Week 17 April 23-29 Psalm 42-72, I Corinthians (47 chapters)



Week 18
April 30-May 6
Psalm 73-106,
II Corinthians
(47 chapters)

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Today's Service - April 23	
Morning	Evening
<b>Opening Prayer</b> Garrett Beavers	SINGING
Preside/Reading Freddie McConnell	Opening Prayer Ryan Hardy
Closing Prayer Mickey Beavers	Bible Reading Steven Burchell
Lord's Supper to Shut-ins	Closing Prayer Stan Hogan
Matt Webster	
Wednesday 4/26/23	
Opening Prayer Clay McMeans	Devotional Stephen Embry
Read Scripture Ronnie Owens	Closing Prayer John Paul Nix
Lead Singing Bobby Street	
Children's Devotional	
Reading Owen Pigg Song Dolton Shadrick Prayer Carter McConnell	
Sunday 4/30/23	
Morning	Evening
<b>Opening Prayer</b> Mitchell Beavers	Opening Prayer Patton Jones
Preside/Reading Clay McMeans	Song Leading Mickey Beavers
Closing Prayer Milton Chaney	Bible Reading James Embry
Lord's Supper to Shut-ins	Closing Prayer Larry Jones
Johnny Williams	
Lock Up Building	
4/23 SUN AM Allen White	4/30 SUN AM Mickey Beavers
4/23 SUN PM James Embry	4/30 SUN PM Steven Speake
4/26 WED Mike Fry	5/03 WED Patton Jones
Sound Room	
April 16-30 Freddie McConnell, Freddie McConnell III  May 1-16 James Embry, Tanner Owens	
Prepare Communion	
4/16 & 4/23 Daniel & Amber Nix 4/30 Kim Lane	
Baptismal Garments April Patti Bayes	
Attendance	Contribution
4/16 SUN BIBLE CLASS 205	4/16\$11,144.12
4/16 SUN AM	Budget \$11,577.00
4/16 SUN PM145	
4/19 WED 157	



# Rogersville Church of Christ April 23, 2023

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SUN Bible Study. . . . 9:00 a.m. SUN AM Worship. . 10:00 a.m. SUN PM Worship . . . 5:00 p.m. Wed. Bible Study . . . . 6:30 p.m. Tues. Bible Study. . . 10:00 a.m.

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Israel was divided **from** groups of people:

- 1. From Egypt (<u>Exodus</u>). They had to come out of Egypt. They had to leave the Egyptian gods behind. They had to forsake their ways.
- 2. From the Canaanites (Joshua). They had to destroy the nations who were living in the land of promise. The only way God's people could have what God promised was for them to totally destroy these groups, and by doing that, you could say they were divided from those 7 nations that were conquered in the book of Joshua.
- 3. This is why the term Jews and Gentile have the meaning we know. Jews were those under the law, in covenant relation with God. The Gentiles were not. The Jews were the children of promise, and the Gentiles were not. This was a division everybody understood. You can see Paul's discussion in Galatians.

God is WAY more comfortable with the place of division than we are. He knows that such divisions exist today, just like He was able to recognize divisions in times of history. Jesus learns the relevance of division from His Father. Jesus is just like His Father when it comes to this teaching about division. He sought to teach His disciples. That is why we are listening to Him this morning.

Let's understand our God, through the mouth of our Master.

Alex

#### Sick

Barbara Cornelius underwent surgery Wednesday.

Alison Hogan had the second part of her back surgery Wednesday.

Scott Wright had sinus surgery Wednesday.

**<u>Karen McCoy</u>** had heart surgery Friday.

Andra Bayes is undergoing test at this time.

**Jerry Bedingfield** is at home and improving.

Frenchie Thomas is at home under hospice care.

<u>Frances</u> <u>McCune's</u> grandson got detergent in his eyes and is receiving treatment.

<u>Mark</u> <u>Smith</u>, son-in-law of Ray Thigpen, will have open heart surgery soon.

