

April 5, 2026

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Schedule of Services

Sunday

9:00 a.m. Bible Class
10:00 a.m. Worship
5:00 p.m. Worship

Wednesday

7:00 p.m. Bible Class

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HOOVER
FAMILY RETREAT

MAY 8-10

Shocco Springs Conference Center
Speaker: Jason Bybee



• Classes • Singing • Games • Campfires

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Worship Assignments

Elder to Contact in April for Needs:
Jimmy Lyles

Sunday AM and PM

Greeters:

Connie Morrison (Handicap Entrance)
Greg & Jean Coker (Back Entrance)

Usher: Corey Covington

Nursery: Brooke Williams

AM Singing: Drew Spivey

Scripture Reading: C.T. Dodd

AM Opening Prayer: Floyd Josephat

AM Sermon: Chuck Webster

AM Communion: Joel Abbott

Announcements: Donnie Winningham

AM Closing Prayer: Avery Davis

PM Song Leader: Corey Covington

PM Speaker: Chuck Webster

PM Closing Prayer: Chad Blackmon

Audio/Cameras: Brent Reaves/Clint Richey

Video: Mark Lackey

Security: Marc Handley/Walden Schlundt

Bible Reading Plan for April 5-11

- **Sunday, April 5:** 1 Kings 4-7; Psalm 95
- **Monday, April 6:** 1 Kings 8-10; Psalm 96
- **Tuesday, April 7:** 1 Kings 11-13; Psalm 97
- **Wednesday, April 8:** 1 Kings 14-16; Psalm 98
- **Thursday, April 9:** 1 Kings 17-19; Psalm 99
- **Friday, April 10:** 1 Kings 20-22; Psalm 100
- **Saturday, April 11:** 2 Kings 1-3; Psalm 101

Today

Visitors, welcome to our worship service this morning—we're glad you're here! Please **scan the QR Code** on the card in the pews. We would like to know where you are from.

Adult Bible Classes: (1) Auditorium: Wade Warren is teaching on "Preparation of the World for the Messiah." (2) **Library: Chuck Webster** is teaching in the Library on "Learning to Read Scripture More Faithfully." This class is using thoughts from *Misreading Scripture with Western Eyes: Removing Cultural Blinders to Better Understand the Bible* by E. Randolph Richards and Brandon J. O'Brien, as well as other materials. (3) **Wednesday, Auditorium: Bill Rayburn** is teaching on biblical stewardship this month and in May.

This evening at 5:00, we will meet in the auditorium for a lesson presented by **Chuck Webster**.

News and Events

We rejoice with **Sam Williams** on his decision to be baptized into Christ. Please welcome him to our family, and let's support him in his walk with Jesus.

The Hoover Ladies' Retreat is Friday-Sunday, April 17-19, at **Hargis Christian Camp** in Chelsea, AL. Join us for a week-end of encouragement, fellowship, and spiritual renewal as we focus on our theme, "Peace in His Presence." Our speaker is **Janet Wilson** (Kasey Guill's mom)—we look forward to the encouragement and wisdom she will share with us. If you have any questions, contact Lauren Warren or Suzanna Weimer.

The Young at Heart will meet at 5:30 p.m. in the fellowship hall on Friday, April 17, for their birthday celebration and game night.

Congratulations to the Graduating Class of 2026

Aidan McQuillan
Andrew Blackmon
Andrew McQuillan
Caroline Handley
Derick Bush
Emma Kate Warren
Lucy McKeown
Marshall Pope
Noah White

Youth

- **Thursday-Sunday, April 2-5:** Lads to Leaders Convention in Nashville, TN.
- **Wednesday, April 8:** Backpack Buddies at 6:15 p.m.
- **Saturday, April 5:** Kindergarten-5th Grade—Ice Cream Sundaes and Nine Square from 6:00-8:00 p.m.
- **Wednesday, April 22:** Dinner and Devotional at 6:00 p.m. in the fellowship hall for Nursery-5th Grade.
- **Wednesday, April 22:** F.A.M. Group Meetings in the fellowship hall at 7:00 p.m.

Happy Anniversary

Dale & Joyce Baker	April 8
Ken & Carol Norris	April 10

Happy Birthday

Caleb Winningham	April 5
Carson Hamm	April 6
Harper Harris	April 6
Heidi Lyles	April 7
Vicky Till	April 7
Hope Handley	April 8
Sherri McQuillan	April 8
Teresa Rumph	April 8
Emily Warren	April 8
Landon Weimer	April 8
Joy Martin	April 9
Steven Gaither	April 10
Anthony Petruzella	April 11
Madison Watkins	April 11

Carelines

We extend our heartfelt condolences to **Rex Anderson and his family** on the passing of his wife, **Jeanne Anderson**. Jeanne and Rex were former members of Hoover for many years, and she will be deeply missed by all who knew her. A funeral service for Jeanne will be held on Saturday, April 18, at the Hoover Church of Christ. Visitation will take place from 12:00-2:00 p.m., with the service to follow at 2:00.

