

LEADERSHIP/STAFF

Elders

- Ben Coxwell
- Joe Gill
- Billy Lambert

Deacons

- Owen Farley
- Wayne Herring
- Benn Keevan
- Tim Rider
- Charles Schwartz
- Buddy Waters

Ministers

- Ray Reynolds
PULPIT MINISTER
- Brandon Foster
YOUTH & FAMILY
- Billy Lambert
GTKYB MINISTRY

Secretaries

- Sandy Daugherty
- Christy Gill
- Carolyn Till

Special Ministries

- Casey Tomecek

TIMES OF SERVICE:

SUNDAYS

Bible Class - 9:00AM
Worship - 10:00AM

WEDNESDAYS

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

WEBSITE / LIVESTREAM:

www.summerdalechurch.org

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OFFICE HOURS:

Mon-Thurs: 9AM-1PM
After 1PM: Appointment Only

ONLINE GIVING:

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PRAYER LIST

SCOC Members

- Cecily Gill - Covid
- Owen Farley - Heart tests
- Ruth Gill - Surgery recovery
- Gerald Holcomb - Chemo treatments
- Bonnie Alvis - Chronic health issues
- Bertha & Tim Enfinger
- David Till
- Johnnie Mancil
- Ralph & Glynda Jennings
- Misty Reynolds- Chronic health issues
- Linda Smith
- Mae Smith
- Patti Waters - Chronic health issues
- Dotty West
- Linda Widder
- Myra Wright

Family/Friends

- Jessica Zbyd -Health issues (Friend of Sandy Daugherty)
- Family of Danny Younce
- Family of Edna Early Wyatt
- Evan Kelley - Open Heart surgery
- Peggy Brantley - Jan Tyree's mom - Various health issues
- John Arrington - Serious automobile accident
- Elizabeth Till - David Till's mother
- Will Brannen - Jennings' grandson. Stage 4 kidney failure
- Darlene Timphony- Bypass surgery recovery
- Danon Smith & Family - Loss of husband, James Smith (Members at Foley COC)
- Milan Daugherty - Chronic health issues
- Darrell Reynolds - Ray's father
- Family of Tom Schaffer
- Mary Younce
- Becky Wyatt (Farley's daughter)
- James Asa Farley (Owen Farley's brother - Leukemia)
- Jason Hamman (Charles & Judy's son)
- Wesley Callaway (Leukemia - Ashley Daugherty's cousin)
- Wayne Snyder (Crystal Tomecek's father)
- Jack Cameron (Misty & Ray's friend)
- Jennifer Houston (Louis Smith's daughter)
- Don Gill (Joe/David's brother)
- Jeanette Gashaw (Joe & David's sister)
- Marlin Gashaw (bro-in-law/ Joe & David)
- Tina Hubbard (Friend of the Tyree's)
- Gregg Jennings (Ralph & Glynda's son)
- Daniel Johnson
- Jean McCallough (Hilda's sister)
- Michael Holcomb (Gerald's grandson)
- Linda Marshall (Dianne Anderson's sister)
- Bruce Whitaker (Roy's son)
- Ron Moyer (Health Issues- Friend of Patti & Buddy)

Military

- Tyler Allen (Bonny's nephew)

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



SUMMERDALE CHURCH FAMILY NEWSLETTER

OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF THE SUMMERDALE CHURCH OF CHRIST

ORDER OF WORSHIP

12/19/21

Announcements: Brandon Foster

Lead Singing: Nathan Kidwell

Opening Prayer: Owen Farley

Comm./Offering: James Anderson

Scripture Reading: Chase Joiner

II Timothy 3:16-17

Sermon: Ray Reynolds

THE GIFT OF GOD'S WORD

Closing Prayer: Buddy Waters

If you are not able to serve at the time you've been scheduled, please contact Joe 251-424-2272 or Christy 251-269-8554 ASAP so someone else can be assigned.

If you would like to be added to the monthly Duty Roster, please fill out one of the Member's Opportunity To Serve Forms on the table in the back of the auditorium & give it to Joe or Christy Gill.

****There will not be a newsletter next week, 12/26. Have a safe & Merry Christmas!**

SERMON NOTES

- I. The Bible Is A _____ From God.
- The Bible is an _____ gift from God.
 - The Bible is a gift from God to men through _____ men.
 - The Bible is gift from all of the _____.
 - The Bible is supposed to be _____ with the world.

- II. The Bible Is A _____ Gift.
- Man's _____ demonstrates the goodness of God's gift.
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- III. The Bible Is A _____ Gift
- The Bible is a perfect _____ of God's truth to man.
 - The Bible is the perfect _____ of liberty.
 - The Bible is the perfect _____ to defend your faith.
 - The Bible is the perfect _____ for the final test.

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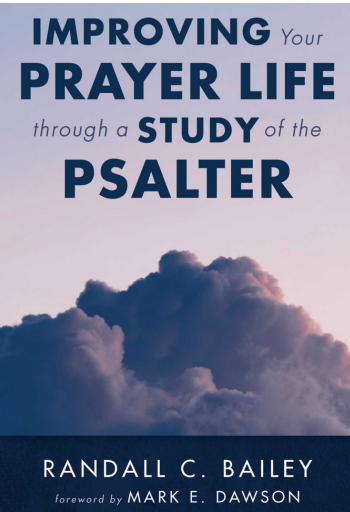


NEWS/EVENTS



Breakfast with Santa was a huge hit! Thanks to everyone who came!

Sunday Evening services will resume in January! New classes beginning for Youth & Adults!



Copies of this book are available for \$15 from Moonean Farley. Please make checks payable to Randall Bailey.

We have a counselor on staff, Cindy Hatcher. Call 251-263-3100 for an appointment, in person, or via ZOOM. www.warrencounselingservices.com.

