

2022 Black History Month's theme is **Black Health and Wellness**

Black History Display

The Stitching & Quilting Ministry has a display of five (5) quilts at the Madison County Courthouse in Downtown Huntsville. The title of the display is Black History Month Quilt Stories. The quilt stories represented are: United States Army; Huntsville Fighter/Driver; Muscle Shoals Police Office/Captain; Councill High School; and Councill Training School. The display case is located on the first floor near the entrance. The display will be up through the month of February.

Ministry Meeting

The Widows and Widowers Care Ministry Zoom Meeting will be held on Monday, February 14, 2022 at 6:00 pm.
Coordinator: Sister Rosa Goston- 256-797-8785; Co-Coordinator: 256-679-5338

Dial-in-Number: 1-929-436-2866

Zoom Meeting ID: 842-0487-3189. Pass Code: 892774

Topic: After losing a spouse, what are some things that can be considered to help maintain your wellness and mental state.

Congratulations

Congratulations to those celebrating birthdays and anniversaries in the month of February.

- Bro. Rickey and Sis Deborah Toney who will celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary on Tuesday, February 15th

“If we love one another, God dwelleth in us, and His love is perfected in us.” I John 4:12

Health Awareness for February - Heart Health

The National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute and many groups around the country want us to support and wear red during the month of February to raise awareness about heart disease as the leading cause of death among Americans, especially women.

Risk factors for heart disease are:

Heart disease is largely preventable

- Smoking
- High blood pressure
- High cholesterol
- Overweight/obesity week
- Physical inactivity
- cholesterol,
- Diabetes
- Family history of early coronary heart disease
- Age (for women, 55 and older)

Here's what you can do now to reduce your risk:

Don't smoke

Eat for heart health

Aim for 30 minutes of physical activity at least 5 days a

Ask your doctor to check your blood pressure,

and blood glucose.

How to order free at-home COVID-19 tests from the government

Americans will be able to order free at-home COVID-19 test kits from the government, in the Biden Administration's ongoing effort to curb the latest, record-breaking coronavirus surge.

Where can you find the tests?

Starting Jan. 19, people can visit <https://www.covidtests.gov/> to order their free at-home tests.

Safe, Easy, Free, and Nearby COVID-19 Vaccination

The federal government is providing the vaccine **free of charge to all people living in the U.S.**, regardless of their immigration or health insurance status.

Find COVID-19 Vaccines or Boosters Near You

Find a COVID-19 vaccine or booster: Search [vaccines.gov](https://www.vaccines.gov), text your ZIP code to 438829, or call 1-800-232-0233 to find locations near you

There are several ways you can look for vaccination providers near you in the United States.

- Visit [Vaccines.gov](https://www.vaccines.gov) to find vaccination providers near you. In some states, information may be limited while more U. S. vaccination providers and pharmacies are being added. Learn more about [COVID-19 Vaccination Locations on Vaccines.gov](#).
- Text your ZIP code to 438829 or call 1-800-232-0233 to find vaccine locations near you in the United States.
- Ask your doctor, pharmacist, or community health center if they provide vaccines.
- Check your local pharmacy's website to see if vaccination appointments are available. Find out which pharmacies are participating in the [Federal Retail Pharmacy Program](#).
- Contact your [state health department](#) to find additional vaccination locations in the area.
- Check your local news outlets. They may have information on how to get a vaccination appointment.

****Personal hygiene begins and ends with our hands.** Though we're taught as youngsters to wash our hands before dinner, it's important to remember that germs don't care what time of day it is. Clean hands prevent sickness. So it's especially important to learn the basics about hand hygiene so that you, too, can become a champion hand washer!

Food Pantry /Caring and Sharing Ministry

Union Chapel's Food Pantry and Caring and Sharing Ministry is in need of **clothes hangers** of all shapes and sizes. If you have extra hangers, please consider sharing them with us. Feel free to drop them off at the church during normal office hours. Thank you!

Sunday School Books

Sunday school books and commentaries are available for pickup **Monday – Friday, during normal office hours (8 AM – 4 PM)**. For additional information, questions or concerns, contact Deacon Jacoby Berry. We encourage you to get your children involved in this weekly Sunday school class.

