



# V VOICE

## BETTA VIEW

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**November 5, 2017**

**Today:**

***"No One Should Stand Alone"***



**Thanksgiving Food Drive  
Begins Today**

**NEXT Sunday:**



**Veterans Appreciation Day  
Service & Luncheon. If you are  
a Veteran or if you are planning  
to bring a Veteran guest please be sure  
to sign the sheet in the foyer.**

Contact Elder for October—  
Kevin Briley 256-310-9685

### ***Order of Worship***

***Call To Worship***

***Song #448: The Greatest Command***

***Prayer - Marty Livingston***

***Song Leader: Rusty Stephens***

***Song #383: Jesus, Keep Me Near The Cross (1,2,3)***

***Communion & Offering***

***Song #: A Shield About Me***

***Song #634: We'll Work Till Jesus Comes (1,3)***

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

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

***Scripture Reading: Bailey Livingston  
Ephesians 4:1-6***

***Message: John Ross***

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

***Announcements***

***Song #881: Mansion Over The Hilltop (1)***

***Prayer - Bobby Lackey***

***"Let Us Love One Another, For Love Comes From God. Everyone  
Who Loves Has Been Born Of God And Knows God."***

## THE IMPACT OF CHURCH ATTENDANCE



### WHAT MY PRESENCE DOES:

1. It causes people to have confidence in me.
2. It tells people that my spiritual welfare is a matter of great importance.
3. It has a positive effect on the services.
4. It encourages others.
5. It makes me stronger.
6. It pleases God and makes me happy.
7. It tells others that I live what I say I believe.

### WHAT MY (REPEATED) ABSENCE DOES:

1. It leaves doubts about my sincerity.
2. It affirms my priorities are not in the correct order.
3. It weakens the effect of the worship services.
4. It discourages those who were there.
5. It tells others that it's okay to plan other things in its place.
6. It becomes easier for me to rationalize my absences.
7. It gives Satan a reason to leave me alone.
8. It makes my children notice.

### DO NOT STAY AWAY:

1. Because you are poor. *There is no admission fee.*
2. Because of the weather. *You go other places in the rain.*
3. Because no one invited you. *There is an open invitation.*
4. Because of the crowd. *Ever go to Walmart? Ball games?*
5. Because you have company. *They will admire your loyalty to Christ. In fact, invite them too.*

## Upcoming Events



**November 12:** Veteran's Day Program & Potluck Lunch after morning worship. (Food Group 1 in charge—**Shelly Painter**) Church will provide meat. Members need to bring side dishes, desserts and drinks. If you are a Veteran or if you will be bringing a Veteran guest, please be sure to sign the sheet in the foyer. No PM Worship Service.

**November 21:** GEMS Meeting—10am

**November 21:** Mid week Bible Study (Tuesday) due to Thanksgiving Holidays.

**November 23:** Thanksgiving Day

**November 26:** Shepherds Talk with Kevin Briley

**November 26:** Youth Devotional at the West farm

**November 29:** Singing Night

**December 8:** Church Adult Christmas Party—6pm

**December 17:** Community Christmas Dinner

### This Week's Back-Pack Food Items

-Oatmeal Variety Packs

-Cereal



### Birthdays & Anniversaries

11/5—Jerre Strickland, Sheila Strickland

11/6—Teresa Leath

11/7—Dena McDaniel, Eric Ross

11/8—Angie Lindsey

11/10—Kathy Tillson

11/11—Tanner Cobb, Breanna Dison

11/12—Rachel Tant

## Remember in Prayer. . .



### Our Sick. . .

**Lester Behel** has been moved to room 332 in Jacksonville Health and Rehab. (140 Cheryl Lane, Eastaboga 36260)

**Tommy Tinney** will soon begin chemo treatments. (PO Box 81, Munford 36268)

### Friends & Family. . .

**Thomas Freckman** (an Anniston police officer) was shot in the line of duty last week but is recovering well.

**Kelly Ward** (friend of **Shelly Painter**) is recovering from her 2nd surgery on melanoma on October 25th. (PO Box 137, Bynum 36253)

### Sympathy. . .

We express our deepest sympathy to the family of **Anthony Cherry** who passed away on October 25th. Please remember his wife, **Gracie**, as well as all of the family, in your prayers during this difficult time. (2417 Coleman Road, Anniston 36207)

### Encourage & Support. . .

Lorene Turner responded to the invitation last Sunday morning asking for the prayers of the BVH family as she strives to do more to further the Kingdom and let God's light shine through her. Please lift Lorene up in prayer in the days ahead. (602 Lowrimore Road, Alexandria 36250)



### Veteran's Appreciation Day

Our annual Veteran's Appreciation luncheon will be held on Sunday, November 12th after morning worship. *(note this meal will take the place of our monthly potluck lunch)* Please begin inviting Veterans to join us for this special day. We need a list of all Veterans (from our congregation and those that will be visiting). There is a sign-up sheet in the foyer. The church will provide the meat for this meal. We ask that members bring side dishes, desserts, and drinks (enough for your family plus a few extra).

## Those Privileged to Serve:

November 2017

### Song Leaders:

5th—Rusty Stephens    12th—Shaun Stancil  
19th—Jake Leonard    26th—David West

### AM: Opening Prayer

5th: Marty Livingston  
12th: Frank Thomas  
19th: David Pugh  
26th: Jamie Burgess

### Closing Prayer

Bobby Lackey  
Britt Parker  
Patrick Houston  
Jim Denney

### PM: Opening Prayer

5th: Eddie Jennings  
12th: NO PM SERVICE  
19th: John David Austin  
26th: Bob Templin

### Closing Prayer

Mike Tims  
  
Rusty Stephens  
Shaun Stancil

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

**Presiding:** 5th: Frank Tant    12th: Calvin Phillips  
19th: Wayne Carden    26th: Elton Carter

**Assisting:** Dan Hopkins, Duane Stephens, Matt Smith,  
Jason Webb, Landon Watts, Harold Colley, Patrick Houston,  
Kenny Stratton

### Ushers:

Ted Haynes, Marty Livingston, Jeff Tims, Harold Bean,  
Chad Watts, Jamie Burgess

### Little Lambs:

5th: Shannon Smith & Linda Carter  
12th: Lindsey Webb & Shelby Stratton  
19th: Rachel Tant & Tiffany Strickland  
26th: Linda Galbreath & Andi Johnston

### Greeters:

**West Entrance:** Harold & Pattie Bean  
**East Entrance:** Jeff & Teresa Tims  
**Main Foyer:** Marty Livingston, Frank & Gloria Thomas,  
Cathy Fetner

### Security Duty:

5th: Avery Pressley & Spencer Austin  
12th: Tyler Johnston & James Galbreath  
19th: Geoff Williams & Kevin Briley  
26th: Jay Painter & Russell Johnston

**Prepare Communion:** Candace Houston  
**Secure Building:** Eddie Jennings  
**Youth Activity Host:** David & Kathy West  
**Contact Elder:** Kevin Briley

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

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Fred Denney  
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James Lindsey

### Deacons:

James Galbreath  
(Food Ministry, Backpack Program, Grounds)  
Eddie Jennings  
(Homebuilders, Young Adult Activities, Baptistery)  
Marty Livingston  
(Youth, Office Administration, Widows Needs)  
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Worship: 10:30 a.m.  
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#### Wednesday

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

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Ways Love is Displayed in the Church:

1. By \_\_\_\_\_ each other.

2. When we \_\_\_\_\_ with each other.

3. Through \_\_\_\_\_.

## We Care and We Pray. . .

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3. Through ACCOUNTABILITY.

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