

Union Chapel Missionary Baptist Church
Sunday, March 26, 2023

2023 Theme: “Celebrating the Dawn of a New Season” *Genesis 32:24-32 KJV*

CHURCHWIDE

Children’s Church

Children’s Church **will be available today** for children ages 5 to 11. After the offertory prayer, a sign will appear on the screens for parents to meet youth leaders in the foyer of the church, to sign children in. 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. Janika Crum or Sis. Doris Taylor.

VBS 2023

We have begun our planning for our VBS 2023.

We are presenting this year. Our VBS Day Camp!

Theme: Faith Builder’s, Rise Up and Build! Nehemiah 2:18b

Registration will begin soon. There will be family learning for all ages, crafts, food, and fun.

Date: Saturday June 17, 2023, beginning at 8 AM (in the sanctuary)

For more information contact Minister Marie Corbett and Sister Gracie Cross

Community Service Project

Union Chapel members will serve 200 Hot Lunches to those in need of food on Saturday, **April 8, 2023**, beginning at 12 p.m. at the 100 Orange Drive location (Educational Complex). The Caring and Sharing Pantry will also be available to members of the community from 12 p.m. until 2 p.m. If you would like to volunteer to serve, please contact Min. Marquis.

MINISTRY MEETINGS & UPDATES

High School Ministry

Sis. Candice Howell, Min. Marquis, and leaders would like to meet with all Union Chapel High School students on **Monday, April 3rd, at 6:30 PM**. The meeting will be held in the basement of the church and will last approximately 1 hour. The objective of the meeting will be to continue with the ministry's mentoring sessions. Light refreshments will be served. If you have any questions, please contact Sis. Candice Howell or Min. Marquis.

The Missionary Ministry will hold its **monthly teleconference meetings** on the following dates at **6 PM: April 10th, May 8th, & June 12th**.

Phone Number: [978 990 5055](tel:9789905055); **Access code:** 6668148

For more information please contact Sis. Arlene Cattage: [256 679 1564](tel:2566791564)

Veterans Ministry

The Alabama National Cemetery @ Montevallo

Veterans who are interested in speaking with the Director/Representative from the National Cemetery at Montevallo, please let me know by April 13, 2023 Meeting, so:

1. **I can make the arrangements to bring him in; and**
2. **I need a decent number before asking him to come.**

Point of contact is Sister Bernice Berry or Brother Richard Pitts
(Coordinators)

Singles' Ministry

The Union Chapel Singles' Ministry will host a Mingle and Paint on **Monday, April 17th, at 6:00**. The event will take place at Huemanity Studios, located at 6200 Mastin Lake Road, Suite C. Single men and women, 18 years and older are encouraged to attend. Contact Min. Lisa Owens or Sis. Calandra Terry for information on tickets and other pertinent information.

The 2023 Walter Cade Jr. Southwest Laymen's Workshop

The workshop will be held **July 21-23 in Dallas, Texas**. If you plan to attend, **Registration/Housing and Transportation forms are available at the Welcome Desk in the foyer. The sign-up deadline is May 22, 2023**. Transportation will be provided by the Church. For additional information, contact Deacon Edward White at 256-604-9725 or emailed528@bellsouth.net or Deacon Emeritus Nathaniel Sanders at 256-859-9540 or email nathanielsnat@att.net.

EMPLOYMENT

1. **Union Chapel Missionary Baptist Church Child Development Center** has **an immediate opening for a Part-time Cook**. This position requires multi-functional culinary duties related to food preparation including set-up, service, clean up, and safety standards. Performs other duties as required.
2. **Union Chapel Missionary Baptist Church** has **an immediate opening for 1 Full-time Daycare Workers**. 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.

3. **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.

Note: 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. **These positions will remain open until filled or withdrawn by Union Chapel Missionary Baptist Church.**

CONGRATULATIONS

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

"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)

March IS KIDNEY MONTH

Know Your Risk

Even if you feel healthy, if you are over 60 or have risk factors like

diabetes, high blood pressure, or heart disease, consider talking with your doctor about getting tested for kidney disease. Your doctor can use your test results to work with you to develop a kidney care plan. Having a plan may reduce your risk for serious health problems, like heart attack and stroke, and give you more healthy moments.

