

Union Chapel Missionary Baptist Church  
Sunday, December 22, 2024



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#### CHURCHWIDE

- Ministries Break - until January 5, 2025
- The church office will be closed:

Tuesday, December 24th - Thursday, December 26th

Tuesday, December 31st - Wednesday, January 2nd

- NEW YEAR'S EVE WORSHIP SERVICE - Tuesday, December 31, 2024 at 10:00 PM
- ANNUAL CALENDAR MEETING will be held on Monday, January 13th @ 6:30 PM
- NEW YEAR'S EVE WORSHIP SERVICE - Tuesday, December 31, 2024 @ 10:00 PM
- STATE OF THE CHURCH ADDRESS will be January 14th - (6:30 PM)

This is a reminder to submit your tithes, offering and gift contributions by December 31, 2024, to receive tax credit for year-end 2024. The IRS regulations require all year end contributions be received into the church office or postmarked by Tuesday, December 31, 2024. Online Giving must be submitted no later than 11:59 PM EST on December 31, 2024, for the current 2024 calendar tax year.



**ATTENTION:** In order for your contribution record to be accurate and up-to-date, please complete your offering envelope in "FULL"; with your name, address, phone number and amount. Please be aware that we have several families with the same last name. For example, if you only write "Smith Family" with no address or phone number, we have no way of knowing who you are. There will be no information in our system to compare. Please be advised that the office does not see your check from Sunday's Giving to get the information from...we only have the envelope. Also, please help us keep our records as accurate as possible by printing "LEGIBLY"

#### Weekly Announcements:

All announcements must be in the church office by 12 noon on Thursdays. Unless there is an extreme emergency, the late announcements will not be announced until the following Sunday. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

#### MINISTRY MEETINGS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

SAM Ministry

The SAM Ministry will not meet in the month of January 2025.

#### CONGRATULATIONS

**Congratulations to those celebrating Birthdays and Anniversaries in the month of DECEMBER.**

- **Bro. Curtis and Sis. Jackgueline Jefferson will celebrate their 32nd wedding anniversary on December 23rd.**

### **JOB ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**[Please click here to visit the Union Chapel Missionary Baptist Church employment page for all immediate openings.](#)**

**Interested persons may apply in the Church Office weekdays between the hours of 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM. Also, you may visit our website at [www.unionchapel-hsv.org/unionchapel/employment](http://www.unionchapel-hsv.org/unionchapel/employment) to obtain an application and view the Job descriptions for the position.**

**Mary, Did You Know?**

**Mary, did you know  
That your baby boy will one day walk on water?  
Mary, did you know  
That your baby boy will save our sons and daughters?  
Did you know  
That your baby boy has come to make you new?  
This child that you've delivered  
Will soon deliver you  
Mary, did you know  
That your baby boy will give sight to a blind man?  
Mary, did you know  
That your baby boy will calm a storm with His hand?  
Did you know  
That your baby boy has walked where angels trod?  
And when you kiss your little baby  
You've kissed the face of God  
Mary, did you know?  
The blind will see  
The deaf will hear  
And the dead will live again  
The lame will leap  
The dumb will speak  
The praises of the Lamb  
Mary, did you know  
That your baby boy is Lord of all creation?  
Mary, did you know  
That your baby boy will one day rule the nations?  
Did you know  
That your baby boy is heaven's perfect Lamb?  
This sleeping child you're holding  
Is the Great I Am  
Oh Mary did you know?**

**Glory to God in the Highest,  
and on Earth Peace,  
Good Will Toward Men**

*For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord. 12And this shall be a sign unto you; Ye shall find the babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger. 13And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, and saying, 14Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men. 15And it came to pass, as the angels were gone away from them into heaven, the shepherds said one to another, Let us now go even unto Bethlehem, and see this thing which is come to pass, which the Lord hath made known unto us. 16And they came with haste, and found Mary, and Joseph, and the babe lying in a manger. 17And when they had seen it, they made known abroad the saying which was told them concerning this child.*

*Luke 2:11-17 KJV*



**December 22, 2024**

**SICK & SHUT-IN**

Sis. Evonne Burns

Sis. Elizabeth Thomas & Deacon Eddie Thomas

Sis. Geneva Purnell *POC: Sis. Sharon Walker*

Mother Patsy Pope

Sis. Jessie Booker *POC: Vincent Timmons*

Bro. James Pope

Sis. Terri Acklin-Lewis *POC: Daughter*

Sis. Cynthia Lockhart

Sis. Vivian Kelley

Bro. Emery Brooks

Bro. Robert Key

Mother Annie Woods *POC: Carol Ford*

Sis. Janice Fletcher

Sis. Cassandra Townsend

Sis. Minnie Wilson & Bro. Frank D. Wilson *POC: Letitia Walker*

Sis. Barbara Hampton Steele *POC: Joyce Hampton*

Sis. LaShaunda Hampton

Sis. Louisiana Jordan *POC: Ingrid Jordan*

Mother Ernestine Sullivan

Dea. John Butler

Dea. Franklin Brandon

Sis. Annie Bradley

Bro. Howard Gaines, Sr

Bro. Ontario "Terry" Crutcher *POC: Florence Love*

Sis. Melody Malone

Sis. Linda Turner Chirwa *POC: Evett Turner*

Sis. Mary Lucille Malone *POC: Lola Malone*  
Sis. Peggy L. Brazelton  
Sis. Georgia Hewlett  
Bro. Charley Cattage  
Mother Hazel Hawk  
Sis. Joan Warsaw  
Bro. Onreee Jackson  
Bro. X'Zayvier Gosa  
Sis. Ethelen Evonne Hubbard  
Sis. Harriet J. Green  
Sis. Crystal S. Blackburn *POC: Jimmy Blackburn*  
Bro. William Morgan  
Bro. Jimmy Brooks  
Sis. Kathy Jefferson  
Sis. Karen McGlathery  
Sis. Catherine Davis  
Min. Harold Weatherly

