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From Where I Sit . . .

“LITTLE THINGS MATTER”

Charles Shulz paints an interesting perspective about life in his “Peanut” comic strip. Charlie Brown is seen at bat. Strike Three! He says, “Rats, I’ll never be a big league player. I just don’t have it! All my life I’ve dreamed of playing in the big leagues, but I know I’ll never make it.” Lucy turns to console him. “Charlie Brown”, she says, “You’re thinking too far ahead. What you need to do is set some immediate goals. Start with the next inning, when you go out to pitch. See if you can walk to the mound without falling down!” I do not think we need too many friends like Lucy to give us advice, but she does make a valid point.

We do often set our sights so far ahead that we often lose sight of what is in front of us. We also set our sights on the grand things of this Christian life and we miss the opportunities we have that are right in front of us. We get so wrapped up in trying to find grand things to do in order to demonstrate our grand faith in Christ that we overlook the small simple opportunities we have to demonstrate Christ living in us on a daily basis. Isn’t this the simple message of the judgment scene we see Jesus describe in Matthew 25: 34 - 40, “[34] *Then the King will say to those on His right hand, ‘Come, you blessed of My Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world: [35] ‘for I was hungry and you gave Me food; I was thirsty and you gave Me drink; I was a stranger and you took Me in; [36] ‘I was naked and you clothed Me; I was sick and you visited Me; I was in prison and you came to Me.’ [37] ‘Then the righteous will answer Him, saying, ‘Lord, when did we see You hungry and feed You, or thirsty and give You drink? [38] ‘When did we see You a stranger and take You in, or naked and clothe You? [39] ‘Or when did we see You sick, or in prison, and come to You?’ [40] ‘And the King will answer and say to them, ‘Assuredly, I say to you, inasmuch as you did it to one of the least of these My brethren, you did it to Me.’”* We can get caught up waiting for that grand thing to come along that we miss the simple things we can do for others on a day-to-day basis. Christianity is about allowing Jesus to transform us into His very image. One of the greatest descriptions of Jesus can be found as Peter is teaching Cornelius and his family about the Beloved Son Of God, Acts 10: 38, “[38] *“how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power, who went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with Him.”* Jesus the one that we are trying to emulate simply went about doing good. Sure He was going to do some grand things like die on a cross, be buried in a tomb, and be resurrected on the third day, but He never lost sight on taking advantage of the opportunities that were before Him every day. He simply did the little things while waiting for the grand things to come along.

Maybe we should keep our vision on the present. Maybe we should focus our attention on the small opportunities we have everyday. This will keep us from tripping and falling as we wait for grand things to come our way.

... Randy Brown



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

Alex Baird had surgery for the bone tumor on Monday, January 29th at St. Jude in Memphis, TN. The doctors were able to remove all of the tumor. They have diagnosed him with Ollier disease. He has an additional tumor on his heel that they are going to watch carefully. Please continue to keep him in your prayers.

Gerald Todd, friend of Cindy Davis and member at West Fayetteville CoC, found out he has cancer. Please keep him in your prayers.

Semika Osborn, friend of Cindy Davis, is 50 years old and has dementia and it's getting worse. Prayers are appreciated.

Jamie McCormack, daughter of Cindy Davis' friend, has cancer and had surgery on Friday, January 26th. Please keep her in your prayers.

George Zutaut, son of a close friend of the Crona's, had a heart attack in Beckley, WV and is expected to have open heart surgery. Prayers are appreciated.

Randy Melton has been transferred to UAB Hospital in Birmingham for more intensive tests. He and his family are asking prayers for answers to what has been happening to him.

LONG-TERM PRAYER LIST

Tammy McGuire

Roxie Wright

Jill Russell

Vicki Shelton

LaRue Anderson

Jo Reed Brumley

Jean Ferguson, a former member, 3329 Berryside Dr., Murfreesboro, TN 37128.

McKenzie York, 21 year old cousin of Ashley Dover, Angela Bagley, and David Bagley, C/O Anji Rowell to McKenzie York, PO Box 285, Section, AL 35771.

Jennifer Collet, friend of the Prices', 308 Knob Creek, Wartrace, TN 37183.

Jerry Nickell, brother of Betty Robinson and Linda Nickell, 6343 Browns Run Rd., Middletown, OH 45042.

Melanie Lanier, daughter of Ron Graham.

Herbert Barnes, brother of Charlene Cobb.

Phillip Stewart, friend of many in the congregation, 3190 Co. Rd. 11, Scottsboro, 35768.

Crimsyn Cornett, wife of Calvin Cornett (soccer coach).

Codi Sims, daughter of Duane and Joan Sims.

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

Sandy Roden, uncle of Chris Epps, 1857 Valgreen Lane, Hoover, AL 35226.

Nettie Murrah, Tracy Brumley's mother.

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

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

Elsie Goodman

Martha Nan Baker

Nell Anderson

Ruth Spurgeon

Mark Little

427 Co. Rd. 765, Henagar, AL 35978

701 Monroe St., NW, Russellville, 35653

121 Brookridge Dr., Apt. 148, Madison, 35758

8922 AL 227, Crossville, AL 35962

County Road 245 Box 788, AL 35768

Calendar of Upcoming Events—

Feb 10 – Baby Shower for Logan Chaney Abernathy
@ 2 PM in the MPR

One	
Measure	Wed. Bible Study. 149
Of Our	Sunday Bible Study. 151
Love	Sun. A.M. Worship. 210
	Sun. Night Worship. 109
	Contribution. \$7,574.00
	Budget. \$9,047.00



**CHURCH
OFFICE
NEWS**

Wendy Baird will be working remotely on the bulletin and announcement sheets while she is in Memphis (January 25th to February 6th). Please contact her at 256-609-4735 for announcements or prayer requests that you wish to have printed. Please text or leave a message if she does not answer and she will return your call.