Merv Prince is having hip replacement surgery tomorrow at UAB Medical West.

Sharon McCraw is doing very well after having heart surgery (two stents inserted) and will be recovering at her sister's home.

Doug and Cathy Abbott, Joel Abbott's parents, are facing medical challenges. Doug has Parkinson's disease, and Cathy is experiencing blood pressure issues.

Betty Shackelford, Chè Abbott's mom, is not doing well and is having severe back pain.

Roy Ellas is at UAB and is suffering with health issues. The family has requested no visitors.

Doug Williams, Landyn Williams' dad, has been undergoing treatments for multiple myeloma and is doing well. He will soon receive a stem cell transplant.

Kellie Covington, Corey Covington's sister and a former member of Hoover, has Stage 2 breast cancer and will be meeting with her doctor soon to discuss further treatment.

Dale and Joyce Baker are both patients at Aspire Physical Recovery Center in Hoover. Dale is undergoing rehabilitation following hip replacement surgery. Joyce has been there for several weeks due to venous insufficiency in both legs. No visitors are requested, but cards/notes and prayers are appreciated. Joyce Baker, Aspire Physical Recovery Center, 575 Southland Drive, Room 405, Hoover, AL 35226; Dale Baker's room number is 213.

(Carelines cont.)

Sondra Moss fell and fractured her arm after rotator cuff surgery. She met with her doctor yesterday and was informed that she will not be able to have rotator cuff surgery on her left shoulder until February 2027. She has been in significant pain.

Scarlette Smith, JoAnn McDonald's daughter, is continuing chemotherapy treatments. After completing treatment, she will undergo surgery followed by a CT scan. Please pray for a successful outcome.

Jeremy Schopper, Alyssa Long's cousin, is in a long-term care facility and continues to need our prayers.

Gail Powell is recovering at home following an extended hospital and rehab stay. She remains on bed rest and in therapy but is gaining strength.

Remember our shut-ins: Nancy Griner, Joyce Baker, and Sylvia Huffman.

Remember our church family: Linda Graham, Emily Bedgood, Judy Smith, Betty Crawford, Diann Tippins, and Tyler Tippins.

Remember our family and friends: Lila Destito (Sarah Destito's grandmother), Andre Oliver (Melinda Richardson's friend), Jayvion (Jayne Ivy's friend's son), Ali Tutak's sister, Jim and Marie Bryers (Giana Kidwell's cousins), Sue Adams (Jim & Denia Petruzella's aunt), Don Cicero (Matthew Cicero's father), Moranda Garrett (Jayne Ivy's friend), Rex Anderson (former member of Hoover), Kathy Culbertson (former member of Hoover), Richard Lawson (Alyssa Long's dad), and Charlie Pflueger (Tom Kidwell's dad).

*And the God of all grace, who called you to his eternal glory in Christ, after you have suffered a little while, will himself restore you and make you strong, firm, and steadfast.
—1 Peter 5:10*

**Attendance and Offering
March 29, 2026**

Attendance

Bible Study: 215
AM Worship: 283
PM Worship:
Wednesday: 183

Contribution: \$12,552.70

Weekly Budget:

Weekly Average: \$15,643.52

Contribution to Date: \$203,365.71

Hoover Supported Works

- Childhaven, Cullman, AL
- Churches of Christ Disaster Relief
- Clothing Closet
- Food Pantry
- Tanzania
- Philippines

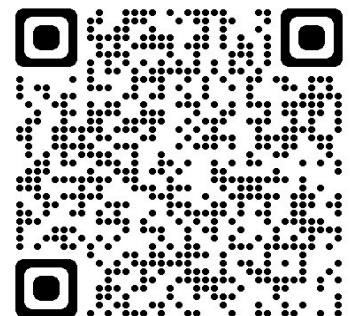
Mission Trips

- Tanzania
- Philippines
- Peru

Oversight

- Christ Happy Childhaven, Philippines
- Tanzania Missions

Visitors and members, please scan the QR Code below to log your attendance.



**He Is Not Here
(Mark 16:1-8)**

A Devotion That Still Expected _____ (vv 1-3)

A _____ That Changes Everything (vv 4-6)

A Message of Grace for _____ (v 7)

A Response That Leaves You a _____ (v 8)

GriefShare Class

Any of our members who have struggled with loss are invited to participate in our **GriefShare** class. If you have friends who might benefit, please let them know about this class as well. We will meet on the following Saturdays from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon for a Grief Share Orientation: **June 13 and December 13.**

So many people in the world have experienced significant losses in their lives, so we're thankful to be able to offer this GriefShare Ministry. It is organized around a thirteen-week small-group program where participants meet together for around two hours each week and watch professionally-designed videos featuring professional grief counselors and also people who are grieving. These presentations are coupled with discussions that are designed to internalize what participants learn in the videos. This class will begin in August.

We have additional information for Griefshare Sessions offered on other days and times in the Birmingham area. Please see **Harold or Donna Rhodes** if you have any questions regarding GriefShare. You can also find additional information at <https://www.griefshare.org/>.



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