, the son was drafted to go to war. He was very courageous and died in battle while rescuing another soldier. The father was notified and he grieved deeply for the loss of his son.

About a month later, a young man knocked on the door bearing a large package in his hands. He said, "Sir, you don't know me, but I am the soldier for whom your son gave his life to save. He saved many lives that day and he was carrying me to safety when a bullet struck him and he instantly died. He spoke often of you and our love of fine art." The young man held out the package and said, "I know it is not much, but I think your son would have wanted you to have this." The package was a portrait of the old man's son that had been painted by this soldier. The father looked at the portrait, particularly at the eyes, and he could not believe how this young man had captured the spirit of his son in that painting. He thanked the young man and offered to pay him for the portrait. "Oh, no sir. I could never repay what your son did for me. It is a gift!!", said the young soldier.

The old man died and the will called for an auction to be held to aution off the art he and his son had collected for so many years. All those valuable paintings would be auctioned to the highest bidders. Everyone came in hopes of obtaining a painting from this priceless collection. The auctioneer began with the portrait of the old man's son. The auctioneer began, "Who will bid on this portrait?" No one bid. They pleaded with the auctioneer to skip this item and move on to the more valuable paintings. The auctioneer again pleaded, "Who will bid on this portrait?" Finally from the back of the room, the old man's gardner said, "I'll bid \$10.00." You see he did not have very much and this was all that he had. The auctioneer pleaded for another bid, but nothing came. So the auctioneer said, "Going once, going twice, sold for \$10.00." Finally the crowd thought, now we can get on with the auction of the more valuable paintings. The auctioneer said, "This concludes the auction, for the one who purchased the portrait of the old man's son was to receive the rest of the art collection."

The message is the same from God today. Whoever takes the Son gets everything, John 3: 16, "[16] "For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life." But you can only get the Son by valuing the portrait of His Son found in the Holy Word Of God, Romans 10: 17, "So then faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the word of God." To get the Son, we must come to truly value the word of God.



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

Healthy Richie Lemaster, son of Doyle and Cathy Lemaster, has been having blood clots. Prayers are appreciated.

David Lemaster, brother of Doyle Lemaster that lives in Colorado, has been put on hospice care. Please pray for him and the family.

Chuck Smothers, brother-in-law of Nell Stewart and member at Crestview Church of Christ in Boaz, has cancer and will be starting chemotherapy this week. Please keep him in your prayers. 615 Preston Ave., Albertville, AL 35950.

Cissi Britt, sister of Buddy Holt, is now home and doing well. The pneumonia and the spots on her lungs have been resolved. Her doctors have decided to continue treating the mitral valve without surgery. The family is very thankful for all the prayers for her.

Joan Little will have right knee replacement on Thursday, July 27^{th} at the Orthopedic Tower in Huntsville. Please keep her in your prayers.

Hudson Colwell, 17 year old grandson of Martha Pendley, had surgery on Tuesday, July 18th to replace the rods in his back at Vanderbilt Hospital and is now home. Please keep him in your prayers during his long recovery. 2509 Co. Rd. 209, Bridgeport, 35740.

LONG-TERM PRAYER LIST

Gerald Helton

Tammy McGuire

Bob Rice

Chanda Dunaway

Buddy Pace

Joe Manning

Clarence Potter, 3034 Dupree Dr. SW., Huntsville, AL 35801.

Bree Morton, stepdaughter of Melba Crawford,11937 Hons Drive, Fairhope AL, 36532.

Steve McWilliams, father of Josh McWilliams (friend of many in congregation).

Jay Fullum, close friend of Ted and Libby Crona, 39 McCullock Ave., Revena, NY 12143.

Cory and Kara Caouette, Chuck and Cindy Davis' nephew and his wife.

Buster Phillips, friend to many in the congregation.

Mildred Lasater, from the Skyline and East Huntsville Coc. **Melanie Lanier**, daughter of Ron Graham.

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.

Mark Hastings, Joyce Hastings' son.

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 Spring1950 Bob Jones Rd., 35769Elsie Goodman2010 Cunningham St., 35769Martha Nan Baker701 Monroe St., NW, Russellville, 35653Nell Anderson121 Brookridge Dr., Apt. 148, Madison, 35758Ruth Spurgeon8922 AL 227, Crossville, AL 35962Mark LittleCounty Road 245 Box 788, AL 35768

Calendar of Upcoming Events-

- July 28 Last day to drop off school supplies (you may drop off at office if needed)
- July 29 Back to School Bash, @ Cornelison's Farm, ALL AGES, sign up on bulletin board
- July 30 Diaper and Wipes Shower Honoring Hannah (Poole) Langley, 1 PM to 3PM in the MPR
- Aug 2 Summer Series Guest Speaker: Garret Bookout, "You Will Never Fall" 2 Peter 1:5-15

