

Announcements:

- **CCU Snacks and Toiletries** – please bring items for Tupelo CCU and place in the basket in the foyer.
- **Items to bring for NICU at Women’s Hospital** – Emery Boards
- **Third Sunday Turn Around Service** – Today - fellowship meal after morning worship with 1pm worship following meal.
- **Ladies Day at Hillcrest** – Saturday (23rd) at 8:30am.
- **Senior Adult Rally at Henderson** – Saturday (23rd) at 9:30.
- **Elders/Deacons/Minister Meeting** – Sunday (24th) after evening worship.

Please Pray For:

Steve Kelly - Terry Coggins – Curt Mize – Jean Mills – Ray Brown – J.R. Rogers – Marie Weathers – Ed Rowland – Kindle Sample – Phyllis Kincade – Jacqui Letelliar – Joann Lance – Carrie Rogers – Scotty Sample - Hubert Weathers – Vic Hawn – Janie Nichols – Dorothy Yates – Gerald Worthey – Emmy Jo Jolly – Karen Collum - Steve Rowland – Pat Brannon – Mr. Rhodes (James dad) – Billy & Diane Sample – Elsie Weatherford – Shirley Weatherford

Baldwyn Nursing Facility: Janie Rowland (A-2), Hurshel Hill (A10), **Creek Side Manor** – Ruth Gunter (211), Evelyn Moore (18) **Briar Ridge** – Helen Hopkins **Diversicare** – Carrie Rogers, **Rosewood** – Ione Wester

Service Men:

Middle East: William Wilson. **Japan:** Stanley Sanderson. **Colorado:** Cody McCarty. **Kuwait:** Tyler Hutcheson, Dillon Kelly

Last Sunday and Wednesday:

Bible Study:	123
Morning Worship:	134
Evening Worship:	97
Wed Night Bible Study:	88
Contribution:	3673.00

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The PLAN of SALVATION

- The Gospel of Jesus must be **Heard:** Rom 10:17, Matt 7:24-27
- The Gospel of Jesus must be **Believed:** Heb 11:6, Mark 16:15-16, Jam 2:24
- The sins of our past life must be **Repented** of: Acts 17:30, Lk 13:3, Gal 5:24
- The fact that Jesus is the Son of God must be **Confessed:** Matt 10:32, Acts 8:36-37
- One must **Be Baptized** for the remission of sins: Acts 2:38, 8:36-39, Gal 3:25-29, 1 Pet 3:20-21
- **Do All** in the name of the Lord and **Be Faithful** unto death: Col 3:17, Rev 2:10.



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Schedule of Services:

Sunday Bible Study..... 9:30am
AM Worship..... 10:30am
PM Worship..... 5:00pm
Wednesday Bible Study..... 7:00pm

Elders:

Lonnie Neaves..... 869-1650
Mike Stanford..... 869-5352
Mark Stiles..... 719-0020
Pete Worthey.....322-8633
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Today's Sermon Topics

AM: "Two Different Hearts from Two Different Backgrounds"
(Acts 16:6-10) **Mark**

PM: "God's Promise When Forsaken by Others" (2 Tim 1:15-18) **Mark**

Preachers Corner

Welcome to Mayfield church of Christ. If you are visiting with us, we are happy you are here. Please let us know if you have any questions for us. Please come back!

Two Different Hearts from Two Different Backgrounds

Acts 16:11-34

Today, we'll engage in a study from Acts 16 and examine the conversion of Lydia and the Philippian Jailor. God wants everyone to be a Christian. That is very evident when we read through scripture. But, he expects us to do our part. Yes, we have a part. It's called obedience. We must obey God to become a Christian and to receive his blessings.

We hope you will study with us this morning as we worship God. Thank you for being here.

We are here to serve you!

Adam and Mark

2019 Theme: "Searching The Scriptures"

1st Quarter Theme:

"Concerning Becoming A Christian"

Word of the Week

Self Control

In both the Old and New Testaments, the Holy Spirit speaks through His spokesmen and leaves no doubt concerning the importance of self-control in the life of human beings. Unfortunately, many people do not seem to understand what self-control is, and many who know what self-control is fail to see its importance—especially in their own lives. The purpose of this article is to help us understand both the meaning and worth of self-control in our own lives and then enable us to teach these truths about self-control to others.