5th-8th Grades

- <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85248346429?pwd=STIwczJ5TINWRENPeXRyU1VsYzhuUT09>
- **Meeting ID:** 852 4834 6429
- **Passcode:** 050326
- **Connect by Phone** ----- 1-346-248-7799 or 1-669-900-6833

9th-12th Grades

- <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83391440649?pwd=WEluVEpoUE8xSHpTV1FxSUtQMjRPZz09>
- **Meeting ID:** 833 9144 0649
- **Passcode:** 251702
- **Connect by Phone** 1-312-626-6799 or 1-929-436-2866

Collegiate/Young Adults

- <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8108218692?pwd=SEpNTjZTR0twU3RWc1BNa2dQb0N6QT09>
- **Meeting ID:** 810 821 8692
- **Passcode:** Trinity

Adults

- <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86578208289?pwd=aVI0cmRkaUc4eURGd0ZsSkZtSTd2UT09>
- **Meeting ID:** 865 7820 8289
- **Passcode:** 904875
- **Connect by Phone**-----1-346-248-7799 or 1-669-900-6833

New Members Orientation

New Members Orientation is scheduled each Sunday morning during the Sunday school hour. We encourage everyone that has not taken the new members class to join us to complete your new member's orientation. Listed below is the information for the class. Please contact Min. Ralph Tolliver, Min Sylvesta Lee, or Sis. Deborah Toney for additional information.

- **Zoom Link:** <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87382934833?pwd=KzFqSEVyQ2tLdkJqRXhVV1lwQVc5QT09>
- **Connect by Phone:** 1-312-626-6799 or 1-929-436-286
- **Meeting ID:** 873 8293 4833
- **Passcode:** 963010

Bible Studies

MID-WEEK (WEDNESDAY) BIBLE STUDY

12:00 noon

- **Connect by Phone:** 1-712-832-7005
- **Passcode:** 997246#
- *Note:* After dialing into the conference call, to reduce background noise, please
 - Press the mute button on your phone or
 - Press *6 to mute your phone

7:00 PM Adults Zoom

- **Zoom Link:** <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85143755045?pwd=cFRqcUhpY0RlanRlL1BPdHBuK3BsUT09>
- **Meeting ID:** 851 4375 5045
- **Passcode:** 173164
- **Connect by Phone:** 312 626 6799 US
- **Single Click Zoom Link:** www.tinyurl.com/UCBibleStudy1

7:00 PM Youth and Millennials

- For students in grades 1st - 4th, 5th - 8th, High School and Millennials.
- Zoom login information, please visit the Youth website at www.unionchapel-hsv.org/youth or contact Minister Marquis.

Employment Opportunities

Union Chapel Missionary Baptist Church has an immediate opening for a **Full-time Custodian**. This position will be responsible for performing custodial maintenance duties, including dusting, mopping, finishing and buffing floors, vacuuming and shampooing carpets, cleaning and restocking restrooms.

Candidate Requirements: Must be a mature Christian professional who is dynamic, energetic, and people-oriented. No previous custodial experience needed. Involves considerable physical activity, which requires heavy physical work; heavy lifting, pushing, or pulling required of objects up to 50 pounds. Perform other duties as required.

Interested persons may apply in the Church Office weekdays between the hours of 8:00 am - 4:00 pm. You may also visit our website at www.unionchapel-hsv.org to obtain an application and view the Job description for the position. All applications are due or must be postmarked by February 25, 2022.

Union Chapel Missionary Baptist Church has an immediate opening for a **Full-time Child Development Center Administrative Assistant**. This position assists with management of the Child Development Center and steps in during the absence of the Director. The selected individual must display exemplary phone etiquette in accordance with church policies, effective teaming skills, and communicate effectively both orally and written.

Candidate Requirements: Must be a mature Christian professional who is dynamic, energetic, and people-oriented. Must have an associate, business or technical degree. Experience in the field of child development and/or training is preferred. Must have technical skills necessary to proficiently use office equipment, Microsoft Office Suite, and other educational software such as

Blackboard Connect and Brightwheel Childcare System. Perform other duties as required.

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Church Re-gathering

As we enter into **Phase 4** of our re-gathering plan, we welcome **450** fully vaccinated members to attend service in the sanctuary. Fully vaccinated members must have their second or only shot two weeks prior to attending the worship service. Members ages 12 and older **MUST** provide proof of vaccination. Children ages 11 and younger are also welcome and will have their temperature checked before entering the worship service. You may provide your vaccination card to the church office Monday-Thursday, 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM, and Friday, 8:00 AM - 12:00 noon, or you may present your card before entering the church on Sunday. We look forward to seeing you on Sunday, beginning at 8:15 AM, for the 9:00 AM worship service.

