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August 5, 2018

**Today:** 

"The Mind Of Jesus"

Potluck Lunch – Group 2 (Patsy Watts) in charge. No PM Worship Service

Monday: Teacher Luncheon for Coldwater Elementary 11am in the Fellowship Hall (please remember to turn in your school supplies for this event today!) Order of Worship Welcome & Call To Worship Song #: Here I Am To Worship

BETTAVIEW

Prayer - David Pugh

Song Leader: David West

Song #867: To Canaan's Land I'm On My Way (1,2,4) Song #351: He Bore It All (1,3) Song #315: When I Survey The Wondrous Cross (1,3,4)

Communion & Offering
Song #: Anywhere Is Home (1,3)

Children dismiss to Children's Bible Hour

Scripture Reading: Zachary Briley Colossians 3:1-3

Message: Josh Lifford Song #945: Kneel At The Cross (1,3)

Announcements

Song #854: When He Comes In Glory By And By

**Prayer - Jim Denney** 

Contact Elder for – James Lindsey

"Set Your Minds On Things Above, Not On Earthly Things. For You Died, And Your Life Is Now Hidden With Christ In God."



Amid fires, gunshots and chaos, an Alabama mission team prayed for a safe way home from Haiti.

"You just trust in your faith. You just trust in God, and that's what we did," Debbie Dupuy told *The Christian Chronicle* after the team was back on U.S. soil.

Dupuy and her husband, Arvy, members of the Cornerstone Church of Christ in Florence, Ala., were part of a 14-member team that included members of their congregation and the nearby Petersville Church of Christ. The team spent a week in the Caribbean nation working with <u>Liberté Ministries</u>.

As the team completed its trip and prepared to fly home on July 7, they learned of growing unrest in Haiti's capital, Port-au-Prince, after the government announced a sharp rise in the prices of gasoline, diesel and kerosene — all vital to commerce in the impoverished nation.

The news sent Haitians into the streets, burning grocery stores and other businesses and setting up roadblocks to disrupt commerce. The U.S. embassy encouraged Americans to shelter in place. "We were in touch with the U.S. Embassy and different people

"We were in touch with the U.S. Embassy and different people and we decided we needed to rebook," Dupuy said. Two members of the team had already left. The remaining 12 stayed in a guarded compound with missionaries from other faith groups — also waiting for the chance to return to the U.S. "It became a very unsettling time," Dupuy said. "We were trying to stay safe, keep our team safe and not feel too alarmed." Two days after they were scheduled to leave Haiti, Arvy Dupuy filmed a video from the compound's roof. As smoke billowed in the background from fires in the streets below, the church member told family, friends and fellow Christians that the team was OK.

They spent just one more night in compound before they decided to make the trip to the airport. Escorted by police, the team made it to the airport early on July 10th.

"When we left we had not one problem," Debbie Dupuy said. "We didn't encounter one road block."

For the team members, it was a frightening end to a heartwarming mission that included two Vacation Bible Schools, one of which brought together more nearly 800 Haitian children. The team also taught adult Bible classes for two Churches of Christ and worked with the Liberté Ministries preaching school.

A high point of the trip, Debbie Dupuy said, was the day they helped Liberté purchase a section of land that will someday house an orphanage.

Team members collected 12 stones and stacked them on the plot of land — a symbol from the Old Testament recorded in Joshua 4. They prayed a blessing over the land and the children that will someday fill the orphanage.

"We know that we have to train up a generation. We have to start with the young ones and train up a generation," Debbie Dupuy said. "It's just a beautiful thing to watch and see what happens when God's people go in and teach and train."

Home, now, Haiti is still at the forefront of her mind.

"We are constantly monitoring the situation," she said. "Right now they're still protesting. It's more peaceful, but they're protesting the government. The people have had enough. Life there is so difficult for them and they can't take anymore."

Despite the ordeal, the Dupuys say they likely will return to Haiti soon.

"We're not giving up. There's too much good," Debbie Dupuy said. "There are too many people being taught. It just humbles us to see their faith."

They hope, she added, that the unrest won't keep others from serving, too. *Article taken from The Christian Chronicle*.

# **Upcoming Events**



**August 6:** Coldwater Elementary Teacher luncheon—Fellowship Hall at 11am. If you would like to help, please see Andi or Shelly.

August 14: GEMS Meeting—10am

August 14: Ladies Devotional—5:45pm. Angie Lindsey will bring the devo message & Ollie Willingham will lead singing. Ladies bring side dishes & desserts. Also bring \$5 to cover the cost of chicken fingers. Instead of a gift swap this month, we are asking each lady to bring STUDENT school supplies (clear or mesh bookbag, pencil cases, crayons, markers, pencils, paper, etc.) Thanks!

