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**July 19, 2015**

**Today:**

*“Jesus Is My Superhero:  
The Superior Blood”*

**Tonight:**

*Youth Devotional Following PM  
Worship Service in the Fellowship  
Hall*

**Tuesday:**

**GEMS Meeting – 10AM**

**NEXT Sunday Night:**

**MINISTRY NIGHT**

*(Andrew Class – Read Section 2 BEFORE class)*

Contact Elder for July – James Lindsey 256-831-2054

**Order of Worship**

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

**10,000 Reasons**

**Prayer - Frank Thomas**

**Song Leader: Shaun Stancil**

**Song #517: Heaven Came Down (1,3)**

**Song #: Create In Me A Clean Heart**

**Song #: A Shield About Me**

**Song #313: The Old Rugged Cross (1,2,3)**

**Communion & Offering**

**Song #859: When All of God's Singers Get Home  
(1,3)**

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

**Scripture Reading: Bailey Livingston**

**1 John 1:7**

**Message: John Ross**

**Song #315: When I Survey the Wondrous Cross  
(1,2,3,4)**

**Announcements**

**Song #854: When He Comes in Glory By and By  
(1)**

**Prayer - Charles Elston**

*If We Walk In The Light As He Is In The Light, We Have Fellowship With One  
Another, And The Blood of Jesus Christ His Son Cleanses Us From All Sin*

## Called and Commissioned



Ever see an elderly person looking bewildered in a shopping complex and wish there was a manager close by to help? Ever spot someone in tears in your office and wish you had a counselor on staff? Ever know a neighbor whose life was so obviously out of control that you wished your preacher could share a couple of the insights with her that you heard in last Sunday's sermon?

From this point forward, consider yourself commissioned to do something in all these and similar situations.

There aren't enough store managers for all the frightened little children or bewildered elderly people who get into distress in a mall or shopping center. There aren't enough counselors to match with people who are in pain over bad news or strained relationships. And there aren't enough "ordained clergy" to go around for all the people who need to find meaning in their spiritual lives.

Where did we get the idea that it takes a professional to help someone? Professionals built the Titanic, while the ark was built by amateurs.

I know, for example, what the term "ordained clergy" means. But I'm convinced that you will not find either the term or the concept in your Bible. Yes, Scripture talks about people with special gifts and ministries. But one of the texts that refers to such persons says their job is to use their abilities to equip the rest of us to be helpers – the biblical term is "work of ministry" – to one another (Ephesians 4:12).

The idea of leaving God's work in the hands of a few talented professionals just isn't biblical or practical. It turns faith into Sunday performances done by a few for the critique of the many. What became of the idea that every believer is a priest? That *all* of us are to offer our bodies as living sacrifices to God?

God surely needs more evangelists, leaders, pastors and deacons. But He needs more people who can make frustrated customers feel valued for their business or frightened patients feel cared for as persons. He longs for more school teachers and bank presidents, janitors and celebrities, teens and senior citizens who take the command to love their neighbors as themselves seriously.

God's call is sometimes to a new role in a new place. It is more often for us to find Christ-focused significance for our old tasks in familiar places for the sake of people we already know. *"Don't be wishing you were someplace else or with someone else. Where you are right now is God's place for you,"* Paul wrote. *"Live and obey and love and believe right there"* (1 Corinthians 7:17).

Until you are sure God has told you otherwise, consider yourself called and commissioned for the sake of the people and places you will encounter today.

## Upcoming Events



**July 19:** Youth Devo after PM worship —Smith & Livingston families hosting

**July 21:** GEMS Meeting—10am

**July 26:** Ministry Night

**July 29:** Monthly singing and birthday/ anniversary celebration

**August 15:** Neighborhood Cook-Out

**August 16:** Friend & Family Day and Pot Luck Lunch



## Community Picnic and Friend & Family Day

*Planning is underway for our Community Picnic at BVH on Saturday, August 15th from 5pm to 7pm. Friend & Family Day will follow on Sunday, August 16th with a Pot Luck lunch after morning worship. Please mark your calendar and plan to attend both events. If you haven't signed up to help—get involved! See Duane Stephens for further details.*

