



**Sunday, Oct 11, 2020**  
**10am Worship Service**  
 Please use Face Masks.

**LIVESTREAM WORSHIP**  
**ALSO @ 10AM**

**Sunday Adult Bible**  
**Classes @ 5pm**  
**Livestreaming Only**  
**Minor Prophets: Todd Barrier**

**ZOOM: Book of John**  
 Harry Fuller

**ADULT, COLLEGE AGE**  
**JR & SR HIGH &**  
**CHILDREN'S**  
**WEDNESDAY**  
**BIBLE NIGHT**  
**CLASSES**  
**ARE MEETING**  
**IN PERSON @ 6:30PM**

**PHILLIP HINES' CLASS WILL**  
**CONTINUE LIVESTREAMING**

#### Happy Birthday

Oct 8 Harlen Tanksley  
 Oct 10 Jimmy Martin  
 Oct 12 Justin Barley, Melissa Green, Sallie Hargrove  
 Sheila Ruble, B. C. Smith  
 Oct 13 David Hargrove, Brandon McLemore  
 Oct 14 Brynleigh Holt, Leslie Martin, Tyler Thompson



#### Happy Anniversary

Oct 8 Larisa & James Cotner  
 Oct 11 Joyce & Danny Payne  
 Oct 9 Kim & Lee Hobbs  
 Oct 12 Amy & Bob Pettit  
 Reatha & Tim Tanksley

**Weekly Budget: \$13,500.00**  
**We Contributed: \$14,497.00**

Serving  
 from the  
**Heart**

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

**CONTACT THE CHURCH OFFICE WITH NEWS & NOTES**

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 or **CALL** Jerrie at the Church Office 256-773-6124

#### SERVICE TIMES

Let your light so shine  
 Matthew 5:16

**Sunday Morning Worship @ 10am.**  
**Adult Livestream or ZOOM Bible Classes @ 5pm.**  
*Livestream Only until October 25<sup>th</sup>*

**Zoom Meeting ID: 883 6221 8969 Passcode 915630**  
**\* Sunday Children's Zoom Bible Class—discontinued.**

#### WEDNESDAY NIGHT Bible Classes @ 6:30!

**THREE ENTRANCES & EXITS: SOUTH FOYER**  
**SOUTH FELLOWSHIP AREA & EAST EDUCATIONAL BUILDING**

**CRADLE ROLL THROUGH 4 YEARS—DOWNSTAIRS CLASSROOMS**

**K—5TH GRADE—SONLIGHT STATION—UPSTAIRS**

**JR. & SR. HIGH—THE FORT TO BE ANNOUNCED**

**COLLEGE—UPSTAIRS OLD AUDITORIUM CLASSROOM**

**ADULTS—OLD AUDITORIUM**

**SUNDAY & WEDNESDAY LIVESTREAMING**  
**WILL CONTINUE FOR THOSE UNABLE TO ATTEND**



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#### 2020

What a year 2020 has been! For us, it started off as a great year of celebration of our 100<sup>th</sup> year. We had planned and prayed for a year that would thrust us into the next hundred years. Then comes the pandemic! Wow, things changed suddenly. We were excited about our Homecoming in March. Hundreds of invitations were sent. Speakers with connections to the church here had been scheduled. I was really looking forward to the tent meeting in May! The right tent had been found, a Saturday fish fry was in the making and I was developing my sermons. A committee had worked extremely hard to have displays ready for September's "Down Memory Lane". We were psyched with the anticipation of numerous people from our community being in our facilities for this event. Then, everyone was pumped for our Block Party that would have been taking place next week. Food, rides, booths, and inflatables were being arranged.

Well, we have not talked much about the 100th year since March. Can you believe it? We had planned more for evangelism in 2020 than in all the other 40 years I have been here! To question God would be easy. However, we must not forget the good that has come. We have learned the significance of live streaming, and through that avenue we are reaching more people than we ever have. Those who would never come into our building are listening to our classes and sermons. Smaller congregations with no live streaming have depended upon us during the times they could not meet. Because of this pandemic, we have been forced to think outside the box and realize our methods of evangelism must adapt to 21<sup>st</sup> century living. Personally, I have been reassured of the spiritual strength of this church. You have continued to generously support this church financially. Your prayers and comments to the Shepherds have been many and uplifting.

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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

**Leroy Baugas** (VA Rehab).

**Verlin "Leroy" Baugas**, 2200  
Fort Roots Dr., Room 152 bed 24  
IB, North Little Rock AR 72114

Remember:

**Frank Thornton** (recovering from  
knee replacement)

**Kaci Carpenter** (recovering from  
sinus surgery)

**Amy Taylor** (difficult pregnancy)

**Bob Dickinson** (Christi Day's  
dad, home from the hospital)

## GREAT GRANDAUGHTER

**Emilia Swan Bogdan**,  
7 lbs, 12.9 oz was born  
October 6, 2020.  
Parents: Megan &  
Andrei Bogdan,  
Grandparents:  
Colby & Mandy Swann;  
Great Grandparents:  
Gilbert & Jerrie Swann.



## PRAY FOR OUR SICK AND THEIR FAMILIES!

**Anslee LeMay** made it well through  
her second eardrum replacement  
surgery Tuesday. She will be on  
antibiotics for a month. Pray for success.

