

Times of Worship

Sunday

10:00 a.m.

5:00 p.m.

Sunday Bible School

9:00 a.m.

Wednesday Bible Study

5:30 p.m.

6:30 p.m.

WELCOME VISITORS!

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The story is told of a man who didn't want the kids from the neighborhood eating his watermelons. So he put up a sign in his yard. It simply said: "ONE OF THESE WATERMELONS IS POISONOUS." Obviously, the kids, not knowing which one was bad, would not steal his watermelons and eat them. He lied in an attempt to protect his crop from thieves.

He came out the next day and, much to his consternation, he saw the word "ONE" crossed off and the word "TWO" in its place. Now he'd lost his whole crop because he had no idea which watermelon the kids had messed with. Lies have a way of coming back around.

Many people admit that they lie but excuse those lies because they are only "little white ones." A little lie is like being a little pregnant ... it'll all show up after awhile!

-R. Medlin

Lessons for Today:

AM: "The Best Is Yet To Come!" Acts 1:7-11

PM: "Inhabited or Inhibited?" I Cor 1:26-31

Randy Medlin

Today's Activities:

Last Sunday for Khalil Pope
 AWD at Walnut St CoC-UYM
 Christmas Singers Rehearsal
 College Christmas Party
 College Study Night Begins

Focus on One Another

"Submitting to one another out of reverence for Christ."

Ephesians 5:21

This Week

Making announcements:

Sunday - 10:00 am: Ray Sherer

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Inner City Ministry:

Ladies' Bible Class: Tuesday—10 am

5:30 pm Wed. Bible Study/Auditorium

Archaeology & His. Of Jerusalem-F. Austin

6:30 pm Wed. Bible Study/Auditorium

Fruits of the Spirit, Patience-Allen Austin

Men's Bible Class: Fridays, 6:30 am,

Studying Deuteronomy 17

Elizabeth Wright Apts. Service:

Sundays, 8:00am

Records You Help Make

Sunday Bible Study	395
Sunday Morning Worship	503
Sunday Evening	364
Hispanic Ministry (12/02/18)	72
Elizabeth Wright Apts., Sunday AM	28
Inner City Monday Night Study	36
Wednesday Evening—6:30	228
Wednesday Evening—5:30	122
General Fund Contributions	\$28,104.96
Hispanic Min. Contributions (12/02/18)	\$160.00
Weekly Budget	\$24,147.00
Weekly Contribution Avg., 2018	\$22,519.40

Worship Leaders

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10:00 a.m.

Song Leader: Art Williams - AM/PM

Main Prayer: Todd Oliver

Preside at Table: Ron Honaker

Scripture Reading: Alan Dees

Closing Prayer: Brandon Redman

Serve Communion: Tom Edwards, David Fletcher, Dean Itson, Gerald Jones, Larry Joyce, Brian Kasarjian, Joe Kelly, Andrew Kingsley, Charlie Knapp, Charles Labriola, Scott Latham, Sam Lett, Kevin Long, Rob Lyle, Randall Mathis, Don McLeod, Bryan Smith, Steve Wages

5:00 p.m.

Main Prayer: Nathan Stephen

Scripture Reading: Patrick Daly

Closing Prayer: Gregg Clifton

Serve Evening Communion: Robby Bates, Dustin Jones, Lance Tucker

Others Who Serve:

Chairman and Co-Chairman of the

Elders: Barry Buford & Carl Cheatham

Nursery

AM: Allison Hilyer & Ann Welch

PM: Louise Jones

Greeters

East: Robert & Susan Waggoner

West: Jackson Graham & Copeland
Hilyer

Ushers

East: Phillip Norton

West: Nathan Stephen

Doorman

East: Dustin Jones

West: Volunteer

Youth & College Activities:

Youth: DECEMBER

9th-AWD at Walnut Street CoC

16th-Christmas Party

27th-30th—Exposure Youth Camp in
Huntsville, AL

College: DECEMBER

9th-College Christmas Party

9th-14th-Finals Week & Study Nights

17th-Jan 9th-Christmas Break

Those In Need of Our Prayers

Tammy Brewer is not doing well after her treatments.

Bannie Burt is in Hillview Terrace Nursing Center room 415-A.

