



BETTA-VIEW
VOICE
Betta-View Hills
CHURCH OF CHRIST

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

March 6, 2016

Today:

“Unwavering Love For Jesus”

Pot Luck Lunch
1pm Devotional
No 5pm Service

Tonight:

**Youth Devo at the home of
Jake & Brooke Leonard
Van will leave the church
at 5pm**

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

Order of Worship

Call To Worship

Prayer - Joel Fetner

Song Leader: David West

Song #791: On Bended Knee (1,2)

Song #74: Praise The Lord (1,2,4)

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

Song #332: Lead Me To Calvary (1,2,4)

Communion & Offering

Song #250: The Great Redeemer (1,3)

Children dismiss to Children's Bible Hour

Scripture Reading: George Merrell

Philippians 1:20-24

Message: John Ross

Song #904: Have You Been To Jesus? (1,4)

Announcements

Song #396: No Not One (1)

Prayer - Bobby Starr

***Do Not Be Anxious About Anything, But In Everything, By Prayer And
Petition, With Thanksgiving, Present Your Requests To God***

Mental Block



At the time of this writing (Tuesday afternoon – 1:35) I'm sitting in my office trying to get everything taken care of because I am out of town next week. And, of course, NOTHING! I need an article, and I need it NOW! I thought about filling up the page by using a larger font, but then I remembered that I penalized my students when they tried that stunt.

Since I came up empty I'm going to share some excerpts from "Crazy Love".

"Intellectually we all know that we will die, but we do not really know it in the sense that the knowledge becomes a part of us. We do not really know it in the sense of living as though it were true. On the contrary, we tend to live as though our lives would go on forever."

"When I am consumed by my problems -- stressed out about my life, my family, my job -- I actually convey the belief that I think the circumstances are more important than God's command to always rejoice. In other words, that I have a 'right' to disobey God because of the magnitude of my responsibilities."

Then, speaking of worry and stress: *"Basically, these two behaviors communicate that it's okay to sin and not trust God because the stuff in my life is somehow exceptional. Both worry and stress reek of arrogance."*

Just something to chew on. Blessings!!

Lads to Leaders News

There will be a meeting on **Sunday, March 13th** after morning worship for **ALL** parents and students attending L2L's convention. This meeting will include information about hotel rooms, meeting times and dress code. For further details, please see Teresa Tims, Susan Briley or Michele Williams.

GEMS LUNCH – MARCH 14

The GEMS group will be having lunch together on March 14, 2016 at the "Sweet Tea Restaurant" in Birmingham. EVERYONE age 50 or older is invited to join the group for lunch. You don't have to be an active member of the GEMS to attend. Transportation will be provided and the van will leave the church promptly at 11am. A sign-up sheet is provided in the foyer if you plan to attend.

Upcoming Events



March 6: Youth Devotional at the home of **Jake & Brooke Leonard**

March 13: Daylight Savings Time Begins

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

March 15: GEMS Meeting—10am

March 19: Winter Jam—Birmingham

March 20: Easter Egg Hunt after morning worship. Lunch will be provided. There will be a bouncy house—kids need to bring their Easter baskets.

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



Marcus Denney—Brittany



Cobb Wedding

You are all invited to the Denney / Cobb wedding here at BVH on Saturday, March 12th at 2pm. A reception will follow in the Fellowship Hall.

Winter Jam—March 19th

Jake & Brooke will be taking a group to the Winter Jam concert in Birmingham on March 19th. If you are planning to go—please sign the sheet in the foyer.

See Jake for details.

Birthdays & Anniversaries

3/6—M/M Paul Arnold

3/9—Andrea Banks, Theresa Stancil, Ann Frazier

3/10—M/M Jerre Strickland

3/11—Anthony Cherry, Debra Champion

3/12—Jim Merrell

Remember in Prayer. . .



Our Sick. . .

Fred Denney was moved to Health South in Gadsden. (10 Denney Road, Oxford 36203)

Juanita Wallace received good news from her biopsy- results came back negative. (67 Del Rey Place, Oxford 36203)

Alvin Wallace has been diagnosed with pneumonia. (67 Del Rey Place, Oxford 36203)

Tyler Painter has broken the top bone in his arm. (311 Peaceful Valley Road, Eastaboga 36260)

Friends & Family. . .

