



Sunday
Sept. 13, 2020
10am
Worship
Service
 Please use Face Masks.

YOU MAY ALSO
LIVESTREAM WORSHIP
@ 10AM

Sunday Bible Classes
@ 5pm Livestreaming Only

ADULTS: Minor Prophets:
Todd Barrier

ADULT ZOOM:
Book of John
Harry Fuller

CHILDREN'S ZOOM
Contact Mark or Marcy

Wednesday Bible Study@
6:30pm Livestreaming Only

Happy Birthday

Sept 10 Olivia Curtis
 Harry Fuller
 Sept 11 Charles Crawford
 Sept 13 James Cotner
 Tina McLemore
 Sept 14 Avery Sullivan
 Sept 15 Alana Thompson

Happy Anniversary

Sept 11 Laura & Bryon Veal
 Sept 12 Cindy & Scott Forsythe
 Sept 14 Lydia & B. C. Smith
 Sept 16 Sue & Darrell Sims

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 you read the entire Old Testament one time and the entire New Testament four times in one year.*

Day 255 – Isaiah 3-5, 1 Timothy 4-6

Day 256 – Isaiah 6-8, 2 Timothy

Day 257 – Isaiah 9-11, Titus, Philemon

Day 258 – Isaiah 12-14, Hebrews 1-7

Day 259 – Isaiah 15-19, Hebrews 8-13

Day 260 – Isaiah 20-23, James

Day 261 – Isaiah 24-26, 1 Peter

#2 Bible Reading Plan by Dan Winkler:

A chapter each weekday 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
- ★ Sean Nowak
- ★ Mitchell Swann



Let your light so shine
 Matthew 5:16

Serving
 from the
Heart

Weekly Offering
Weekly Budget: \$13,500.00
We Contributed: \$15,723.00

staff + elders
deacons

Ministers

Phillip Hines Todd Barrier Frank Thornton

Elders

Talmage Reynolds Darrell Sims Alan Walker
 Phillip Hines Lee Hobbs

Deacons

Phillip Binkley Tim Brown Charles Crawford
 Tony Ford Scott Forsythe Bobby Fox
 Harry Fuller Kerry Hamlett Jeff Harris
 Ed Monroe Tony Parker Bradley Phillips
 Jim Reeder Matt Reynolds Mark Reynolds
 Mike Runager B. C. Smith Jimmy Summerford
 Tim Tanksley Terry Thompson Don Wear
 Cooper Wigginton



Office

Dianne Thompson
 Jerrie Swann

serviceTimes

Because of Covid-19, we are meeting for
Sunday Morning Worship at 10am only.
Livestream Worship is available if you are unable to attend.
Livestream is also available in the Old Auditorium.

5 pm Sunday Bible Classes are Livestream Only!
Three Classes: Adult Class or Adult Zoom Class
and Children's Zoom Class

Livestream Only Wednesday night Bible Study
New Time is 6:30pm

PLEASE CONTACT THE CHURCH OFFICE WITH NEWS & NOTES
E-MAIL Dianne at dreid@hartsellechurch.org or
CALL Jerrie at the Church Office 256-773-6124



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Wednesday & Sunday Night Classes

Our Wednesday night Bible Classes will begin September 30! If everything goes well, we will resume our Sunday night Bible classes October 25. For a short time, our Wednesday night classes will be different than what we have had in the past. We are presently working on the format, and we will share it with you in the next week or two. My livestream adult class will continue with a few minor adjustments.

Our Sunday schedule will remain as it is through October 18. It too, will be a little different than what we have been doing in the past. As time gets closer, we will share with you the format for those classes. The adult class will be livestreamed for those who cannot get out.

Whether you come or not is a decision that you must make. We certainly encourage those who are elderly or those who have physical problems to stay at home and watch the livestreamed class. We will continue with our disinfecting the building, social distancing, and hand sanitizer. Masks are required for entrance and exit, but you don't have to wear them while you are seated. Our pre-school is in its third week and things are going well. We feel the same precautions that are being used there will work in our Bible classes.

Phillip



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prayer Requests

LONG TERM ILLNESSES

Robert & Debra Allen

1914 Manchester Ave SW
Decatur, AL 35603

Tom & Janet Brown

1018 Nance Ford 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

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

Maxine Woods

1405 Edgewood Dr NW

Remember these who are struggling:

Doug Blackwood

Greg Teague

Paul Sapp

Tim Milon

Nathan Barnett

Carroll Sims

Faye Greenhill

Isaac Williams

John Bogdan

Dorothy Abbott

Robert Sullivan

Bear, grandson of SyRhonda Smith-Tolbert

Linda & Pete Holley



Greeting cards of various types have been donated to us. Feel free to pick up cards you like in the Commons Area.

PRAY FOR OUR SICK AND THEIR FAMILIES

Frank Thornton

is recovering from

knee replacement

surgery yesterday in

Huntsville. He

hopes to be home from the hospital by

the weekend. Pray for Frank & Telula

Nadine Callaway is back and improving

at Columbia Cottage, Rm. 32.

