

**Union Chapel Missionary Baptist Church**  
**Sunday, July 09, 2023**

## **CHURCHWIDE**

### **Historical Marker**

The Union Chapel Missionary Baptist Church Historical Marker **dedication and unveiling TODAY, Sunday, July 9, 2023 during the Morning Worship Service.** After this unveiling, the marker will be installed at its permanent location in “**The Grove.**” A ceremony to commemorate the occasion will be held during the **month of August** as a part of the Church Anniversary activities. The marker will be **located at the corner of Lowe Avenue and Dr. Joseph E. Lowery Boulevard.** We Praise God for ninety years of a rich history of worshipping God, serving the people, and being a beacon of light in the Huntsville Madison County community.

### **Children’s Church**

Children’s Church will be **available today for children ages 5 to 11.** After the Altar Call Prayer, a sign will appear on the screens for parents to meet youth leaders in the foyer of the church. Parents are asked to come to the basement immediately following the worship service to pick up children. If you have any questions or would like to volunteer, please contact Sis. Doris Taylor or Sis. Janika Crum.

### **Process and Procedures Development Ministry**

Union Chapel Process and Procedures Development Ministry is looking for members with **Project Management, Technical Writing, and IT Communication Skills.** Interested Members are asked to submit their name and phone number to the Church Office.

### **Union Chapel Institute of Biblical Studies (UCIBS) – SUMMER BIBLE SEMINAR CLASS**

Mark your calendar for **July 15, 2023!** In our efforts to continue “Faithfully Serving an Almighty God,” and honoring our Pastor’s vision to strive, teach, and reach everyone with the Word of God, UCIBS will present “*Ministry of the Holy Spirit – Sanctification – Faith*” on **Saturday, July 15, 2023,** taught by Pastor O. Wendell Davis. **The sign-in starts at 9:00 AM, and class, promptly at 9:15 AM in the Fellowship Hall North End.**

The REGISTRATION begins **July 3 - 13, 2023.** The registration forms, Website enrollment, and other information, may be obtained at the Church office with Registrar, Sis. Donna Robinson (256-852-1150, M-F, 12 noon - 3 PM). We sincerely thank all of you for your faithful participation. Again, we encourage all members of the church congregation, Ministries, Coordinators, Sunday School teachers, and former students to attend. The **Registration** is important, and we hope to see all of you in class!

**TOGETHER WE CAN LEARN AND KEEP GROWING!**

### **Nursery**

The Nursery is in need of additional volunteers to serve at the 9 AM Worship Service. If you would like to serve in this ministry, please contact Sis. Krystal Horton or Sis. Carol Conner.

## **MINISTRY MEETINGS & UPDATES**

### **Ushers Ministry Zoom Meeting**

Time: **July 10, 2023 06:00 PM** Central Time (US and Canada)

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86206601200?pwd=ekJybjVPYUIDbFZKR01wZDJCakFzZz09>

Zoom Meeting ID: 862 0660 1200      Passcode: 532032

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Find your local number: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86206601200>

### **Veteran Monthly Meeting**

Attention all Veterans, we will be gathering **Monday, JULY 10, 2023, at 6:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall (North Side)**.

The Veteran Ministry is hosting an **Old Fashioned Cookout** for the Veterans and their immediate family (**ONLY**) on **September 16, 2023**. In order to do this we need to have a number to know how many to plan for. If you are planning (Veteran) to attend; there will be a **sign-up sheet in the Church Foyer** each Sunday before and after Service beginning the month of July, 2023. Any questions please contact Sis. Bernice Berry, Coordinator (256-852-4551) or Bro. Richard Pitts Co-Coordinator (256-724-0864).

**The Widows and Widowers Care Ministry** zoom meeting will be held on

**Monday, July 10, 2023, at 6:00 PM**

Dial in number: 1-929-436-2866; Zoom Meeting ID: 842-0487-3189; Pass Code: 892774

Coordinator- Sister Rosa Goston, 256-797-8785; Co-Coordinator- Sister Sadie Pleasure, 256-679-5338

**The Senior Adult Ministry (SAM)** will meet at **1:00 PM on Tuesday, July 11, 2023 in the Fellowship Hall, North End**. All Seniors are invited to attend. For additional information, please contact Mother Linda Sanders at (256) 859-9540 or Mother Ola Tibbs at (256) 859-0636.