Carson Dial (family friend of **Shelly Painter**) was severely burned in an accident at home last week. He had a skin graft surgery on Thursday. (378 Grogan Road, Anniston 36201)

Guest Teacher—March 9th

Willie Ivey will be the guest teacher for the Wednesday Night Adult Bible Class on March 9th in John's absence.

JOINING GOD ON A MISSION

Our 2nd Annual Discipleship Workshop will be held April 2-3, 2016 here at Betta-View Hills. Our speaker will be Dr. Steve Cloer from the Southside church of Christ in Ft. Worth, Texas. Please mark your calendars and plan to be in attendance. We will end our special weekend with a Community Cook-Out at Oxford Lake on Sunday, April 3rd at 4pm.

This Week's Back-Pack Food Items

-Cheese Crackers

-Apple Sauce



Those Privileged to Serve:

March 2016

Song Leaders:

6th—David West 13th—Shaun Stancil
20th—Rusty Stephens 27th—Jake Leonard

AM: Opening Prayer

6th: Joel Fetner
13th: Kevin Briley
20th: Frank Thomas
27th: David Pugh

Closing Prayer

Bobby Starr
John David Austin
Bobby Lackey
Bobby Phillips

PM: Opening Prayer

6th: Jeff Tims
13th: Frank Tant
20th: Keith Timmons
27th: Eric Ishee

Closing Prayer

James Lindsey
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:

6th: Alicia Forbus & Debbie Mitchell
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:

6th: Jay Painter & Russell Johnston
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.

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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)
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Wednesday

Morning Study: 10:00am-11:00am
Bible Study: 6:30 p.m.

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Unwavering Love For Jesus

Do you think some Christians have an _____ - _____ kind of love?

Philippians 1:20-24

1. Paul could face whatever was to come his way because he was in _____ with _____.

Philippians 1:12

1. How did Paul's imprisonment advance the gospel!
2. Philippians 1:13 "As a result, it has become clear throughout the _____ and to everyone else that I am in chains for Christ"

Philippians 4:22 "All the saints send you greetings, especially those who belong to _____."

True love = _____

Philippians 1:29 "For it has been _____ to you on behalf of Christ not only to believe on Him, but also to _____ for Him"

John 15:19 "If you belonged to the _____, it would love you as its own. As it is, you do not belong to the world, but I have chosen you out of the world. That is why the world _____ you."

Let's think about that..... *does the world hate Christians?*

_____ presents us with a great _____.

Philippians 1:9-11

We Care and We Pray. . .

Payton Thornton, Lance Young, Janice Emmit, Don Creason, Mabel Dowdey, Glenda Robertson, Hazel Waites, Ann Frazier, Marie Finch, Ken Bean, Doug Layne, Bill Kughn, Donald Wooten, Bill Henshaw, Liz Everett, Alan Epps, Alvin Wallace, Daisy Horne, Mary Ellis, Alice Moore, Pam Shaddix, Joy Williams, Wallace & Dot Smith, Wayne Lambert, Jimmy Dickerson, Jewell Haynes, Laken Landen, Elbert Lewis, Tommy Green, Larry Harris, Mike McDonald, Paula Lyons, David Dennis, Jackie Riley, Leroy Prothro, Annabelle Kate McKinney, Ernestine Gaither, Larry Robertson, Linda Sharpe, Laureen Nelson, Jimmy Dickens, Doug Trantham, Brian Bradley, Chase Cotton, Mason Baswell, Dede Bradley, Lavonne Austin, Abby Usher, Linda Hurst, Fred & Debbie Csaky, Ann McKinney, Leslie LaPlante, Reggie Smith, Dade Strickland, Joe Poche, Burma Bible, Inez Clark, John Mayfield, Melissa Gunter, Mikia Carter, Don King, Geraldine King, Elaine Mayfield, JoAnne Key, Jerry Ramsey, Margaret Carden, Grey Johnson, Kimberly Cobb, Sherry Jones, Cassie Brock, Burke Bowie, Tommy Tinney, Lilly Thacker, Kerry Owens, Angelynn Luckadoo, Rosa Shiflett, Erin Burford Smith, JulieAnna Lyons, Angie Brown, Joni Badgett, Nakita Monhollen, Mary Hooks

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