August 29: Singing Night

September 2: Potluck Lunch—Group 3 (Shelly Painter) in charge.

### **Recycle Bins**

We now have recycle bins in the hallway behind the gym on the West Side of the building. She Sharon Limbaugh if you have any questions.

### Birthdays & Anniversaries

8/5—Ethan Jennings, Connie Strickland

8/6—Tymeria Lindsey

8/7—Heather Carden, M/M Keith Timmons

8/8—Pamela Arnold, Tiffany Strickland

8/9—M/M Kevin Briley

8/10—Shannon Smith

8/11—Don Holt

# Remember in Prayer...



## Sick...

**Debbie Mitchell** had an appointment with a doctor at UAB this past Thursday. They have set her surgery date for August 20th. (139 Hickory Drive, Oxford 36203)

**Nona Farmer** is now home from the hospital with home health care. Food groups are taking meals for the next couple of weeks. If you aren't on a food group but would like to help, see Shelly Painter, Patsy Watts, or Glenda Reaves. (49000 US 78, Lincoln 35096)

**Rod Elston** has a broken leg from a motorcycle accident. (700 Beck Road, Eastaboga 36260)

**Tesa Johnston** is recovering from surgery this past Friday. (PO Box 375, Munford 36268)

## Friends & Family...

**Shirley Thompson** has been in the hospital at RMC following cancer surgery.

**Ronnie Reid** is now home from the hospital. He will be meeting with doctors to discuss a heart transplant. (5469 McIntosh Road, Oxford 36203)

### Encourage & Support...

**Brooke Leonard** responded last Sunday morning asking for the prayers and support of the BVH family. She was baptized Sunday night. Please lift Brooke up in prayer during the days ahead. (11 Raptor Way, Anniston 36207)

### Outreach Project— We Need The Following:

1—Travel Size Deodorants

2—Canned meats (Vienna sausage, spam, tuna, potted meat in pop top cans)

3—Travel sized toiletries (travels collect ho-

tel shampoos, lotions etc)

4—Kids Meal toys or small unwanted toys from home.

## Those Privileged to Serve: August 2018

### Song Leaders:

5th – David West 12th – Jacob Leonard 19th – Rusty Stephens 26th – Shaun Stancil

#### AM: <u>Opening Prayer</u>

5th:David Pugh12th:Rusty Stephens19th:Frank Thomas26th:Alan Robison

<u>Closing Prayer</u> Jim Denney Glen Brown Eddie Jennings Iacob Leonard

#### PM: **Opening Prayer**

**Closing Prayer** 

5th:NO PM Worship12th:Shaun StancilF19th:James FarmerD26th:Brian ForbusK

Fred Denney Duane Stephens Kevin Briley

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

 Presiding:
 5th – Marty Livingston
 12th – Duane Stephens

 19th – Jamie Burgess
 26th – Rick Pinkston

#### Assisting:

James Galbreath, Spencer Austin, Kenny Stratton, Keith Yarbrough, Ted Haynes, Mike Tims, Landon Watts, Marcus Denney

<u>Ushers</u>:

Eric Ishee, David Stancil, Harold Bean, Zachary Briley

#### Little Lambs:

5th: Tiffany Strickland 12th: Andi Johnston & Linda Galbreath 19th: Susan Briley & Shelby Stratton 26th: Brooke Leonard & Hailey Smallwood

#### Greeters:

West Entrance: Miriam James & Helen Lee East Entrance: Debbie Stewart & Shannon Smith Main Foyer: Pam Stratton, Teresa Tims, Linda Carter, Zachary Briley

#### Security Duty:

5th: Russell Johnston & Jay Painter12th: Kevin Briley & Avery Pressley19th: Geoff Williams & Norman Morrison26th: Russell Johnston & Jay Painter

Prepare Communion: Angie Lindsey Secure Building: Forester Tillson Youth Activity Host: Briley & Tims Families Contact Elder: James Lindsey

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

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**Children's Ministry** Activities Coordinator: Eric Ishee

Youth & Family Minister: Jacob Leonard

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Wednesday Morning Study: 10:00am-11:00am Bible Study: 6:30 p.m. Phone: 256-831-0651

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### We Care and We Pray...

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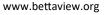
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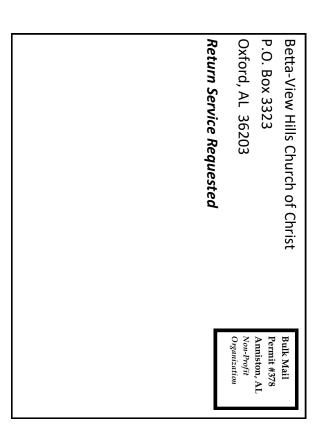
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