



Sunday, June 7, 2020 **Worship Service** @ 10am

PLEASE USE COVID-19

GUIDELINES IF YOU ATTEND WORSHIP!

Face Masks are suggested, but not required.

YOU MAY LIVESTREAM WORSHIP @ 10AM Sunday Bible Class

@ 5pm Livestreaming Only Wednesday Bible Study @ 7pm Livestreaming Only

DAILY BIBLE READING GOAL: **Read my Bible Each Day!**

Choose from three plans:

#1: Daily Reading Plan by Todd Clippard Begin reading the Bible any day of the year. If you miss a day, simply pick up where you left off. This schedule has vou read the entire Old Testament one time and the entire New Testament four times in one year. Day 156-1 Chronicles 18-21, 2 Cor 11-13 Day 157-1 Chronicles 22-24, Galatians 1-3 Day 158-1 Chronicles 25-27, Galatians 4-6 Day 159-1 Chronicles 28-29, Ephesians 1-3 Day 160-2 Chronicles 1-3, Ephesians 4-6 Day 161-2 Chronicles 4-6, Philippians Day 162 – 2 Chronicles 7-9, Colossians #2 Bible Reading Plan by Dan Winkler: A chapter each weekdav can help make a "new you" this year.

259 Chapters in New Testament. #3 Printed on Monthly B & A Calendars

PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

Wes Parker \star Sean Nowak ★ Mitchell Swann

Happy Birthday

- Shellv Hendrick June 4
- Jake Sims. Matt Vogelaar June 5
- Tony Parker, Garrett Runager June 6
- June 7 Jerrie Swann
- Sawyer Appleton, David Brown, Marla Holt, Emily Love June 9
- June 10 Cindy Forsythe, Julie Leonardi, Mike Preuitt, Melonie Thompson

Happy Anniversary

June 5 Betty Dean & Bill Kelly June 10 Kasey & Tim Brown



Weekly Weekly Budget: \$13,500.00 We Contributed: \$10,400.00



Let your light so shine

Serving



Ministers Todd Barrier Frank Thornton Phillip Hines

Elders Talmage Reynolds Darrell Sims Alan Walker **Phillip Hines** Lee Hobbs

Deacons

Tim Brown

Scott Forsythe

Kerry Hamlett

Matt Reynolds

Tony Parker

B. C. Smith

Phillip Binkley Tony Ford Harry Fuller Ed Monroe Jim Reeder Mike Runager Tim Tanksley Cooper Wigginton



Office Dianne Thompson Jerrie Swann

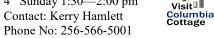
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Sunday Worship: 10 AM Attended Nursery & Children's Bible Hour (Ages 2-5)

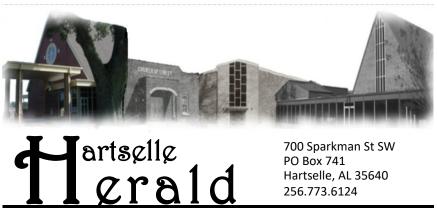
Bible Classes for All Ages: 5 PM Closing Assembly: 5:45 PM

Wednesdav Fellowship 5:30p **Bible Study** 7:00p

Columbia Cottage Service Visit 4th Sunday 1:30—2:00 pm



Livestreaming of Sunday Worship Services



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Standing on Second

On November 1, 2005, a statue was unveiled in front of a Brooklyn ballfield, KeySpan Park, where the Mets' Class A Cyclones play. The statue was not of a general on a horse, or a politician holding the constitution, but of two long-ago baseball players --Jackie Robinson and Pee Wee Reese, of the Brooklyn Dodgers. The statue shows Reese's arm around Robinson's shoulder.

In 1947, Jackie Robinson was the first African American to play major league baseball. While breaking baseball's "color barrier," he faced jeering crowds, death threats, heckling, and taunts in every stadium. One day, while playing in his home stadium in Brooklyn, he committed an error. His own fans began to ridicule him. He stood at second base, humiliated, while the fans ieered.

