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**This Week**: Whose daughter did Jesus bring back to life?

Last Week: Where was Samuel buried? Ramah

(1 Samuel 5:1)

#### LADIES' RETREAT

November 15-17



**Beech Springs Camp** 

Please sign the sheets on the table in the FLC if you are interested in attending or want to order a t-shirt.

Join us for a fun weekend with cute crafts, uplifting lessons, good food, and awesome fellowship! Please call or text Sarah Bailey if you have any questions—870-814-4014.



Today is the last day to sign up to order the Ladies' Retreat t-shirts.

#### **HEART TO HOME:**

The next fellowship of **Heart to Home** will be on Tuesday, November 19, at 6:00 PM at the Student Center. All of the ladies who have signed up to be a mom or a sister are encouraged to be present. If you cannot be present, please contact one of your heart moms.

## Undie Sunday November 3



The Jr. Charity League is collecting undies for our school children. Please bring socks & underwear for any school-age child and place in the basket in the FLC.

#### **Servants for November 2019**

Men In Charge:

Larry Terry / Barry Wallace



Presiding at Lord's Table AM:

Larry Terry / Stephen Zorsch

Serving at Lord's Table AM:

Chad Burdine / Randy Clary

**Presiding at Lord's Table PM:** 

Randall Adams / Barry Wallace
Ushers: Carl Burdine / Marty Hawkins

Announcements: Roy Keith Communion to Shut-Ins:

Billy Thomas / Danny Walker **Sound System:** Nolan Duncan

Financial Committee Member: Danny Walker

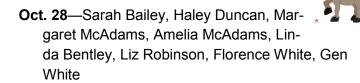
Elder in Charge: Paul McLendon

#### Song Leaders:

	AM	PM
Nov. 3	Joel Bailey	Scott White
10	Joel Bailey	Drew Mickey
17	Scott White	Eli Howard
24	Scott White	Hunter McLaughlin

If you cannot be present to perform your assigned duties, please contact **Larry Terry** or **Barry Wallace**.

#### **MULE FEED:**



**Nov. 4**—Marcia Jester, Emily Jester, Cassidy Smith, Patty Clary, Wanda Woods, Charles Woods

### **Southern Christian Home**



Garlic Powder, Peanuts, Mandarin Oranges, Refried Beans

## **Church of Christ**

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Youth Minister: Joel Bailey (870) 814-9608

Church Office: (870) 234-3053

#### **ELDERS:**

Roy Keith
Paul McLendon
Larry Terry
Scott White

#### **DEACONS:**

Paul Garris Jeff Venable Stephen Zorsch

#### MISSIONS:

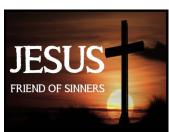
Southern Christian Home
Paragould Children's Home
In Search of the Lord's Way
Benin, Africa, Preaching School
Worldwide Spanish Literature
International Gospel Hour
21st Century Global Missions
Bibles for China
Riders for Christ (SAU Ministry)



## **A Friend of Sinners**

A number of us were early to worship when suddenly a loud, abrasive sound shattered the serenity of our pre-Bible class routine. We all turned to see what

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some would call a "Hell's Angel" type riding a big, ugly motorcycle, and he was pulling into *our* parking lot. I will never forget my first thought when I realized this person was staying for worship: "What is *he* doing here?" I was not the only one with such a thought; few people went out of their way to greet him.

To my surprise, the next Sunday brought another visit from this man. It was then I discovered that not everyone had avoided him. One member saw a precious soul and was not prejudiced by appearance. He invited Pete to study the Bible, and within a few weeks Pete was baptized. A few weeks later, Pete was teaching others. Three years later he was preaching full time, and Pete is now one of the finest young preachers I have ever heard.

In Luke 17:34, the Pharisees made a truthful accusation against Jesus saying He was a "friend of publicans and sinners." James strongly warns against offering a lower standard of treatment to the man who comes into the assembly "in vile raiment" (Jms. 2:1–13).

What was that thought I had? "What is he doing here?" What did I think he was doing here? Does it matter? Christ calls on us to follow His example and be a friend of sinners, and we will never do it by avoiding those who are perceived as different. How many church members sin by not seeking to teach those who are on a lower social or economic level?

When you go to worship, look around for those you don't know. Look for the person who may not be dressed nicely—or who is possibly dressed too nice. Look for the man who has hair that is too long or the woman who has a dress that's too short. Look for the person who appears bewildered or unsure of where to go. I thank God there was a friend of sinners who did that for Pete.

