Youth News

August 26 - Dress Up - Duct Tape

Ken's Comments

Dave Miller did a great job with his lesson last Wednesday night, "What Jesus was Really Like." Jimmy Clark, from Bethel in Athens, will be with us Wednesday night. Jimmy is a great gospel preacher and I know you will enjoy hearing him. I'm sorry I want get to hear Jimmy. I am scheduled to speak at Flint in Decatur.

Last Saturday morning Tom McLemore and his two grandchildren, LauraLynn and Ryan Harrell were baptized into Christ. We greatly rejoice with Sandee, Ashley and Deneika. I am very thankful for this wonderful family.

Football season gets underway Thursday night. I want to wish the team and band a great year. The start of another football season is always special. I have the privilege again this year to lead the prayer on the radio before each game.

I thought Jonah really had a good lesson Sunday night about Gideon. I am very proud of this young man. We are indeed fortunate to have Jonah, Cara and Charlie in the Arab congregation.

I want to ask all parents to bring your children to Bible classes and worship. Don't wait until it is too late. While they are young is the time you really need to have your priorities right.

Important verses about parenting:

- 1. Genesis 18:19.
- **2.** Deuteronomy 6:6, 7.
- 3. Joshua 24:14, 15.
- 4. Proverbs 22:6.
- 5. II Timothy 1:5; 3:15.
- 6. Ephesians 6:4.
- 7. Proverbs 31:10-31.

As you have your devotionals this week please study these passages carefully.

I look forward to another Sunday with you. I am going to begin a four part series on "The Warnings of Christ." I think these studies will be very helpful to all of us.

Always remember how much Hannah and I love and appreciate you. Keep up your good works!



Arab Church of Christ

August 24, 2025

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Welcome! We are glad you are here.

We are pleased and honored you have chosen to visit with us today. The Arab Church of Christ is a church family devoted to serving God through our lives and work. We follow no creed or manmade doctrine. Our only authoritative guide is the Bible. As we worship together today, our desire is to worship God according to the New Testament pattern in a way which is pleasing and acceptable to Him.

Should you have any questions, comments, prayer requests or need assistance in anyway, we are here to help. Please fill out a visitor's card and place it in the contribution tray at the appropriate time.

Worship Times

Sunday Bible Classes 9:30 a.m.
Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship - 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study - 7:00 p.m.

Online Resources - Web Page: www.arabcofc.org

Those to Serve

| Welcome | Tom Self |
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| Opening Prayer | Todd Norris |
| Song Leader | Joshua Robinsor |
| Sermon | Ken Tyler |
| Closing Prayer | Wesley Sanders |
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Evening Worship

| Announcements | Tom Self |
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| Opening Prayer | Tyler Hughes |
| Song Leader | Ken Williams |
| Sermon | Ken Tyler |
| Closing Prayer | Trey Hughes |

<u>Lead at the Lord's Table</u>: Jeff Cavender, Tyler Hughes

<u>Servers</u>: Kyle Cavender, Bradley Randall, Zack Glines, Trey Hughes, Joseph Norris, Bart Holmes, Kyle Coe

<u>Ushers:</u> Tim Thrower, Richard Whisenant, Jimmie Tyler, Shorty Humphries

Soundroom - Entire Month of August, 2025

Trey Hughes, Bradley Randall Wednesday, August 27, 2025

Sing: Jimmie Tyler

Prayer: Derryl Cantrell

Decisions become easie

Thought for Today - Decisions become easier when your will to please God outweighs your will to please the world.

Memory Verse For The Week - "I delight to do thy will, O my God: yea, thy law is within my heart" (Psalm 40:8)

The Measure of Our Love

Bible Study......109 A.M. Worship......150 P.M. Worship......105 Mid-week Bible Study.....105 8-13-25

Last Week

Contribution.....\$8,240.00 Budget.....\$8,775.00

Budget Balance

Contribution.....\$284,576.57 Budget.....\$289,575.00

> **Budget For 2025** \$456,300.00

> > Number: 33

Special Prayer Requests

- **Ashley Coe**, sister of Kyle Coe needs our prayers.
- Don Šnow, known by many in the congregation, had a biopsy Monday on spots on his liver and stomach.
- Jeanette Warren, mother of Pat Henry, has stopped walking and is receiving assistance at home.
- Verbon Farmer, brother-in-law of Fay Rives went home from rehab last Thursday.
- Kate Rutledge, sister-in-law of Warren Smith, has been diagnosed with pancreatic cancer.
- **Beverly Taylor** Please keep Beverly in your prayers for healing.
- Harry Frey has been diagnosed with a slow form of
- **Betty Reliford** is undergoing cancer treatments.

Members: Ellen Frazier, Ann Frey, Barbara Graves, Rebecca Gray, Joyce Johnson, Jean Kinney, Betty Nail, Joe Norris, Ann Peters, Betty Reliford, Beverly Taylor, Nancy White

Friends and Relatives: Mary Ann Bishop, Marty Glenn, Shelia Mahathey, Marty Moon, Monty Moon (Graves), Kate Rutledge, Mark Sims, Donna Wilson

Nursing Homes or Shut Ins: Shut Ins at Home - Pearline Hasting, Paula Parker, Jean Kinney, Faye Westbrook, Peggy Nolen, Nancy Wood

Card List

Tom McLemore 1129 6th Ave. Arab, AL 35016

What a great day! Three baptisms last Saturday morning. Sandy McLemore's husband, Tom and their grandchildren, LaraLynn and Ryan Harrell. This is Deneika and Ashley Harrell's children and Deneika's father.

LaraLynn Harrell

2372 Partridge Court N.E. 2372 Partridge Court N.E. Arab, AL 35016

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Barbara had her first radiation treatment Wednesday for her can-

Ryan Harrell

Barbara Graves 854 Jeremy PL. S.E. Arab, AL 35016

cer. Please keep this sweet lady in your prayers.

Joyce Johnson

Joyce has moved to assisted living in Cullman. She would love receiving cards from the Arab congregation.

The Neighborhood at Cullman 2021 Dahlke Dr. Apt. # 124 Cullman, AL 35058

Announcements

WINGS - (Women in God's Service) (Ladies Wednesday Morning Bible Class will be September 17, 2025 at 10:30 a.m.

Ladies Breakfast will be Tuesday, September 2, 2025 at Backroads Diner at 8:30 a.m.

Teachers are needed for all ages of our youth.

Update on Mark Sims - Jim Hendrix talked with Mark last Thursday. Mark and Karen are in Wetumpka and he is feeling pretty good. His cancer treatment has helped a lot but he's been told that he'll always have the type of cancer he has. His treatment has allowed him to be at home with daily medication. He has scheduled trips back to MD Anderson and recommends that anyone needing help with cancer, investigate Anderson. They are tops with him and Karen. He thanks everyone for the prayers, cards and gifts he has received and sends his **LOVE** to the Arab congregation



Celebration for September and October Birthday's and Anniversaries TBA.

Elders & Deacons

Elders Meeting Schedule: Our Elders meet every 2nd and 4th Sunday afternoons of the month at the Church building. If you need to meet with them, please let them know.

Elders, Deacons Meeting Sunday, August 24 at 5:00 p.m.

Men's Luncheon - Friday, August 29th, 12:00 noon at Grumpy's.

Our Mission Work

Demar Elam - Philippines Ron Gilbert - Africa Robert Martin - Pacific Islands Brint Rice - Backwoods International Christian Camp Preacher Training School - Philippines Steve Worley - Nigeria **Daniel Gaines - Tanzania Missions**