# 9:00 AM Service Welcome

Song Leading David Dangar

Opening Prayer Les Self

Scripture Reading Rusty Allen

Sermon

Lord's Supper/ Contribution Steve Wilkerson

Lord's Supper Trays
Alan England, Ron Fields, Dave Evans,
David Gilmore, Steve Foshee,
Mike Hannum, Gabriel Harp, James Harp,
Jeff Hood

Closing Prayer Elder

## 5 PM Service Welcome

Song Leading Patrick Ormond

Opening Prayer Steve Putnam

Lord's Supper/Contribution
Jack Taggart

Closing Prayer Elder

## **Deacons of the Month**

David Gilmore
Gary Cosby
Johnathan Johnson



May 25, 2025

#### **CHURCH INFORMATION**

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# SERVICE TIMES Sundays:

Worship 9:00 AM
Bible Class 10:15 AM
Sunday Evening 5:00 PM

Wednesdays:

6:30 PM

#### **SHEPHERDS**

Michael Dykes
John Gallagher
Rick Glass
Sol Godwin
Merrill Mann
Stan Mann
Skip McCurry
Darnell Self
Phillip VanHorn
Steve Wilkerson

#### **DEACONS**

**Michael Cagle Steve Maynard** Ryan Cobb Mike McGill Gary Cosby Mike Neal **David Gilmore Patrick Neither Bobby Gunn Steve Putnam** Craig Huffstutler **Chuck Spitzley** Johnathan Johnson Yoshio Sugita **Randy Wilson** Terry Malone

MINISTERS
Richard Harp
Jeffrey Howell
Johnathan Johnson

#### Who Is It For?

Every once in a while, you probably pillage your fridge for an unscheduled snack. You may search the contents of your ice box for a tasty morsel, but come away disappointed: "Nothing of interest here. Same old stuff from the last time I looked." But all of the sudden, you see it! Your favorite dessert! "Where did this come from?!" you ponder with excitement. "I must have a slice!" And as you get ready to devour the delectable dessert, you are interrupted by a strong and forbidding voice: "That's not for you! Put it away!" All of us have experienced the cruel disappointment of learning that a snack or dessert is not for us. At one time or another, we all have mistaken whether something was intended for us. And so, Christians, from time to time, have been accused of misunderstanding who the Bible is intended for. It is occasionally argued that the Bible, and specifically its teaching and commands, were only intended for its original audience and not for people some 2,000 years after its composition. But is this true? Was the Bible designed only for its first audience? Or was the Bible and its teachings originally intended for all people to read and apply generations after its original recipients?

While the Bible contains many portions that are directly addressed to a specific audience, we can also see that the Bible was composed with the whole world in mind. Not only because it explains the origin of the world (Gen. 1-2), but also because it shows that the Jewish nation was established for the purpose of being a blessing to all the families (Gen. 12:3; 28:14) and nations of the earth (Gen. 22:18; 26:4). The Bible also reveals that God's salvation was to be made known to all nations and all people are exhorted to turn to God and praise Him (Ps. 67:2-4; 117:1). The Bible also declares that the gospel is for all nations (Mk.16:15). So whether you consider the Old Testament or New Testament, the Bible describes itself as having all people in mind, and as calling out to all people.

The other important thing to examine is whether or not the Bible (especially the New Covenant for all people), was designed to be applied and used indefinitely into the future. The Bible declares that the opportunity to respond to the gospel is for all who are far off (Acts 2:38-39). We also see multiple examples where the New Testament declares that it is for future readers (Mk. 13:14, 37; Rev. 1:3; 22:7). Although there is more evidence, I think Eph. 3:21 will suffice to demonstrate that the Bible views itself as being applicable to all future generations: "...to Him be the glory in the church and in Christ Jesus to all generations forever and ever. Amen." The Bible declares that it is for all people and is written to all generations. So let us strive to declare this and live accordingly

~ Jeffrey

# May 25, 2025 Sunday PM

Devo in Auditorium followed by:

May 25- Nathaniel Ferguson- in the auditorium
Kids' Classes- in the children's hall

June 1- VBS everyone in the auditorium

June 8- Gary Cosby- in the auditorium Kids' Classes- in the children's hall

June 15- Leslie Taylor- in the auditorium Kids' Classes- in the children's hall

# **Sunday AM Classes**

- Acts taught by Steve Wilkerson in the auditorium.
- Acts a discussion class, taught by a rotation of men from the congregation in the Truth Seekers class, Rm. 242.
- The Upper Room is studying Hebrews taught by various men from the congregation in Rm. 246.
- The Young Adult class is studying Daniel taught by Nolan Couch in the Young Adult Room, Rm. 251.

# Wednesday PM Classes

- The Ladies' Bible class taught by various ladies from the congregation is studying Colossians and Philemon in Rm. 229.
- The Sevens of John will be taught in the auditorium by Richard Harp.