**The Deaconess's Ministry** will meet on **Monday, July 17, 2023, 6:00 PM in room 17**. Contact person Diana Douglas (256) 682-4545 for questions.

### **Singles' Ministry**

The Union Chapel Singles' Ministry will host "The Gift of Being Single – Part II" Panel Discussion on **Monday, 17 July 2023, at 6:00 PM**. The discussion will take place at **UCMBC in the Fellowship Hall**. Single men and women, 18 years and older, are welcome to attend. If you have any questions, please contact Min. Lisa Owens or Sis. Calandra Terry.

## **CHURCH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION SCHEDULE**

The 90th Church Anniversary Celebration will begin July 30th and culminates on Sunday, August 20th, 2023. **This year's theme is "The Church Walking By Faith and Not By Sight" (II Cor 5:7)**. A list of anniversary activities are as follows:

- **July 30 - OFFICIAL 90th ANNIVERSARY KICKOFF SUNDAY– T-Shirt Sunday** - Wear your favorite Union Chapel T-Shirt to kick off our 90th church anniversary celebration. Combined Worship Service begins at 9:00 am at the 315 Winchester Road
- **August 6 – 90th Worship Communion Sunday**
- **August 11 – Church Banquet** – Union Chapel will have a 90th Anniversary Banquet at 6:00 PM. The banquet will have limited seating and reservation is required. Registration details will be available next week.
- **August 12 – Community Service Day** (100 Orange Drive) 12:00 PM to 2:00 PM - 200 hot lunches will be served and the Food and Clothing Pantry will be available to the community.
- **August 13 – Sunday Worship Service: Elegant Hat Sunday**
- **August 16 – Revised Version Choir Concert** (100 Orange Drive) – 7:00 PM.

- **August 18 - Basketball Tournament** – If you would like to participate in this event, please sign up at the Welcome Center. Game schedule will be announced soon.
- **August 19 – Church Picnic** - 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM Join us at the Pavilion for fun, fellowship and food.
- **August 20 – 90th Church Anniversary Worship Services (9:00 AM - 315 Winchester Road and 12 Noon – 100 Orange Dr)**

\*\* The guest speaker will be Pastor Gregory Haygood of the Pilgrim Missionary Baptist Church, located in South Bend, Indiana.

### **Additional Anniversary Details**

**90th Anniversary T-Shirts:** The 90th Anniversary T-shirt will be available at cost to church members. If you are interested in purchasing a t-shirt, refer to the upcoming church announcements for the date and time they will be available. We are hoping everyone wears their t-shirt for our 90th Anniversary Picnic.

**Car Show:** Union Chapel will host a “Cruise In Car Show” during the 90th Church Anniversary Picnic from **10:00 AM – 2:00 PM**. If you have a classic car, late models, imports, motorcycles, truck or sports car (all makes & models are welcome) that you would like to display, please contact Bro. Earl Wootson at (256) 755-2055 for more detailed information.

**Anniversary Volunteers:** The Fellowship Ministry is seeking volunteers to help with the upcoming events. If you have a heart to serve, smiling face, and willing to volunteer at least 2 hours, then we need YOU!!! We have a host of events planned to celebrate our 90th Church Anniversary and would like you to join us in making these events successful. Sign-up sheets are located at the Welcome Center. For additional information, please contact Sister Agnes Holley-Smith at aeholleysmith@gmail.com.

## **EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES**

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](http://www.unionchapel-hsv.org) to obtain an application and view the Job description for the position. **These positions will remain open until filled or withdrawn by Union Chapel Missionary Baptist Church.**

1. **Full-time Custodian:** 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.
2. **CDC Full-time Daycare Worker:** Union Chapel Missionary Baptist Church Child Development Center (UCCDC) has immediate openings for Full-time Daycare Workers for the 2023 – 2024 school year. These positions create age-appropriate lesson plans and organizes curriculum activities; keeps records of each child’s progress, interest, and any problems that may occur; attends to children’s basic needs with feeding, dressing, changing diapers, etc. Performs other duties as required.