Merriam-Webster's Collegiate Dictionary Eleventh Edition says that the English word self-control means "restraint exercised over one's own impulses, emotions, or desires." People who practice self-control do not require a parent, teacher, armed guard, sheriff, or any other government official to make them behave. They behave correctly because they have disciplined themselves to be true to the moral and spiritual values they have chosen to follow. They are skilled in the art of self-denial, delayed gratification, and respect for others.

The word self-control does not appear in the King James Version (KJV) of the Old or New Testaments. This is for good reason, since the word self-control is believed to have first appeared in 1711, which is about a century later than the KJV edition that is still used by many. The concept of self-control was present through the ages in both the Hebrew and Greek languages, of course; but the KJV used English expressions such as temperance (2 Peter 1:6), sober (1 Thessalonians 5:8), discreet (Titus 2:5), and sober-minded (Titus 2:6) to convey the idea of a people exercising sovereignty over themselves. Greek words that came eventually to be translated as self-control in more modern translations include such words as *egkrateia*, *sophrosunei*, *nepho*, or their cognates.

In the New Testament, Paul describes self-control as a fruit of the Spirit. The kind of control over self that Christians need and are able to gain requires more than pulling themselves up by their own bootstraps. It is made possible by the power of the indwelling Holy Spirit that we receive at the moment of our baptism into Christ (Acts 2:38). The Holy Spirit lives within us and enables us to do more than we can do for ourselves. The paradox is that self-control is not attainable by ourselves; rather, we must diligently seek to "keep in step with the Spirit" (Galatians 5:22-26) to develop it. The Holy Spirit does not force self-control on the Christian or anyone else who is unwilling to cooperate with the Spirit to produce this quality in his life.

Howard Norton

"One Word Study Guide"

March Birthdays and Anniversaries

Guy Roberson – 3 rd	Jackson Smith – 16 th
Madison Graham – 4 th	Jill Dickerson – 19 th
Katrina Coats – 5 th	Jeanette Senn – 22 nd
Curt Mize – 5 th	Chris Carter – 23 rd
Shelia Shiers – 7 th	Cody & Alisha Williams – 24 th
Billy Sample – 8 th	Oscar Buchanan – 25 th
Jonathan McCoy – 11 th	Preston Rigby – 26 th
Evelyn & Shelby Lyons – 11 th	Vernon Etheridge – 31 st
Brian Wooten – 12 th	Sadie Shiers – 31 st
Phil & Rita Fraser – 12 th	
Pete & Kay Worthey – 12 th	

Foreign & Local Missions:



TV Ministry:

"Dayspring" – Ch 9 & 45, Tupelo

Overseas: India, Russia, Philippines, S. Africa & the Ukraine

Pine Vale Children's Home (Corinth)

Memphis School of Preaching – 1 student

Pantry Item:

Canned Vegetables



Wed Nite Series

Date:	Devotional
03-20	Mike Stanford
03-27	Kyle Bond

Youth Activities:

- L2L practice at 3:30 today.
- Youth Prayer Breakfast – Thursday (21st) at 6:30 in Fellowship Hall.
- SLCC Youth Retreat – March 29-31.

Privileged to Serve:

	Today	Next Sunday
Sunday AM:	March 17 th	March 24 th
Scripture Reading:	Jim McCarty	Jackson Smith
Opening Prayer:	Mike Stanford	Chris Carter
Closing Prayer:	Tyler Graham	Rickey Roberson
Greeters:	Cliff & Mandy Yates	Pete & Kay Worthey
Sunday PM:		
Scripture Reading:	Kelly Smith	Brodie Smith
Opening Prayer:	Mitchell Brazeal	Bob Stanford
Closing Prayer:	Jason Kelly	Mike Miller

***Bible Study with Adam:

If you would like to set up a Bible study with Adam please put your name in the brown wooden box under the mailboxes!!! This is offered to everyone!!!

Monthly Assignment:

(Please check bulletin board for next month's assignments)

March

Lord's Table:

Presiding: Mark Stiles, Jim West

Serving: Eddie Bishop, Danny Bailey, Cliff Yates, Billy Sample

Communion Trays: Linda Stanford, Peggy Christopher, Peggy Herring

Baptismal Garments: Janie Nichols, Jeanette Senn

Pick Up Cups: Carson Miller, Guy Roberson

Audio Booth: John Webb
Building Lock Up: Lonnie Neaves (Mitchell Brazeal)

Ushers: Kurt Bond, James Rhodes

Song Leader: Kyle Bond
Announcements: Mike Stanford