#### **Sermon Notes**

Prayers

Fave Bradford Sue Adams Michael Burkowski Anthony Carr (Deaf) Kay Carver Bobbie Clark Nancy Clemens Judy Crawford Marilyn Glass Audrey Gammage Mike Godwin Sol and Ellen Godwin Kim Green Randy Johnson Debbie Krenz Darlene Jones Nancy Locklear David Lybrand Robert Mann Jim &Jean Tuggle McDonald Sandra Mann Dot Mitchell Larry & Rita Morgan Ancel Norris Pam Rachal Judy Roeder Darnell Self Doug Scruggs Donna Shoemaker Judy Shrader Sandra Singer Chuck & Robin Spitzley Nina Tarrance Bobby Tate (Deaf) Lynn Timmerman Durell Tyler Johnny Tucker Marilyn Torrice Alan VanHorn Becky Tuggle Mary Wells Gavle Varner Billy White Karen Whisenhunt Violet Whitman Don Young

#### Friends & Family

Johnny Mack Brown- friend of Bill & Freda Brown Virginia Mays- sister of Freda Brown Charlee McAnear- Debra Dominic's grandnephew- hip surgery Vickie Bennett- Cathy Bennett's mom- breast cancer Ruby Hamric- former member- cancer Ralph Harman- Kim Wilkerson's father- cancer has spread Yvonne O'Brien- Connie Scrugg's mother- struggling to heal after surgery Danni Freeman- Doug Scrugg's nurse- breast cancer Matt Shelton- minister at Thomson CoChrist- lymphoma Ron Davis- friend of Alan & Janice VanHorn- Alzheimer's Darlene Calfee- friend of Janice VanHorn- liver cancer Aileesha Thomas- mother of Isaiah Davis- has leukemia Natalyia Rutherford- cousin of Robin Spitzley- brain surgery Gloria Smedley- neighbor of Sandra Singer Betty Trull & Gary Burks- siblings of Sandra Singer Marty Glenn- Edith Glenn's brother-in-law- received a kidney transplant Susan Glenn- Edith Glenn's sister-in-law- bypass surgery Ron Mixon- brother-in-law of Mike McGill- serious health issues Mariana- member of the church in Cluj- needs surgery Joseph Kelly- great-nephew of Jean Tuggle McDonald- cancer Hailey Norris- sister-in-law of Amber Norris- having medical issues Ed & Shirley Busby- brother & sister-in-law of Sue Adams Lucas Adkinson- grandson of Mark & Billie Adkinson Stephanie McRoy- friend of Charlotte VanHorn Tal Barnett- husband of Judy Barnett- dialysis Billie Jo Vance- aunt of Stuart Couch- heart problems Louise Henderson- Mother of Lisa Harris- cancer Julia Lopez- cousin of Patricia Putnam Jerrie Paschal- sister of Alan VanHorn- kidney disease Peggy, Tim & Terry Hickerson- friends of Robin Spitzley

# Mission Sunday May 4, 2025 Total Given \$129,550.00

## **Hospital / Sick List**

Judy Shrader- diagnosed with colon cancer Don Young- Greenbriar

#### **Attendance:**

5-18-2025 AM 292 PM 115

**Weekly Purpose:** \$21,140.48

**Contribution:** \$19,940.00

**Contribution YTD:** 

\$431,707.00

**Purpose YTD:** \$422,800.00

Average Weekly YTD: \$21,585.00

**Mission Sunday:** \$129,550.00

Week 19

#### **Nursery Attendants**

May 25- Elizabeth Cobb, Laurie Cobb June 1- Taylor Mann, Emily Wilson

#### **Bus Drivers**

June 1- Steve Maynard
June 8- Pat O'Rourke **Baptismal Garments for May**Rena Cagle

# **New Members**



Andrew, Kayla & Grayson Coker 4139 Gardenia Lane Moody, AL 35004 Impact Group 4

#### Joshua Dykes Address

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International mail requires additional postage. You may leave cards for Josh in the mail basket on the welcome center.

#### Thank You

Deerfoot Church of Christ, Thanks for all the cards, food, and prayers offered on behalf of my wife Bev Key at her passing on April 28,

I want to give special thanks to Rick Glass as he traveled every step of Bev's path the last year. A special thanks to Steve & Patricia Putnam who also gave without ceasing.

Butch Key and family

#### Dear Church Family,

Thank you for all the love shown during the passing of Jeff, loving father, son, brother and friend. We would like to thank Richard for the beautiful service, the Elders for the meat tray, the Bread and Blessings for the sandwiches, chips and desserts. Also, to the church

family for the food prepared and served after the funeral, and all the cards, calls and prayers during this difficult time. It means so much to have a loving Church family.

In Christian Love,

The Glenn and Couch families



## **Upcoming Events**

May 26- Memorial Day- office closed June 1-4- VBS 6-8pm

June 1- Education Committee Meeting

June 8- Homecoming
June 8- Deacons' Meeting
Junne 8- Missions Committee Meeting
June 11- Summer Series