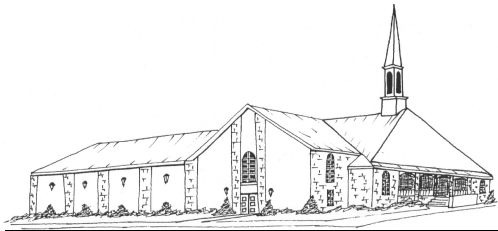


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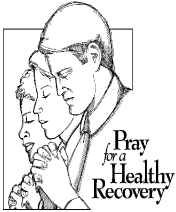
From Where I Sit . . .

“DOES THIS ILLUSTRATE YOUR LIFE?”

A woman was visiting her brother and his family. Her nephew stopped playing and suddenly and gazed up at his Aunt intently. “What are you thinking young man?”, the Aunt replied. “You’re a Christian, Auntie, aren’t you?”, he finally asked. “Well yes,” she replied. “But you never talk about Jesus,” he said, “If you loved Him very much, wouldn’t you talk about Him sometimes?” The Aunt was taken back a bit, stammered a reply, “We may love a person without speaking of him,” she said. “Can we?” her nephew asked innocently. “You talk about your papa and your mama and your brothers and your sisters all the time. And you talk about other people too - even me. But not Jesus,” he replied. “Well yes,” his Aunt admitted, “I suppose that has been so.” “Let’s talk about Jesus sometime,” her nephew concluded before getting up to go outside and play. And then with a backward wink, he added, “Cause I love Him, too!”

Does this illustrate your life? I am afraid that this has illustrated my life at times. Why is it so hard for us to talk about One whom we love so much? Is it fear that binds our tongues? If so, then what do we have to fear when speaking of our Lord? John tells us that the love Christ has for us and the love that we have for Him should remove this fear, I John 4: 17 - 19, “[17] Love has been perfected among us in this: that we may have boldness in the day of judgment; because as He is, so are we in this world. [18] There is no fear in love; but perfect love casts out fear, because fear involves torment. But he who fears has not been made perfect in love. [19] We love Him because He first loved us.” Truly if we had the appreciation for Jesus and what He has done for us, we would love Him deeply enough to be willing to speak to others about the One who sacrificed so much for us. Maybe we should respond like the leper found in Mark 1: 40 - 45, “40 Now a leper came to Him, imploring Him, kneeling down to Him and saying to Him, “If You are willing, You can make me clean.” [41] Then Jesus, moved with compassion, stretched out His hand and touched him, and said to him, “I am willing; be cleansed.” [42] As soon as He had spoken, immediately the leprosy left him, and he was cleansed. [43] And He strictly warned him and sent him away at once, [44] and said to him, “See that you say nothing to anyone; but go your way, show yourself to the priest, and offer for your cleansing those things which Moses commanded, as a testimony to them.” [45] However, he went out and began to proclaim it freely, and to spread the matter, so that Jesus could no longer openly enter the city, but was outside in deserted places; and they came to Him from every direction.” I wonder what impact we would have on others if we spoke of Jesus like this leper. We have been cured of a life-threatening disease, the sin that was to destroy our soul. Shouldn’t we have the same love and appreciation for Jesus as this leper did? Jesus is counting on us to tell the world about Him and His saving grace. Isn’t that the point of the Great Commission, Matthew 28: 19 - 20, “[19] “Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, [20] “teaching them to observe all things that I have commanded you; and lo, I am with you always, even to the end of the age.” Amen.”

... Randy Brown



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

Jason Judd, son-in-law of Randy and Kim Brown, had surgery on Wednesday, April 17th. Please pray for Jason and his family. 221 Mitchell St., Henderson, TN 38340.

Leah Gilliam will be having surgery on Thursday, April 18th to remove a benign tumor. Please keep her in your prayers.

Mark Waldrop, cousin of Vicki Shelton, Arlene Allen, and Haley Epps, had a aortic aneurysm and heart attack a few weeks ago and is now back in the hospital in the ICU. He had to have more surgery to drain blood that was leaking around his heart. Please keep Mark and his family in your prayers.

LONG-TERM PRAYER LIST

- Joan Little
Euyless Holcomb
Charlotte Vinson
Tammy McGuire
Roxie Wright
Nelda Ortiz, friend of many in the congregation.
Linda Holcomb, aunt of Scott Grant.
Jody Lemley, niece of Nancy Miles.
Cully Nelson Sr, friends of many in the congregation, 102 Spinnaker Ln, Scottsboro, AL 35769.
Patty Andrews, tenant and friend of LaRue Anderson.
Barbara Palmer, friend of LaRue Anderson.
Terri Lyn Rickman, daughter of Charlotte Vinson and sister of Cynthia Nance and Tammy McGuire, 1681 McMullen Rd., Gurley, AL 35748.
Judy Blizzard, grandmother of Tyler Blizzard, 1158 Co. Rd. 230, Hollywood, AL 35752.
Ginger Myers, sister of Roger Myers.
Jean Ferguson, a former member, 3329 Berryside Dr., Murfreesboro, TN 37128.
Jennifer Collet, friend of the Prices', 308 Knob Creek, Wartrace, TN 37183.
McKenzie York, cousin of Ashley Dover, David Bagley, and Angela Bagley, C/O Anji Rowell to McKenzie York, PO Box 285, Section, AL 35771.
Jerry Nickell, brother of Betty Robinson and Linda Nickell, 6343 Browns Run Rd., Middletown, OH 45042.
Herbert Barnes, brother of Charlene Cobb.
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

Table with 3 columns: Cloverdale Manor, Rosewood Manor, Southern Estates. Includes addresses and names like Jaxie Hargrave and Debra Kime.

