

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

MAY 20
Deacons Meeting
Graduate Recognition
Coed Shower for Kendall Gullledge
& Britton Reynolds

MAY 23
State of the Church
Business Meeting

MAY 28
Church closed for Memorial Day

JUNE 4 - 8
Vacation Bible School

JUNE 22
Dental Clinic

JUNE 25 - 28
McSpadden Music Camp



CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY

Is extended to Roger & Connie Jennings and family in the loss of her sister, Sharon Lawley.

Is extended to Bob & Kitty Roberts and family in the loss of their son-in-law, Ed Swafford.

MEMORIALS

Sandra Cain
Mr. & Mrs. Kerry Payne

Leatha Nabors
Mr. & Mrs. Roger Higgins



VBS NEEDS

We are in need of old button-up shirts to use as painting smocks.

Please place them in the VBS box in the Mission Hallway.

PARLOR & CHAPEL RESTORATION

The House & Grounds Committee is working on needed restoration and renovation to the chapel & parlor. This is being funded by designated gifts for this purpose. If you would like to contribute to the designated fund, please mark your check "Parlor & Chapel".

Weekly Records ~ May 13, 2018

Sunday School

Enrollment 294
Attendance
Members 136
Visitors 3
Total Attendance..... 139

Stewardship Records

Budget \$12,613.88
Tithes Received..... \$12,605.35
Designated \$875.00
Budget to Date \$252,277.60
Received to Date..... \$241,187.33

Worship

Attendance 160
Kids Worship 28
Total Attendance 188

Rev. Mat Alexander Pastor
Rev. Woodie Turner Minister to Families
Rev. Nathan Edwards Minister of Music
Mr. Chris Taunton Director of Student Ministries
Miss Lydia Sewell Children's Associate
Mrs. Sharon Reynolds Pianist
Mrs. Lana Cornutt Organist



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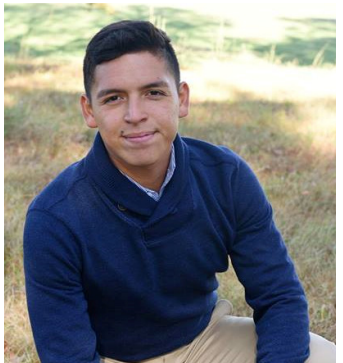
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The Chimes



Cooper Hill



Jeovany Perez



Jordan Reynolds

MAY 20, 2018

SUNDAY, MAY 20, 2018

10:30 AM

Prelude Mrs. Lana Cornutt

Call to Worship "Everybody Ought to Know"
Preschool Choir

Welcome Rev. Mat Alexander, Pastor

Hymn 8 "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God" EIN' FESTE BURG

The Account of Pentecost From Acts 2 Rev. Nathan Edwards,
Minister of Music

Hymn 245 "Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart" MORECAMBE
Stanza 1 - Men; Stanza 3- Women; Stanza 4 - All

Recognition of Graduates & Prayer Pastor & Mr. Chris Taunton
Mr. Cooper Hill, Gadsden City High School
Mr. Jeovany Perez, Westbrook Christian School
Mr. Jordan Reynolds, Westbrook Christian School

Choral Worship "One Faith, One Hope, One Lord" Courtney
Sanctuary Choir

Hymn 350 "The Church's One Foundation" AURELIA
On the final stanza, children are invited to FirstKids Worship.

Message "Encountering Jesus: Radical Doubt" Pastor
John 7:1-31
Page 1230 in the pew Bible

Invitation Hymn 320 "Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus" LEMMEL

Announcements & Offertory Prayer Rev. Woodie Turner,
Minister to Families

Offertory "Jesus Paid It All" arr. Edwards
Adult Handbells

Choral Benediction "Spirit of the Living God" IVERSON
Sanctuary Choir
Spirit of the living God, fall fresh on me;
Spirit of the living God, fall fresh on me.
Break me, melt me, mold me, fill me.
Spirit of the living God, fall fresh on me.

Postlude Mrs. Lana Cornutt

ONE FAITH. ONE HOPE. ONE LORD

ONE FAITH, ONE HOPE, ONE LORD,
ONE CHURCH FOR WHICH HE DIED.
ONE VOICE, ONE SONG WE LIFT IN PRAISE
TO HIM WHO WAS AND IS AND SHALL BE EVERMORE.

THERE IS ONE BODY, ONE SPIRIT. AS YOU WERE CALLED TO ONE HOPE.
ONE LORD, BAPTISM AND FAITH,
ONE GOD AND FATHER OF ALL, WHO IS IN YOU ALL.

THOUGH WE BE MANY PEOPLE, DIVERSE WITH VARIOUS GIFTS,
WE ARE GIVEN TO EACH OTHER FOR THE UNITY OF FAITH,
THAT WE GROW IN THE KNOWLEDGE OF THE SON OF GOD,
IN THE FULLNESS OF CHRIST.

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ONE CHURCH FOR WHICH HE DIED.
ONE VOICE, ONE SONG WE LIFT IN PRAISE
TO HIM WHO WAS AND IS AND SHALL BE EVERMORE.

ONE FAITH, ONE HOPE, ONE LORD, ONE GOD!

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR COLLEGE GRADUATES

Sydney Boatner daughter of Roger & Beth Boatner Associate of Science Coastal Alabama Community College	Olivia Erwin daughter-in-law of Mike & Kristie Erwin Doctorate of Physical Therapy Alabama State University	Britton Reynolds son of Chris & Sharon Reynolds Bachelor of Science Aerospace Engineering University of Alabama
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Make plans to be here for Retrospect/Prospect, a state of the church worship service, on Wednesday, May 23.
We will have our regular scheduled supper together at 5:00 pm, then have worship, the Lord's Supper, Business Meeting, ministry updates, reflection on God's faithfulness, and vision for the future at 6 pm.
Please make every effort to be involved in this special night of worship!

Sunday, May 20

8:15 am Deacons Meeting
9:00 am Graduate Breakfast
9:15 am Sunday School
10:30 am Morning Worship
2:00 pm Co-Ed Shower for
Britton Reynolds & Kendall Gullede
8:00 pm Rebroadcast*
*Comcast Channel 5

Security

Brant Haynie & Noah Miller

Kids Worship

Misty Walker, Eugenia Cunningham
P.R. & Amy Hill

Preschool Volunteers

Vickie Miller, Kristie Erwin, Diane Causey
Peggy Higgins, Anona Aderholdt

TV Ministry

Jeff Martin, David Goodwin
Chris Alexander, Kay Moore, Allen Ray

Monday, May 21

8:00 am Ladies Exercise

Tuesday, May 22

6:30 am Men's Prayer Group

Wednesday, May 23

8:00 am Ladies Exercise
5:00 pm Supper

Chicken Fingers, Mac & Cheese

Baked Beans

Salad & Dessert

6:00 pm State of the Church
Worship Service

Thursday, May 24

9:00 am Ladies Prayer Group

Friday, May 25

8:00 am Ladies Exercise

Guests: We are glad you are worshipping with us today! Please fill out the information card and place it in the offering plate when it is passed.

GUEST INFORMATION

Name

Email address

Other Contact Info

Prayer Requests

At the close of the service we invite you to the Welcome Center to meet our pastor and his wife and receive a small gift we have for you.



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