

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

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



APRIL 29, 2026

PRAYER LIST

CHURCH FAMILY

DJ Latimer

FAMILY & FRIENDS

Our Nation, State, Community & Schools

Elizabeth Sherrell

Rene Luckie- Car Accident

*Ruth Driggers Daughter-in-law

Tommy Jones and Family-Brain and Neck Surgery

*Heidi Lee's Co-worker

Chloe Odem- Walking Appalachian Trail

*Bill & Janet Kelley's Granddaughter

Chloe Foster

Judy & Michael Pemberton

*Lois Seifert's Daughter & Son In Law

Christina Lee (& Parents, Courtney & Michael)

*Family Member of Ben & Heidi Lee

Paul Layton

*Friends of Kerry Bonifay

Tammy Cochran- Breast Cancer

*Beverly Smith's Cousin

Aubrey Ward-Cancer

*Cathy Greene's Niece

Tracy Rowe- Lymphoma

*Friend of Alan Fredrick

Anita Martin-Cancer

*Friend of Nathan Riddle

Joan Hinson- Cancer

*Friend of Connie Morris

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 Father

Boston Smith

Grant McDaniel

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

*thegc.org/us/donate

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

Coralei Kelley

*Bill & Janet Kelley's Granddaughter

Julian Garrison-Army

*Carter & Ann Elliott's Grandson

RECORD FOR SUNDAY

April 26, 2026

Sunday School Attendance 58

Weekly Budget Requirement \$6,859.06

Budget Offering \$2,703.33

Year to Date



Budget Requirement to date \$116,604.02

Budget Offering to date \$85,589.04

Donations to General Fund \$8,000.00



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

WHAT DO YOU WANT? BY OSWALD CHAMBERS

SHOULD YOU THEN SEEK GREAT THINGS FOR YOURSELF? DO NOT SEEK THEM. — JEREMIAH 45:5

Are you seeking great things for yourself? Not seeking to become a great man or woman, but seeking great gifts from God? God wants your relationship with him to be closer than a relationship based on receiving his gifts. He wants you to get to know him. Nothing is easier than getting into a right relationship with God, except when you're only looking for what you can get out of it.

If, in your walk in faith, you've only come as far as asking God for blessings, you haven't begun to approach full abandonment to him. You've become a Christian, but you've become one on your own terms rather than his. "I asked God for the Holy Spirit," you say, "but he did not give me the peace I expected." God puts his finger on the reason at once: you aren't seeking him at all; you're seeking things for yourself.

Jesus says, "Ask and it will be given to you" (Luke 11:9). You cannot ask if you are not asking for a right thing. Are you asking God for the great gift of the Holy Spirit? If he has not given it, it is because you are not abandoned enough: there is still something you will not do. Are you prepared to ask yourself what you want from God and why you want it? "Your Father knows what you need before you ask him" (Matthew 6:8). Then why ask? So that you may get to know him. When you draw near to God, you will stop asking for anything other than him.

God ignores present perfection for ultimate perfection. He isn't concerned about making you blessed and happy right now. He is working out his ultimate perfection: "That they may be one as we are one" (John 17:11).

**By Grace
Robbie**