



Sunday
September 26
2021

10am Worship Service

LIVESTREAM WORSHIP-10AM

Nursery Attended Nursery
(6 mos.—2 yrs.)

THANK YOU to all who signed up to keep the Nursery!!! We only have two Sundays open, November 21 & 28. Please sign up if you can help!



Children's Bible Hour
Ages 2-5 yrs
1st, 3rd, 5th Sundays

THANK YOU to all of those who signed up to teach Children's Bible Hour. We need to fill Oct. 31 and Nov. 21. Please signup or see Mark Reynolds.

Sunday Afternoon
5pm Bible Classes!

Wednesday Night
Bible Classes-6:30pm

THANK YOU to all those who signed up to teach our Sunday & Wednesday Pre-School Bible Classes. If you can help Spring or Summer 2022 quarters, please see Mike Runager!



Weekly Budget: \$13,500.00
We Contributed: \$10,588.00

Read Your Bible Daily in 2021

Choose from three plans:

#1: Daily Reading (Todd Clippard) Begin reading any day of the year. If you miss a day, pick up where you left off. You read the entire Old Testament and entire New Testament four times.

Day 261 – Isaiah 24-26, 1 Peter

Day 262 – Isaiah 27-28, 2 Peter

Day 263 – Isaiah 29-30, 1 John

Day 264 – Isaiah 31-33, 2 John, 3 John, Jude

Day 265 – Isaiah 34-36, Revelation 1-3

Day 266 – Isaiah 37-39, Revelation 4-7

Day 267 – Isaiah 40-41, Revelation 8-11

#2: A chapter each weekday
259 Chapters in New Testament

#3 Printed on Monthly B & A Calendars



Sept 29 5th Wednesday Night
Devo & Singing

Oct 3 Baby Shower for
Savannah Smith

Oct 10 Adopt-A-Cop
Thankful Tote Items Due

Oct 30 Trunk or Treat

Nov 13 Daughters of The King

HYG, HYG Kids & Young Family
Events—Please see your group's
calendars of events



Ministers

Phillip Hines Todd Barrier Frank Thornton
Youth Minister: Justin Smith

Elders

Talmage Reynolds Darrell Sims Alan Walker
Phillip Hines Lee Hobbs

Deacons

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

Office Dianne Thompson Jan Harris

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



service Times

Worship Service & Bible Classes Schedule

Sunday Morning Worship @ 10am.
Livestreaming for those unable to attend.

Classes for All Ages Sunday @ 5pm.
Assembly in Old Auditorium 5:45pm.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT Bible Classes @ 6:30!

ADULT CLASS LIVESTREAMING SUNDAY & WEDNESDAY.



Livestreaming Options: Facebook, our website:
www.hartsellecoc.org; You Tube or Roku/Apple TV

WE HOPE TO SEE YOU FOR WORSHIP & BIBLE CLASSES



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New Every Morning!

Jeremiah spent about forty years warning the Judean Jews that divine judgment would come unless they chose to repent and turn back to God. The prophet's pleas went unheeded. Therefore, God allowed the Babylonian military to unleash its power on Judah. The ruins that were left behind stood as a reminder of the devastation that continued disobedience to God can bring. While surveying the rubble of Jerusalem, Jeremiah laments over the city and its people. He is as low as you can be. His condition is summarized in Lamentations 3:18 *And I said, "My strength and my hope Have perished from the LORD."* Jeremiah has confusion, sorrow, bitterness, loneliness, despair, and pain. The picture is bleak, but it is not one given without hope.

In Lamentations chapter three, Jeremiah turns his eyes toward heaven. In doing so, he finds what he and the Jews so desperately need – divine compassion! He is reminded once again, that God stays with His people no matter how unfaithful they may become. Regardless of how deep of a pit we dig for ourselves, God is there loving us still. In Lamentations 3:21-24 Jeremiah writes, *This I recall to my mind, Therefore I have hope. Through the LORD'S mercies we are not consumed, Because His compassions fail not. They are new every morning; Great is Your faithfulness. "The LORD is my portion," says my soul, "Therefore I hope in Him!"* Jeremiah's experience communicates a message that is the theme of Lamentations. THE EFFECTS OF DISOBEDIENCE ARE GREAT, BUT THE COMPASSION OF THE LORD IS ABUNDANTLY GREATER!

Phillip



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prayer Requests

LONG TERM ILLNESSES

Robert & Debra Allen
1914 Manchester Ave SW
Decatur, AL 35603

Doug & Margaret Blackwood
603 Holloway St NW

Tom & Janet Brown
1018 Nance Ford Rd SW

Della Carmon 511 College St NW

Bill & Billie Clemons
505 Nelson St SW

Teen Dobbins
1514 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

W. O. Johnson
507 Aquarius Dr SW

John Owens
2402 Deere Rd, Decatur 35603

Shirley Powell
3159 Huckaby Bridge Rd SW

Peggy Russell 604 Barkley St SW

Tim Tanksley 455 E Parker Rd

Alan & Jane Walker family:
Sophie Walker Billy Walker
Diana Burlingame Roger Marcus
Leroy Baugas Kaci Carpenter's Dad

C. G Griffith Stacie Martin's Dad

Donna Barnett Amanda Appleton's Mom
David & Angela Hargrove

Continue to Remember:

Allison Smith Bill Jones
Bonnie Allen Kelly Holcomb
Chris Dillard (ALS) Rob Harris (ALS)
Cancer: Don Lokey, Eddie Farrer,
William Booth
Katie Moran (COVID)



PRAY FOR OUR SICK & THEIR FAMILIES!

