

The Family Tree



The Weekly Bulletin of Cox Boulevard Church of Christ – A Place To Call Home

NEW CLASSES

April, May & June

Sunday AM – Beginning April 1, 2018

"Strength for Daily Living".....	Jimmy Ardis Auditorium
"Book of Matthew".....	Wiley Dean Room #117
Ladies Bible Class.....	Doritta Johnson Room #110
Study of Genesis.....	Larry Kilpatrick Room #A-107
College, Young Professionals, Singles.....	Brian McManus Room #A-206
Study of the Holy Spirit.....	Mark Frederick Room #A-207
Young Married Class.....	Various Teachers Room #A-209
Newlyweds Class.....	Wade Hunt Room #A-203
"His Word – Survey of the New Testament"	

NEW CLASSES

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Wednesday PM – Beginning April 4, 2018

Study of Genesis.....	Larry Kilpatrick Auditorium
"Revelation".....	Brent Bulman Room #A-107
Singles.....	Richard Rhoden Room #117
"Great Doctrines of the Bible"	
Ladies Bible Class.....	Various Teachers Room #A-209
20's Bible Class.....	Brad Bates Room #A-206
"Open Bible Study"	
Parenting Class.....	Wade Hunt Room #A-203
"Helping Our Children Through the Struggles of Life"	

(Every Singing Night we have an Adult Bible Class taught by Joe Rhoden in room #A107)

Growing up in the Lord

Parent/Kids Devo

Sunday, April 8th, after evening service the 7-12th grade and parents will play games and have a devotional in the fellowship hall. More information to come.

Youth Service

Sunday, April 29th, the young men of our congregation will be leading the evening worship. Please contact Landon Willis if you or your child is interested in leading.

Maywood Benefit

If you are needing tickets or more information regarding the annual Maywood camp Benefit dinner, please contact the church office.

SAYS

Sunday, April 15th, will be the shoals area youth series at Sherrod Ave. Food will be provided.

God will never leave You

God is all powerful and all knowing. But have you thought recently about his relationship to space? Not to outer-space but his relationship to everywhere in the world? The God whom you worship is omnipresent. Jeremiah said it well: "Can anyone hide in secret places, so that I cannot see him?" declares the Lord. "Do not I fill heaven and earth?" *This means* that wherever we are, God is there. *This means* that right now God is near you and if you're a Christian he is *with you*-in a very special way-with his whole being and in absolutely undivided attention. And yet, at the same time, and in the same way, he is with me and each of our brothers and sisters around the world. That means there is an intimate relationship between his infinite knowledge and his presence. He will never leave us. No matter what life throws at us our God is with us. While to some God always being with them is a scary thought the truth of God's omnipresence is good news. It assures us that no matter what God calls us to do or what he permits to happen in our lives, he will be there with us. He will never leave or forsake us.

IN OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS

Gary Brewer is in J.W. Sommer Rehab.

Juanita Hester is now at home.

Latricia Todd is in Huntsville Hospital. She had stents put in.

EVENTS

There will be a devotional and activity for the **Kids for Christ** group (preschool and elementary age kids) and their parents after the evening service on Sunday, April 8th in the fellowship room. Each family needs to bring finger foods and a drink. Our devotional and craft will focus on the fruit of the Spirit is Joy from Galatians 5:22-23.

Meals on Wheels will be next week, April 9th -13th. Sign-up sheet is on bulletin board.

Monday Night for the Master will be on April 9th at 6pm.

Door Knocking will be on Saturday, April 14th at 9am. Sign-up sheet is on bulletin board.

The **College/Young Professionals Class** will meet in the Tea Room Tuesday, April 10th at 6:30pm for a Bible study. Invite a friend to join us!

Cox Blvd will have a **Family & Friends Day** on Sunday, April 15th. There will be a catered meal following the morning service (BBQ, Cole Slaw & Baked Beans). Begin now to invite your family and friends to join us.