BE A PRAYER
Warrior

FEBRUARY

Birthdays

- (2) Kyle Price
- Betty Walker
- (3) Tom Graham
- Josh Weldon
- (4) Tatum Shelton
- Bill Underwood
- Dana Lyons
- (5) Terry Collins
- (8) Xshi Ana Benavides
- (11) Ashley Hunt
- (12) Donna Pace
- Deborah Wacker
- Tangie Grant
- (13) Gerald Helton
- (14) Jerel Hunt
- (15) Renate Bridges
- Traci Blizzard
- (16) Joey Manning
- Chelsea Yates
- (17) Rayford Hancock
- Mitzi Gattis
- (19) David Bagley
- (21) Roger Myers
- Erica Russell
- Cheyenne Blizzard
- (22) Aurora Holcomb
- (25) Buddy Holt
- Mark Little
- Nina Gardner
- (28) Rachel Underwood

Lads to Leaders Calendar

- Feb 4 – Puppet Practice, all teams, after AM services
- Song Leading and Songs of Praise practice @ 5 PM
- Feb 7 – Bible Bowl Practice @ 5 PM
- Feb 11 – Puppet Practice, all teams, after AM services
- Song Leading and Songs of Praise practice @ 5 PM
- Feb 11-25 – Bible Bowl and Pearls Test Dates
- Feb 14 – Bible Bowl Practice @ 5 PM

Please join us in honoring Logan Chaney Abernathy, daughter of Phillip and Angel Chaney and former member, on Saturday, February 10th @ 2 PM in the MPR with a baby shower. **A book signed by the giver in place of a card has been requested.** Logan is registered at <https://www.babylist.com/list/baby-logan-abernathy> and Grapevine.



PUPPET PROGRAM - February 4, 2024

Narrator: Mark Price

Teachers: Cynthia, Bridget, Sidney

Puppets: Kaden, Preston, Alex, Tripp, Major, Gage, Ally



- Feb 4 – Bible Bowl at West Huntsville @ 1:30 PM, leave church at 12:45 PM
- Feb 7 – CYC Payment Due, payment may be given to Josh, Wendy, Mark Price, or one of the elders
- Feb 18-19 – Moonlight Madness @ Meridianville, sign up sheet on bulletin board
- Feb 23-25 – CYC @ Pigeon Forge
- Mar 3 – Bible Bowl at West Huntsville @ 1:30 PM
- Mar 17 – Area Wide @ Owens Cross Roads
- Mar 28-31 – Lads to Leaders Convention
- Apr 26-28 – Rocket City Spring Retreat

Attention Tuesday Morning Ladies Bible Class:

LBC (Ladies Bible Class which meets most Tuesday mornings at 10am in the classroom next to the office,) this week's class, January 30th, has been postponed until Tuesday, Feb 6th, when we will look at "What Christ claimed to be without saying it! :)" If you can, bring your favorite verse where Jesus quotes the old testament scriptures. We will have lunch at Paula's afterwards. We would love it if you could join us!



Broad Street expresses our condolences to Nell Anderson for the passing of her sister, Mary Ann Malone, on Tuesday, December 19, 2023. Mary Ann's funeral was held on Friday, December 22nd in Decatur, AL.

Broad Street expresses our condolences to Lee Gist and family for the passing of her mother, Irene Gist. Irene passed away on Sunday, January 28th. Her memorial service was held on Wednesday, January 31st at Scottsboro Funeral Home.



ELDERS

DAVID PRECISE 256-574-3790 PAT RUSSELL 256-259-0800
BRAD WILHELM 256-244-0561

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, February 4, 2024

Announcements: Nick Ledbetter

Song Leader: Preston Dover

Prayer: Tres Sanford

Serve at the Lord's Table:

Presiding: Kenneth Beard

1W- David Crawford	1E- Tres Sanford
2W- Robin Shelton	2E- Tyler Blizzard
3W- D.L. Little	3E- Joseph Gardner
4W- Wesley Stewart	4E- Kaden Price
5W- Zane Stewart	5E- Dave Bagley Jr.

6- Abram Stewart

7W- Max Stewart 7E- Ron Graham

Speaker: Randy Brown

Closing Prayer: John A. Porch

Ushers: Max Stewart & Ron Graham

P.M. SERVICE:

Song Leader: Mark Price

Scripture: Ron Graham

Prayer: David Dover

Speaker: Randy Brown

Lord's Supper: Tyler Blizzard & Abram Stewart

Closing Prayer: Rabon McCormack

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY: February 7, 2024

Scripture: Major Ledbetter

Song Leader: Tres Sanford

Prayer: Ralph Cook

CONTACT ELDER: Pat Russell

OPEN & CLOSE BUILDING FOR THE MONTH:

Roger Myers

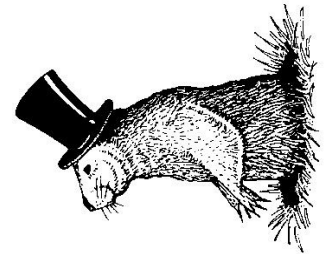
If you are unable to serve, please call:

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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*"With the new day comes
new strength and new thoughts."
— Eleanor Roosevelt*