## Birthdays & Anniversaries

7/20—Peyton Webb

7/21—Dicksie Bush, M/M Avery Pressley

7/22—Lorene Turner, Patrick Houston, Martha Denney, M/M Bill Brewer

7/23—M/M Tom Smith, M/M Garry Banks, M/M Gary Beasley

7/24—Nick McGhee

7/25—M/M Joel Fetner

7/26—Elton Carter, M/M Greg Gaines

## Remember in Prayer. .



### Our Sick. . .

**Lucile Forbus** family asks that we keep her in our prayers as they and the doctors decide on a path for treating her heart condition. (185 Dogwood Avenue, Anniston 36201)

**Tommy Tinney** will continue to have chemo and radiation treatments for the next few weeks. (PO Box 81, Munford 36268)

**Ann Frazier** is making steady progress following her surgery but still has several weeks of recovery. She is staying with James & Diane Mitchell. (925 Cecile Drive, Oxford 36203)

**Dean Youngblood** is now home but will continue with physical therapy for several more weeks. (322 Allendale Road, Oxford 36203)

### Friends & Family. . .

**Lovie Porter** (mother of **Jannie Smith**) is in NHC Room 224. She enjoys visits. (NHC, 2300 Coleman Road – Room 224, Anniston 36207)

**Inaree Carden** (**Wayne's** mother) is in Room 6 at Golden Living. She appreciates visits. (1130 South Hale Street – Room 6, Oxford 36203)

### Sympathy. . .

We extend our deepest sympathy to the family of **Sarah Wallace** (grandmother of **Bryana Yarbrough**) who passed away last Sunday. Funeral services were held Wednesday in Talladega. Please remember Bryana and her family during the difficult days ahead. (50 Howard Circle, Lincoln 35096) (**Brenda James** (Bryana's mother) - PO Box 176, Lincoln 35096)

We also extend our sympathy to the family of **Aaron Wysoczynski** (family friend of **Jerica Pressley**) who passed away July 7th. Funeral services were held Monday in Gulf Breeze, Florida. Please remember Aaron's parents, Erica & Chris, in your prayers as they face some very difficult days ahead.

We also extend sympathy to the family of **Jimmy Bowen** (Grandfather of **John McCreless**). Mr. Bowen passed away this past Monday. Please remember John and all the family in your prayers during this difficult time. (1233 Humphries Street, Oxford 36203)

## Those Privileged to Serve:

July 2015

### Song Leaders:

19th – Shaun Stancil    26th – Frank Tant

#### AM: Opening Prayer

19th: Frank Thomas

26th: Britt Parker

#### Closing Prayer

Charles Elston

Bobby Lackey

#### PM: Opening Prayer

19th: Rusty Stephens

26th: Kevin Briley

#### Closing Prayer

Duane Stephens

Jeff Tims

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

**Presiding:** Jamie Burgess

**Assisting:** Matt Smith, Calvin Phillips, Jason Webb, Spencer Austin, Norman Morrison, Avery Pressley, Donte' Richey, Marty Livingston

### Ushers:

Tyler Johnston, Patrick Houston, James Galbreath, Keith Yarbrough, Duane Stephens, Ted Haynes

### Little Lambs:

19th: Alicia Forbus / Debbie Mitchell

26th: Lindsey Webb / Abbie Watts

### Greeters:

**West Entrance:** Joel & Cathy Fetner

**East Entrance:** Linda Carter & Bobby Starr

**Main Foyer:** Harold & Pattie Bean, Eleanor Eaton, Keith Yarbrough, Zachary Briley

**Prepare Communion:** Juanita Wallace

**Secure Building:** James Galbreath

**Youth Devo Host:** Livingston & Smith Families

If you are unable to serve please contact

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

## This Week's Back-Pack Food Items

-Oatmeal

-Cereal



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Elton Carter  
Fred Denney  
James Lindsey  
Bob Templin

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Brian Forbus  
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Eddie Jennings  
(Homebuilders, Young Adult Activities)  
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### Activities Coordinator:

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### Youth Minister:

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Bible Study: 9:30 a.m.  
Worship: 10:30 a.m.  
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Morning Study: 10:00am-11:00am  
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