**Candidate Requirements:** Must be a mature Christian professional who demonstrates a love for God and people. Must possess advanced multitasking, problem-solving, time-management, and interpersonal skills. Selected employees must be fully vaccinated for COVID and comply with any additional boosters or additional vaccination mandates issued by appropriate Federal, State, or local health authorities as a condition to employment.

3. **CDC Full-time Assistant Director:** Union Chapel Missionary Baptist Church Child Development Center (UCCDC) has an immediate opening for a **Full-time Assistant Director**. This position assists the Director in the management of the UCCDC; coordinates the requisition of supplies,

equipment, and books; conducts inventories and maintains records of such materials; assists Child Care Providers in planning special programs, and field trips; answers telephone, cordially greets parents, and visitors; and coordinates safety inspections/drills and building permits. Performs other duties as required.

Candidate Requirements: Must be a mature Christian professional who demonstrates a love for God and people. Must have a bachelor's degree from an accredited college/university, preferably the degree should be in child development or a related field and a minimum of one year of experience in a child development center OR an associate degree in child development or early childhood education from a post-secondary CDC (technical, vocational, junior College), and at least two (2) years of working experience as a child-care worker/teacher or as a director/program director in a licensed daycare center or a Department approved setting.

4. **UCCA Full-time Teacher:** Union Chapel Missionary Baptist Church Christian Academy (UCCA) has immediate openings for Full-time Academy Teachers for the 2023 – 2024 school year. These positions create lesson plans; grades homework; administers tests; and teaches basic skills in various subjects. Performs other duties as required.

Candidate Requirements: Must be a mature Christian professional who demonstrates a love for God and people. Must possess a Bachelor's degree from a college or university that held regional accreditation at the time; complete a teacher education program; and pass state exams for prospective educators. Selected employees must be fully vaccinated for COVID and comply with any additional boosters or additional vaccination mandates issued by appropriate Federal, State, or local health authorities as a condition to employment.

## CONGRATULATIONS

*To all our members celebrating anniversaries in the month of **JULY***

- Bro. Michael , Sr. and Sis. Deborah Williams, celebrated their 38th wedding anniversary on Thursday, July 6, 2023

*"Be completely humble and gentle; be patient, bearing with one another in love. Make every effort to keep the unity of the spirit through the bond of peace." Ephesians 4:2-3 (NIV)*

### Announcement Submission

**Attention Ministries, Coordinators and Co-Coordinators:** Please submit all announcements to the church office **three weeks** prior to the planned meeting or event. Only those announcements will be announced **two weeks** prior to the event. Announcements should be sent to the church office by emailing [announcements@unionchapel-hsv.org](mailto:announcements@unionchapel-hsv.org)

“Moving Forward on a Progressive Journey!”

## Church History Facts: JULY

**67th Church Anniversary** - Union Chapel M.B. Church 100 Orange Drive, where Rev. O. Wendell Davis is Pastor, observed its 67th Church Anniversary on Sunday August 20, 2000 at 7:45 AM and 10:45 AM worship services. The theme for the observance was "A Chosen Generation – Moving Forward on a Progressive Journey." (1 Peter 2:1-9) The Deacons of Union Chapel along with the Deacons of Owens Chapel led the Devotion. Responsive Reading from the theme was led by Pastor G. Calvin Boone. Pastor Cornell Martin led the congregation in prayer during Altar Call. The Owens Chapel Church Choir provided the Worship in songs and praise. The Sermon was delivered by Rev. Robert J. Brown, Pastor of Owens Chapel M.B. Church.... The worship and devotional services at the 10:45 worship services were led by the Deacons of Union Chapel, and the Union Chapel Anniversary Choir provided the worship in songs and praise. Minister Archie Morris, II, led the Responsive Readings, and Minister Horace Allen, Jr. led the congregation to the throne of Grace during the Altar Call. Pastor Davis introduced the Guest Minister, Pastor C. L Bachus of the Mt. Zion Baptist Church, Kansas City, Kansas.... (Excerpts from an article in Speaking Out News by Isaiah Robinson, SON Religion Editor – August 23, 2000 – August 29, 2000, page 7).