- Berry Kercheville, *Christianity Magazine*, edited for length.

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#### **COMING EVENTS:**

Nov. 1—Gospel Singing, Stamps Church of Christ

Nov. 3—Undie Sunday

Nov. 19—Heart to Home, 6:00 PM, Student Center

**Nov.26**—A Time of Prayer & Praise

Dec. 29—Fellowship Meal & Building Dedica-

(For more information on these events, please refer to the bulletin board in the FLC.)

#### TRUTH FOR TODAY COMMENTARY:

The Truth for Today Commentary. John 13-21, is available to anyone interested in purchasing a copy for \$26. Copies are on the table in the FLC.



## **Daylight Savings Time Ends**



Sunday, Nov. 3.

**Reset your clocks** Saturday evening before retiring!

#### **DISHES:**

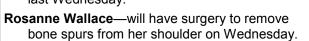
We have many dishes in the kitchen which have been brought back from funeral meals, Mule Feeds, etc. Please check to see whether or not any belong to you; and if so, pick them up right away.

#### **CHRISTMAS BASKETS:**

for the Christmas baskets and place them in the container under the Secret Sister table. We will prepare 25 baskets this year. They will be filled on Satur-



Karen Bridges—underwent gall bladder surgery last Wednesday.



Lane Cooper—(great nephew of Bob and Jackie Stevens) was injured in a shooting accident. He is in LSU Hospital in New Orleans and may have to have a nerve graft.

Larry Young—(the step-father of Pat Copes) has been diagnosed as having small-cell carcinoma in his lung; he began chemo last Tuesday.

**Danny Stanford**—is doing well following carotid artery surgery last Tuesday.

Ken Anderson—flown to a Little Rock hospital last Sunday due to complications from chemo treatments.

**Keith Gairich**—is recuperating from his recent knee surgery.

#### SHUT-INS:

#### Wentworth:

Bobby Stevens—Room 1, Hedden House

**Dudneywood:** 

Mary Jameson—Room 208 Jacque Lee—Room 113

Taylor Nursing Home:

Joe Warga

#### **Hudson Memorial:**

Francine Smith—Rm. 52, B Wing, 700 N. College Ave., El Dorado, AR 71730

#### Home:

Bopie Booth—1402 N. Washington

Linda Clark—240 Columbia Rd. 259, Magnolia

#### **CHRONIC SITUATIONS:**

Jerry Arrington **Garrison Crane** Sandy Keith Melba Arrington Gary Elliott Neil Martin Carolyn Ashcraft Amelia McAdams Canton Flemens Keith Gairich Jo Miller Gerry Boyd Hannah Broom Sandy Goin John Miller Sue Brown Linda Grayson Diane Nolan Jerolene Cloud Kerry Keith

# Please begin bringing small items

day, December 7.



Sunday, December 29

Fellowship Meal & Building Dedication

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## **Individuals Serving**

Morning: Today, Oct. 27 Romans 7:14-24 **Sermon Text** Brian Mickey Sermon Song Leader Scott White Opening Prayer Steve Keith **Closing Prayer** Billy Thomas **Nursery Workers Debbie Flemens** Jenny Venable

**Evening:** 

1 John **Sermon Topic** Brian Mickey Sermon **Drew Mickey** Song Leader

**Opening Prayer TBA Closing Prayer TBA** 

Morning:

Next Week, Nov. 3 Sermon Brian Mickey Song Leader Joel Bailey **Opening Prayer** Roy Keith Closing Prayer Danny Walker **Nursery Workers** Martha Flemens

Donna Loe

**Evening:** Sermon

**Brian Mickey** Song Leader Scott White Opening Prayer **TBA Closing Prayer TBA** 

If you cannot be present to perform your assigned duties, please contact David Sisson or Bob Stevens.

Elder in Charge: Scott White

## The Record for the Week of 10-20-19

#### Attendance:

Bible Study NA NA Worship AM Worship PM 78 92 Wednesday

Contribution:

Contribution \$ 5,805.50 \$ 6,010.00 **Budgeted Goal** +\$27,500.02 Year to Date

#### JACKSON STREET CHURCH OF CHRIST

313 South Jackson Street P.O. Box 307

Magnolia, AR 71754-0307

#### **Sunday's Opportunities:**

9:00am Bible Classes 10:00am Worship 6:00pm Worship

#### Wednesday's Opportunity:

6:30pm Bible Class

#### **Student Center:**

7:00pm Monday, Mule Feed 8:00pm Wednesday, Bible Class

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8:00am—2:00pm, Mon. thru Thurs.