

## Prayer Seekers

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## Our Faithfulness

**Sunday, April 28, 2019**

Bible Study . . . . . 72  
 Budget for 2019 . . . . . \$317,594.00  
 Tithes Needed to Date . . . . . \$97,613.87  
 Received to Date . . . . . \$71,224.55  
 Tithes Needed for Weekly Budget Goal \$6,107.58  
 Tithes Received this week . . . . . \$4,657.00

## Serving Others

**Sunday, May 5, 2019**

Deacon of the Week . . . . . Carl Hobbs  
 Nursery AM . . . . . Suzi LaRocca, Daisy Lee Speight  
 Nursery PM . . . . . June Whiddon, Betty Hanner  
 Sound . . . . . Chris McCard  
 Video AM . . . . . David Mathis  
 Video PM . . . . . Saskia Van Son  
 Bus Driver . . . . . Dwane Lewis  
**Deacon Greeters**  
 Front Door . . . . . Carl Hobbs  
 Organ Greeter . . . . . Gene Massengale  
 Piano Greeter . . . . . Tony McCard

**Sunday, May 12, 2019**

Deacon of the Week . . . . . Shawn McRae  
 Nursery AM . . . . . Barbara Anne Perry, Jan Winter  
 Nursery PM . . . . . No PM Services  
 Sound . . . . . Carl Hobbs  
 Video AM . . . . . Olivia Lewis  
 Video PM . . . . . Olivia Lewis  
 Bus Driver . . . . . Daniel West  
**Deacon Greeters**  
 Front Door . . . . . Shawn McRae  
 Organ Greeter . . . . . Gene Massengale  
 Piano Greeter . . . . . Tony McCard

## Church Staff

David Smith . . . . . Pastor  
 Jonathan Perry . . . . . Director of Family and Music  
 Nikki Brewer . . . . . Church Secretary  
 Judy B. Whitehead . . . . . Pianist  
 Marvin Hobby . . . . . Organist

## Prayer List

Janice Adair  
 June Adams  
 Elvin Akridge  
 Chad Beard  
 Willene Beard  
 Lucy Blackwell  
 David Bloomer  
 Mendy Bodrey  
 Audrey Brock  
 Grady Brock  
 Jim Brown  
 Melba Brown  
 Vickie Coley  
 Lynn Collins  
 Silas Creel  
 Margie Cromer  
 Reba Cross  
 Linda Davison  
 Carolyn DeSimone  
 John DeSimone  
 Deral Dukes  
 Farrell Flake  
 Marie Gastlay  
 Curt Hobbs  
 Marvin Hobbs  
 Tracy Hollis  
 Richard Kennedy  
 Tony Kleckley  
 Gary Wayne Lanneau  
 Suzi LaRocca  
 Ron Leger  
 Sheila McCard  
 Byron McCurdy  
 Matthew McRae  
 Dustin McKee  
 Runean Monroe Family  
 Jane Moore  
 Evelyn Morrison  
 Frances Nolin  
 Donald Padgett  
 Jewell Padgett  
 Ray Pankratz  
 Krista Pylant

Linda Raper  
 Ann Reed  
 Donnie Robinson  
 Tom Rose  
 Luke Scott  
 Peggy Smith  
 Sarah Smith  
 Jetta Sprayberry  
 Kayleigh Tanner  
 Sue Tuck  
 Faye West  
 Lavonda Womack  
 Ruth Youngblood  
**\*In Service**  
 \*Dexter Baker  
 \*David Bass  
 \*Chris Britt  
 \*Lace Burdett  
 \*Joshua Cass  
 \*Clay Creel  
 \*West Griffin  
 \*Jonathan Hughes  
 \*Jason Jones  
 \*Emory, Jeremy,  
 & Aaron Lussi  
 \*Robert McMillian  
 \*Jonathan Nelson  
 \*Brian Rowland  
 \*Wesley Stevens

## How To Reach Us

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May 5, 2019



## Joyful Messengers Thursday, May 9, 2019 at Noon in the Fellowship Hall.

I want to invite each of you to come join us for lunch. This group is open to all the Special People of our church and our friends. Bring your favorite covered dish and join us for lunch.

Shelia Hobbs will be sharing about Quilts of Valor.

## Graduates Participating in The Baccalaureate Service.

Jared Brown  
 Susan Faith Hobbs  
 Kunal Patel  
 Nisha Patel  
 Sunny Patel  
 Edwin Zapote  
 Luisa Abigail Zapote



VBS June 10-14  
 Invite Others Now



Sunday, May 5  
 7:00 — 8:30 PM

Following the evening  
 service

## Pastor's Pen

"Pray about it." Isn't that our standard answer for every situation? It does not matter what type of problem is being considered nor its magnitude or consequences. We know (and say) that the problem is to be handled with prayer.

But we often struggle with being able to pray confidently about our circumstances. Sometimes the problems are so close to our hearts that we cannot think clearly. Other times, the possible consequences frighten us too much to be able to pray. Or, we struggle with being able to trust that God would really care enough to work in our lives.

We are not alone in such struggles. The writer of Psalm 71 is struggling against very strong enemies when he is old and weak. Yet, he ended his prayer with confidence and joy.

What enabled the psalmist to pray effectively? First, he knew and based his prayer on the character of God. Verse two says, "In Your righteousness deliver and rescue me..." His prayer was based on the person of God.

This is why it is so important to learn who God is. We need to study and read the Scriptures to learn who God has revealed himself to be. Too many sermons, lessons and Bible studies address topics by focusing on the question or needs that we think are important. If we devote ourselves to seeing God's revelation of Himself, most of our problems, questions and needs will fall into place and can be met.

Second, we need to rely on what the revealed God of the Scriptures says about the subject. The psalmist wrote, "...You have given commandment to save me..." The psalmist knew that the righteous God had obligated Himself to saving the psalmist. He could rest because he had a firm promise from a God who was righteous. When we rest in the promises of such a great God, we can pray in confidence.

Last, we need to remember God's deliverances in the past. The psalmist prayed, "...O Lord God, You are my confidence from my youth. By you I have been sustained from my birth..." (verses 5b-6a). The psalmist was able to pray with confidence in the present because he saw that God had never failed him in the past. If we take a few moments to remember all of God's work in the past, it will help us to pray with confidence.

Did these really help the psalmist? He concluded his prayers by saying, "My lips will shout for joy when I sing praises to You; and my soul, which You have redeemed. My tongue also will utter Your righteousness all day long; for they are ashamed, for they are humiliated who seek my heart" (verses 23-24).

If we pray like the psalmist, we'll have the confidence of the psalmist.

## May Calendar

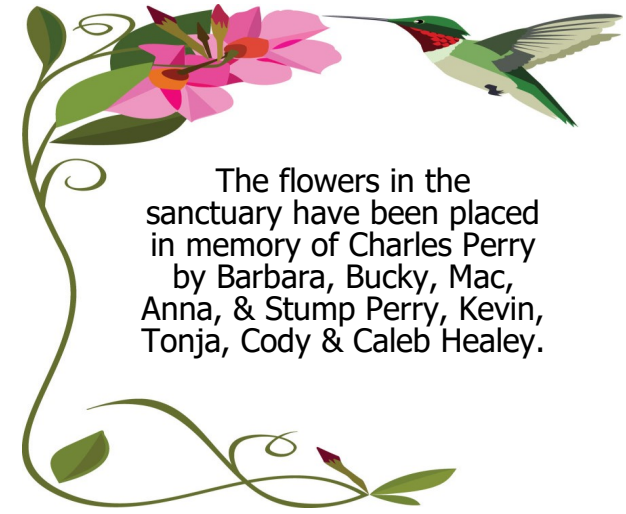
<u>Sunday, May 5</u>	
Assembly	9:40 AM
Bible Study	9:45 AM
Morning Worship	11:00 AM
Building and Grounds	5:00 PM
Evening Worship	6:00 PM
Solid Rock	7:00 PM

<u>Monday, May 6</u>	
Visitation	7:00 PM

<u>Wednesday, May 8</u>	
Ignite	5:30 PM
Prayer Meeting	6:00 PM
Team Kid	6:00 PM
Adult Choir Practice	7:00 PM

<u>Thursday, May 9</u>	
Joyful Messengers	12:00 PM

<u>Sunday, May 12</u>	
Mother's Day	
Finance Committee Meeting	9:00 AM
Assembly	9:40 AM
Bible Study	9:45 AM
Morning Worship	11:00 AM
No Evening Services	



The flowers in the sanctuary have been placed in memory of Charles Perry by Barbara, Bucky, Mac, Anna, & Stump Perry, Kevin, Tonja, Cody & Caleb Healey.

## Senior Adults

The Senior Adults will not be going to lunch on the second Sunday of each month until the Fall.

## Youth Camp June 17-21

This year for camp we will be staying in a house on Lake Hartwell, just outside of Lavonia, GA. You don't want to miss this week of Bible Study, Fun, and Fellowship.

\$50 Due: When signing up  
\$50 Due: June 5  
\$100 Due: June 17

Sign up with Jonathan

## Sermon Topics for May 12, 2019

**AM:** *The Woman God Uses*  
Genesis 24-35

**PM:** No Evening Services