

UPCOMING EVENTS

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New Office Hours:
Monday-Thursday
9:00 a.m. -5:00 p.m.

Friday: 9am-1pm

Sunday, June 19, 2016

FATHER'S DAY

8:30 am Prayer Time
8:30 am Fellowship Time/Refreshments
9:00 am Campus Groups
9:00 am - 9:45 am Kid's Small Group
9:25 am Worship Huddle (Hospitality Rm)
10:00am Morning Worship
10:15 am Kid's Worship
3:00 pm - 5:00 pm Youth Band Practice

Monday, June 20, 2016

6:30 pm Boy Scouts
7:00 pm Alpha Circle

Wednesday, June 22, 2016

9:00 am Food Pantry & Clothes Closet
5:45 pm Children's Snack Supper
6:00 pm - 7 pm Children's Program
6:00 pm - 8:30 pm Youth
7:00 pm Chancel Choir Practice

Thursday, June 23, 2016

9:00 am Food Pantry & Clothes Closet
9:00 am Nifty/Fifty (FH)

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110 Sunset Drive
Hueytown, Alabama
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Hueytown, Alabama

Connecting Points

What is a person thinking who enters a night club and kills as many people as he can and injures numerous others? What about all the other shooters in recent months and years? Obviously, their motives are diverse but the pain and heartache they create by stealing the lives of innocent victims is unthinkable. We must admit that many of them are mentally ill and perhaps we would use that label to define anyone who does such a cruel and senseless act.

None of us can imagine anyone doing something like that who is in their right mind. And that tells us how important our mind is and what goes into it and what is going on inside of it. It matters what we feed on spiritually, mentally and emotionally. It matters what parents, relatives and friends say to us and about us. It matters what propaganda and philosophies and theologies we consume. Other things matter too and some are even outside our control. Sometimes, things just go haywire in the brain or the chemistry or system of a person. All we can control is what we can control.

God can control even more, and so we invite God into our thoughts and our thinking. We invite God's Spirit to teach and guide us. And we invite Jesus to let us walk with him and talk with him and hear his thoughts that help us have a right mind. What can be better than having the mind of Christ in us? Jesus who completely honored God the Father with his thoughts, words and deeds and was fully who God created him to be can both pardon and empower us. We are indeed sinners saved by grace but we are also saints living by grace. Grace is the answer for the sin sick soul and mental illnesses that bring death to us and others. God's grace is amazing! And only the peace that passes understanding can comfort the spirit of grief in us and among us today caused by sin and sinners.

Grace and Peace to you from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ!

Pastor Dean

Remember In Prayer

OUR KNOWN HOSPITALIZED:

Recovering at Home:

June Robinson

Special Prayer Requests:

Richard Clark (Ann Clark's son)

Ann Winslett

Mary Clyde Moore

Marie Thrasher

Tammy Campbell

Roger Moody

Buddy Parker

Patsy Crump

Joree Vance

Susan Rheuby

Jo Edmonson

Our Christian love and sympathy is . . .

. . . extended to Buster and Betty Jane Kornegay on the death of Buster's brother Jesse Kornegay on June 6, 2016.

. . . extended to Dan and Rhonda Thigpen and family on the death of Dan's father, George Thigpen on June 11, 2016

Attendance & Contributions

June 12, 2016

Sunday School	87
Morning Worship	155
Contemporary Service	29
Pledge Total 2016	\$ 344,840.00
Budget for 2016	\$ 489,305.00
Needed for June	\$ 40,775.00
Received this Sunday	\$ 9,811.73
Received for June	\$ 24,022.33
Total Received 2016	\$ 211,231.91
Total Needed thru June 5 th :	\$ 225,817.33

CONTRIBUTIONS Memorials & Honorariums

FOOD PANTRY

In Memory of Bettye Parker
By Sheila Klidd



SUNDAY, JULY 3RD

10:00 A.M.



DO YOU HAVE A FUMCH CONFIRMATION CLASS PICTURE FROM YEARS GONE BY?

We are trying to compile a scrap book of Confirmation Class pictures for our Church Archives. If you have a picture that I could borrow, I would scan it and return it to you. Or if you could e-mail a digital copy to pattwright@att.net, I would greatly appreciate it.

Thanks, Patti

2016 FLOWER CALENDAR

AVAILABLE DATES:

JULY: 3, 17, 24 & 31

OCTOBER: 30

DECEMBER: 18



**CHILDREN'S PROGRAM
ON WEDNESDAY'S
FROM 6 – 7PM**

**WEDNESDAY'S SNACK SUPPER
FOR
CHILDREN & YOUTH
AT 5:45 P.M.**

\$1 FOOD DONATION PER CHILD

MENU:

**JUNE 15 – TOASTED CHEESE, GRAPES,
CHIPS**

**JUNE 22 – CORN DOGS,
WATERMELON, CHIPS**

**IF YOU CAN DONATE FOOD, DRINKS
OR CONDIMENTS FOR THE SNACK
SUPPER, PLEASE CONTACT TRACEY
BRYANT AT 205-305-2738.**

TIME: TBA

VBS

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

July 11 - 14, 2016

ICE CREAM SOCIAL KICKOFF - July 10th



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**Your change can change the world!
Look for the containers in the
Narthex on Sunday Mornings.**