INFORMATION

SHEPHERDS

Phillip Hines Lee Hobbs Darrell Sims Alan Walker

MINISTERS

Youth: Michael Deese Preaching: Justin Smith Missions: Frank Thornton

OFFICE

Jan Harris

DEACONS

Tim Brown **Bradley Phillips** Charles Crawford Jim Reeder Tony Ford Matt Revnolds Bobby Fox Mark Revnolds Harry Fuller Mike Runager Brad Shanevfelt Kerry Hamlett Jeff Harris B.C. Smith Chris Hines Matt Steele Scotty Lee Jared Symonds Tony Parker Tim Tankslev

Terry Thompson

BIRTHDAYS

11-10 Brenda Cantrell Logan Ford Sharon Harris
11-12 Christie Day Tori Hughes
11-15 Kim Hobbs Jane Walker
11-16 Bobby Fox Janice Parker Dawn Runager

ANNIVERSARIES

11-11 C&J Lovett 11-12 P&D Binkley









SUNDAYS

Common Grounds Coffee - 9:30 am Worship - 10:00 am Bible Study - 5:00 pm

WEDNESDAYS

Bible Study - 6:30 pm

NOVEMBER/DECEMBER

11/19 - Prayer & Share

11/27 - Thanksgiving Service

12/3 - Prayer & Share 10:00am

12/8 - SUPER SUNDAY

12/12 - HYG in Christmas Parade

12/17 - Prayer & Share 6:00pm/Ornament Swap

12/31 - New Year's Eve Bash

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Attendance Sunday AM - 261

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Trunk Or Treat Recap

We hosted over 1000 guests and all aspects of the event were so smooth. We had around 100 volunteers from church who decorated their trunks, prepped/handed out food, or helped with set up, take down, and logistics. An event on this scale could not happen without a church family that cares about putting their best foot forward to serve their community. While many trunks were incredible, Rowdy and Marla Holt took home the prestigious "Best Trunk Award" with their Glow For Jesus themed trunk. This makes back-to-back wins for the Holt family, and I believe a real dynasty is in the making! You can check out many pictures from the event on our Facebook group.

Shepherds' Retreat

Hartselle Church of Christ's elders are currently on their annual Shepherds' Retreat. This is an important time where they reflect on the past while preparing for the future. This retreat is always beneficial to moving our congregation in the right direction. Please pray for Phillip, Lee, Darrell, and Alan and that God will bless them with wisdom as they make decisions for 2025 and beyond.

Election Musings

In his interview with Tucker Carlson 2 weeks ago, American Journalist Mark Halperin was asked about the response of democrats in America if Trump was to win another term. His response was, "I say this not flippantly. I think it will be the cause of the greatest mental health crisis in the history of the country." Well Donald Trump has been elected, and based off what I've seen, Mark's comments might not be too off. How Christians respond in this time, I believe, is pivotal for the church and the case for Christ in this country. I think I'll have more to write in the coming weeks, but for now, Colossians 4:5-6 comes to mind.

-Justin

NEWS, NOTES, & EVENTS



Lads to Leaders registration forms are available in the Common's Area. If you/your child are interested in participating this year, please submit forms to Jared or Mark by this Sunday, November 10th. They can also answer any questions you may have.



South Alabama Children's Gift Bags will be available Wednesday Night in The Commons. New this year: Donated preschool or age appropriate school supplies are already inside each bag. Please choose a bag, complete the bag with Christmas gift items (a suggested list is included) and return your bag by Sunday, December 1. See Peggy Owens, Linda Strickland, or contact Telula Thornton if you have any questions.



Thank you for the generous donation. We were honestly blown away at this very thoughtful gesture. We appreciate you so much for thinking & praying for us. It has been rough traveling everyday & often being on the road at mealtime, so your gift has been well used. We are loving being at Hartselle Church of Christ with you all & we hope to introduce our newest family member soon! We love you! The O'Rear family



As we do each year, we are taking donations for **Childhaven** for their **Thanksgiving Appeal**. If you would like to donate money, please write your checks to Hartselle Church of Christ and place it in an envelope marked Childhaven and give it to Jan or one of the Elders.



There is a sign-up list in the Commons for all ladies who are willing to work in the **Nursery** on Sunday mornings during **December and January.**



Continue to pray for our Shepherds as they are on their annual retreat to pray and plan for our congregation in 2025. Please pray for wisdom and their safe return.



Please look on the back of this Newsletter for our **Upcoming Events** for November and December. Please mark your calendars and plan to join us.

PRAYER LIST

Dan Styles is scheduled for his final cancer surgery December 13 in Birmingham.

Paul Sapp is home from the hospital and doing better.

Katie Howard is in Huntsville Hospital.

Kristi Stringer, Donna Binkley's daughter, is scheduled for cancer surgery November 20.

Long Term Illness/Homebound

Debra Allen 1914 Manchester Ave SW, Decatur Jonna Barrier 311 Woodfield St SW Donna Binkley 212 Bethel Rd. NE Jennifer Brasher 1950 Audubon Cr. SW Janet Brown 1018 Nance Ford Rd SW Billie Clemons 505 Nelson St SW Teen Dobbins 1514 Nance Ford Rd SW

Terry Easterly 162 Gum Springs Cut-Off

Reynolds & Katie Howard 221 Oak Trail NE Carolyn Jacobs 710 Azalea St NW Bill & Betty Dean Kelly 1605 Penn Rd. SW Talmage Reynolds 909 Bellmeade St SW Peggy Russell 604 Barkley St SW Dan Styles 2509 Burningtree Dr. SE Decatur Tim Tanksley 455 E Parker Rd Telula Thornton 743 Martin St. SW

Family members & friends: Leroy Baugus, Sophie Walker, Joseph Jacobs, Edith & Milo Shermer, Adam Holifield, James Payton, Felicia Vest.

Summerford Nursing Home: Jobie Burgess #141.

Columbia Cottage: Faye Greenhill #21. Riverside Senior Living: Guy Brown #109.

Westminster of Decatur: Jnell Pleasant #220. City Center Village Sr Center: Marie Harwell # 245

Daily Bible Reading

Day 308 - Ezekiel 7-8, John 14-16 Day 309 - Ezekiel 9-11, John 17-18 Day 310 - Ezekiel 12-14, John 19-21 Day 311 - Ezekiel 15-16, Acts 1-2 Day 312 - Ezekiel 17-18, Acts 3-4 Day 313 - Ezekiel 19-20, Acts 5-6

Day 314 - Ezekiel 21-22, Acts 7-8