

LEADERSHIP/STAFF

Elders

- James Anderson
- Ben Coxwell
- Benn Keevan
- Billy Lambert
- Curte Stitt
- Robert Tyree

Deacons

- Micah Allen
- Tyler Gill
- Daniel Henry
- Terry Nicholson
- Ray Reynolds
- Dan Robinson
- Casey Tomecek
- Steve Yager

Ministers

- Ray Reynolds
PULPIT MINISTER
- Eric Whittle
YOUTH & FAMILY
- Billy Lambert
GTKYB MINISTRY
- Steve Yager
OUTREACH MINISTRY

Secretaries

- Sandy Daugherty
- Christy Gill

TIMES OF SERVICE:

SUNDAYS

AM Bible Classes - 9AM
Worship - 10AM
PM Bible Classes - 5PM

(Infant nursery & Sensory Room are located near the front entrance. Ask a Greeter at the [Welcome Table](#) to show you!)

WEDNESDAYS

Adult Bible Class- 10AM
Bible Classes - 6:30PM

WEBSITE / LIVESTREAM:

www.summerdalechurch.org

LOCATION/CONTACT:

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Cindy Hatcher is available for counseling appointments in person or via ZOOM. Call 251-263-3100 for an appointment.



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PRAYER LIST

SCOC MEMBERS:

- Glynda Jennings: At Robertsdale Healthcare for rehab following Heart surgery 5/26.
- Terry Lyle: Undergoing heart tests.
- Kimberly Madison: Surgery in Birmingham on 9/3. She will be staying in Birmingham temporarily while she recovers.
- Misty Reynolds: Stopped IVIG therapy. Waiting for John Hopkins referral.

SHUT-INS & HOME-BOUND: PLEASE SEND CARDS, CALL, & VISIT

WHEN POSSIBLE.

- Yvonne Collier
- Ella Mae Kellerman - (Seagrass Village in Daphne)
- Lamar & Mary Kelley: Mary is on hospice.
- Paul & Rosemary Kitchens
- Joyce Norris
- Linda Smith
- Tina Welch
- Myra Wright - Robertsdale Rehab/Healthcare

FAMILY/FRIENDS:

- Drue Bailey: In rehab after broken hip & surgery.
- Leslie Beckley: Robert Anderson's sister: Ovarian cancer.
- Belinda: Friend of Hilda O'Clair: Stage 3 breast cancer.
- Timber Bowles: Yager's nephew: Leukemia
- Johnnie Brown: Friend of Sandy D; going home on hospice.
- Avery Bullington: Joe Gill's great nephew: Epilepsy
- Diane Chamblee: Geraldean Yager's daughter
- Mark Chaney: Lisa Rider's father: Lung Cancer.
- Matt Coxwell - (Ben's brother) Kidney Cancer.
- Neil Evans: Pam Marlowe's cousin: Stg. 4 Pancreatic Cancer.
- Moonean Farley: Home from rehab!
- Jennifer Houston: Louis Smith's daughter
- Gardner Kesterson: 4 yr old at SCA w/ Leukemia.
- Lee, Timekia, & Brady Knapp: Matilda's family: Health issues.
- Fred Lincoln: Barbara Howell's nephew. Colon cancer.
- Richard Martin: (Ivette's son; Crystal S. brother) Health Issues.
- Rene McDonald's mom: Rose David: Thyroid cancer.
- Lorraine Merchant: Joe's sister: Kidney disease.
- Danny Morgan: Ken's brother
- Shawna Page: Ray's sister: Undergoing cancer treatment.
- Judy Robinson: Dan's mother: Lung Cancer.
- Saylor Wade: Lacy Blake's granddaughter: PURA syndrome.
- Colson Mark: (Nicholson's grandson) Great report from cardiologist!!!

MILITARY:

- Cody Brill: (Stephens' cousin) Iran
- Fischer Carr - Hawaii
- Jared Phillips - US Coast Guard
- Zane Rider
- Gisela Santos - Japan
- Gabriel & Destiny Stephens - Air Force, stationed in TX.

MISSIONARIES:

- Jeff Abrams (Ukraine)
- Andy Erwin (McGarvey College of the Bible)
- Wayne Pruette (Guyana)

If you need to add or take someone off the prayer list, please email Christy by 3PM Wednesday: summerdalechurchoffice@gmail.com



SUMMERDALE
CHURCH OF CHRIST

ORDER OF WORSHIP: 9/6

Welcome: Ray Reynolds

Lead Singing: Eric Whittle

Opening Prayer: Louis Smith

Comm/Offering: Jason DuLaney

- Wayne Herring
- Benn Keevan
- Bill Madison
- Johnnie Myers
- Dan Robinson
- Tim Smith

Scripture Reading: Hayden Joiner

John 20:24-29

Sermon: Ray Reynolds

Closing Prayer: Marco Toledo

Greeters: Terry & Becky Nicholson

12PM Devo: Eric Whittle

Sec. for Sep: Mike Marlowe & Robert Tyree
(Contact Robert Tyree if unable to work security.)

