



VOICE

BETTA VIEW

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June 4, 2017

Today:

"Week 7: Review"

Potluck Lunch (Group 1 in charge)

NO PM Worship

Thursday & Friday:

**Vacation Bible School Work Days
starting at 9:30am**

June 11-14:

Vacation Bible School!!

*Please pre-register & start inviting
your friends & family. Something for
all ages!*

Contact Elder for June—Elton Carter 256-493-6120

Order of Worship

Call To Worship

Song # : 10,000 Reasons

Prayer - Eric Ishee

Song Leader: Rusty Stephens

*Song #382: Why Did My Savior Come To Earth?
(1,2)*

Communion & Offering

Song #63: I Will Call Upon The Lord (2x)

Song #396: No Not One (1,3)

Song #570: A Beautiful Life (1,4)

Children dismiss to Children's Bible Hour

*Scripture Reading: Bailey Livingston
John 13:16-17*

Message: John Ross

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

Announcements

Song #589: Leaning On The Everlasting Arms (1)

Prayer - Eddie Jennings

*Praise The Lord, O My Soul. O Lord My God, You Are Very
Great; You Are Clothed With Splendor And Majesty.*

My Own Worst Enemy



Is it just me or do others find themselves doing the very things they hate in others? It's so easy to resolve that everything is going to be different. In my heart of hearts I want to be kind, understanding and patient with everyone, even the ones I think are completely wrong. It seems like a thousand times that I have prayed for God to keep me calm and in control of my tongue and temper. Things will go along easily for a while and I will think I've turned the corner. Then something will happen that is frustrating, that cuts against every grain in me and I'll find myself angrily saying something to someone else that I will wish with all my being to be able to pull back and never let it come out again.

When that happens, go as soon as possible to a quiet place and open the Bible to Psalms 51 where David prayed to God about his sins and failures. David had a good heart. God even said of him that he was a man after his own heart. No one in the Bible talked more about the longing for God's presence. He wanted to pull close to the Lord. The Lord was his shepherd and he felt sure the shepherd would take care of him. When David was on the right track he loved and was compassionate toward others, he trusted God completely, he worshiped with a heart full of devotion and praise to God, and he led Israel to be the people God wanted them to be. But, when he got off track he was his own worst enemy. The very man that all Israel admired for his faith and purity acted like a man whose heart was full of lust and hate. On one occasion he allowed his pride to get the best of him and caused a plague to come upon the nation. Had it not been for the wise moves of Abigail he would have murdered her husband because he didn't treat him with respect. After his sin with Bathsheba and the murder of her husband, Uriah, David spent a year without writing any great psalms to sing to His God. His sin killed his worship and devotion to God.

It took a prophet named Nathan and a story about a man mistreating his poor neighbor to arouse the passion in David's heart. When Nathan pointed at David and said, "You are the man" his heart broke. Confession poured out. There were no excuses. His cry to God was "Against you, you only have I sinned and done what is evil in your sight." He could have blamed Bathsheba. He could have asked God why he was made with so much passion. He could have cried that the temptation was just more than he could handle. But he would have remained in his sin if he had. He cried out his guilt and pleaded for mercy and grace.

We all fail. We sin even when we declare we won't do it again. We say things that would have been much better left unsaid. We hurt the very people who love us and are on our side. In such times we need to pray David's prayer. "*Cleanse me with hyssop and I will be clean; wash me, and I will be whiter than snow. Let me hear joy and gladness; let the bones you have crushed rejoice. Hide your face from my sins and blot out all my iniquity. Create in me a pure heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me. Do not cast me from your presence or take your Holy Spirit from me. Restore to me the joy of your salvation and grant me a willing spirit, to sustain me. Then I will teach transgressors your ways and sinners will turn back to you.*" (Psalms 51:7-13)

Just as I'm my own worst enemy, my Lord is my best friend. He loves me when I'm unlovable and forgives freely all my failures. "What a friend we have in Jesus!"

Upcoming Events



- June 4:** Pot Luck Lunch—Group 1 in charge of set up and clean up (**Shelly's group**). Church will provide BBQ meat. Members bring sides, desserts & drinks.
- June 11-14:** Vacation Bible School. Classes for all ages—Nursery to Adults! (adult class will have a different speaker each night).
- June 18:** Father's Day-No PM service
- June 20:** GEMS Meeting—10am
- June 24:** Youth Devo at the **Fetner** home on the river. Time to be announced.
- June 25:** Open Gym Night
- June 28:** Singing Night
- July 2:** Potluck Lunch—(Group 2—**Patsy Watts**—in charge). Church will provide hotdogs. Members bring chili, fixings, desserts, and drinks.

This Week's Back-Pack Food Items

- Juice Boxes
- Pop-Tarts



Birthdays & Anniversaries

- 6/5—Jacob Rochester, Keith Timmons, M/M Calvin Phillips
- 6/6—Kerry Cobb
- 6/7—Linda Carter
- 6/8—Evelyn Carpenter, Gaye Phillips
- 6/9—Beau Hamlin, M/M Harold Bean

Remember in Prayer. .