- Elsie Goodman 427 Co. Rd. 765, Henagar, AL 35978
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—

- Apr 21 - Hostesses Meeting for Natalie McDaniel's Baby Shower after morning service in chapel
- Rosewood Singing @ 1 PM
- Baby Shower honoring Jessica Dawson
- Elders and Deacon Meeting @ 4:30 PM
- PM Speaker: Steve Gober from World Bible School
May 4 - Girls Day (6th Grade and Up) @ Meridianville CoC, sign up on bulletin board
May 5 - Baby Shower honoring Natalie McDaniel
May 11 - Ladies Day @ 9AM, Speaker: Sheila Butt, sign up on bulletin board

Table with 2 columns: Measure Of Our Love and corresponding amounts for Bible Study, Worship, and Budget.

Three Copies of Beyond the Tree; Where is God? By Nobie Stone, have been given to Broad Street by Nobie and Margaret Stone in memory of LeRoy and Irene Gist. This book was written with the hope that it might help anyone, but especially young people, whose faith becomes challenged, and the loss of a soul is at risk.



The following books by Wayne Jackson have been donated to the church library in memory of our dear sister and friend Irene Gist by John D. and Sheryl Porch:

- Notes From the Margin of My Bible
Revelation
Bible Words



- Apr 20 - Lads to Leader Banquet @ 5 PM at Woods Cove, please sign up on bulletin board for a dinner count
- Apr 21 - Rosewood Singing @ 1 PM
- Apr 26-28 - Rocket City Spring Retreat
- May 4 - Girls Day Day(6th Grade and Up) @ Meridianville CoC, sign up on bulletin board
- May 11 - Broad Street Ladies Day @ 9 AM
- Father/Son Top Golf @ 9 AM, sign up on bulletin board
- May 19 - Graduates Reception after evening services
- May 25 - Summer Kickoff Cookout

PUPPET PROGRAM - April 21, 2024

Narrator: Connor McDaniel

Teachers: Roger, Sidney, Natalie

Puppets: John Hollis, Joseph, Nina, Jacob, Traci, Cheyenne



Broad Street will be collecting canned drinks, gatorades, and snacks(full size candy bars, individual bags of chips, and Little Debbies) for the Rocket City Youth Spring Retreat. Please place donated items in the East Foyer by the elevator before Wednesday, April 24th. Monetary donations may also be given to Connor or one of the elders.

The annual Rocket City Youth Spring Retreat will be Friday, April 26th to Sunday, April 28th at Camp Neyati. The cost of the weekend will be \$70 per person, includes all food and canteen. A sign up sheet is posted on the bulletin board. Please see Connor if you need monetary assistance.



Join us on Sunday, April 21st at 1 PM to 3 PM in the MPR for a Diaper and Wipes Shower honoring Jessica Dawson. Jessica and James are expecting a boy and are registered at Amazon.

Please join us on Sunday, May 5th for a baby shower to honor Natalie McDaniel at 2 PM in the MPR. Natalie and Connor are expecting a boy and are registered at <https://www.babylist.com/list/natalie-mcdaniel> and Grapevine. Hostesses will be meet on Sunday, April 21st for a quick meeting in the chapel.



Graduates, we would like to feature you on the cover of an upcoming issue of the Banner. Please submit a graduation photo to the office by May 8th. Thanks!

Hostesses helping with Jessica Dawson's shower will meet to decorate on Friday, April 19th at 10 AM.



Broad Street needs several men to stay after services on Wednesday, April 17th to move tables and chairs in the MPR for the shower on Sunday.

Church Family,
I want to thank everyone for the cards, visits, food, and the prayers during my surgery and recovery. So blessed to be part of a caring church family.



Love,

Euyless and Aurora

Ladies Day t-shirts have arrived and are ready for pick up in the west foyer. There are several extra shirts available for \$12. Please see Wendy Baird if you are interested in a shirt. If you pick up a shirt for someone else, please let them know that you have picked it up.



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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, April 21, 2024

Announcements: Nick Ledbetter

Song Leader: Mark Price

Prayer: David Crawford

Serve at the Lord's Table:

Presiding: D.L. Little

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| 1W- Marty Cobb | 1E- Robin Shelton |
| 2W- Chuck Davis | 2E- Bill Price |
| 3W- Tim Allen | 3E- Grady Gattis |
| 4W- Wesley Stewart | 4E- Russell Wilhelm |
| 5W- Zane Stewart | 5E- Max Stewart |
| 6- Abram Stewart | |
| 7W- Ron Graham | 7E- Scottie Green |

Speaker: Connor McDaniel

Closing Prayer: C.B. Laney

Ushers: Ron Graham & Scottie Green

P.M. SERVICE:

Song Leader: Preston Dover

Scripture: Max Stewart

Prayer: Pat Russell

Speaker: Steve Gober (World Bible School)

Lord's Supper: Tim Allen & Grady Gattis

Closing Prayer: Dave Bagley

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY: April 24, 2024

Scripture: Major Ledbetter

Song Leader: Patton Russell

Prayer: Ernie Brockway

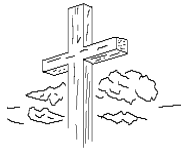
CONTACT ELDER: David Precise

OPEN & CLOSE BUILDING FOR THE MONTH:

John A. Porch

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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Life is Like a Clock

Life is like a clock. The hands of time go only forward, never backward.

Life is not like a movie. It can never be rerun for a second showing.

Life is not like an automobile. It has no reverse gear.

Life is not like a pencil. You cannot erase your mistakes.

Today is your opportunity to do all that you can do, so do the best you can today.