The **Maywood Christian Camp Benefit Dinner** will be on April 14th at 5:00pm at Heritage Christian University. Iron Horse will perform, and Dr. Kirk Brothers (incoming HCU president) will speak. There will be a silent auction, and a limited number of items will be auctioned live. Dinner tickets are \$50. Please contact Matt & Beth Hester, Pam Lenz, Landon Willis or the church office, if you are interested in purchasing tickets.

There will be a trip to the **Alabama Crimson Tide A-Day football game** on Saturday, April 21st. We will leave the church building at 9:00am and return by 8:00pm. Game is at 1:00pm. Sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board. Please see Brian McManus or Russ Blackwell, if you have any questions. Clear bags only to get in the stadium. Bring money for food. Game is free!

If you are **graduating high school or college** this year, contact the church office.

The **39ers** will be going to the Red Bay play "Southern Hospitality" on Thursday, April 26th. The cost is \$25 which includes a meal. Sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board.

Mark 16:15-16 "Go into all the world....."

That command from Jesus seems so clear but like a dog whistle some hear it and come running others don't. There were 22 who signed up to learn how to mark their Bibles and ten were there for the first time to learn how to teach others the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Those attending the all day workshop included two grandmothers who brought their grandkids (**Austin Norris and Blakely McGee**), a mother brought her son (**Garrett Rogers**) and a young lady (**Savannah Martin**), two interns (**Katie Sherrill & Dalton Wright**) who going to Australia, a youth minister (**Landon & Rachel Willis**) and his wife, a new Christian (**Karan Bradford**) and a member (**Julia Gurley**) who wants to teach others. These ten were taught by **Hilda Hester, Donna Cassel, Ann Skidmore, Judy Blackwell, Montanna Boyd, Bobbye Bradley, Stacy Rogers, Tom and Trish Embry, Betsy Rea and Terry Lenz** who taught the workshop and did an outstanding job. He led them through the scriptures as the other campaigners helped them mark their Bibles. Larry said Sunday, March 18, if anyone wanted to learn how to mark their Bibles either in a class or privately to let Terry or Russ know and they would arrange it. There are two more workshops currently scheduled for this year and if you want to learn a method to teach others the plan of salvation please see Terry Lenz. If you want to refresh your knowledge of the Safety Chain of Scriptures like some of the 12 did then please let Terry know. As Larry said on Sunday if you want to have a private class on marking your Bibles please see Russ or Terry and they will be glad to set up a time. If you want to go on the **12th Annual Campaign to the University church of Christ in Mobile (June 15-22)** you must have marked Bibles, knocked doors and taught a Bible study or did a mock Bible Study. Leading others to Jesus is like no other experience and is what we are commanded to do.

ATTENDANCE/CONTRIBUTION

Mar 28 (Wed).....	171
Apr 1	
Sunday School.....	218
AM Worship.....	457
PM Worship	196
Contribution.....	\$18,498

LADS TO LEADERS

Lads to Leaders is the oldest and largest leadership training program used by the churches of Christ today. It is a tool churches of Christ can use to help prepare their youth and adults for service in the Kingdom of God and help develop their overall leadership potential. The purpose of Lads to Leaders is to help local congregations instill the Word of God into youth and adults so that they will stand firm in the faith.

REFLECTING ON THIS WEEKEND

(From Gina Bulman)

Our children did a wonderful job at Lads 2 Leaders. Many of them will be bringing trophies home!!! That's wonderful and exciting and fun! But that's not all that that will be brought back to Cox Blvd...Blessings on top of Blessings...New Friendships were made...Old Friendships strengthened...A better knowledge of God's word, Bible Bowl...Stronger and better skilled singers, song leading...Stronger and more confident speakers, speech...Beautiful art work for eyes to see that bring God's word to life...A bond like no other built by working together to bring a puppet skit to life. This is a wonderful avenue that involves so many of our children. It is a great example of how children can teach children (student based teaching strategy)! These are just a few of the Christian-life-building-skills that Lads to Leaders helps us parents, friends, and grandparents train our children. The trophies will get dusty...the ribbons will fade...but the memories...the friendships...the Christian-life-skills developed...will last a lifetime.