Our Sick. . .

Irene Wilson is still progressing, but slowly. She doesn't have an appetite nor desire to drink fluids. She is moving around much better but overall just tired and doesn't feel the best. Hopefully will meet with chemo doctor in Gadsden to get information on when treatments will begin. (502 Nakoma Drive, Anniston 36206)

Friends & Family. . .

Laura Leonard is recovering from back surgery. The surgery went well but the recovery period will be extensive. (PO Box 672, McNeill, MS 39457)

Willie Ivey will have pituitary gland surgery on June 28th. (520 Mayfield Road, Fayette, AL 35555)

Sympathy. . .

We extend our deepest sympathy to the family of our **Kim Shaw** (son-in-law of **Dan Adams**) who recently passed away. The funeral was held this past Wednesday in Talladega. Please remember Dan, Patsy Ruth & family in your prayers in the coming days. (1125 McElderry Road, Munford 36268)

Angels Are Rejoicing. . .

Jim Bowers was baptized into Christ last Sunday morning. Please encourage Jim as he begins his daily walk with our Lord and keep him in your prayers in the coming days. (1307 East 10th Street, Anniston 36207)

Vacation Bible School News

-BVH Members pre-register now—table located on the east side of foyer.

-Family night will be Wednesday, 6/14. Hot dogs will be provided. Members please sign up to bring other items. (sheet in foyer)

-Classes for ALL ages—birth to adult.

-Invite Family & Friends! Postcards & flyers located in foyer on the registration table.

-If you would like to contribute to help with snacks, please see Michele, Sharon, Shelly, or Eric by June 7th.

Those Privileged to Serve:

June 2017

Song Leaders:

4th—Rusty Stephens 11th—Jake Leonard
18th—Shaun Stancil 25th—David West

AM: Opening Prayer

4th: Eric Ishee
11th: Britt Parker
18th: Shaun Stancil
25th: Bob Templin

Closing Prayer

Eddie Jennings
Bobby Lackey
Marty Livingston
Richard Gaines

PM: Opening Prayer

4th: NO PM Worship
11th: James Farmer
18th: NO PM Worship
25th: Jeff Tims

Closing Prayer

Calvin Phillips
Rusty Stephens

Those to Serve at the Lord's Table:

Presiding: Joel Fetner

Assisting: Ted Haynes, Kenny Stratton, Kevin Briley, Wayne Carden, Jeff Tims, James Galbreath, Harold Colley, Matt Smith

Ushers:

Patrick Houston, Calvin Phillips, Jason Webb, Frank Tant,
Marty Livingston, Duane Stephens

Little Lambs:

4th: Lindsey Webb & Abbie Watts
11th: Beth & Savannah Watts
18th: Alicia Forbus & Debbie Mitchell
25th: Shelly Painter & Shelby Stratton

Greeters:

West Entrance: Shannon Smith & Glenda Reaves
East Entrance: Elton & Linda Carter
Main Foyer: John David Austin, Virginia Brewer,
Miriam James, Zachary Briley, Calvin Phillips

Security Duty:

4th: Marcus Denney & Landon Watts
11th: Tyler Johnston & Spencer Austin
18th: Avery Pressley & Jay Painter
25th: Eric Ross & Geoff Williams

Prepare Communion: Debbie Mitchell

Secure Building: Fred Denney

Youth Activity Host: The Fetners

Contact Elder: Elton Carter

If you are unable to serve please contact **Brian Forbus**
@ 256-831-2471.

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Worship: 10:30 a.m.

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Week 7 Review—Sermon Notes

We Care and We Pray. . .

Payton Thornton, Lance Young, Janice Emmit, Don Creason, Mabel Dowdey, Hazel Waites, Ann Frazier, Marie Finch, Ken Bean, Doug Layne, 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, Larry Robertson, Linda Sharpe, Laureen Nelson, Jimmy Dickens, Doug Trantham, Dede Bradley, Linda Hurst, Fred & Debbie Csaky, Ann McKinney, Leslie LaPlante, Reggie Smith, Burma Bible, Inez Clark, John Mayfield, Melissa Gunter, Elaine Mayfield, Jerry Ramsey, Sherry Jones, Cassie Brock, Burke Bowie, Tommy Tinney, Lilly Thacker, Kerry Owens, Erin Burford Smith, JulieAnna Lyons, Joni Badgett, Nakita Monhollen, Mary Hooks, Scotty Appleton, Shirley Cambron, Susie Ulrey, Glenda Robertson, Sheila Strickland, Scott Dunaway, Tammy McBurnett, Samantha Creech, David Pugh, Lori Smith, Pinky Lackey, Debra Champion, Lila Turner, Willodean Carter, Irene Wilson

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