Online Giving

Online Giving: If you are interested in obtaining information on online giving, information can be found at <https://www.unionchapel-hsv.org/unionchapel/give>

- **Cash App Tag:** \$UCMBCGive (type in name completely)
- **Text to Give:** 73256 (Message Section): UNIONCHAPEL \$Amount

**Text to give allows you to receive a link to give online.

Sunday Services

9:00 AM - *Worship Service*

- **Live streaming via Facebook:** <https://m.facebook.com/ucmbc.pastor.davis/>
- **YOUTUBE:** <https://www.youtube.com/user/unionchapelmbchurch>

11:00 AM - *Radio Broadcast*

- WEUP 1700 AM, 11:00 AM – 11:30 AM

12:00 PM - *Gospel Impact*

- **Live streaming via Facebook:** <https://m.facebook.com/ucmbc.pastor.davis/>
- **YOUTUBE:** <https://www.youtube.com/user/unionchapelmbchurch>

Prayer and Meditation

Word for Today Morning Prayer/Meditation:

- Monday - Friday at 6:30 AM and Saturdays at 8:00 AM.
- Connect by Phone: 1-712-832-7005
- Passcode: 997246#
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Union Chapel Prayer Line

- Monday - Friday from 7:00 PM - until. if you would like someone to pray with you.
- Connect by Phone: 1-712-832-7005
- Passcode: 997246#

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Contact Information

- **Church Email:** unionchapel@unionchapel-hsv.org
- **Email announcements to:** announcements@unionchapel-hsv.org

Black History Moment

Most people have heard about famous inventions like the light bulb, the cotton gin and the iPhone. But there are countless other, often overlooked inventions that make our daily lives easier. Among the creative innovators behind these devices are African American inventors. From the traffic light to the ironing board, see a list of products that have sprung from the minds of Black inventors.

Garrett Morgan (March 4, 1877-July 27, 1963) The Three-Light Traffic Signal, Invented by Garrett Morgan in 1923

With only an elementary school education, Black inventor (and son of an enslaved parent), Garrett Morgan came up with several significant inventions, including an improved sewing machine and the gas mask. However, one of Morgan's most influential inventions was the improved traffic light. Morgan's was one of the first three-light systems that were invented in the 1920s, resulting in widespread adoption of the traffic lights we take for granted today.

Thanks to the successes of his other inventions, Morgan bought a car and, as a motorist, he witnessed a severe car accident at an intersection in his city of Cleveland, Ohio. In response, he decided to expand on the current traffic light by adding a “yield” component, warning oncoming drivers of an impending stop. He took out the patent for the creation in 1923, and it was granted to him the following year.

The 2022 Black History Month's theme is Black Health and Wellness. This focus will celebrate the contributions and breakthroughs of Black professionals as well as speaking to the cultural richness of those “non-traditional” health and wellness practitioners (e.g., doulas, midwives, etc.)

Union Chapel’s History---Mother Maudie Taylor Drake born January 13, 1902 in Madison County , Alabama in the “Big Cove” area, became a certified mid-wife in 1930.

Mother Drake was an active member of Union Chapel until her death March 29, 2001.

Online Calendar

Union Chapel Church: www.unionchapel-hsv.org/unionchapel/calendar

Visit us on the web

- **Union Chapel Church:** www.unionchapel-hsv.org
- **Youth Department:** www.unionchapel-hsv.org/youth
- **Union Chapel Child Development:** www.unionchapelcdc.org
- **Union Chapel Christian Academy:** www.ucchristianacademy.org

Live Streaming Available

Live streaming is now available during our morning worship services. To access Union Chapel Live Stream visit church website or search on Facebook, Youtube, and Boxcast for Union Chapel MB Church page and streaming live services each Sunday at 9:00 AM.

- **Facebook:** Union Chapel (UCMB) <https://m.facebook.com/ucmbc.pastor.davis/>
- **Youtube:** Union Chapel MB Church <https://www.youtube.com/user/unionchapelmbchurch>
- **Boxcast:** Union Chapel