Glenda Thompson is now in Columbia

Cottage, Rm. 18.

Pray for Alan & Jane Walker and family.

Billy Walker (Alan's father), has been

diagnosed with cancer. He will have

tests and appointments to determine

course of treatment. Also, **Diana**

Burlingame (Jane's sister-in-law) has

had a recurrence of breast cancer that

has metastasized to various places.

Della Carmon was back with us Sunday

morning for the first time since her long

illness and rehab. Pray for Della.

Hesta Gurney is at home recovering

from shoulder replacement surgery.

Pray for Hesta & Frank.

Amy Taylor is having a very difficult

pregnancy. Pray for Amy & Wes.

Leroy Baugas (Kaci Carpenter's dad) in

extended VA Rehab may get a skin

graft. Kaci appreciates your continued

prayers. Her dad enjoys your cards.

Verlin "Leroy" Baugas

2200 Fort Roots Dr.

Room 152 bed 24 IB

North Little Rock AR 72114.



Pray for our family members friends and neighbors suffering spiritually, physically & mentally.



Don't Forget our Shut-Ins

♥ **Columbia Cottage** (1109 Sparkman St NW)

Nadine Callaway #32 **Nina Thompson #19**

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

Ed & Willie Monroe #215 **Hazel Tanksley #201**

Betty Braun #104 **Darlene Williams #22**

♥ **Westminster Assisted Living** (2106 Modaus Rd SW, Decatur, AL 35603)

Ruth Balcom #206

♥ **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)

GIFT CARD BABY SHOWER

Ladies, don't forget the **Gift Card Baby Shower**

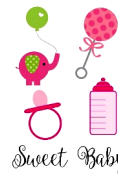
honoring Laura Evans and baby girl, Blakely.

Please bring a Baby Shower Card with a gift card to

Target or Amazon enclosed to the church office by

this Sunday, September 13. Cards will be given to

Laura with our well wishes.



LIGHTHOUSE PRESCHOOL

Our Preschool is in session 8:30am—12:30pm

Monday, Tuesday & Thursday. See Sandra

Shaneyfelt for information.

★ **Supply donations are welcomed!** Hand Sanitizer, Copy Paper, Glue Sticks, Construction Paper, Markers, Crayons, Lysol, Wet Wipes, Clorox Wipes.

Children's Zoom Bible class Each Sunday@ 5pm!

Send an email to sonlightstation@gmail.com

or message Mark or Marcy for the link.

Lesson Packets are available.

Don't let your kids miss out!



Harry Fuller's Adult ZOOM CLASS Sundays @ 5pm.

For those who have the ZOOM app:

Meeting ID: **895 9181 2103**

Passcode: **269979**



ID and Passcode good through September.

Contact Harry at 256-758-3660 with questions.

Bible Class Resuming Updates:



Our plans are to begin face to face

Wednesday Night Bible Classes

Wednesday, September 30th.

If everything goes well, we will then

resume meeting for **Sunday Night**

Bible Classes Sunday, October 25th.



Barrier's Blog

I love college football. My dad loved Alabama football so much he named me after a quarterback (Richard Todd) and my brother after The Bear (Paul Bryant). We used to go to all of the games growing up. I think over the last 33 years I've been to around 120-130 Alabama games. I remember how obsessed I used to be (used to, ha!) with the games. A loss would crush me for days. The media guide would come once per year with our tickets and I would go over it with a fine tooth comb every year. There wasn't anything I knew more than Alabama football. I graduated from Alabama in 1999 and now I had the added title of Alumnus, I thought I was hot stuff. I still love Bama football, I still get crushed, for a bit, after a loss. However, something changed for me that brought the word "idols" to the forefront of my life. I was in a Bible class learning how to teach or to just get better at speaking in public. It was my week to give a 2-3 minute "speech". I don't remember exactly what the subject was, other than Jesus. After class I found myself discussing football with a Notre Dame fan. I was spouting off statistics and names from Alabama football like no one's business. Then it hit me, I knew more about my favorite pastime than I did my Savior! Bama football had become like an idol to me. I've made an effort ever since to learn more about the Bible than any other subject. The world offers us great and wonderful pastimes and hobbies but only the Bible offers us one eternal pastime and we can only understand it and get there through the knowledge of His Word! We should enjoy the things God has given us here, but not be obsessed with them. 1 John 5:21 says...*Little children, keep yourselves from idols...* We have to recognize these idols to keep ourselves from them, so be on the lookout for anything that replaces a love for God's Word in your life. Romans 1:21-23 says...*For although they knew God, they did not honor him as God or give thanks to him, but they became futile in their thinking, and their foolish hearts were darkened. Claiming to be wise, they became fools, and exchanged the glory of the immortal God for images resembling mortal man and birds and animals and creeping things...* When earthly things become our obsessions we don't honor God like we should and it puts our relationship with Him in jeopardy. So let's enjoy the football season, but not let it become like an idol that guides our lives! Is there something in your life that is becoming an idol?

In Him, **Todd**