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- (1) Zane Stewart
- (2) Irene Gist
- (4) Lucille Jones
- (5) Analeaha Dunaway
- (6) Ernie Brockway
 Debra Kime
 John Wann Jr.
 Chuck Davis
- (7) Charlene Cobb
- (9) John A. Porch Ella Little Analyssa Dunaway
- (10) Kathy Broome Noah Linville
- (12) Chanda Dunaway
- (13) Billie Hancock Dave Precise
- (16) Helen Corbin
- (19) Buck Walker
- (21) Roxie Wright
- (25) Terry Broome
- (29) Lee Gist
- (31) Maguire Laney Tom Morgan Cheryl Morgan

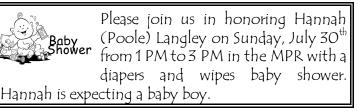


The Back to School Bash will be at the Cornelison Farm (1670 Co. Rd. 28) on Saturday, July 29th. All are invited to join us. There will be a slip & slide, Kona Ice, games, dinner and devotional. The slip & slide

will begin at 2:00 PM (Kona Ice will be with us from 2:45 PM to 4:30 PM). Glow in the dark kick ball will begin when it gets dark. Remember to wear Tshirts and shorts that are not white and can get dirty. Bring lawn chairs, sticks for cooking s' mores, bug spray, sun screen, and canopies(optional). Fans will be set up. Supper will be provided (Holy Smokes BBQ). Sign up sheets are posted on the bulletin for desserts & drinks and for if you plan to attend. Please see Josh and Wendy Baird or Brent and Meghan Cornelison if you have any questions.

NO PUPPET PROGRAM - Young Men's Training

July 29	-	Back to School Bash,@Cornelison's
		Farm, ALL AGES
July 30	-	Young Men's Training and Girl's Song
·		Leading @ 5 PM
Aug 2	-	Youth Dinner @ 5:30 (Host needed)
Aug 20	-	Youth Devo after evening services
Aug 26	-	SWAT Youth Rally @ Meridianville
Sept 22-24	-	Youth Family Fall Retreat@
		Camptoknowhim in Pisgah, AL



NEW MEMBERS

Josh and Melissa Hamilton met with the Elders on Sunday, July 9th and indicted their desire to place

membership at Broad Street. We welcome Josh, Melissa, Evie Cate, and Emma. Their address is 280 Plantation Pointe Road, Scottsboro, 35768.



Dear Broad Street Family,

Thank you so much for the beautiful cards, calls, and the beautiful hydrangea plant that was sent for the heartbreaking loss we experienced during

the tragic child birth experience of our daughter Bree. Please continue your prayers for Bree and Justin during their grieving process. Thank you again for everything.

In Christian Love,

Melba & Steve Crawford and Hadley

Hello to my Broad Street Church Family,

I want to thank everyone involved in welcoming baby Everleigh Ruth Sanford, and I also want to thank everyone who participated in giving Everleigh her first "Tea Party."

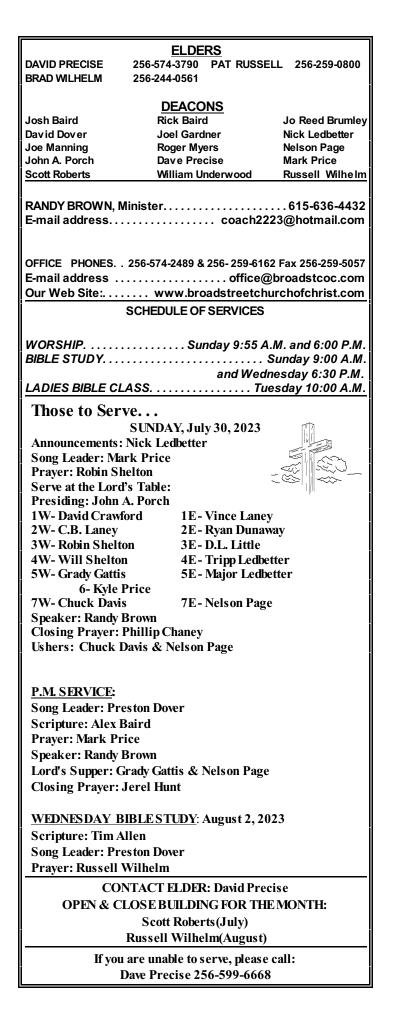
I am so thankful for my church family. You have all made Everleigh, Madison Pendergrass, and her family feel welcome.

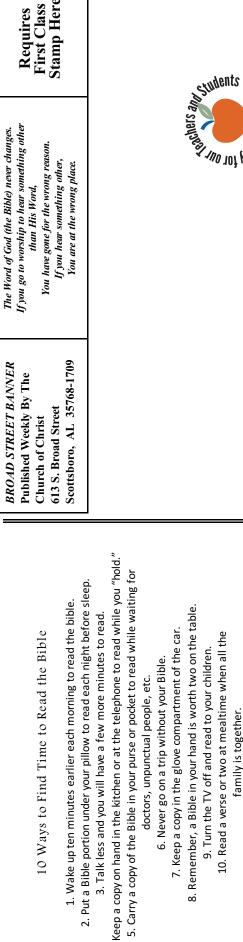
Thank you all for all of the gifts, and all of the gift cards. Everything that you have given to Everleigh Ruth has helped tremendously with meeting a lot of her needs.

Thank you again! I love you all from the bottom of my heart.

In Christian Love,

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