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**SICK & SHUT-IN LIST**

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 (son)  
Bro. James Pope  
Sis. Terri Acklin-Lewis  
Sis. Georgia Hewlett  
Sis. Valerie Miller Copeland POC: Verlinda Grant (daughter)  
Sis. Cynthia Lockhart  
Bro. Howard Gaines, Sr.  
Sis. Vivian Kelley  
Sis. Linda Turner Chirwa POC: Evett Turner  
Mother Hazel Hawk  
Sis. Linnie Gordon POC: Ashlee Gordon (granddaughter)  
Bro. Charley Cattage  
Bro. Emery Brooks  
Sis. Louisiana Jordan NO PHONE CALLS POC: Ingrid Jordan (daughter)  
Sis. Shilda Fay Cowan  
Bro. Robert Key  
Sis. Ethelen Evonne Hubbard  
Mother Annie Woods POC: Carol Ford (daughter)  
Sis. Ernestine Brazille  
Sis. Janice Fletcher  
Sis. Cassandra Townsend  
Sis. Marilyn Warren POC: Donald Warren  
Minister Ralph Tolliver  
Sis. Lorraine Boone

Mother Betty Showers  
Bro. James Mitchell  
Sis. Minnie Wilson  
Sis. Mae Martin  
Bro. Al Mason  
Sis. Barbara Hampton Steele POC: Joyce Hampton  
Sis. Evelyn Porter

## **HOSPITALIZATIONS**

**No Known Members**

## **NURSING/REHAB**

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

## **PRAYER LIST**

- Sis. Audra Allen
- Mr. Tony Reeves (brother Bro. Jonathan Reeves)
- Mrs. Savannah Caffie (mother of Sis. Winnifer McGee & Bro. Greg Caffie)
- Mr. Robert Patton & Sis. Angela Patton
- Sis. Brenda Stephens
- Sis. Michelle Morgan
- Sis. Dawn Chantae Eatman Griffin
- Mr. Quincy Ramon Steele (nephew of Sis. Dorothy Strong)
- Miss Jennifer Clark (she is the niece of Sis. Patricia Clark and Mother Linda Sanders) and also their brother
- Sis. Ernestine Brazille
- Ms. Eulylia Balentine (Elliott family)
- Mr. Clifton Canady (father of Sis. Charlotte Canady-Slater)
- Mother Juanita Moore
- Ms. Charlie Storey (niece of Evonne Hubbard)
- Mrs. Katherine Acklin
- Mr. Charles Willis, Jr.
- Mr. Andre Jackson (son of Bro. Onree Jackson)
- Mr. Thomas Drake (father Sis. Sheri Drake)
- Bro. Talmadge Crawford
- Sis. Yvonne Jefferson
- Sis. Annette Hawk Rice
- Bro. Archie Gurley
- Sis. Georgia Hewlett
- Mr. Carlian Gray (nephew of Pastor and Mother Davis)

**Condolences**  
**JULY 09, 2023**

**Ms. Rosie Lee Tickles, the mother of Bro. Jordan Tickles, grandmother of Sis. Tiffany Tickles Richardson and great grandmother of Mosiah and Malcom Richardson** passed away in Houston, Texas. **No other details.**

Condolences may be sent to:

Mr. Jordan Tickles, Jr. and Family  
Mrs. Tiffany Tickles Richardson (Dezmond) and Family

**Bro. Gary Lee Hardin, the husband of Sis. Aprille Lloyd Hardin and father of Kennedy, Kendall and Kailey Hardin; Sis. Irene Woods Lloyd, mother-in-law** passed Saturday, June 24, 2023. The funeral service was held on Monday, July 3rd at Union Chapel M. B. Church. Royal Funeral Home will handle final arrangements.

Condolences may be sent to:

Mrs. Aprille Lloyd Hardin and Family  
Misses Kennedy Hardin, Kendall Hardin, Kailey Hardin  
Mrs. Irene Woods Lloyd