Mary Nell Evans fell last night and was admitted to Vanderbilt Medical Center for nose and back injuries and low potassium. Pray that this doesn't set her back too much in pulmonary rehab. C. Wright

Pinson Hospitality House of Nashville, Mary Nell Evans-RM 302, 214 Reid-hurst Ave, Nashville, TN 37203.

Randy Jacobs is recovering from foot and ankle surgery. He is coming home from Cullman Medical Center today after suffering complications from medication.

Wanda Crawford is doing very well recovering from knee surgery.

Clarence Walls has COVID.

Justin & Mandy Barley are much better.

Jarod & Emily Tanksley both have COVID.

Phil Belew, Marilyn Haynes' brother, is hospitalized with viral COVID pneumonia. Prayers are requested.

Rachel Veal has respiratory issues.

Tim Whitlow, Joyce Breeding's nephew, is improving and now in rehab.

Calvin Spurlin is at home recovering from heart valve replacement surgery

Ron Ryan is recovering from heart valve replacement surgery.

Joel Gurley, Hesta Gurney's brother-in-law, is hospitalized in Birmingham.

Nathan Holifield (Ruble's son-in-law) is very sick from radiation treatments and is beginning chemo.



Please sign the list in the Common's Area, or see Mark Reynolds, if you are willing to supply your trunk with treats for our scheduled Community Trunk-OR-Treat, Saturday, October 30th.

Don't Forget These Shut-Ins

♥ **Columbia Cottage** (1109 Sparkman St NW) **Nina Thompson #19**
Visitors by appointment only Monday-Friday. Call Susan Abercrombie (256-274-7754) to schedule an appointment.

♥ **Summerford Nursing Home** (4087 Hwy 31SW, Falkville, 35622)
Willie Monroe #215 Darlene Williams #22
Visitors by appointment only. Call 256-784-5275 for an appointment..

♥ **Westminster Assisted Living** (2106 Modaus Rd SW, Decatur 35603)
Ruth Balcom #206 Call 256-309-5300 for an appointment.

♥ **The Terrace Assisted Living** (200 Terrace Ln, Priceville, AL 35603) **Becky Teague**

♥ **Nancy Gillette** (3980 Hwy 109, Columbiana, AL 35051)

♥ **Chris Warren** (Harbor Chase, 2100 Vining Dr, Jasper, AL 35501)



OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY

• We are sad to announce the death of brother **Charles Curtis**, who preached for this congregation from 1968 to 1973. His funeral was yesterday at the Foote Street Church of Christ in Corinth, MS. Address

for cards for Dot: 2111 Chestnut Dr., Corinth, MS .38834. Memorials may be made to a charity of your choice.

• And we extend our sincere sympathy to Mike and Sonya Preuitt and the Preuitt family in the death of Mike's brother **James (Jim) Preuitt**, of Talladega. James was also the brother of Eddie Preuitt. Some older members may remember Rona Millsap Preuitt, daughter of the late sister Ruby Millsap, and member here in the 1960's.



NEXT Wednesday Night, September 29th. **ALL Classes will be in the Old Auditorium for our 5th Wednesday Devo!** We will sing and also have young men leading prayer, reading scripture and giving brief talks. **Men/**

Young Men, wanting to lead a song, please give Todd your song & verses to be sung to be added to our list. Be sure you are here Wednesday, Sept. 29, to sing and support our young men as they grow in service to God!



Adopt-A-Cop Ministry Participants. A bin is set up in the Common's Area to accept items for our "Thankful Totes." Please provide one (or more) of each of the following: Chapstick, hand sanitizer, gum, hot-hands, car air freshener. If you can provide more than one of each item that would be great since we have more officers/staff than participants. Thankful totes will be sent to each individual officer in the Hartselle Police Department. Please have your items to the Common's Area by Sunday, October 10th. Thank you!



Pray for our family members, friends & neighbors suffering spiritually, physically and mentally. Cards of encouragement are always appreciated.

PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

★ Wes Parker
★ Sean Nowak
★ Mitchell Swann
Pray for our Nation!

Barrier's Blog

As a Christian, do you ever feel alienated? Have you felt out of place? Have you longed for what you read about in the Bible because this place just doesn't seem to fit? The good news is that these are the feelings we should feel! If we were comfortable in this world we would just be humming along to the tune of worldliness like most of the world. Sometimes we feel like we should be more at home, that we shouldn't feel this tug against the world. However, we are just passing through as the old song says. The world is not our home, we are striving for something different, something better and we should feel different or uncomfortable with A LOT of things that happen here. In the Bible Jesus says if the world hated Him, it surely will hate us (John 15:18-19). The things we stand for are different, they are alien to this world. If we don't feel out of place sometimes we might not be following Jesus as closely as we should be. So the next time you feel so out of place in worldly situations that you are uncomfortable, just remember, it's normal. You are striving for eternal things and it might just mean you are resisting unrighteousness and striving for eternal things. Tell people about it and bring someone along with you, after all we could use some company on the journey. Are you too comfortable in this world?

In Him, **Todd**

Birthdays & Anniversaries—Sept 22-29

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

9-23 Beth Owens, Quintin Martin
Ashley Symonds
9-24 Caleb Martin, Carmen Parker
9-27 River Steele
9-28 Mally Henderson
Holly Phillips
9-29 Joyce Breeding, Nix Miller
Addie Shaneyfelt
Addi Vogelaar



HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

9-23 Emily & Reggie Love
9-25 Keitha & David Sullivan