The shortstop, "Pee Wee" Reese came over and stood next to him. He put his arm around Jackie Robinson and faced the crowd. The fans grew guiet. Robinson later said that arm around his shoulder saved his career. In the biography "Jackie Robinson" by Arnold Rampersad, Robinson himself recalled the incident this way: "'Pee Wee' kind of sensed the sort of helpless, dead feeling in me and came over and stood beside me for a while. He didn't say a word, but he looked over at the chaps who were yelling at me and just stared. He was standing by me, I could tell you that." In 1997, Reese told The New York Times: "Something in my gut reacted at the moment. Something about what? The unfairness of it? The injustice of it? I don't know."

We've all been there, I suppose – standing in need of someone to face our problems with us. And I also believe we've all been there for that one who needed the encouraging arm around the shoulder. The apostle Paul wrote in Galatians 6:1-2, "Brethren, if a man is overtaken in any trespass, you who are spiritual restore such a one in a spirit of gentleness, considering yourself lest you also be tempted. Bear one another's burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ." There are those who need us now. People all around us are hurting in different ways. At this time some are struggling financially. An elderly couple may need someone to pick up groceries for them. Others may simply need a phone call and someone to talk to. Those caught in sins and weaknesses need us, and we all need each another. Will you reach out to someone this week? There is surely someone standing on second base, needing a friend. Phillip



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LONG TERM ILLNESSES

Robert & Debra Allen Ľ 1914 Manchester Ave SW Decatur, AL 35603 Tom & Janet Brown 1018 Nance Ford Rd SW Kenneth & Gail Conner 224 Airport Rd SW Terry Easterly 162 Gum Springs Cut-Off Billy & Maudie Engle 1012 Mason Dr. NW Marie Harding 501 Cedar St NW Marie Harwell 393 Cherry St. NW Vera Haves 660 Vaughn Bridge Rd NW Reynolds & Katie Howard 221 Oak Trail John & Betty Owens 2402 Deere Rd. Decatur 35603 **Shirley Powell** 3159 Huckaby Bridge Rd SW **Tim Tanksley** 455 E Parker Rd Dene Walls 1809 Walls Lane NE Maxine Woods 1405 Edgewood Dr NW Remember these who are struggling Doug Blackwood Jim Reeder Paul Sapp Randy Beck Faye Greenhill Alton Balev Isaac Williams Ed Rooker Nathan Barnett Lerov Baugus Tabitha Curtis' Dad Owen Roper Dorothy Abbott Carroll Sims David & Angela Hargrove



PRAY FOR OUR SICK & THEIR FAMILIES CARING FOR THEM IN THIS DIFFICULT TIME

It's good to have Harry Fuller back with us after surgery. Terry Easterly is continuing chemo. Della Carmon suffered



another seizure Sunday night and had to go to the ER. She is very tired, but some better and will be in quarantine until Monday at Columbia Cottage. Nina Johnson is scheduled for hip replacement surgery June 22nd. Debra Allen has a long recovery at home. Pray for Debra & Robert (1914 Manchester Ave SW, Decatur, AL 35603). John Owens remains in NHC Moulton. Rm 109B for rehab. No visits allowed at this time. Pray for the Owens family.

Maxine McCaghren, Carl McCaghren's mother and Leah Steele's grandmother, is at home with hospice. Pray for this family as they care for her.

Kaci Carpenter's dad. Lerov Baugas. will be in ICU for several days following surgery; then transferred to the rehab VA facility for at least two months. No visitors are allowed. Thank you so much for your thoughts and prayers! Bob Dickinson is at home with hospice. Our pravers are requested for **John** Bogdan, Megan Swann Bogdan's

father-in-law, who is hospitalized in Destin, FL with injuries from an auto accident.

Prav for our family members friends & neighbors suffering spiritually/physically/mentally.

