

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS**

**SEPTEMBER 30 - OCTOBER 7**

Reach Week

**OCTOBER 7**

Church Outside the Walls

**OCTOBER 11**

Finance Committee

**OCTOBER 12**

Dental Clinic

**NOVEMBER 2**

Dental Clinic

**NOVEMBER 4**

First Fest on the Farm

**NOVEMBER 8**

Finance Committee

**NOVEMBER 11**

Deacons Meeting

**NOVEMBER 14**

Quarterly Business Meeting

**NOVEMBER 18**

Thanksgiving Lunch

**NOVEMBER 21**

No Services /Thanksgiving Holiday

**NOVEMBER 22 - 23**

Church Office Closed for Thanksgiving

**NOVEMBER 25**

Lottie Moon Missions Tea

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**DECEMBER 2**

Hanging of the Green

**NEW MEMBERS**

By Letter

Rev. Loyd & Winona Pelham  
131 Brothers Drive  
Attalla, AL 35954

**MEMORIAL**

Rev. Bob Luker  
Mrs. Ellie Jane Smith

**MISSION OPPORTUNITIES**

September Mission Project

Christmas Backpacks

*Please see WMU Bulletin Board for details.*

**ONGOING MISSION PROJECTS**

Dental Clinic  
October 12

EBA Mission Center  
Food & Clothing Items  
*Place items in Mission Boxes in Welcome Center.*



Myers-Mallory  
State Missions Offering

**Your gifts to the Myers-Mallory**

**State Missions Offering help**

**support these**

**Great Commission ministries:**

- ALABAMA WMU
- DISASTER RELIEF
- CHURCH PLANTING
- PARTNERSHIP MISSIONS



**FBC GOAL**  
**\$3,000.00**

**GIVEN TO DATE**  
**\$704.00**

**Weekly Records September 16, 2018**

**Sunday School**

Enrollment .....300  
Attendance  
Members .....132  
Visitors ..... 6  
Total Attendance .....138

**Stewardship Records**

Budget.....\$12,613.88  
Tithes Received .....\$10,238.00  
Designated..... \$712.00  
Budget to Date.....\$479,327.41  
Received to Date ..... \$449,877.13

**Worship**

Attendance ..... 129  
Kids Worship.....25  
Total Attendance ..... 154

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 ..... Director of Children's Ministries  
Mrs. Sharon Reynolds ..... Pianist  
Mrs. Lana Cornutt ..... Organist



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COME AND SEE

**JESUS**

Sermons from John's Gospel  
Sundays at 10:30

SEPTEMBER 23, 2018

<b>SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 2018</b>		<b>10:30 AM</b>
Prelude		Mrs. Lana Cornutt
Call to Worship 575	“I Will Sing of My Redeemer” Stanzas 1, 2, and 4	MY REDEEMER
Welcome		Rev. Mat Alexander, Pastor
Hymn 43	“This Is My Father’s World”	TERRA PATRIS
Responsive Reading 703	“Prayer and Fellowship with God”	
Hymn 182	“What a Friend We Have in Jesus”	CONVERSE
Pastoral Prayer		Rev. Woodie Turner Minister to Families
Choral Worship		Mr. Kent Back
Hymn 147	“And Can It Be” Stanzas 1, 2, and 4 <i>On the final stanza, children are invited to FirstKids Worship.</i>	SAGINA
Choral Worship	“At the Name of Jesus” Sanctuary Choir	Berry
Message	“The Vine and the Branches” John 15:1-17 Page 1242 in the pew Bible	Pastor
Invitation Hymn 302	“I Hear Thy Welcome Voice”	WELCOME VOICE
Announcements & Offertory Prayer		Mr. Chris Taunton Student Ministries Director
Offertory		Mrs. Sharon Reynolds
Choral Benediction	“The Lord Bless You and Keep You”	BENEDICTION
	<i>The Lord bless you and keep you; The Lord lift His countenance upon you, And give you peace; The Lord make His face to shine upon you, And be gracious unto you, The Lord be gracious unto you. Amen</i>	
Postlude		Mrs. Lana Cornutt



reach  week **September 30 - October 7**

**Reach Week is coming up on September 30 - October 7.**

*We are encouraging your Sunday school class, ministry, family, group, circle, friend group, or class to get out in the community to build relationships and invite folks to **Church Outside the Walls!** If you or your group have a great idea, just let us know in the church office so we can make sure we know what all is going on during the week.*



**Watch The Chimes for more details about this exciting event on Sunday, October 7.**



**Sunday, September 23**  
 9:15 am Sunday School  
 10:30 am Morning Worship  
 8:00 pm Rebroadcast\*  
 \*Comcast Channel 5

**PRESCHOOL VOLUNTEERS**

Katie Haynie, Kylie Turner  
Jan Flowers, Sandy Galloway

**KIDS WORSHIP VOLUNTEERS**

Noah Miller, Lydia Sewell  
Jamie & Katie Meredith

**SECURITY**

Brian Harbison & Ben Ponder

**TV MINISTRY**

Matt Ganshaw, Matt Jackson  
Chris Alexander, Kay Moore, Allen Ray

**Monday, September 24**  
 8:00 am Ladies Exercise

**Tuesday, September 25**  
 6:30 am Men's Prayer Group

**Wednesday, September 26**  
 8:00 am Ladies Exercise  
 5:00 pm Supper

**Chicken Casserole, Wild Rice  
Lima Beans, Salad & Dessert**

6:00 pm Training U Classes  
Youth, Children &  
Preschool Activities  
6:20 pm Adult Handbells  
7:00 pm Adult Choir Rehearsal

**Friday, September 28**  
 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.*

