

LEADERSHIP/STAFF

Elders

- Ben Coxwell
- Billy Lambert

Deacons

- Tyler Gill
- Daniel Henry
- Wayne Herring
- Benn Keevan
- Casey Tomecek
- Robert Tyree
- Steve Yager

Ministers

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

Secretaries

- Sandy Daugherty
- Christy Gill
- Carolyn Till

TIMES OF SERVICE:

SUNDAYS

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

WEDNESDAYS

Adult Bible Class- 10AM
Bible Classes - 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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SCOC MEMBERS:

- Bible Camp Attendees, Counselors, & Staff this week @ GCBC!
- Bonnie Alvis
- Dianne Anderson
- Lyndia Daugherty - Immunotherapy infusions.
- Emma Fell
- Ruth Ann Gill: Recovering from shoulder replacement on 5/8
- Iris Irwin & her sister, Louise Daniels.
- Ralph Jennings - Starting hyperbaric treatments soon.
- Don Lambert
- Roger McCaleb
- Becky Nicholson: Surgery this past Thursday for newly diagnosed heart condition.
- Mike Reedy
- Misty Reynolds
- Robinson Family
- David Till - Multiple health issues.
- Ann & Jeff Waller: Recovering from Covid/bronchitis.
- Patti Waters - Multiple health issues.. Undergoing tests.
- **SHUT-INS: PLEASE SEND CARDS, CALL, & VISIT WHEN POSSIBLE.**
- Gay Black
- Tim Howell
- Paul & Rosemary Kitchens
- Phillip Markham - Home on hospice.
- Linda Smith
- Mae Smith
- Jane Still
- Myra Wright - With her daughter, recovering from fall.

FAMILY/FRIENDS:

- Barbara Beam: Steve Norris' sister
- Will Brannen - Jennings' grandson.
- Johnnie Brown: Friend of Sandy D. (93 yrs) Heart stents put in soon.
- Wesley Calloway: (Linda D. nephew) Leukemia.
- Diane Chamblee: Geraldean Yager's daughter
- Douglas Farrington: Kelvin's brother. Undergoing Cancer treatment.
- Mike Fowler: Todd Sanford's brother-in-law - Cancer
- Denise Freeman: Friend of Rita Ellis. Longterm Covid complications.
- Darlene Gilbert: Darla Gill's mother. Shoulder replacement surgery.
- Donna Harbin: Sandy's sister - health issues
- Helen & Leslie Hendrix - Moved to FL.
- Jennifer Houston: Louis Smith's daughter
- Tina Hubbard: Friend of the Tyree's
- Asa Jopson - Alan & Amy's son. "Seven Churches of Asia" Tour w/ Freed Hardeman group.
- Douglas Kenner: (JoEllen's Porter's father). Living with the Porter's. Dementia, multiple health issues. Hospitalized last week.
- Matilda Knapp's grandson, Cade.
- Fred Lincoln: Barbara Howell's nephew. Stage 4 colon cancer.
- Euline Norman: Rhonda Butler's mom: Health issues.
- Lawrence Simmons (Former neighbor of Kerry Smith) Cancer.
- Rusty Stanford - Recovering from stroke.
- ReAnna Westbrook: (Kerry Smith's friend) - Health issues.
- Darren Williamson:(Father of Cecily's co-worker)Aggressive brain tumor.
- Jeff Wilson: (Phyllis Gill's son) Cancer.
- Doris Younce: Darlene Timphony's aunt: Health issues.

MILITARY:

- Tyler Allen: (Bonnie Coxwell's nephew) Guam
- Brady Armstrong - (Stacie Kent's son-in-law)
- Fischer Carr - Hawaii
- Zane Rider
- Gabriel Stevens - Sam Houston Air Force Base

MISSIONARIES:

- Jeff Abrams (Ukraine)
- Andy Erwin (WPT)
- Wayne Pruette (Guyana)

If you need to add or take someone off the prayer list,
please email Christy by 10AM Thursday: summerdalechurchoffice@gmail.com

PRAYER LIST



SUMMERDALE
CHURCH OF CHRIST

ORDER OF WORSHIP: 5/26

Welcome/Prayer: Ben Coxwell

Lead Singing: Orlando Pittman

Opening Prayer: Ken Morgan

Comm/Offering: Daniel Henry

- Kelvin Farrington
- Tyler Gill
- Chase Joiner
- London McDonald
- Marco Toledo
- Kile Votaw

Scripture Reading: Chase Joiner

I Timothy 5:1-8

Sermon: Ray Reynolds

Closing Remarks: Ben Coxwell

Closing Prayer: Roger McCaleb

May Security: Micah Allen & Wayne Herring

June Security: Joe Gill & Barry McPherson
(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.

Men: Please sign the sheets up front if you are willing to serve.

Greeters: 5/25: Barbara Howell & Jan Tyree



Visitor Registration

Welcome Visitors!

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

RESPECT YOUR ELDERLY

I TIMOTHY 5:1-8

I. Our Elders Deserve _____

A. The _____ of the patriarchs
(Genesis 48:12, Job 32:4-6).

B. The _____ of the fifth commandment
(Exodus 20:12, Ephesians 6:1-4).

C. The _____ of immaturity
(I Kings 12:1-16, Proverbs 23:22).

II. Our Elders Deserve _____

A. Give your _____ to the elderly
(Leviticus 19:32, Proverbs 16:31).

B. Give your _____ to the elderly
(I Timothy 5:8, Ruth 2).

C. Give your _____ to the elderly
(I Peter 5:5, James 1:27).

III. Our Elders Deserve _____

A. Elderly Christians can offer _____
(Job 12:12, 32:7, I Timothy 5:5-10).

B. Elderly Christians can offer _____
(Isaiah 46:4, Psalm 71:8-9, 17-18).

C. Elderly Christians can offer _____
(II Timothy 1:5, Titus 1:9, 2:3).

NEWS & UPDATES

It's a GIRL!