Don't Forget our Shut-Ins

♥ Columbia Cottage (1109 Sparkman St NW) Nadine Callaway #32 Nina Thompson #19 Della Carmon #9



Summerford Nursing Home (4087 Hwy 31SW, Falkville, 35622)

Ed & Willie Monroe #215 Hazel Tankslev #201 Ronnie McGill #59 Betty Braun #104 Darlene Williams #22

♥ Falkville Health Care (103rd St W. Falkville, 35622) Movlyn Roberson #125A

♥ Westminster Assisted Living (2106 Modaus Rd SW, Decatur, AL 35603) Ruth Balcom #206

Pray for Ruth as she transitions to a new place.

♥ The Terrace (200 Terrace Lane, Decatur, 35603) Delores Gilchrist Rm #309

♥ Nancy Gillette (Premier Assisted Living ,155 Butter Egg Road , Columbiana, AL 35051)

♥ Chris Warren (Harbor Chase, 2100 Vining Dr, 138 Dogwood Trace, Jasper, AL 35501)

OUR ELDERS HAVE DECIDED FOR EVERYONE'S SAFETY, WE ARE MEETING FOR 10AM SUNDAY WORSHIP ONLY IN JUNE.



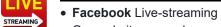
Our 10 am Worship Livestreaming continues for those who are "at risk." If you do not have Livestreaming access: we Livestream Worship, with social distancing, in the Old Auditorium each Sunday morning. Enter by the side door. Livestream Only: Sunday Bible Class @ 5pm

Wednesday Night Bible Study @ 7pm

PLEASE STAY HOME IF YOU ARE SICK!

HOME IF YOU HAVE BEEN IN CLOSE CONTACT WITH A CONFIRMED COVID-19 CASE, YOU'RE EXPERIENCING A COUGH, SHORTNESS OF BREATH; FEVER (IN 48 HRS. PRIOR TO SUNDAY); NEW LOSS OF TASTE OR SMELL; OR EXPERIENCED VOMITING OR DIARRHEA (24 hrs. prior to Sunday).

AVAILABLE LIVESTREAMING OPTIONS



- Our website on our homepage: www.hartsellecoc.org
- Our YouTube channel: subscribe to Hartselle Church of Christ
- Your **Roku/Apple TV**: download the Boxcast Application and search for Hartselle Church of Christ



Barrier's Blog

This week I am going to use the blog to go over the outline from my sermon this past Sunday. It's very important to be reminded of the devastating effects making excuses towards God has on Christians. I hope this lesson is a helpful reminder about why we shouldn't be "excuse makers".

In Luke 14:16-24 we have the parable of The Great Supper. A great supper has been prepared and the table has been set. The Bible says a certain man sent his servant to invite the ones he wanted to attend. Every last person had an excuse not to attend the party! The master then sends his servant to invite all of the poor and lowly, these invitees don't make excuses when invited, and the table still has seats even with all of those in attendance.

- In This parable we learn a few things about excuses.
- 1. Excuses are just that, excuses, not legitimate reasons.
- 2. Excuses close the doors on opportunities.
- 3. Excuses can lead to an empty plate (spiritually speaking, Luke 14:24).
- 4. The invitation of God is open ended and the seats at the table never fill up (there is always room for more, Luke 14:23). Are you making excuses in your relationship with God?

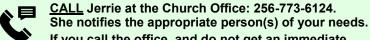
We look forward to seeing you Sunday! In Him, Todd



NOTIFY THE OFFICE ABOUT THOSE WHO ARE SICK, ANNOUNCEMENTS & **NEEDS, PLEASE!** ELDERS, MINISTERS AND STAFF DO NOT GET ALL NEWS,

NEEDS & NOTES BY SOCIAL MEDIA!

E-MAIL anything to be announced or printed to Dianne at dreid@hartsellechurch.org; or mail to P O Box 741, Hartselle.



If you call the office, and do not get an immediate

answer, PLEASE LEAVE A MESSAGE!!!-don't just hang up!

We may be away from the phone, on another call, at the door or helping someone. Your call is important. We WILL Call You ASAP!

If you need us after Hours: Call. Text or email Staff or Elders.

* Pray for our Shepherds & Every Member!