<u>Rick</u> <u>Selak</u>, brother-in-law to James & Libbie Embry, had a kidney transplant.

Randy "Frog" James, friend to Linda Chambers, has cancer.

**Bobby Singleton**, Christy Reeves brother-in-law's father, has stage 4 throat cancer and is undergoing chemotherapy treatments.

<u>Nanette</u> <u>Hice</u>, friend of Delana Whitman, had surgery for a brain aneurysm.

Extended Illness: Patricia Newton (mother of Diana McCafferty), Marleigh Gilbert (Grant Gilbert's granddaughter), Rachel Weir, Sherry Snider (mother of Taylor Bryan)

#### Shut-Ins

Tyler Hooie (home), Mary Ann Kerr (home), Vera Cox (Lauderdale Christian), Neal Trousdale (home), Vella Green (Rm 2308 Col. Robert L. Howard State Veterans Home, 7054 Veterans Pkwy, Pell City, AL 35125), Willie Mae Eldridge (El Reposo 260 Milner Chapel Rd, Rm 217, Florence, 35634), Alice Ezell (home), Bob Fay (home), Frenchie Thomas (2192 CR 26, Rog.), Mahlon & Gladys Graham (home), Ruth Comer (Cedar View Rm 113, Killen 35645; ph. 256-272-6071), Nancy Johnson, mother of Marc Peck, (Lauderdale Christian)

# **Prayer Request**

Delana Whitman has asked for prayers.

#### **Vacation Bible School**

If you are willing to help in any way with VBS, please let Scott know.

### **Birthday Celebration**

You're invited to celebrate the 97<sup>th</sup> birthday of Olivia Embry on April 28 from 5-7 at the Little White Presbyterian church (beside the senior center). No gifts please, your presence is your present.

### Lads to Leaders/Leaderettes

For those that attended Lads to Leaders/Leaderettes, please be sure to get your room and t-shirt money turned in to Ronnie Owens as soon as possible. Thank you!

# **Foster Parent Appreciation Month**

May is Foster Parent Appreciation Month. AGAPE works with families who provide children with safe and loving homes. They would like to help families this month by providing them with a home cooked meal that is delivered to their home. If you would like to volunteer to provide this meal and get connected with this family, please let Kim know before April 30th. The family of five we will be delivering a meal to is located near Anderson. AGAPE is also open to suggestions of things that we could do for this family next month.

## Freedom House Ladies' Night

The next Freedom House night is Friday, April 28 at 6pm at the Senior Center. If you could donate a \$10-\$15 gift for one of our ladies, please let Mandy know. We plan to have breakfast for dinner. The mealtrain link to bring food is <a href="https://mealtrain.com/nlwg9d">https://mealtrain.com/nlwg9d</a>.

#### **Shoals Sav-A-Life**

Baby bottles are in the main foyer for Shoals Sav-A-Life. Please fill with coins, cash, or checks and return to the main foyer. This ministry offers pregnancy test, ultrasounds, parenting classes, adoption/agency referrals, and post abortion care. They also serve local schools by providing Sexual Risk Avoidance education to students.

# Potter Children's Home & Family Ministries

Potter Children's Home has asked for our help in collecting the following items: garlic powder, dill pickle spears, fudge brownie mix, "D" size batteries, and baking sprinkles. Please place your items in the box located in the main foyer. They will be picked up the week of May 7.

# **Upcoming Events**

**June 11-15** VBS

July 9-14 Indian Creek Youth Camp Register now!
July 20-23 Legacy at Faulkner

#### **Area Events**

Lone Cedar Wednesday Night Spring Series April 12-June 28
UNA Christian Student Center Golf Tournament April 24
Center Hill Homecoming - Speaker: Scott Cain May 7
North AL Christian Children's Home 50th Anniversary May 6 at 1pm
East Hill (Pulaski) 32nd Annual Truth in Love Lectureship May 10-14