***If you are not able to serve at the time you've been scheduled, please contact Tyler Gill ASAP so someone else can be assigned.



Visitor Registration

Welcome Visitors!

Please fill out one of our Connection Cards, located on the Welcome Table, (also in your Visitor Bag) or you may scan the QR code with your smartphone to fill it out online. We'd love the opportunity to get to know YOU!

WHAT DOES JESUS MEAN TO ME?

I. JESUS IS MY

Isaiah 53:1-6; Daniel 9:24; Zechariah 13:1; Acts 2:38; 22:16; Romans 4:8; Galatians 1:4; Ephesians 1:7; Colossians 1:13-14; I John 1:7

II. JESUS IS MY

Matthew 4:23-24; 9:35; 14:14; 15:30-31; Mark 1:32-34; Luke 4:40; 6:17-19; Acts 10:38; I Corinthians 4:8; II Corinthians 4:8; Ephesians 2:1, 12; Colossians 1:27; I Timothy 1:1; Titus 1:2; Hebrews 6:13-20

III. JESUS IS MY

Isaiah 53:4-6; Matthew 6:25-34; 9:35-38; 14:14; 15:32; 26:41; Luke 19:41; 22:31-33; John 9:4; 10:10; 11:35; 14:6; I Corinthians 10:13; Philippians 4:6-7; James 1:13-15; I Peter 5:7

IV. JESUS IS MY

Psalms 110:4; Romans 8:26; II Corinthians 5:21; Hebrews 2:17-18; 4:14-16; 5:5-10; 7:15-17, 23-28; 8:1-2; 9:11-14; 9:24-26; 10:19-22; I Peter 2:21-23; I John 2:1-2

V. JESUS IS MY

Deuteronomy 31:6; Joshua 1:9; Psalm 23:4; 139:7-10; Isaiah 41:10; 43:2; Matthew 28:18-20; John 14:16-17; 15:12-15; Romans 8:38-39; Hebrews 13:5

VI. JESUS IS MY

Matthew 7:22; John 14:1-6; Romans 1:16; 6:1-4; 6:17-18; I Corinthians 15:1-4; Hebrews 5:8-9; 9:24-26; 10:19-25

VII. JESUS IS MY

Hear (John 8:32; Romans 10:17), Believe (John 3:16; 20:31; Hebrews 11:6), Repent (Luke 13:3; Acts 17:30), Confess (Matthew 10:32; Romans 10:10), Be Baptized (Mark 16:16; Acts 2:38; 22:16; Galatians 3:27; I Peter 3:20-31), Be faithful (Galatians 5:22-23; II Timothy 4:6-8; Revelation 2:10)

WHO IS JESUS TO YOU?



NEWS & UPDATES

Welcome to Family 1st

Thank you for choosing to worship with us!
Visitors: We are honored to have you! Please complete the card found in your welcome bag and place it in the collection plate. Or, you may scan the QR code on the front of this bulletin. We invite all visitors, new members, and those with a September birthday/anniversary to be first line for our meal, immediately following worship! (Reminder: No 5PM service today.)

THE Summerdale COC FAMILY

IS blessed TO WELCOME:

The Moody Family: Michael, Erin & Mary

Sandy Davis & her daughter, Maegan

These families officially placed membership last Lord's Day.

PLEASE BE SURE TO MEET THEM & WELCOME THEM TO OUR CHURCH FAMILY.

L2L Night was so uplifting last week! What a blessing to see our youth lead the men & women's classes! Thank you to Eric & Andrea for the dedication & time they invest in our children!



AREA WIDE AT SUMMERDALE CHURCH OF CHRIST

MIRAGE IN THE MESSAGE

WORSHIP FOR ALL AGES BEGINS AT 3:45PM

DINNER WILL BE SERVED AT 5:30PM

RAY REYNOLDS WILL BE OUR SPEAKER

SUNDAY 9/20

SMALL GROUPS 6TH GRADE - 12TH GRADE AT 5:00PM

SUMMERDALE CHURCH OF CHRIST

UPCOMING EVENTS

- TUESDAYS 10AM: "Sowing Sisters" meet in the fellowship hall. All ladies are welcome to join!
- 9/10 & 24: 6:15PM: Devo w/ residents @ Robertsdale Healthcare.
- 9/20: 2PM: Devo with residents at Country Place Senior Living In Foley.
- 9/20: 3:45PM: Area Wide here at SCOC: Worship starts at 3:45PM!
- 10/17: L2L Training Day @ Spanish Fort. Please RSVP to Eric.
- 10/24: 4PM-6PM Fall Fest & Trunk or Treat!

WE BELONG TO ONE ANOTHER

SYG Summerdale Youth Group Growing in Faith, Hope and Love

In Romans 12:4-5, Paul writes, "For as we have many members in one body, but all the members do not have the same function, so we, being many, are one body in Christ, and individually members of one another."

