

Union Chapel Missionary Baptist Church
Sunday, September 24, 2023

CHURCHWIDE

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.

Community Service Project

Union Chapel members will serve 200 Hot Lunches to those in need of food on **Saturday, October 14, 2023**, beginning at **12 p.m. at the 100 Orange Drive location**. 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

Breast Cancer Awareness Month is an international health campaign lasting the month of **OCTOBER** that is intended to increase global awareness of breast cancer. In the United States, the month-long campaign is known as National Breast Cancer Awareness Month. Breast Cancer Awareness Month, held in October every year, aims to promote screening and prevention of the disease, which affects one in eight women in the United States every year and 2.3 million women worldwide. Mammograms save lives and today we are encouraging every female who is eligible to get their mammogram. Whereas the focus is on females, males are also at risk for breast cancer. The most effective method for males to detect breast cancer early is to become very familiar with your breast tissue and surrounding areas. Report any positive findings to your personal physician immediately. **Literature will be available October 8, 2023, in the foyer.**

In observance of Breast Cancer Awareness, please wear your favorite **pink garment** on the second **Sunday, October 8, 2023.**

We will again release balloons to celebrate survivors and love ones after morning worship service.

Spiritual Formation Training Sessions

Spiritual Formation Training Sessions will commence: **September 23, 2023, through November 27, 2023.** Light meals/refreshments will be provided 30 minutes prior to start of the formal sessions.

Do you know what steps are necessary to strive towards spiritual growth and maturity? Do you have the faith of Abraham? The endurance of Job? The heart of David? The zeal and commitment of Paul?

The purpose of the training series is to enhance the believer's understanding of spiritual maturity and its vital link to intentionality and commitment. Have you been more of a hearer and less of a doer of God's word? Are you ready to intentionally walk with Him to know and grow confident in your identity and relationship with Jesus Christ? Join me (Sis. Jacqueline Johnson) in this project to target those who profess to be Christians but (being honest) have not put action where their profession has been.

MINISTRY MEETINGS & UPDATES

High School Ministry

The High School Ministry will meet on **Monday, October 2nd from 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM** in the basement of the church. Refreshments will be served. We encourage all high school students to attend. We are excited to share the details and vision of this ministry! For additional information, please contact Minister Marquis.

The Senior Adult Ministry (SAM)

SAM will meet at **1:00 PM on Tuesday, October 3, 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.

Ushers Ministry Meeting

The meeting will be in person on **October 9, 2023 06:00 PM** in the **Old Library**.

Veteran Monthly Meeting

Attention all Veterans, we will be gathering **Monday, October 9, 2023, at 6:00 PM** in the **Fellowship Hall (North Side)**. 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, October 9, 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 Missionary Ministry will meet via teleconference on the following dates at **6 PM:**
October 9th, November 13th, and December 11th.

Phone number: 978 990 5055; **Code:** 6668148

Info: contact Sister Arlene Cattage 256 679 1574

CONGRATULATIONS

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

"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)

CHURCH HISTORY FACTS: SEPTEMBER

The following are records from the pen of Mother Carrie Moore, Union Chapel's first Clerk. She served in that position for over thirty years under the leadership of Rev. Boone and the early years of Rev. Lacy: (Rev. Lacy would have been the Pastor during this book keeping entry) 1960 - First Sunday in January 3. Collection was \$43.15. Paid Pastor - \$21.59. Church received \$19.56. January 10, 1960 collection was \$48.87. Pastor Received \$24.44. Church Received \$22.43. January 17, 1960 collection was \$26.75. Pastor Received \$13.43. Church Received \$13.32. January 24, 1960. Collection was \$42.74. Pastor Received \$20.00. Church Received \$17.78. This information was transcribed from original documents written by Mother Carrie Moore. The documents were preserved and placed in a binder by Church Historian, Sister Maggie Reed who also served as a Church Clerk. During this month, we honor the legacy of both these Church Founders who preserved the history of our Church through their keeping of records. Mother Carrie Moore passed away on July 30, 2014 at the age of 94. Sister Maggie Reed passed away on January 21, 2021. We also applaud all members and Pastors during those years as they operated a Church and served the community on such limited funds. "To God Be the Glory!"

