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From Where I Sit . . .

"JOURNEY OF FAITH"

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Richard E. Byrd spent the winter of 1934 at the Bolling Advance Weather Base in Anartica. Here the temperatures range from -58 degrees F to -78 degrees F. By

the time he was rescued, he was suffering from frostbite and carbon monoxide poisoning. He wrote about this period of his life in a book entitled, *Alone*. He wrote, "I had hardly enough strength to move. I clung to the sleeping bag, which was my only source of comfort and warmth left to me and mournfully debated the little that might be done. Two facts stood clear: one was that my chances of recovering were slim and the other was that in my state of weakness I was incapable of taking care of myself. *But you must have faith - you must have faith in the outcome, I whispered to myself.* It is like a flight into another unknown. You start and you cannot turn back. You must go on... trusting your instruments and the course plotted out before you.

The Christian life is a journey much like the description Mr. Byrd gave of his experience in the winter of 1934. Once we begin our journey of faith, we cannot turn back, Luke 9: 62, "[62] But Jesus said to him, "No one, having put his hand to the plow, and looking back, is fit for the kingdom of God." We must move forward trusting the course that our example Jesus the Christ has mapped out for us, Philippians 3: 13 - 14, "[13] Brethren, I do not count myself to have apprehended; but one thing I do, forgetting those things which are behind and reaching forward to those things which are ahead, [14] I press toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus." The Word of God becomes the instrument that guides us on this journey and we simply must put all our trust in this instrument, Psalms 119: 105 -107, "105] Your word is a lamp to my feet And a light to my path. [106] I have sworn and confirmed That I will keep Your righteous judgments. [107] I am afflicted very much; Revive me, O LORD, according to Your word." It is our faith that keeps us on this pathway no matter what the difficulties we may face. Even when these difficulties make us come to the realization we cannot make it on our own. Faith gives us the assurance that we have help when we cannot overcome the difficulties ourselves, Matthew 11: 28 - 30, "[28] "Come to Me, all you who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. [29] "Take My yoke upon you and learn from Me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. [30] "For My yoke is easy and My burden is light." It is our living faith that keeps us seeking God's righteousness so we can escape the hardships and the corruption we face in this life, Il Peter 1: 2 - 4, "[2] Grace and peace be multiplied to you in the knowledge of God and of Jesus our Lord, [3] as His divine power has given to us all things that pertain to life and godliness, through the knowledge of Him who called us by glory and virtue, [4] by which have been given to us exceedingly great and precious promises, that through these you may be partakers of the divine nature, having escaped the corruption that is in the world through lust." Where would we be without this living faith in Jesus Christ?



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

Charlotte Vinson is at Crestwood Hospital and was diagnosed with Covid on Saturday, February 3rd and has fluid on her lungs. She has also had several mini strokes as well. Please keep

Charlotte and her family in your prayers.

Alex Baird had surgery for the bone tumor on Monday, January 29th at St. Jude in Memphis, TN and is now home. The doctors were able to remove all of the tumor and 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 Alex in your prayers.

Randy Melton has been transferred to UAB Hospital in Birmingham for more intensive tests. Please continue to pray for Randy as he has more tests and that they are able to receive answers to what has been happening to him. 420 Bale St., Scottsboro, AL 35769.

Debbie Brooks and Helen Blackwell, sisters of Nancy Miles, are having health problems and would appreciate the prayers.

Dale Lemley, sister of Nancy Miles, is in Huntsville Hospital following a seizure and she also has low sodium and an irregular heartbeat. Please keep her in your prayers.

Jamie McCormack, daughter of Cindy Davis' friend, had surgery and tests have shown that she does not have cancer. The family would like to thank everyone for the prayers.

Melba Sloan broke both bones in her left arm and will see an orthopedic surgeon this week. Please prayer for a speedy recovery.

Kim Brown will have carpal tunnel surgery on Tuesday, February 20th. Please keep her in your prayers.

LONG-TERM PRAYER LIST

Buck Walker & Betty Walker

Tammy McGuire

Roxie Wright

Jill Russell

Vicki Shelton

LaRue Anderson

Jo Reed Brumley

Gerald Todd, friend of Cindy Davis and member at West Fayetteville CoC.

Semika Osborn, friend of Cindy Davis.

George Zutaut, son of a close friend of the Crona's.