March 19, 2023

SICK & SHUT-IN LIST

Sis. Evonne Burns
Deacon Eddie Thomas & Sis. Elizabeth Thomas
Sis. Viola McWilliams
Sis. Geneva Purnell
Mother Patsy Pope
Sis. Jessie Booker
Bro. James Pope
Sis. Terri Acklin-Lewis
Sis. Georgia Hewlett
Sis. Valerie Miller Copeland
Sis. Cynthia Lockhart
Bro. Howard Gaines, Sr
Sis. Vivian Kelley
Sis. Linda Turner Chirwa
Mother Hazel Hawk
Sis. Linnie Gordon
Bro. Charley Cattage
Bro. Emery Brooks

Sis. Lousianna Jordan (**NO PHONE CALLS**)

Sis. Shilda Fay Cowan

Bro. Robert Key

Sis. Latoya Ewing

Sis. Ethelen Evonne Hubbard

Sis. Shirley R. Jones

Sis. Gae Williams

Sis. Mildred Pruitt

Mother Annie Woods

Sis. Ernestine Brazille

Sis. Janice Fletcher

Bro. Abraham McCall

Sis. Jessie Wade

Sis. Cassandra Townsend

Bro. Tony Nobles

Sis. Carol Price

Sis. Geraldine Goins

Bro. Gerald Brooks

Bro. Benjamin L. A. Martin

HOSPITALIZATIONS

Sis. Gae Williams

Bro. Albert Williams

Sis. Hannah Dickerson

NURSING/REHAB

Sis. Wanda Gholston

Sis. Vernina Taylor

PRAYER LIST

- Ms. Linda Baptista, daughter of Albert & Gae Williams
- Bro. Mose Crim
- Sis. Betty Brown
- Sis. Ernestine Brazille
- Sis. Patricia Clark
- Mrs. Janet Wootson, mother of Bro. Earl Wootson
- Ms. Everlina Taylor, sister of Sis. Judy Hawkins and aunt of Min. Cedric Taylor
- Bro. Albert Williams
- Mr. Mickey McConnell, brother of Sis. Betty Pope
- Ms. Mary Roomes, sister of Sis. Flora Ector
- Mr. Clifton Canady, father of Sis. Charlotte Canady-Slater
- Ms. Barbara Sorrell, sister of Dea. Jimmy Sorrell
- Mother Juanita Moore
- Ms. Yolanda Faye Harris, cousin of Sis. Norma Reeves
- Ms. Charlie Storey, niece of Evonne Hubbard
- Mrs. Katherine Acklin
- Mr. Charles Willis, Jr.
- Mr. Andre Jackson, son of Onree Jackson
- Bro. James Carter
- Mr. Thomas Drake, father of Sis. Sheri Drake
- Bro. Talmadge Crawford
- Sis. Yvonne Jefferson
- Sis. Charlie Lamb
- Mr. Robert Patton & Sis. Angela Patton
- Sis. Annette Hawk Rice
- Bro. Archie Gurley
- Sis. Georgia Hewlett
- Mr. Carlian Gray, nephew of Pastor and Mother Davis

Condolences

Mr. Jaeden James Michael Smith aka "Bud", the grandson of Sis. Regina Rice, passed Sunday, March 12, 2023 in Huntsville, AL. **Funeral service will be 2:00 p.m., Saturday, March 25th at the Union Chapel Missionary Baptist Church, 315 Winchester Rd NE, Huntsville, AL 35811.** Royal Funeral Home will handle final arrangements. Interment - in the Meadowlawn Garden of Peace.

Condolence may be sent to:

Mrs. Regina Rice and Family

Bro. Cecil Taft Kirksey, the husband of Mother Esther Kirksey, passed on Tuesday, March 14, 2023 in Huntsville, AL. Royal Funeral Home will handle final arrangements. **Funeral service will be 12:00 noon, Tuesday, March 21, 2023 at the Union Chapel Missionary Baptist Church, 315 Winchester Rd, NE Huntsville, AL 35811.** Interment will be in the Strong Cemetery. The Kirksey family will receive guests from 5:00 PM until 6:00 PM, Monday, March 20, 2023 at the Royal Chapel of Memories.

Please send condolences to:

Mrs. Esther Kirksey and Family