SUMMERDALE CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND FAMILY NEWS

Mark Your Calendars!

- 12/27-30 Exposure Youth Camp
- 12/31- New Years Eve Lock-In (8pm-7am)
- 1/9 Youth Area Wide at Scenic Hills
- 1/20 Basketball (7:00pm)
- 1/21 Family Game Night! (7pm)
- 1/29 Monthly Family Breakfast (Donuts)

TEEN CHRISTMAS PARTY FUN!



WHAT WE'RE STUDYING

Sundays: The Book of John
 Sunday night (Starting 1/2) Joshua Bible Bowl
 Wednesday Nights: *The Chosen*

You are all awesome!



Sunshine Corner

PULPIT MINISTER - RAY REYNOLDS
YOUTH & FAMILY MINISTER - BRANDON FOSTER
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"A Note From My Grandmother" By Steve Higginbotham

A COUPLE YEARS AGO, MY SISTER FOUND AN ENTRY IN A JOURNAL THAT BELONGED TO OUR GRANDMOTHER, GARNET HIGGINBOTHAM. THE ENTRY WAS FROM THE DAY HER DAUGHTER, OUR AUNT, PASSED AWAY AFTER A VERY LONG STRUGGLE WITH ILLNESS. HERE IS WHAT SHE WROTE:

"JOREEN PASSED AWAY 6 A.M. SHE IS NO LONGER SUFFERING. I AM THANKFUL TO GOD."

AT A TIME WHEN MANY PEOPLE QUESTION GOD; AT A TIME WHEN MANY PEOPLE CURSE GOD WITH A RAISED FIST; AT A TIME WHEN MANY PEOPLE FEEL DESERTED BY GOD, OUR GRANDMA WAS GIVING THANKS TO GOD! APPARENTLY, OUR GRANDMA UNDERSTOOD SOMETHING THAT MANY OF US FAIL TO COMPREHEND, NAMELY, "GOD IS GOOD...ALL THE TIME!"

OH, IT'S EASY TO GIVE THANKS WHEN THINGS GO OUR WAY. WHEN WE'RE HEALTHY, HAPPY, PROSPEROUS, AND OUR PLANS SUCCEED. WHEN ALL THESE THINGS LINE UP JUST RIGHT, IT'S SO EASY TO SAY, "I'M BLESSED. THANK YOU, GOD!" BUT HOW DO WE REACT WHEN WE ARE ILL, BROKEN, IN POVERTY, AND OUR PLANS FAIL? DO WE STILL SAY, "I AM BLESSED, THANK YOU, GOD?"

IT'S A MATURE FAITH THAT CAN THANK GOD IN THE MIDST OF TROUBLE AND HEARTBREAK. JOB POSSESSED SUCH A FAITH AND ASKED, "SHALL WE INDEED ACCEPT GOOD FROM GOD, AND SHALL WE NOT ACCEPT ADVERSITY?" (JOB 2:10)? FRIENDS, GOD DOESN'T STOP BLESSING US BECAUSE OUR CIRCUMSTANCES BECOME UNPLEASANT.

- NOAH FOUND FAVOR IN THE EYES OF THE LORD (GENESIS 6:8), BUT GOD'S FAVOR SURE DIDN'T MAKE HIS LIFE EASIER.
- MARY, THE MOTHER OF JESUS WAS BLESSED ABOVE ALL WOMEN (LUKE 1:42, 48), BUT BEING PREGNANT AND UNMARRIED COULD NOT HAVE BEEN EASY.
- PAUL WAS BLESSED BY GOD, EVEN BEING CALLED A "CHOSEN VESSEL" (ACTS 9:15), BUT LOOK AT WHAT THAT BLESSING COST HIM (2 CORINTHIANS 11:24-28).

AND THEN THERE'S YOUR STORY. YOU TOO HAVE BEEN BLESSED BY GOD. YOU TOO HAVE COUNTLESS REASONS TO GIVE THANKS. DOES ALL THAT CHANGE WHEN BAD THINGS HAPPEN TO YOU? ARE YOU NO LONGER BLESSED WHEN YOU ARE CALLED UPON TO SUFFER? DO YOU HAVE NO REASON TO GIVE THANKS WHEN YOU WALK THROUGH "THE VALLEY OF THE SHADOW OF DEATH?"

AS CHILDREN OF GOD, WE'RE BLESSED (PERIOD). CIRCUMSTANCES DON'T CHANGE THAT. GOD IS GOOD...ALL THE TIME! AND HE IS WORTHY OF THANKSGIVING IN GOOD TIMES AS WELL AS BAD.

AS WE CONSIDER REASONS FOR WHICH TO BE THANKFUL, I CAN SAY THAT I AM THANKFUL TO GOD FOR MY DEPARTED GRANDMA FOR REMINDING ME THAT GOD IS GOOD...ALL THE TIME.



YouTube **Spotify**
SiriusXM Channel 147 - Rural Radio
Sundays 9:30AM & 1:30PM

AT&T U-VERSE:
 Sunday 12AM CST - Daystar Television #563/1563
 Sunday 9AM CST - Cowboy Channel #566/1566
DIRECTV:
 Sunday 12AM CST - Daystar Television #358
 Sunday 9AM CST - Cowboy Channel #603
DISH NETWORK:
 Sunday 12AM CST - Daystar Television #263
 Sunday 9AM CST - Cowboy Channel #232
GOSPEL BROADCASTING NETWORK:
 Daily Shows at 5:30AM CST

*"Since I found GTKYB, I have decided that I want to be faithful to biblical teaching and live by them. I want to repent, turn away from sins, and change my old religion to New Testament Christianity."
 ~ Richard F., West Sussex, UK*