Scout Troop 156 are taking **Popcorn Orders**. Please contact Scoutmaster David Stewart for any questions or concerns, 256-529-9848

TROOP 156 SHOW AND SELL DATES

DATES	TIME	LOCATION
Saturday, September 23rd AL	8:00am – 2:00 PM	LOWE'S, 3505 North Mem Pkwy, Huntsville
Saturday, September 30th AL	8:00am – 2:00 PM	LOWE'S, 3505 North Mem Pkwy, Huntsville
Saturday, October 7th AL	2:00pm – 8:00 PM	LOWE'S, 3505 North Mem Pkwy, Huntsville
Saturday, October 14th AL	8:00am – 2:00 PM	LOWE'S, 3505 North Mem Pkwy, Huntsville

Union Chapel Girl Scouts Troop is seeking girls who are interested in joining one of our Troops. If you are looking for a positive environment that will give your young girl the encouragement and confidence she needs then look no further. **Troop meetings are held every 2nd and 4th Saturday of the month from 10:00 AM until 12:00 PM here in the basement area of the church.** We are also seeking committed leaders who enjoy working with girls and are willing to volunteer your time as a mentor. A sign-up sheet will be available in the foyer. For additional information please contact Traycine Rice at (256) 852-3637 or Melodie Morgan at (256) 655-8874. Girl Scouts is open to girls in grades

Kindergarten through 12th grade.

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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: Son, Vincent Timmons
Bro. James Pope
Sis. Terri Acklin-Lewis POC: Daughter
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. Shilda Fay Cowan
Bro. Robert Key
Sis. Ethelen Evonne Hubbard
Mother Annie Woods POC: Carol Ford
Sis. Ernestine Brazille
Sis. Janice Fletcher
Sis. Cassandra Townsend
Sis. Marilyn Warren POC: Donald Warren
Sis. Minnie Wilson
Sis. Barbara Hampton Steele POC: Joyce Hampton (daughter)
Bro. Walter Kelley, Jr
Bro. Samuel Anthony Burrus
Sis. LaShaunda Hampton
Sis. Louisanna Jordan POC: Ingrid Jordan (daughter)
Mother Ernestine Sullivan
Si. Gwen Devezin

HOSPITALIZATIONS

NO KNOWN MEMBERS

NURSING/REHAB

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

PRAYER LIST

- Deacon John Butler
- The sister of Sis. Deccie Turk Ms. Tiffany Canady-Modenou
- Ms. Amelia Seay (sister of Sis. Angela Seay)
- Mr. Andre Jackson (son of Bro. Onree Jackson)
- Mrs. Linda Smith (friends of the Reeves family)
- Bro. Michael Williams, Sr
- Mr. Thomas Drake (the father of Sister Sherri Drake)
- Mr. Charles Brooks (brother of Mr. Willard Brooks Jr
- Mrs. Joyce C. Dorsey (mother of Bro. Carl Dorsey)
- Sis. Ernestine Brazille
- Bro. Samuel Anthony Burrus
- Mr. Tony Reeves (brother of Bro. Jonathan Reeves)
- Mrs. Savannah Caffie (mother of Sis. Winnifer McGee & Bro. Greg Caffie)
- Mr. Robert Patton & Sis. Angela Patton
- Sis. Michelle Morgan
- Sis. Dawn Chantae Eatman Griffin
- Mr. Quincy Ramon Steele (nephew of Sis. Dorothy Strong)
- Miss Jennifer Clark (niece of Sis. Patricia Clark and Mother Linda Sanders)
- Mr. Caron Clark (brother of Sis. Patricia Clark and Mother Linda Sanders)
- Ms. Eulyia 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.
- 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

SEPTEMBER 24, 2023

Sis. Irish L. Langham, the mother of Sis. Yvonne Hall, passed on Wednesday, September 20, 2023 in Huntsville, AL. The funeral service will be held at 1:00 PM on Monday, September 25, 2023 at Union

Chapel Missionary Baptist Church, 315 Winchester Rd NE, Huntsville, AL 35811. Nelms Memorial Funeral Home has been entrusted with the final arrangements.

Condolences may be sent to:

Ms. Yvonne Hall and Family

Sis. Carolyn Ann Mitchell, the sister of Mother Helen M. Brooks, passed on Tuesday, September 12, 2023. The funeral service was held on Monday, September 18th at the Cherokee Christian Center, 240 W. Main St, Centre, AL 35960.

Condolences may be sent to:

Mrs. Helen M. Brooks (Jimmy) and Family

Mr. Charles Curtis. Rountree, Sr. the grandfather of Bro. Henry Rountree passed on Thursday, September 14, 2023, in Huntsville, AL. A graveside service was held on Wednesday, September 20th at the Valhalla Memory Gardens, 698 Winchester Rd NE, Huntsville, AL 35811. Final arrangements were entrusted to Royal Funeral.

Condolences may be sent to:

Mr. Henry D. Rountree and Family

Mr. Carthell Storey, father of Sis. Evonne Hubbard, passed on Thursday, September 14, 2023, in Anniston, AL. A celebration of life service was held on Friday, September 22nd, at Pine Grove Missionary Baptist Church, 500 Drew Ave, Lincoln, AL 35096. Final Arrangements have been entrusted to Terry's Metropolitan Mortuary, 1702 Battle St West, Talladega, AL 35160.

Condolences may be sent to:

Mrs. Evonne E. Hubbard (Jerrod) and Family