Pierre Caldwell remains at UAB.

Wayne Chastain, a co-worker with Raymond Keel, has blood clots in both legs.

Walter Colburn is scheduled for back surgery Dec 17th.

Sandra Jones' niece, **Tina** and her baby are in UAB dealing with complications.

Kana Kingsley's test results were benign and she may have surgery Dec 26th to remove the nodule at St. Vincent East in Trussville, AL.

Dorothy Mosby continues taking one day at a time in her healing.

Billie Moseley, Mary's mother, is to have another CT scan on Dec 11th.

Marie Ward is awaiting test results as to the cause of her dizziness.

Those confined, dealing with ongoing health problems, and military: Dan Alexander, Tammy Brewer, Edith Bryant, Bannie Burt, Pierre Caldwell, Eddie Clark, Blois & Lucy Clifton, Wally & Sharon Colburn, Rebecca Deason, Kathleen Dees, James & Joyce Duncan, Mickie Haynes, Sandra Honaker, Bob Hudson, Gail & Tomi Hudson, Dottie Huggins, Dennis Itson, Laura Jenkins, Sandra Jones, Sara Jones, Martha Keel, Helen Lester, Lynn McDaniel, Charles Mills, Dorothy Moberly, Dorothy Mosby, Bruce Morton, Turner & Geraldine Paseur, Caleb Richardson (Military), Laura Spencer, Lynne Spencer, Omega Tatum, Tom & Suzy Taylor, Rose Turner, Sherry Wadsworth, Marie Ward, Dan Winstein.

FRIENDSHIP BREAD

We encourage all of our Visitors to pick up your (baked especially for you) Loaf of Bread in either foyer as you enter or when you leave. Thank you for worshipping with the UCC family.



Announcements

Congratulations to **Page and Mary Beth Clayton** on the birth of their son, **Bo Joseph**. Bo was 6 lbs. 2 oz. and 19 in. long, born on November 19. Everyone is home and rejoicing.

One of our college interns, **Khalil Pope**, will be graduating this semester and **Today** will be his last Sunday with us. He has been with us nearly two years. Please share with him your great appreciation for his work here at UCC.

A Faulkner student, Marco Blanchard, baptized **Katie Musser**, a senior Faulkner student, here Dec 6th. Please keep Katie in prayer as she begins her new life.

Remember the **HP DRIVE** for Hygiene Products to be given to the men at Easterling. There is a collection basket and the list of needed items in the Middle foyer.

If you are singing at the Dec 16th Christmas party, come to the **ONLY** rehearsal **TONIGHT** following the evening service in the Fireplace room.

College Study Nights will be **Dec 9-14**. We are asking for donations of drinks: bottled water, juices, or canned soft drinks. Please label and place in the kitchen or set by Andrew's office door.

Monday Night LBC at the Lathams' will be **Dec 10th** at 6:30 pm. Lesson 12 and Days 3 & 4.

Gifts and donations for the **Inner City Church** Children's party on Dec 16th are due **Dec 12th**. A list of items are in each lobby. See Sara Bills or Elenore Conley to make cash donations.

Senior Servants' Christmas dinner will be **Dec 14th** at 6 pm in the Fellowship Hall. Come prepared to donate to the church's Benevolent Fund. Bring Potluck. Sign up in the East Lobby.

There will be a **baby boy shower** honoring Page and Mary Beth Clayton on the arrival of Bo Joseph Clayton on **Dec. 16th from 2-4 pm in the College Room**. The Claytons are registered at Target and Storkland. There is a sign-up sheet in the foyer if you are interested in helping host. Please see Lindsay Smith for more details.

We are excited about this year's Christmas Party **Dec 16** following the evening service. It will be a festive evening with good food and entertainment. Please bring a Holiday appetizer and dessert. We will have an area for special family pictures. This is a fellowship you will not want to miss!

The Wallace Family Christmas Open House will be on **Dec 22** from 3-9 pm. Everyone's invited!

On Wed. **Dec 26th**, we will only have a short Devotional at 6 pm. There will be no classes.

There are sign-up sheets in both foyers to sign up for the Couples Retreat, **Jan 25, 26 & 27th**.

Check your info in the East Lobby for the **Pocket Directory** to update or make corrections.