



## SUNDAY

Bible Classes: 9:00  
Worship: 10:00  
LifeGroups: 5:00

## WEDNESDAY

12-Step Class: 5:30  
Classes: 6:30

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## VISITORS' PORTAL



MARCH 17, 2024

# SENATOBIA CHURCH OF CHRIST

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### "Thrive!"

We didn't know what to do at first, but we're glad we held on!

You see, one of our large plants was damaged in the move to Mississippi. A major part of the trunk shoot broke off - and the whole plant looked ½ dead. Discussions were had... *"should we just throw it out? It's had a good run - maybe that's over now."* By all accounts we should have just given up on the damaged plant, but somehow we didn't. We put it in the window of our home office for some sun & watered it. *"We'll let time decide"*, we thought. So we surrounded it with good conditions for healing... time, sun, water & let it decide for itself if it would survive in MS. And we waited...

***"For God is the one who provides seed for the farmer and then bread to eat. In the same way, he will provide and increase your resources and then produce a great harvest of generosity in you." 2 Corinthians 9:10***

What's this talk of **"resources"** & **"harvest"**... when some of us feel like the damaged parts of our life aren't worth redeeming? Some reading this today have been trying to break patterns of sin, to deepen our relationship with God, to work on our marriage, improve our parenting, grow our ministry or career, be a better friend or family member, recover from a broken relationship, or trying to disciple someone in our lives in their spiritual life... but with our ever-present brokenness, is it too late?

May I remind you today of the God that never stop providing strength for the weak, seed of future growth for the forsaken, and spiritual sustenance for the hungry! **"He will provide"** is a promise from God Himself! You see, it's not 'up to us' to produce resources and harvest - that's His job! We prove what He has done in our generosity, not our perfection.

Back to our plant... just about a year ago, we noticed the bright green color came back! Remember that broken area? It was still there, but new shoots were coming from under that area - ready to grow - ready to live - ready to thrive!

Remember, God surrounds us with good conditions for healing... grace, spiritual resources, the promise of harvest, the hope of healing. Coupled with our generosity, re-growth doesn't just happen - it thrives!

*"Resilience is all about being able to overcome the unexpected. Sustainability is about survival. The goal of resilience is to thrive."* - Jamais Cascio

## WORSHIP ORDER

Heavenly Sunlight

Living Hope

Welcome

Prayer • Blake Freeman

10,000 Reasons

He Leadeth Me

Scripture Reading • Shepard Semore

Thats Why We Praise Him

Communion • Don Embrey

Offering

His Grace Reaches Me

Raise A Hallelujah

Message - Mike Anderson

I Need Thee Every Hour

Family News

Prayer

March Deacons of the Month

Randy Scott & Sid Johnson

## THOSE TO SERVE • March 24, 2024

Scripture	Colton Byrd
Prayer	Sid Johnson
Communion	Justin Hurt
Children's Church	Sara Embrey, Joseph & Lacie Harris
Nursery Workers	Rhetta Conn, Theresa Oglesby, Sara Buchanan & Mackensy Phelps
Lock up	Earnest Ward Victor Byrd
Pantry Workers March 19	Carieann Howell Verna Locke Ann Crocket

## BY THE NUMBERS

Worship 3-10

230

## ONLINE GIVING LINK



## PRAYER CONCERNS:

**Ridge Embrey**, 2 year old son of Abbi & Ryan Embrey, is home now.

**Bo Spier** will begin Cyber Knife radiation soon. He will have 5 treatments, 2 days a part Monday, Wednesday & Friday.

**Tara Inman** has some ongoing medical problems. She has a doctor appointment now, April 18th. Please pray for Tara as she waits for some answers.

**Verna Locke** will see a Dr. March 18th to set up surgery.

Continue to remember those in need of our prayers: Law enforcement officers, Pat Hardison, Ed & Denise Bryant, Whit Darby, Charles Adams, Juanita Johnson, Katie Hensley, Barbara Mooneyhan, Betty Cooper, Jennifer O'Neal, Betty Beard, David Massing, Beau James, Cecil Crook, Mercedes King, James Lloyd Smith, Lindsey Massie, Will Glover, Wally Scaife, Fred Robinson, Will Glover,

Matthew Darby 183270

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Congratulations to **Karen Beavers** on the birth of a great grandchild! Nora James Beavers was born March 7th and weighed 7lbs. Her parents are Brandon & Destiny Beavers, and her grandparents are Jim & Cathy Beavers.

## Please mark your calendars!

**Today!!** - Ladies you are invited to a Miscellaneous Bridal Shower honoring Audra Scruggs & John Michael Buchanan @ 1:00 in the Activity Building. They are registered at Target and Amazon.

**March 23rd** - Make Your Plans!! Angela & Earnest Ward are hosting a Church Wide Cookout & Easter Egg Hunt from 12 - 2:00 pm at Elite Events in Sardis. Elite Events is located at 1604 Burdett Rd. Sardis, MS 38666. There are two sign up sheets in the foyer to add your name to. **Parents , they need 12 stuffed plastic eggs by Wednesday night March 20th.** In case of rain, this will be cancelled.

**April 7th** - New Life Sunday.

**April 7th** - You are invited to a Baby Shower honoring Elyse Jones Kelso from 1:30 - 3:00 at the home of Sallye Scott, 1612 Country Club Rd, Senatobia. Elyse is registered at [babylist.com](https://www.babylist.com).and will register at Mimi's. Its a boy, "Aemon Alexander".

**April 14th** - You are invited to a baby boy shower honoring Gabbi Buchanan Morris here in the Activities Building beginning @ 1:00. Gabbi and Taylor are registered at Target, Walmart, and Amazon. His name will be **Wilson Taylor Morris**.

**April 21st** - Panama Meal immediately following worship in the Activities Building.

**May 5th** - Senior Banquet @ 5 pm.

**May 11th** - You are invited to the Wedding of **Audra Scruggs & John Michael Buchanan** @ 4:00 in the afternoon at Sardis Lake Christian Camp. Reception to follow.