



Give Thanks for Those Who Share Jesus

That was basically our message from Bishop David Graves at Homecoming. Of course he had more good words to share. Just think back into the life of Brundidge UMC and recall those times somebody in this church gave you great insight into this marvelous faith we have in Jesus. Amen.

We all were impressed when Billy Hixon asked "All who have ever sat through one of my children's moments please come forward." A significant crowd gathered from teenagers to young adults. Thank you Billy for providing the children's moment apparently for many years.

Friends, if you did not make it to Homecoming you indeed missed a blessing! What a wonderful day. Thank you Homecoming Committee for preparing for that day, and thank you trustees for making sure the church grounds were attractively trimmed and ready. The Lord blessed us with perfect weather.

I looked at the dessert table and I didn't see any BANANA PUDDING!!! Next year we are going to form a banana pudding committee. Another church member also complained that we had greens with no cornbread in sight. You gotta have cornbread with greens. So, we need to form a cornbread committee too.

Again, my thanks to David Adams' talent in creating great glass works of art. Joe Stinson and Susan Helms received a beautiful music cross on their concert (Oct. 14) Sunday. Bishop David Graves received a glass Cross and Flame (Oct. 21).



I Am a Soldier in God's Army

I am a soldier in the army of God. The Lord Jesus Christ is my Commanding Officer. The Holy Bible is my code of conduct. Faith, prayer, and the Word are my weapons of warfare. I have been taught by the Holy Spirit, trained by experience, tried by adversity and tested by fire. I am a volunteer in this army, and I am enlisted for eternity. I will either retire in this army at the Rapture or die in this army; but I will not get



out, sell out, be talked out, or pushed out. I am faithful, reliable, capable and dependable. If my God needs me, I am there. If He needs me in the Sunday school, to teach the children, work with the youth, help adults or just sit and learn, He can use me because I am there! I am a soldier. I am not a baby. I do not need to be pampered, petted, primed up, pumped up, picked up or pepped up. I am a soldier. No one has to call me, remind me, write me, visit me, entice me, or lure me. I am a soldier. I am not a wimp. I am in place, saluting my King, obeying His orders, praising His name, and building His kingdom! No one has to send me flowers, gifts, food, cards, candy or give me handouts. I do not need to be cuddled, cradled, cared for, or catered to. I am committed. I cannot have my feelings hurt bad enough to turn me around. I cannot be discouraged enough to turn me aside. I cannot lose enough to cause me to quit. When Jesus called me into this army, I had nothing. If I end up with nothing, I will still come out ahead. I will win. My God has and will continue to supply all of my needs. I am more than a conqueror. I will always triumph. I can do all things through Christ. Devils cannot defeat me. People cannot disillusion me. Weather cannot weary me. Sickness cannot stop me. Battles cannot beat me. Money cannot buy me. Governments cannot silence me and hell cannot handle me. I am a soldier. Even death cannot destroy me. For when my Commander calls me from this battlefield, He will promote me to Captain and then allow me to rule with Him. I am a soldier in the army of God, and I'm marching claiming victory. I will not give up. I will not turn around. I am a soldier, marching heaven bound. Here I stand! Will you stand with me?

Guess what? If you've accepted Jesus Christ as your Savior you're already enlisted! The question is "Which part of the service are you in?"

1. Active Duty: serving the Lord faithfully, daily, and on duty 24/7?
2. Reserve Status: serving only when called upon twice a year, Christmas and Easter?
3. Guard Status: backing up the Active Duty group? Or
4. AWOL: Absent Without Our Lord?



Sunday November 4th, 11 a.m. Service

We will remember and celebrate the lives of those who have served Christ in our congregation who are now in Heaven: Elizabeth "Liz" Belcher, Thomas Allen "Bud" Ross, and Dick Barr.

Charge Conference November 4th, 5:30 p.m. at Park Memorial UMC

This will be a cluster group meeting with other area churches. Please make plans to attend. We need a good representation from Brundidge UMC.

Veterans Day Sunday November 11th

Please wear red, white and blue to show your appreciation for those who have served our great nation. Feel free to wear hats on that Sunday identifying that you are a veteran.



Camp Stew—Get Your Orders In and Pick It Up Sunday November 11th

Just \$10 a quart. Contact Don Renfro or call the church office (334) 735-3180. Remember to contribute the broth, meat and other ingredients for the cause. Have it all at the church by noon Saturday, November 10th. Thanks.