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. 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

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Calendar of Upcoming Events—

- Feb 10 Baby Shower for Logan Chaney Abernathy @ 2 PM in the MPR
- Feb 18 Sack Sunday
 - Rosewood Singing @ 1 PM
 - Elders & Deacon Meeting @ 4:30 PM
- Mar 24 Bridal Shower for Kelsey Hewes, bride elect of Tanner Shelton, @ 1 PM in the MPR

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Broad Street expresses our condolences to Lee Gist and family for the passing of her mother and our sister in Christ, Irene Gist. Irene passed away on Sunday, January 28th. Her

memorial service was held on Wednesday, January 31st at Scottsboro Funeral Home.

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Feb 7	-	CYC Payment Due, payment may be
		given to Josh, Wendy, Mark Price, or
		one of the elders
Feb 18	-	Rosewood Singing @ 1 PM
Feb 18-19	-	Moonlight Madness @ Meridianville,
		sign up sheet on bulletin board, leave
		@ 7 PM
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
Lad		to Leaders Calendar
Feb 11 -	-	Puppet Practice, all teams, @ 12 PM
-	_	Song Leading and Songs of Praise
		practice @ 5 PM
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- Feb 21 Puppet Practice, all teams @ 5 PM
- Feb 25 Young Men's Training and Girls Song Leading @ 5 PM
- Feb 28 Bible Bowl Practice @ 5 PM
- Mar 3 Puppet Practice, all teams, after AM service
- Mar 6 Puppet Practice, all teams, @ 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.

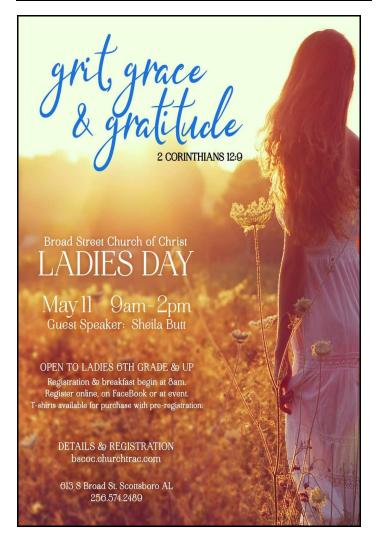


PUPPET PROGRAM - February 4, 2024

Narrator: Trey Russell

Teachers: Cynthia, Bandy, Erica, Chantel

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





Dear Broad Street Family,

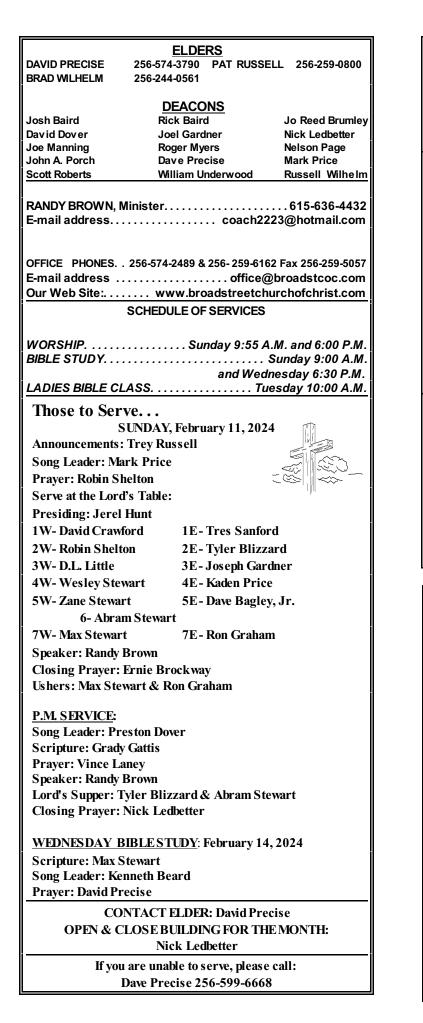
There truly are no words to adequately share what is in our hearts. The love and care you shared with Mother and our family not just this past month but for many years taught us what the love of Jesus looks like, through every act of kindness (whether it was a visit,

a card, a meal, a prayer, flowers, a hug), you not only honored Mother but you also honored our Lord. Thank you for the blessings you showered on Mother and each of us.

With Appreciation and Love,

The Family of Irene Gist





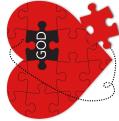
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