Congratulation to Casey, Crystal, & big sister Ceilli, on the birth of Catherine Maggie, 5/21/24 at 1:41PM, weighing 8lb 13oz, & is 20.75 in. long! Mom & baby are both doing well. Please continue to keep them in your prayers.

Last Lord's Day, we honored our 5 High School Seniors. Please continue to keep them & their families in your prayers as they begin this new, exciting chapter in their lives!



Please be praying for our VBS!

See Ray or Eric to find out where volunteers are needed. Flyers are available on the welcome table - take some & share!

Pre-register online:

<https://www.summerdalechurch.org/news>

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

Good Samaritan House items of the month: May ~ Campbell's Canned Soup: Large Cans



Today we will leave for camp! Camp is a wonderful time, and often it presents so many opportunities to grow closer to each other and to God.

Oftentimes, when we attend an event like this, we feel like we are on top of the mountain and can take on Satan all by ourselves. However, when we get back, we often experience a drop in our enthusiasm. That is why it is so important for us as Christians to encourage each other. Events like camp are so uplifting, but as God's church, we should strive to make everyday a "camp" experience!

As we head to camp today, please pray for our group and the camp. Pray for safe travels. Pray that we will be strengthened spiritually and that we will glorify God in all that we do. Pray that our relationships with each other and the other congregations represented at camp will grow. Pray that God will bring great blessings on our group this week.

As always, remember you are loved!

Eric

Most of the teens will be at GCBC, so there will not be a 5PM teen class Sunday. Please go to the auditorium. Alan Jopson will teach the teen class @ 6:30PM Wednesday.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- 5/30: 6:15PM Devo with residents @ Robertsdale Healthcare. See Rick Schieber for info!
- 6/1: 8AM: Men's Prayer Breakfast.
- 6/9-12: 6-8PM - VBS!
- 6/29: 10AM: Activities w/ residents @ Robertsdale Healthcare. See Christy for info.



Sonshine Corner

PULPIT MINISTER - RAY REYNOLDS
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READING THE BIBLE IN A YEAR:
You Can't Get That Lucky

Sometimes you may feel like life is a big gamble. Like the outcome of your life is resting on how the dice roll for you. If they roll right, you get "lucky." If they roll badly, your life goes down the tubes. There are times when the stars seem to align just right and you find yourself basking in a bundle of blessings. Then there are times when everything seems out of sync and you find yourself drudging through a junkyard of disaster. Some would call this a coincidence. Others would call it pure luck. But another group would say that someone is working behind the scenes working out your destiny. And they'd be right! But is more than just someone. Luck has nothing to do with it. It is the providence of God!

Esther would understand. She is minding her own business as her people are captive in Persia. Meanwhile Haman—who has been given great authority by the King of Persia—is developing a hatred for Jews. In particular, he hates Mordecai. It seems Mordecai will not bow down to Haman whenever he parades through the streets of Susa.

Haman decides to teach Mordecai a lesson. He gets King Xerxes to sign a decree that on a certain day all the Jews can be killed. And anyone killing a Hebrew would be allowed to keep the personal possessions of the deceased Hebrew. To determine the exact day for the extermination, Haman rolls the dice. Adar the 13th becomes the target date.

In the meantime, the king is having some issues with the queen. She refuses the king's summons so she is released of her queenly duties. Then, because he needs a new queen, he holds (what might be) the first "Bachelor" contest to find a new wife. The short story is that Esther gets the rose and becomes his queen. Yet Xerxes did not know Esther was a Hebrew. Nor that Esther was kin to Mordecai. The king adds another edict that will allow the Hebrews to defend themselves, which turned out good for the Hebrews and bad for any Persian that attacked a Hebrew on Adar the 13th.

What about Haman? In a strange twist of events he wound up impaled on a pole he himself had erected for Mordecai. Not sure he got "the point" of the story, but I hope you do. Oddly enough throughout the book of Esther you will never find the name of God mentioned. Not once.

There are days you may think he is not around either. But the story of Esther reminds us that He is, sometimes behind the scenes, working things out for "good for those who love him" (**Romans 8:28**). And when you don't feel He is around, that's more your problem than His. He has put you right where you are, right now, so you can make a difference. You can say the words someone needs to hear. You can be the example someone needs to see. You can help someone find freedom from sin. So let others roll the dice and you let God take care of the rest. Have a great week!

You Are Loved. Ray

MAY - ELDER OF THE MONTH: BEN COXWELL

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.

WHERE CAN I FIND GTKYB?

GTKYB Podcasts: Most Platforms
 PRAY TV: WEDNESDAY 10:30AM
 PRAY RADIO: M-F 12PM CST
 DIRECTV:

Sunday 9AM CST - Cowboy Channel #603
 Sunday 10:30PM CST - GEB TV #363
 DISH NETWORK:
 Sunday 9AM CST - Cowboy Channel #232
 GOSPEL BROADCASTING NETWORK:
 Daily Shows at 5:30AM CST
 Stream 24/7 on our YouTube Channel
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