



VOICE

BETTA VIEW

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

May 27, 2018

Today:

"It Is Well"

Tonight:

**Random Acts of Kindness Activity
for youth ages 4 yrs old to Teens
Meet in the gym at 4:30pm.**

Wednesday:

Singing Night

Contact Elder for May—Elton Carter

Order of Worship

Call To Worship

Song #: How Can I Keep From Singing

Prayer - Calvin Phillips

Song Leader: Shaun Stancil

Song #100-101: Holy Ground

Song #77: Glorify Thy Name

***Song #382: Why Did My Savior Come To Earth
(1,3)***

Communion & Offering

Song #: Create In Me

Song #: All To Us

Children dismiss to Children's Bible Hour

***Scripture Reading: Tyreic Foster
2 Chronicles 20:12***

Message: John Bryan O'Connor

Song #321: What Is He Worth To Your Soul (1,3)

Announcements

Song #535: The Glory-Land Way (1)

***"Let Us Not Become Weary In Doing Good, For At The Proper
Time We Will Reap A Harvest If We Do Not Give Up."***

It Takes Time



Did you hear about the country boy who took his family to the big city for the first time? Lost in a strange place, he stopped in front of a multi-story hotel building. Father and son went inside to get some directions.

Standing in the lobby, they were looking around for someone to ask. They spied a kind-looking old man with a cane and started toward him. They drew back, though, when the wall opened up for him! They watched in amazement as the wall closed, numbers above the opening grew larger then smaller, and the doors opened again. Out came a young man in confident stride and business suit. "Son, wait right here," said the farmer. "I'm going to get in that thing!"

All of us could wish change came so quickly and so painlessly. I'd rather lose 20 pounds with a pill than deny myself extra helpings or desserts and begin to exercise. Some people prefer to saddle themselves with debt to buy a house full of furniture rather than buy furniture as they can afford it or to buy a new car they could easily do without. And so the stories go. We want what we want – *now*.

I even think I see a lot of anger in today's world that is tied to the same thing. Petty people get mad at the good fortune of others. They want immediately what someone else attained over time. Immature people want the recognition and life status other people earned over years, but they want it on a silver platter – *today*.

We laugh at the guy who thought an elevator was a magic box that made old into young, stooped into good posture, and plain into stylish. Maybe we should be laughing at ourselves. Going to college doesn't make one wise. Driving an expensive car doesn't confer refinement or personality. Living in an exclusive part of town says nothing about the happiness of the people who live in its newest and nicest house. And going to church doesn't confer spirituality.

Authentic change in looks, lifestyle, and personality takes place over time. If there is an outcome you'd like, the surest way to achieve it is not to waste your money on dangerous pills or to squander it on games of chance. Set a worthy goal, identify the incremental steps necessary to get there, and begin your journey. Know in advance that the wisdom, discipline, and understanding that come from the journey are equally as valuable as anything at its end.

"And so I tell you, keep on asking, and you will receive what you ask for," said Jesus. "Keep on seeking, and you will find. Keep on knocking, and the door will be opened to you" (Luke 11:9 NLT).

Upcoming Events



May 27: Random Acts of Kindness in our community—Youth trip for ages 4 through teens. Meet in gym at 4:30pm. See Shelly for details.

May 30: Singing Night

June 3: Pot Luck Lunch—Group 1 in charge

June 4-8: Gulf Coast Bible Camp—Youth Group

June 17: Father's Day—No PM Worship Service

June 19: GEMS Meeting—10am

June 24—27: VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL—
WE NEED VOLUNTEERS!!!

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Dates for this year's Vacation Bible School will be June 24-June 27. 6pm to 8pm. There will be classes for all ages. We need volunteers. If you can help please sign up!

Birthdays & Anniversaries

5/27—Essie Figures, Timothy Lindsey

5/28—Carolyn Jennings, M/M Shane Champion

5/29—Ken Bean, Chloe Houston

5/30—Kevin Briley, Shannon Newman

6/1—Diane Mitchell, M/M Larry Watts

6/2—Bobby Phillips, Maggie West, Madison West

6/3—Linda Smith

Remember in Prayer. . .



Sick. . .

Hugo Tims fell this past week breaking his nose and crushing his sinuses. He has been transferred to UAB. They had to insert a tube so he could breathe and have taken him off blood thinners to try to stop the bleeding. Once bleeding has stopped they will do surgery to repair the damage. (55 Oak Street, Munford 36268)

Friends & Family. . .

Kelly Ward (friend of **Shelly Painter** – attends our Ladies Devos) was recently diagnosed with melanoma. She has had a knot develop beneath her incision and the doctor has decided that it needed to have a needle biopsy done on it. Pray for the results of that to show no more melanoma. (PO Box 137, Bynum 36253)

Sympathy. . .

We express our deepest sympathy to the family of **Iona Phillips** (mother of **Calvin Phillips**) who passed away last May 16th. Funeral services were held Friday. Please keep Calvin and Dorothy in your prayers during this difficult time. (7 Cobblestone Drive, Anniston 36207)

Congratulations. . .

Congratulations to **Stacy Sirmon** on her retirement from the school system after 28 years! What an accomplishment! We know you will be missed but wish you many happy days enjoying your retirement – well deserved! (45201 Al Hwy 21, Munford 36268)

Those Privileged to Serve:

May 2018

Song Leaders:

27th – Shaun Stancil

AM: Opening Prayer

27th: Calvin Phillips

Closing Prayer

Brian Forbus

PM: Opening Prayer

27th: James Farmer

Closing Prayer

Jeff Tims

Those to Serve at the Lord's Table:

Presiding:

27th – Bobby Phillips

Assisting:

Scott Sirmon, Duane Stephens, Kenny Stratton, Frank Thomas, Mike Tims, Keith Yarbrough, David Austin, Kellen Foster

Ushers:

Rod Elston, Ron Chambless, Jeff Tims, Geoff Williams

Little Lambs:

27th – Linda Carter & Shannon Smith

Greeters:

West Entrance: Jeff & Teresa Tims

East Entrance: James Galbreath & Linda Carter

Main Foyer: Willodean Carter, Cathy Fetner, Pam Stratton, Jerry Wilson

Security Duty:

27th – Marcus Denney & Landon Watts

Prepare Communion: Andi Johnston

Secure Building: Fred Denney

Youth Activity Host: Need Volunteers!

Contact Elder: Elton Carter

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



FunDay Thursdays for kids 6th grade and under (bring a friend!)—every Thursday from 9am to 12pm beginning on June 7th at the church. Details coming soon!

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