### **HOSPITALIZATIONS**

Sis. Sharon Hester

**NO VISITORS PLEASE**

### **NURSING/REHAB**

Sis. Mildred Pruitt  
Sis. Wanda Gholston  
Sis. Vernina Taylor  
Bro. Abraham McCall

### **PRAYER LIST**

- Sis. Natasha "Tasha" Davis
- Mr. Robert Patton, husband of Sis. Angela Patton
- The father of Sis. Calandra Terry, Mr. Maion Terry
- Mr. Carl Seay (brother of Sis. Angela Seay)
- Sis. Ernestine Brazille
- Deacon Andrew Biddle
- Sis. Marilyn Warren
- Mr. Cedric LaDon Jones (son of Sis. Dorothy Jones)
- Mr. Alexander Roach Jr
- The sister of Bro. Booker Weaver
- Mr. Maurice Rodgers, he is the son-in-law of Sis. Pam Byers and husband of Crystalyn Rodgers
- Mr. Leroy Watkins, Jr. son of Bro. Leroy Watkins, Sr and brother of Sis. Ursula Caston
- Sis. Rose Shropshire's and family; her granddaughter, Kimberly Shropshire & family member, Sharon Powe
- Mrs. Mary Mosley of Courtland (mother of Min. Joyce Neville)
- Beverly Strong
- Bro. Derrick Hunter and Family
- Deacon Henry Dickerson, Sr. & family
- Deacon John Butler
- Sis. Georgia Hewlett
- Mr. Ralph Gaines (brother of Sis. Felicia Dixon)
- Bro. Archie Gurley
- Bro. Charles Mewborn

- Mr. Jerome Ivory (brother of Sis. Gwendolyn Leggett)
- Sis. Peggy L. Brazeleton
- Mr. Josepha Campbell (cousin of Sis. Marilyn Warren)
- Sis. Brenda Stephens
- Bro. Mr. Johnny Pruitt
- Bro. Michael Williams, Sr
- Mrs. Jaquita Marbury (daughter of Deacon Andrew Biddle)
- Ms. Aundrea Baker
- Ms. Monica Westbrook
- Mrs. Barbara V. Brown (mother of Sis Ruth Wilson)
- Sis. Cynthia Wiley
- Mrs. Patsy Hawkins (wife of Bro. Anthony Hawkins)
- Bro. Knute R. Walker
- Mr. Willie Pinchon (father of Sis. Jackie Jefferson)
- Mr. Andre Jackson (son of Bro. Onree Jackson)
- Mr. Thomas Drake (father of Sis. Sherri Drake)
- Mr. Clifton Canady (father of Sis. Charlotte Canady-Slater)
- Mr. Caron Clark (brother of Sis. Patricia Clark & Mother Linda Sanders)

## CONDOLENCES

**December 22, 2024**

**Sis. Linnie Gordon, the mother of Sisters Julia Gordon and June Gordon; grandmother of Mariah and Miyah Boyd and Ashlee Walker and Antonio Gordon; the great-grandmother of McKenzie and Logan Gordon,** passed on Friday, December 6, 2024 in Huntsville, AL. The Funeral Service was held at 1:00 PM on Saturday, December 21st at the Union Chapel Missionary Baptist Church (315 Winchester Rd, Huntsville, AL 35811). Interment will be in the Meadowlawn Garden of Peace. Family Visitation: Friday, December 20 from 5 PM – 6 PM at the Royal Chapel of Memories.

Condolences may be sent to:

Ms. Julia Gordon Boyd and Family  
Miss Mariah A Boyd and Miss Miyah L. Boyd  
Ms. June Gordon and Family  
Miss Ashlee Walker

Mr. Antonio Gordon (Deuntra) and Family  
Miss McKenzie Gordon and Mr. Logan Gordon

**Mr. Larry Alexander, the brother of Deacon J. W. “Jerry” Alexander,** passed on Sunday, December 8, 2024 in Southaven, MS. The Funeral Service was held at 11:00 AM on Saturday, December 21st at Pate-Jones (4174 Hwy 51 South, Senatobia, MS 38668; TEL 662-562-4481) Interment: West Tennessee Veterans Cemetery.

Condolences may be sent to :

Mr. J. W. “Jerry” Alexander, Jr. and Family

**Mr. Richard Rollers, the brother of Sis. Joann King McCrary,** passed on Wednesday, December 4, 2024, in Birmingham, AL. The Funeral Service was held on Friday, December 20th at Eastside Funeral Home Chapel (5523 1st Ave North, Birmingham, AL 35212) has been entrusted with the final arrangements.

Condolences may be sent to:

Mrs. Joann King McCrary

**Mrs. Virginia Storey, the mother of Sis. Ethelen Evonne Hubbard,** passed on Saturday, December 7, 2024 in Atlanta, GA. The Funeral Service was held at 12 noon on Tuesday, December 17th at Pine Grove Baptist Church (500 Drew Ave, Lincoln AL 35096). Legacy Funeral Home & Life Center, Jonesboro GA has been entrusted with the final arrangements.

Condolences may be sent to :

Mrs. Evonne Hubbard (Jerrold) and Family

