



**BETTA-VIEW**  
**VOICE**  
**Betta-View Hills**  
**CHURCH OF CHRIST**

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**January 25, 2015**

**Today:**

***"Living What We Say We Believe"***  
**Anyone in Christ Is A New Person**

**Wednesday:**

**Flower Room Work Day – 11AM**

**Singing Service – 6:30pm**

***January Birthday and Anniversary celebration after singing service in the Fellowship Hall. Everyone is invited.***

**NEXT Sunday:**

**Super Bowl Sunday – 5PM Devotional in Fellowship Hall followed by a chili cook-off and the game! (no pot luck lunch next Sunday morning)**

Contact Elder for January – Fred Denney 256-831-4964

***Order of Worship***

***Song Leader: David West***

***CALL TO WORSHIP***

***Prayer - Rusty Stephens***

***Song #610: I Love My Savior, Too (1,3)***

***Song #351: He Bore It All (1,2,3)***

***Song #324: Alas! And Did My Savior Bleed? (1,2,4)***

***Communion & Offering***

***Song #898: Paradise Valley (1,3)***

***Children dismiss to Children's Bible Hour***

***Scripture Reading: Bailey Livingston***

***Colossians 3:1-4***

***Message: John Ross***

***Song #358: Jesus Is Lord of All (1,3)***

***Announcements***

***Presentation of 2015 Budget***

***Song #800: What a Friend We Have in Jesus (1)***

***Prayer - Avery Pressley***

***Since You Have Been Raised With Christ, Set Your Hearts On Things Above, Where Christ Is Seated At The Right Hand Of God.***

## I Love the Church



The church is an amazing thing. It comes in all sorts of shapes and sizes. It has so much diversity and yet, hopefully, a growing level of unity.

I really do love the church.

I love the fact that I have family all over the world. No matter where I have lived or traveled I have had people there who felt like family to me.

I love the fact that there are people I have known for just a few years that feel like I have known them my whole life.

I love partnering with others in ministry and being sharpened by those who are more mature than me.

I love the passion of our young people and their desire to draw closer to God in real ways.

I love the wisdom of our older members who know the Bible but also have so much life experience that they can teach those of us who are younger.

I love to watch the church grow. It is so exciting to see people's lives change...

What do you love about the church?

## Upcoming Events



**January 28:** Flower Storage Room Work Day—11AM

**January 28:** January Birthday/Anniversary celebration—fellowship hall following Wednesday night singing.

**February 1:** Super Bowl Party—5PM Devotional followed by chili cook off and game! Members bring chili & fixings, finger foods, desserts and drinks.

**February 8:** Baby Shower for **Jerica Pressley**—2PM to 4PM Fellowship Hall—It's a GIRL (**Caroline Hollis**) Jerica is registered at Target and Buy Buy Baby.

**February 15:** Lads to Leaders—Pearls Test

**February 20-22:** Winterfest—Gatlinburg

**February 22:** Lads to Leaders—Bible Bowl Test

**March 1:** Pot Luck Lunch—Menu Theme—Casseroles—**Food Group 1** in charge.

**March 15:** Lads to Leaders—Art Deadline

**March 17:** GEMS Meeting—10AM

**March 29:** 5th Sunday Contribution to the Building Fund

**March 29:** Men's General Business Meeting—8:30am

## Birthdays & Anniversaries

1/25— Myra Pugh

1/27—Abbie Watts

1/28—Kesley Williams

1/29—Annette Camp

1/31—Mackensey Carter, Zack Griffin

2/1—Kristi Ishee



### Super Bowl Sunday

February 1, 2015



We will have a devotional at 5PM in the fellowship hall, followed by a chili cook-off and the game.

Members, please bring your favorite chili and/or finger foods, chili fixings, desserts and drinks.

Everyone please plan to be here for an evening of fellowship and fun!!

## Remember in Prayer. .



### Our Sick. . .

**Joe Stewart** is in the hospital at RMC with pneumonia. (55 Carter Street, Munford 36268)

**Juanita Wallace** has fallen a couple of times recently and is still recovering from her injuries. **Alvin** has had complications with his eye surgery and is also recovering. Please keep them in your prayers. (67 Del Rey Place, Oxford 36203)

**James & Diane Mitchell** are both experiencing some health issues. Please keep them in your prayers. (925 Cecile Drive, Oxford 36203)

### Friends & Family. . .

**Joe Haynes** (**Debbie Stewart's** father) is in the hospital (St. Vincent's in Birmingham) with sepsis. His condition has been improving. (48790 Al Hwy 21, Munford 36268)

**Elaine Mayfield** (sister of **Joyce Smith**) begins chemo next week. (192 Farm Lane, Lincoln 35096)

### Sympathy. . .

We express our sympathy to the family of **Donald McKinnon** (uncle of **Stephanie Stephens**) who passed away this past Wednesday night. Please keep Stephanie's family in your prayers during this time.

### Angels are Rejoicing...

**Cassandra Hayes** was baptized into Christ this past Sunday morning. Please remember Cassandra in your prayers and offer her encouragement as she begins her walk with our Lord. (4131 Choccolocco Road, Anniston 36201)

### Encourage & Support...

**David Lundy** responded Sunday asking for prayers from the congregation as he struggles with some health issues. Please pray for David and offer your support and encouragement in the days ahead. (224 Horizon Drive, Eastaboga 36260)

## Those Privileged to Serve:

January 2015

### Song Leaders:

25th – David West

### AM: Opening Prayer

25th: Rusty Stephens

### Closing Prayer

Avery Pressley

### PM: Opening Prayer

25th: Eric Ishee

### Closing Prayer

Mike Tims

### Those to Serve at the Lord's Table:

**Presiding:** Marty Livingston

**Assisting:** Ben Lackey, Matt Smith, Ted Haynes, James Galbreath, Jeff Tims, Norman Morrison, Calvin Phillips, Donte' Richey

### Ushers:

Harold Bean, Keith Yarbrough, Wayne Carden, Patrick Houston, Jerry Wilson, Jamie Burgess

### Little Lambs:

25th: Kesley Williams & Linda Carter

### Greeters:

**West Entrance:** John David Austin & Jerry Wilson

**East Entrance:** Keith Yarbrough & Elton Carter

**Main Foyer:** Tommy & Linda Tinney, James & Linda Galbreath, Anna Livingston

**Prepare Communion:** Juanita Wallace

**Secure Building:** Brian Forbus

If you are unable to serve please contact

**Brian Forbus @ 256-831-2471.**

## This Week's Back-Pack Food Items

-Oatmeal Variety Packs

-Cereal (Single Serve)



## BVH Leaders

### Elders:

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Fred Denney  
James Lindsey  
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