



Betta-View Hills
CHURCH OF CHRIST

BETTA-VIEW
VOICE

2140 Highway 78 W. Oxford, AL 36203 P.O. Box 3323 256-831-0651

March 13, 2016

Today:

“Citizenship Can Be Yours”

Lads to Leaders Meeting for ALL parents and students that will be participating in the L2L Conference – immediately following morning worship.

Monday:

**GEMS Luncheon – Sweet Tea
Restaurant in Birmingham. Van
will leave church at 11am**

Friday:

**Ladies Bunco – 6:30pm @ Dianne Ross’ Home
Please RSVP and bring snack foods**

Saturday:

**Winter Jam in Birmingham
(see Jake for details)**

Order of Worship

Call To Worship

Prayer - Kevin Briley

Song Leader: Shaun Stancil

Song #590: Jesus Is All The World To Me (1,2,3)
Song #800: What A Friend We Have In Jesus (1,3)
Song #332: Lead Me To Calvary (1,2,4)

Communion & Offering

Song #827: Sweet Hour Of Prayer (1,3)
Song #659: I Love To Tell The Story
Children dismiss to Children’s Bible Hour

Scripture Reading: Bailey Livingston
Ephesians 2:19-20

Message: John Ross

Song #903: There Is Power In The Blood (1,4)

Announcements

Song #878: Sweet By And By (1)

Prayer - John David Austin

Contact Elder for March – Elton Carter 256-493-6120

***He Is The Rock, His Works Are Perfect,
And All His Ways Are Just***

Don't Miss This Story



In case you missed it, it took place during a high school basketball game in El Paso, Texas in 2013. Here's what happened:

Coach Peter Morales put Mitchell Marcus into the game with only 90 seconds left to play. It was a decision he had made before the game was played. His Coronado High Thunderbirds were playing rival Franklin High that night, but Mitchell had not started the game. He would not have the pressure of leading the team to victory. And it wouldn't be fair to call him a "secret weapon." In fact, it would be Mitchell's first game ever to suit up and go onto the floor as a player.

Mitchell had wanted to play before. In fact, basketball has been his passion since infancy. He loves the game and enjoys being around it. But Mitchell has a developmental disability and just can't compete at the level of making his high school team, so Coach Morales had made him Team Manager. Everyone on the team loves Mitchell and enjoys having him around.

On that last game of the season, Coach Morales gave Mitchell a uniform and asked him if he would like to suit up for the game. He could sit on the bench and be one of the guys. He would wear a team jersey and be part of a special night. But Mitchell had no idea how special that night would be.

Before the game started, Coach Morales decided that he would put Mitchell into the lineup at some point. Win or lose – he was going to let Mitchell make a special memory.

With a minute and a half left to play, Coronado High was leading by 10. The coach put Mitchell in the game. The crowd went wild with chants of "Mitchell! Mitchell!" His teammates got him the ball. He shot and missed. He shot and missed again. Then, with only seconds left on the clock, they passed the ball to Mitchell once more and he mishandled it out of bounds. So Franklin High senior, Jonathan Montanez, was given the ball to put it in play for a final time.

Here's what Jonathan did. Before he put the ball back in play, he yelled for Mitchell, tossed the ball to him, and let him take one more shot. *He hit it!* Mitchell scored the most memorable two points in his life. Later Jonathan said, "I was raised to treat others how you want to be treated. I just thought Mitchell deserved his chance."

Mitchell has his memory now – and the rest of us have a lesson in kindness, an example of sportsmanship, and a case study in living by the Golden Rule.

By the way, the video is on YouTube (warning have a tissue).

Upcoming Events



March 14: GEMS lunch at *Sweet Tea Restaurant* in Birmingham.

March 15: GEMS Meeting—10am

March 18: Ladies Bunco at the home of Dianne Ross—6:30pm. RSVP and bring snack foods.

March 19: Winter Jam—Birmingham

March 20: Easter Egg Hunt for kids 6th grade & under.

March 25-27: Lads to Leaders—Atlanta

March 27: Easter Sunday (no pm service)

March 30: Singing Night / Birthday Anniversary Celebration

April 2-3: Discipleship Workshop

April 3: Community Cook-out at Oxford Lake Pavilion—4pm

April 10: Lads to Leaders Banquet



EASTER EGG HUNT

There will be an Easter Egg Hunt next Sunday, March 20th, following morning worship for kids age 6th grade & under. Pizza will be provided for lunch. Members, please bring in chips, sides, desserts, drinks. Kids bring your Easter Baskets!



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Lucile Forbus will celebrate her **NINETY-SEVENTH** birthday on March 17th!!! Let's show her her with cards! 185 Dogwood Avenue, Anniston, AL 36201

Birthdays & Anniversaries

3/14—Anna Lackey

3/15—Jeff Tims, Tommy Tinney, Leah Carter, M/M Scott Sirmon

3/16—Theresa Beasley, Sam Thomas

3/17—Lucile Forbus, M/M David Austin

3/20—Patsy Ruth Adams

Remember in Prayer. .