**Hal Wilson** has a bad case of shingles.

**Wanda Crawford** will have outpatient  
knee surgery tomorrow, Oct. 8.

**Rita Beddingfield** had a diagnostic  
mammogram for a breast lump today.  
Pray for **Tim & Sandra Hall**, brother &  
sister-in-law of Sally Murphy. Sandra is  
in UAB with a blood infection, cirrhosis  
and needs a liver transplant. Tim's high  
blood pressure is causing nose bleeds.

**Betty Owens**, Karen's mom, fell and  
broke her arm at the elbow. She will be  
scheduled for surgery ASAP.

**Kathy Reynolds** is scheduled for knee  
replacement surgery next week.

**Donna Barnett**, Amanda Appleton's  
mother, will have an arteriogram  
tomorrow. Prayers are requested.

**Tim Milon's neighbor** is hospitalized  
battling Covid-19.

It's good to have **Harry Fuller** back.

## Walker/Burlingame Family Update

**Billy Walker**, Alan's dad, had successful  
surgery Monday to relieve symptoms.  
He will begin chemo and radiation in a  
few weeks. Pray for quick healing and  
successful treatment.

**Diana Burlingame**, Jane's sister-in-law,  
had an appointment today at MD  
Anderson to discuss treatment options.  
Pray for the best decision and healing.

**Roger Marcus**, Jane's uncle, is  
struggling with the leukemia and side  
effects of treatment. Pray for  
healing and relief. *Thank you so  
much for all your prayers!*



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

## Don't Forget our Shut-Ins

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

**Glenda Thompson #18**

**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 #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 SYMPATHY TO THESE THREE FAMILIES

### WHO HAVE LOST LOVED ONES IN TRAGIC AUTO AND

### AIRPLANE ACCIDENTS OVER THE PAST DAYS:

- ♦ To **Beverly & Jimmy Summerford** and family in  
the tragic death of **Chuck Sittason** of Tuscaloosa,  
Beverly's brother, who died from injuries in an accident.
- ♦ To **Tim Walters**, a brother from Limestone Correctional Facility,  
in the death of his brother, **Boderick Waters**, in an auto accident.
- ♦ To **Matt, Shayley & Addi Vogelaar** in the death of their older sister,  
**Lindsey Vogelaar**, and her husband of four days who were  
killed in a plane crash in Colorado.



## MEN'S MEETING—Saturday, October 24

Biscuits @ 7:30am followed by Deacon Reports,  
suggestions & input. This should conclude about  
8:30am. After meeting men will cut and clean up the  
bad Leland Cypress trees bordering the rear parking lot.



## TRUNK-OR-TREAT Saturday, October 31<sup>st</sup> 4:00-6:00pm.

Join us in the north church  
building parking lot for

**A Walk Through  
Trunk-or-Treat event.**

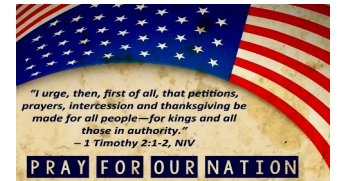
**A To-Go Dinner**  
will be provided in a  
Commemorative 2020  
Halloween Treat Bucket!  
This is a FREE event and  
all are welcomed.

See Mark or Marcy for  
items you can donate for  
dinner packs.



**LIGHTHOUSE  
PRESCHOOL**  
8:30am—12:30pm  
Mon/Tues/Thurs  
See Sandra

Shaneyfelt for more information.



## Barrier's Blog

It has been an active hurricane season. We've had some direct hits  
here in the U.S. and had some near misses. The meteorologists do  
their best to predict the size, severity and landfall location of these  
storms to help people in those areas prepare for the storm and the  
aftermath. As a Christian we face the same thing spiritually. We  
know the storms of life will come. How do we know this? Well, be-  
cause the Bible tells us so. In John 16:33 Jesus says...*In the world  
you will have tribulation...* So we know those tough times will come,  
just by the nature of us being human. Then the question becomes,  
are we prepared for the storm and the aftermath? To be prepared  
for the storms we must build a strong faith BEFORE the hurricanes  
of life hit so we can focus on recovery in the aftermath. If we have  
prepared by growing our faith in Jesus we will have a much easier  
time in the aftermath. Let's look at the whole verse from earlier,  
John 16:33...*"These things I have spoken to you, that in Me you  
may have peace. In the world you will have tribulation; but be of  
good cheer, I have overcome the world."*

As we prepare for the inevitable storms, we know that Jesus has  
overcome this world so we can look forward to doing the same  
thing one day, eternally. Therefore when the storms come we can  
look to Him and our eternal future for comfort. Are you prepared for  
the storms of life?  
In Him, **Todd**

(Hines' Sight Continued)

No, 2020 did not go as we had planned. I am reminded of what  
happened to Paul in Acts 15. He wanted to go to Bithynia to  
preach the Gospel. Bithynia was a large seaport city. There were  
thousands of people there that could hear the Gospel message.  
As for Paul, this seemed like the best place to go. However, God  
had other plans (Acts 15:7). God had greater plans for Paul! As  
we look forward to 2021, we have no idea where this virus will  
lead us. Remember, even though we do not know about the  
future we do know who holds the future! He will make it work  
out for the best.

**Phillip**



## HURRICANE RELIEF SUPPLIES

We are collecting roofing supplies, tarps, nails, etc.  
for helping those in the south affected by Hurricane  
Delta. Monetary donations are also being accepted.

See Tim Tanksley or B. C. Smith if you wish to help with this effort.