To quote a line from one of my dad's sermons, "The Church is not a place we attend, it is a place we belong to." I have always loved that thought because it changes the way we look at the church. Too often we talk about "going to church" as if the church were simply a place we visit a few times each week. Biblically, however, the church is not somewhere we go. The church is who we are.

When we become Christians, we are added to the body of Christ. That means we are connected not only to Christ, but also to one another. Paul says we are "members of one another." We may have different personalities, different talents, different backgrounds, and different responsibilities, but we are all part of the same body.

That kind of belonging carries responsibility. If one part of the body hurts, the rest of the body should care. If one part rejoices, the rest of the body should rejoice with it. Paul explains this in 1 Corinthians 12:25-26 when he says that the members of the body should "have the same care for one another," and that when one member suffers, all suffer together, and when one member is honored, all rejoice together.

That is what life in the church is supposed to look like. We are not meant to show up, worship, shake a few hands, and then disappear back into our own lives. We are meant to know one another, pray for one another, encourage one another, help one another, and walk through life together. The church should be a family where no one has to struggle alone, and no one celebrates alone.

We get to know one another by spending time together in Bible class, sharing fellowship meals, participating in church events, and making time for one another outside of our regular worship on Sundays and Wednesdays. Those opportunities help us move beyond simply recognizing faces and begin building meaningful relationships.

This is especially important for our children. Our kids need opportunities to spend time with their church friends, to build friendships, and to see that the church is more than a place they attend. As they grow closer to one another, our families will grow closer as well. When we make time to be together, we strengthen the bonds that help us live as the family God has called us to be.

Over the next few weeks, we are going to look at several of the "one another" passages found throughout Scripture. We will talk about encouraging one another, bearing with one another, and serving one another. But all of those things begin with this simple truth: we belong to one another because we belong to Christ. The church is not simply a place we attend. It is a body we belong to. So let us live like it.

Always remember that you are loved! Eric



Sonshine Corner

PULPIT MINISTER - RAY REYNOLDS
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THE HOLY SPIRIT: What Did Jesus Say?

When we think about the Holy Spirit our minds often jump to external displays of divine power. We might think of charismatic "preachers" and "healing" services. The Bible confirms that God doesn't merely visit His people with spectacular displays; He takes up permanent, personal residence within them. There is a vital distinction many believers miss: while miracles, wonders, spiritual gifts, and outward works demonstrate what the Holy Spirit did in the past, the quiet, natural fruit of the Spirit (karpos) demonstrates who He is inside of us. Miracles amazed crowds, but internal transformation—love, joy, peace, patience, etc.—proves who is truly living in our hearts. External power may declare God's presence, but an indwelling life transformed into Christlikeness proves His permanent possession.

What does the Bible say about the personal indwelling of the Holy Spirit? In this post, we'll explore what it really means to carry the personal indwelling of the Holy Spirit, how His abiding presence reshapes our daily walk, and why cultivating His fruit is the truest, most enduring evidence of a Spirit-filled life. Specifically, we will read the words of Jesus on the subject.

1) Jesus Said... The Holy Spirit is a Compassionate Gift of the Father (Luke 11:13) Jesus contrasts earthly fathers with God, assuring His followers that the Father gladly grants the personal presence of the Holy Spirit to anyone who asks. This part about "asking" seems to be part of calling on the name of the Lord (Acts 22:16). Jesus often links the Holy Spirit directly to receiving power (dunamis), specifically empowering believers to carry the Gospel to the ends of the earth (Matthew 28:18-20).

2) Jesus Said... The Holy Spirit is Our Companion: Promised Helper, Personal Indweller (John 14:16-17) Jesus explicitly states that the Holy Spirit (the Parakletos, translated as Helper, Comforter, or Advocate) will not merely be alongside believers, but will reside inside them permanently. John 14-16 are a great place to start if you want to dig deeper into this subject.

3) Jesus Said... The Holy Spirit Convicts Us of Truth (John 16:7-8, 13) Jesus explains the necessity of His departure so that the Spirit can come to guide believers into truth, speak on divine authority, and convict the world. This happens when one is confronted with the gospel truth.

4) Jesus Said... The Holy Spirit Confirms the New Covenant. In Acts 1:4-8, just moments before His Ascension, Jesus frames the coming of the Holy Spirit not as an afterthought, but as the fulfillment of a long-awaited divine promise. He distinguishes John's water baptism (symbolizing repentance) from the upcoming baptism for the remission of sins (and subsequent indwelling of the Holy Spirit), which grants internal transformation and spiritual placement into the body of Christ.

You Are Loved, Ray

SEPTEMBER - ELDER OF THE MONTH: BENN KEEVAN

If you have a concern that needs to be brought to the attention of the elders, please contact the Elder Of The Month, who will be listed in the newsletter each week.

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