Our Sick. . .

Fred Denney was sent back to RMC last week due to increased creatinine level. (10 Denney Road, Oxford 36203)

Hazel Waites was taken to RMC last week but is now back at NHC. She enjoys visits and cards.

Eleanor Eaton has been sick with the flu. (1500 Cloverdale Road, Anniston 36207)

Friends & Family. . .

Carson Dial (family friend of **Shelly Painter**) is recovering from surgery and a skin graft this past week. He has also developed another infection that he is being treated for (378 Grogan Road, Anniston 36201)

Jerry Eaton (husband of **Eleanor**) has been in the hospital but is now back home. (1500 Cloverdale Road, Anniston 36207)

Erin Smith (friend of **Shelly Painter**) has been going through chemo treatments. She received a good report from her PET scan last week. (3740 Al Hwy 144, Ohatchee 36371)

Pauline Ramsey (**Shelly Painter's** grandmother) is not doing well. (4912 Mudd Street, Lincoln 35096)

Sherry Welsh (mother of Sam Welsh, last year's youth minister summer intern) has been diagnosed with cancer. (834 Crestridge Drive, Rossville, Georgia 30741)

Angels Are Rejoicing. . .

Congratulations to **Shelby Stratton** who was baptized into Christ last Sunday morning. Shelby is the daughter of **Kenny & Pam Stratton**. Please keep Shelby in your prayers in the coming days and offer her your love and support as she begins her walk with our Lord. (118 Willow Cove Road, Oxford, 36203)

Sympathy. . .

We extend our sympathy to the family & friends of **Brian Anderson** (friend of **Heather Baker**) who passed away March 3rd.

We also extend our sympathy to the family & friends of **Camellia Cooper**. Camellia passed away on March 5th. Her funeral was held this past Tuesday.

Those Privileged to Serve:

March 2016

Song Leaders:

13th – Shaun Stancil

20th – Rusty Stephens 27th – Jake Leonard

AM: Opening Prayer

13th: Kevin Briley

20th: Frank Thomas

27th: David Pugh

Closing Prayer

John David Austin

Bobby Lackey

Bobby Phillips

PM: Opening Prayer

13th: Frank Tant

20th: Keith Timmons

27th: Eric Ishee

Closing Prayer

Mike Tims

Duane Stephens

Elton Carter

Those to Serve at the Lord's Table:

Presiding: Jamie Burgess

Assisting: Jason Webb, Tyler Johnston, James Galbreath, Eric Ross, Harold Colley, Keith Yarbrough, Duane Stephens
Norman Morrison

Ushers:

Patrick Houston, Landon Watts, Spencer Austin, Jeff Tims,
Harold Bean, Matt Smith

Little Lambs:

13th: Jan Templin & Susan Briley

20th: Kesley Williams & Linda Carter

27th: Shannon Smith & Piper Smith

Greeters:

West Entrance: Frank & Gloria Thomas

East Entrance: Keith & Donna Timmons

Main Foyer: Linda Galbreath, Debbie Stewart, Jannie Smith,
Jerry Wilson, Kesley Williams

Security Duty:

13th: Kevin Briley & Eddie Jennings

20th: Geoff Williams & Mike Tims

27th: Russell Johnston & Patrick Houston

Prepare Communion: Juanita Wallace

Secure Building: Candace Conley

Youth Activity Host: Jake & Brooke Leonard

If you are unable to serve please contact

Brian Forbus @ 256-831-2471.

This Week's Back-Pack Food Items

-Chef Boyardee Meals



-Soup



BVH Leaders

Elders:

Bill Brewer
Elton Carter
Fred Denney
James Lindsey
Bob Templin

Deacons:

Kevin Briley
(Safety & Security)
Brian Forbus
(Worship Organization)
James Galbreath
(Food Ministry, Building)
Eddie Jennings
(Homebuilders, Young Adult Activities)
Marty Livingston
(Youth, Office Administration, Widows Needs)
Forester Tillson
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Bible Study: 6:30 p.m.

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Citizenship Can Be Yours Ephesians 2:11-13

Citizenship has its privileges.

That's Paul's message to the church in Ephesus

1. Ephesians 2:12 "... Remember that at that time you were separate from Christ, excluded from citizenship in Israel and foreigners to the covenants of the promise, without hope and without God in the world."
2. Paul was reminding them that:

Someone was _____ to the Ephesian Christians and many of them believed it.

1. What was the lie? Eph. 2:11

You'd think that Peter's _____ would have settled the matter, but certain Jews refused to accept it.

1. Paul clarified in Ephesians 2:11-13

DOUBT:

If you allow the lies to convince you, you can lose the most precious gift God will give you – Kingdom Citizenship.

Who do you trust?

Ephesians 2:13 "But now in Christ Jesus you who once were far away have been brought near through the blood of Christ."

Ephesians 2:19, "You are no longer foreigners and aliens, but fellow citizens with God's people and members of God's household."

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