THANK YOU

We appreciate all of those in the congregation that help and support the Lads to Leaders program: the Cox Blvd elders, Randall Hester, event coordinators, parents, and our hard-working Lads participants. A special thank you to those that donated money and food for this year's convention.

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

SUNDAY

9:00 AM Bible Study
 10:00 AM Worship
 6:00 PM Worship

WEDNESDAY

7:00 PM Bible Study

RADIO PROGRAM

WBTC(FM 106.3) . Sunday, 10:25 AM

JAIL MINISTRY

County Jail Sunday 9:00 AM

ELDERS

Billy Banks
 Russ Blackwell
 Stan Brook
 Horace Cleveland
 Steve Condra
 Ben McGuire
 Phillip Willingham

EVANGELIST

Larry Kilpatrick

ASSOCIATE/YOUTH MINISTER

Wade Hunt

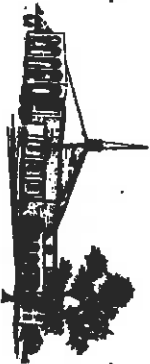
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COX BOULEVARD CHURCH OF CHRIST
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 April 1, 2018

<p>Bettye Stagers 1030 Ridge Ave Tuscumbia, AL 35674</p>	<p>Care Group 1</p>	<p>Bettye's sister, Dorothy Griffin, passed away last week.</p>
<p>Kevin Davis 309 N High St Tuscumbia, AL 35674</p>	<p>Care Group 2</p>	<p>Kevin's father, Jerry Davis, passed away recently.</p>
<p>Winne Gay Lewis 107 Snell Dr Florence, AL 35630</p>	<p>Care Group 3</p>	<p>Winne recently placed membership here at Cox Blvd.</p>
<p>Emily Counce 3060 Blue Rd Tuscumbia, AL 35674</p>	<p>Care Group 4</p>	<p>Emily's brother, Alan Johnson, passed away last week.</p>
<p>Tammy Wright 541 N Ida St Kenton, Ohio 43326</p>	<p>Care Group 1</p>	<p>Prayer request from a friend (from Ohio) of Jan Lansdell: Jerilynne's daughter, Tammy Wright, was diagnosed with breast cancer last week.</p>
<p>Rachael Madrigal 600 Firestone Ave, Apt 1710 Muscle Shoals, AL 35661</p>	<p>Care Group 2</p>	<p>Rachael was recently baptized after Bible study with Trish Embry and Hilda Hester.</p>

SHUT-INS

Donna Davis
Cypress Cove, room 13
200 Alabama Ave
Muscle Shoals, AL 35661

Care Group 1

Would enjoy cards and visits.

Curtis Posey
Brentwood, room 15
2505 Alabama Ave
Muscle Shoals, AL 35661

Care Group 2

Would enjoy cards and visits.

Jean Whitaker
Cottage of the Shoals, room 28
500 John Aldridge Dr,
Tuscumbia, AL 35674

Care Group 3

Would enjoy cards and visits.

Leon & Edith Alsbrooks
3304 Hatch Blvd
Sheffield, AL 35660

Care Group 4

Would enjoy cards and visits.

VISITORS

(March 25, 2018)

Pam Fuller
505 Alexandria-Jacksonville Hwy
Alexandria, AL 36250
(visiting w/Erica Williams family)

Ashley Hamm
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Tuscumbia, AL 35674
(visiting w/Latricia Todd)

Donna Beasley
1000 Walden Creek Trace
#31-10
Spring Hill, TN 37174

Melissa Sneed (visited 03/11/18)
400 North Hook St
Tuscumbia, AL 35674
(Newcomer to the Community) – 256-284-3713