

# 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 Reynolds    |
| Bobby Fox        | Mark Reynolds    |
| Harry Fuller     | Mike Runager     |
| Kerry Hamlett    | Brad Shaneyfelt  |
| Jeff Harris      | B.C. Smith       |
| Chris Hines      | Matt Steele      |
| Scotty Lee       | Jared Symonds    |
| Tony Parker      | Tim Tanksley     |
| Terry Thompson   |                  |

## BIRTHDAYS

12-16 Candy Hensley  
Savannah Smith  
12-17 April Young  
12-18 Nina Johnson  
Anna Rose Styles  
Whitley Wilemon  
12-20 Micah Smith  
Terry Thompson

## ANNIVERSARIES

12-18 M&A Reynolds



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## SUNDAYS

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

## DECEMBER

12/12 - HYG in Christmas Parade  
12/17 - Prayer & Share 6:00pm/Ornament Swap  
12/31 - New Year Eve Party

## WEDNESDAYS

Bible Study - 6:30 pm

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Contribution - \$13,201.00  
Kids Give - \$62.42  
Attendance Sunday AM - 327  
Building Fund - \$16,020.00

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## Love Delivered

“Y’all do what on Christmas Day?” I still remember that thought running through my mind when I first heard about the church’s Feeding The Hundreds event. Christmas day is such a special time for families that I had a hard time believing many people would volunteer. As someone new to this congregation, I was skeptical and thought it must just be a few people who come to the building to make this happen. Then December 25th rolled around. Between cooking, plating, and delivering the meals the church had over 100 people involved.

I was shocked, but also very proud. Each year I am proud that our congregation is filled with people who want to serve. Some families have sacrificed old family traditions to create a new family tradition of helping others on Christmas morning. What a message they are sending to their children. What a message our church is sending to our community as well. We are showing our community that we care. With each plate of food delivered, we deliver the love of Christ.

## Feeding The Hundreds Needs

We still have some needs for our Feeding The Hundreds event. Our biggest need is for more volunteers to deliver meals. There is a sign-up list in the Commons Area. There are also still a few pans in the Commons Area that need to be claimed. You can pick these up at one of our services or anytime during the week. This event is entirely dependent upon you. We need you to help the church as the church is seeking to help those in need.

## Elders Leading By Example

Darrell, Lee, and Phillip left for the country of El Salvador yesterday to scope out the mission work we are establishing. They will be there until Tuesday, and I know they would appreciate your prayers. We are so fortunate to have elders who are willing to serve in such a bold way. My prayer FOR YOU is that you will look to their leadership and passion for the glory of God and allow it to inspire you to live boldly as well. I’m looking forward to hearing about their trip when they get back, and hearing about how more of us can make the trip in the future.

*Justin*

# NEWS, NOTES, & EVENTS



Please keep Darrell, Phillip and Lee in prayer as they go to San Salvador on a mission trip. Pray for the Word to be spread and a safe return home. Continue to pray for this mission work in the future.



Our Shepherds are asking for us to please consider how much we can give to help put a large payment on the **Building Loan**. We need to have it paid off by January 2026. Please mark your donations as Building Loan and give it to Jan, the Shepherds, or in the collection plate. Thanks so much!!



**Limestone Correctional Indigent Inmates** items or monetary donations are due next Sunday, **Dec. 15th**. There is a list of needed items on the small table across from the Fort in the Commons.



Ladies, you are invited to a **Christmas Recipe & Ornament Swap**, Tuesday, December 17th at 6:00pm in the Fellowship Area. Please sign the list in the Commons. See Brenda Reynolds or Robbie Griffin with questions.



The pans for the **Feeding of the Hundreds** are on the table in the Commons. Please sign up to cook and take a pan. Also, sign the list to help prepare plates and make deliveries. Please have the food in the Fellowship Area by **10:15am** Christmas morning.



We welcome two new families to our Church Family:  
-Jonathan & Megan Jett, Luke, Sommer, & Amelia  
-Jimmy & Patti Spann  
Please get to know them and let's welcome them Hartselle style!



We extend our deepest sympathy to Todd Barrier, the children, Teen Dobbins, & Joan Conway in the passing of Jonna Barrier. Jonna passed away Monday, December 9th. The memorial will be at Hartselle Church of Christ, Saturday, December 14th at 11:00am.

# PRAYER LIST

**Merle Sims** is much improved. She is waiting for an appointment with her cardiologist to see if surgery is needed for her leaky heart valve.

**Dan Styles** is scheduled for his final cancer surgery this Friday, December 13th in Birmingham.

**Nina Johnson** has been in the hospital with GI issues but is now home.

**Mel Gurney**, son of Frank Gurney, has bladder cancer & will have bladder removal surgery tomorrow, December 12th in Princeton Hospital in Birmingham.

**Kerry Parker**, sister-in-law of Tony & Lisa Parker, is in Decatur Morgan Hospital with liver cancer that has spread. She is in critical condition.

**Please continue to pray for all those battling cancer.**

## Long Term Illness/Homebound

**Debra Allen** 1914 Manchester Ave SW, Decatur

**Donna Binkley** 212 Bethel Rd. NE

**Jennifer Brasher** 1950 Audubon Cr. SW

**Janet Brown** 1018 Nance Ford Rd 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 Burningtrees 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 343 - Amos 8-9, 1 Thessalonians

Day 344 - Obadiah, 2 Thes, 1 Tim 1-3

Day 345 - Jonah, 1 Timothy 4-6

Day 346 - Micah 1-3, 2 Timothy

Day 347 - Micah 4-5, Titus, Philemon

Day 348 - Micah 6-7, Hebrews 1-7

Day 349 - Nahum, Hebrews 8-13