Christmas Buffet

Saturday, December 1st

11 a.m. until 1 p.m.

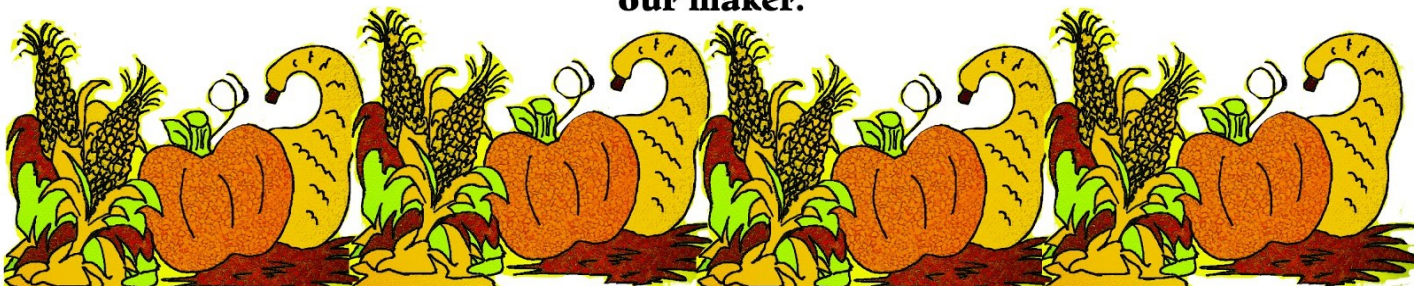
Enjoy the best buffet of the season sponsored by our United Methodist Women. Just \$8 per adult, \$4 for children, and \$8 for takeout. This event funds various mission programs.

Psalms 95:1,2,6

O come, let us sing unto the LORD: let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation.

Let us come before his presence with thanksgiving, and make a joyful noise unto him with psalms.

O come, let us worship and bow down: let us kneel before the LORD our maker.





In Memory of Dick Barr

Jimmy Hollis-Hurricane Michael relief

Lawrence & Sara Bowden-BUMC

Jim & Laura Carpenter- Building Fund

Sherroll & Tinye Tatom-Building Fund

In Memory of Durwood Tatom

Sherroll & Tinye Tatom-Building Fund

In Memory of Bud Ross

Jimmy Hollis-Hurricane Michael relief

In Memory of Pete Lott

Jimmy Hollis-Hurricane Michael relief

In Memory of Gillis Hutchinson

Jimmy Hollis-Hurricane Michael relief

In Memory of Sandra Shehane

Jimmy Hollis-Hurricane Michael relief

In Memory of Jeff Harbuck

Jimmy Hollis-Hurricane Michael relief



Jensen Garrett- 2nd

Sue Fraley-3rd

David Adams-5th

Lomax Bryan-5th

Bobbi Jo Strother Davis-7th

Clay Barron-7th

Trevor Barron-7th

Joey Strother-8th

Betty Coppage- 9th

Mike Richards-11th

Maria Strother-11th

Jim Ramage-12th

Richard Hagan-13th

Lorraine Dunnum-13th

Michelle Tyson-14th

Max Copeland- 15th

Mike Tatom-16th

Max Bundy-17th

Billy Hixon-18th

Hunter Keenan-18th

Reba Howard-18th

Hanna Hixon-20th

Adela McDowell-23rd

Wendy McDowell-23rd

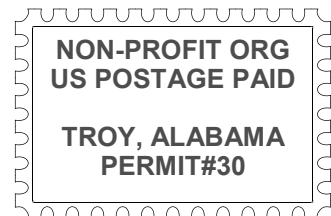
Allyson Outlaw-25th

Alice Hudley-25th

Children's Moments Leaders Needed

We need at least two volunteers for Sunday 11 a.m. service "Children's Moments." Please call the church office (334) 735-3180 if you are able to volunteer to help out!

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Smiles From Mrs. Sara

- 1.) How did the rich people get their money?
- 2.) The alphabet goes from A to Z, what goes from Z to A?
- 3.) What has a head but no brain?
- 4.) What letter should males avoid?



Genesis 21:6

1.) They were calm and collected. 2.) Zebra. 3.) A Cabbage. 4.) The letter 'A' because it makes men mean.

Answers: