

SUNDAYS:
Sunday school for all ages 9:45AM
Morning worship 11AM

WEDNESDAYS:
Bible study for all ages 6PM
Choir Practice 7PM



MARCH 18, 2026

PRAYER LIST

CHURCH FAMILY

DJ Latimer

FAMILY & FRIENDS

Our Nation, State, Community & Schools

Craig Hulsey

Erika Willson

*Friend of Sierra Malone

Terry Kincaid- Back Surgery

Bryon Thornton & Family-Car Accident

Gregg Neineman

Justin Harris

Glynda Howard- Shingles

Cody Lewis

Chloe Foster

Judy Pemberton

*Lois Seifert's Daughter

Michael Pemberton

*Lois Seifert's Son in law

Christina Lee (& Parents, Courtney & Michael)

*Family Member of Ben & Heidi Lee

Paul Layton

*Friends of Kerry Bonifay

Tracy Rowe- Lymphoma

*Friend of Alan Fredrick

Ricky Luckie- Cancer

*Ruth Driggers Son

Marley Kate- Brain Tumor

Ruth Ratcliff- Brain Tumor

*Friend of Don & Lynn Gray

Jana Schoenfeld- Stage 4 Leukemia

*Friend of Noelle Bouchet

Jim Graham- Lymphoma

*Friend of Brooke Beggs

Justin Gardner- Cancer

*Friend of Kerry Bonifay

Riley Brasher-Cancer

*Rachel Hall's Sister

Jeff Brasher- Cancer

*Karen Malone's Brother

Freddy Greene- Cancer

* The Reynolds' Family Friend

Gail Henderson- Cancer

Jerry Snow- Cancer

*April Carden's Fa ther

Mark Roberts

*Fred Bouchet's Cousin

Boston Smith

Grant McDaniel

CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY

Family of Kurt Russell

HOMEBOUND

Judy Aycock

Nadine Jackson

Katherine Justice

Lois Seifert

Pat Barber

Sarah Campbell

Floyce Sumners

Carolyn Hassett

Teri Wills

FAMILY & FRIENDS IN ASSISTED LIVING/ HEALTH CARE/REHAB

L J White- EJYS Homes for You, Birmingham

*Lynda Chick's Son

Janette Russell-Oak Circle Assisted Living, Pell City

Joyce Arnold-Columbiana Health and Rehab

*Jo Landers' Classmate

Judy Greene- Coosa Valley Medical Center

MISSION SERVICE

Evan & Rachel Clinkscales-Mexico

Bill Morrison-State Missions

Sharise Riether- Republic of the Congo

*ecmafrica.org/project/beautiful-blessings

Chris and Leah Moore-Redeemer Church in Dubai

*Friends of Mark & Beverly Smith

Pastor Joe Lutaaya

MILITARY

John DeWeese-Navy

* Mary Lee Reynolds' Grandson

Logan Dodson-Army

*Ray & Evelyn McAllister's Grandson

Korey Barber & Alex Kincaid-Air Force

*Terry Kincaid's Sons

UPCOMING EVENTS

Easter Egg-Stravaganza- March 28th 1-3PM



RECORD FOR SUNDAY

March 8, 2026

Sunday School Attendance	60
Weekly Budget Requirement	\$6,859.06
Budget Offering	\$4,403.00
Pastor Appreciation	\$731
Annie Armstrong	\$215
Benevolence	\$2,750
Year to Date	
Budget Requirement to date	\$75,449.66
Budget Offering to date	\$56,617.38
Donations to General Fund	\$6,000.00



ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Kids Camp**- July 23rd-26th at Shocco Springs for kids in 3rd-6th grade. See Ashley Barber if you'd like to sign your child up.
- **Youth Camp**- June 19th-22nd in Panama City Beach. See Jessica Bearden if you'd like to sign your youth up.
- **How Can We Pray for You?** Check out our Prayer Wall located by the Sanctuary doors. The Prayer Team will pray over your requests each week - whether they are anonymous, spoken, or unspoken.
- **If you'd like to read Psalms on Sunday morning**, contact Theresa Newman 813-477-3440
- **Check out our Little Library for Adult and Children's Books!**-Located by the Parking Lot in front of the Fellowship Hall
- **FBCV Pre K is seeking to fill a part time position starting Aug 2026.** Contact Holly 205-672-2658 for more info.
- **Unlimited Ministry**- We invite families with special needs to worship and grow with us. Please let us know ahead of time how we can meet your needs.
- **Our Children's Ministry is growing! We compiled an Amazon Wish List** to expand the classrooms. Any donation, great or small, would be appreciated! 
- **The preschool committee has compiled an Amazon Wish List** for items needed the classrooms. Any donation, great or small, would be appreciated! 

FROM THE PASTOR

PERFECTING HOLINESS BY OSWALD CHAMBERS

SINCE WE HAVE THESE PROMISES, DEAR FRIENDS, LET US PURIFY OURSELVES . . . PERFECTING HOLINESS OUT OF REVERENCE FOR GOD. — [2 CORINTHIANS 7:1](#)

Have I recognized that God, through his promises, has a claim on me? We delight in God's promises to us and count on their fulfillment, and it is right that we should. But Paul reminds us that this is only the human side of the equation. The divine side is that God wishes us to become pure and holy out of reverence to him.

Have I understood that my body is the temple of the Holy Spirit? Or do I have a habit that obviously can't stand the light of God upon it? Through sanctification, the Son of God is formed inside me, but the story doesn't end there. I must transform my natural, physical life into a spiritual life through obedience. God educates us down to the scruple, examining every aspect of our character. Keep yourself clean in your daily walk, and when God begins his inspection, rid yourself at once of any impurity his gaze reveals. The goal is to bring yourself, in both body and spirit, into perfect harmony with the nature of God.

Are my thoughts and outlook in perfect agreement with the Spirit inside me? Or am I intellectually defiant? Am I forming the mind of Christ and obeying God? Jesus never spoke of his right to himself. Rather, he maintained an inner watchfulness, continually submitting his spirit to his Father. I too have the responsibility of keeping my spirit in agreement with the Lord's Spirit. If I do, then by degrees Jesus will lift me up to where he lived—in perfect consecration to his Father's will, paying no attention to anything else.

Am I perfecting this kind of holiness in the fear of God? Is God getting his way with me? Are other people seeing more and more evidence of him in my life? Be serious with God and happily leave the rest alone. Literally, put God first.

By Grace
Robbie