

Upcoming Events

Claire Sims

Birthday 03/21/2021

Bess & James Powell

Anniversary 03/21/2021

Marsha & Doug Williamson

Anniversary 03/21/2021

Linda Wheatley

Birthday 03/24/2021

Becky & Jim Keith

Anniversary 03/27/2021

Contributions

For those able to attend worship services at the building please leave your contribution in the box at the rear of the auditorium.

For those who give by check and are meeting by Zoom, you can simply mail your check to Kerry Lashlee 9748 Bent Brook Dr Montgomery, AL 36117

Contribution last week

\$5,551

Bible classes return to building April 4

Schedule of Services: The schedule of services will be as follows:

9:00 AM Sunday Adult Bible Study; Bill In Auditorium and ZOOM

Roger Cobia and John Demas in adult classrooms 1 and 2 and no Zoom

Children's classes in normal classrooms

10:00 AM Sunday morning worship In Auditorium and ZOOM

5:00 PM (ZOOM ONLY) - Praise & Harmony singing before and after Bill Robinson's sermon. Followed by all group ZOOM

6:30 PM Wednesday Bible study with Bill in the auditorium and zoom

Roger Cobia and John Demas in adult classrooms 1 and 2 and no Zoom

Children's classes in normal classroom

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Making The Old New



“What’s new?” a friend good-naturedly asks.

“Nothing, really. Just the same old same old,” comes the hackneyed, time-worn reply.

The response is suggestive of a life that’s in a rut. Boring. Lifeless. Listless. And mundane. How sad.

Well, today is the day to make a change. Because it’s [National “Old Stuff Day”](#)

Yes, according to the calendar of usual, wacky, and weird holidays, “Old stuff Day” is not a day to do the same old stuff.” Their web page suggests making some exciting changes. Engaging in new and different activities. Do something different. Begin your Spring cleaning. Throw away old clothes. Or make new use of an old item.

More importantly, however, than doing something different is being different. This day reminded me of a familiar passage about the old and the new in Ephesians 4:22-24.

You were taught, with regard to your former way of life, to put off your old self, which is being corrupted by its deceitful desires; to be made new in the attitude of your minds; and to put on the new self, created to be like God in true righteousness and holiness.

One modern speech paraphrase expresses it this way. “Put off your old way of life as you would put off an old suit of clothes; clothe yourself in a new way; put off your sins, and put on the righteousness and the holiness which God can give you.” *Continued inside*



Patricia Lange update

3/20/2021 - Brothers and sisters, my mom, Patricia Lange, saw her oncologist this past wee for a 3 month follow up appointment. Her doctor was pleased with her progress and reported that her CA-125 bloodwork is in the normal range (unchanged since December). She is slowly gaining strength and becoming more active. We are very grateful to the Father for His healing power. Thank you

so much for your prayers! [Carrie Puckett]

Neal Smith home from Rehab

3/19/2021 - Neal Smith came home from Rehab this week. Keep him in your prayers as he becomes stronger.

Ed Harrell passes 3/15/2021 - Remember his family in your prayers.

[LINK TO A STORY OF ED'S LIFE <-- Click here](#)

Matthew Bruce deployed until end-April 2021.

Dawn Polk - Visitor restored Sunday, 2/28.

Beth Boothe - Total right hip replacement was Thursday, 3/4.

Vaughn Thayer - Starts Chemo April 9.

Johnny Mae White - GI Tract issues - kidney doctor in March to determine if dialysis needed.

Sawyer Burch- serious rare genetic digestive problem (Trifunctional Protern Deficiency) (TFP).

Sundee Mahone asks prayers to protect Tillman who is away at school.

Thomas Brewer's mother now home from rehab. Keep in your prayers.

Katherine Trefethen - now going for walks. Getting stronger.

All Hart family - Pat at home and still with cellulitis both legs.

Jess at home but still plagued with retention of fluid.

Janis has shingles on head and face near eye.

Pray for **Gary, Janis & Janie** as they care for Jess & Pat.

Pray for **Janie Brewer** who assists Gary & Janis.

John Demas' mother, Janice Lindner- Janice began first of five radiation treatments on Feb. 8.

Grace Meyers - in KY - friends of Bill's daughter - leukemia.

Marsha Williamson - Parkinson's - Still evaluating best tube placement.

Beth Beasley (Marsha's sister) - fractured shoulder, final stages of COPD, Hospice

Agnes Kochik (Ron's mother) home now.

Susan Kochik - (Ron's niece) - therapy working.

Please pray for all of our Bible Correspondence Course students (about 45)

Prayers requested by a Bible Course student for 30-yr-old friend, Kristen Mitchell who had successful brain tumor operation 2/17/2021. Starting Chemo

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A similar passage in Colossians 3:8-10 is even more specific and succinct regarding old attitudes and actions to discard and new ones to adopt.

But now you yourselves are to put off all these: anger, wrath, malice, blasphemy, filthy language out of your mouth. Do not lie to one another, since you have put off the old man with his deeds, and have put on the new

man who is renewed in knowledge according to the image of Him who created him.

Warren Wiersbe illustrates this great truth by Jesus' words following Lazarus' resurrection after being in the grave four days. At Jesus' command, his dead friend came forth from the tomb alive. Then Jesus commanded, "Loose him, and let him go" (John 11:44). Take off the graveclothes! Lazarus no longer belonged to the old dominion of death, for he was now alive. Why go about wearing graveclothes? Take off the old and put on the new.

In that vein, consider these applications of observing "Old Stuff Day" with some changes that will really make a difference in your life. Lift you out of a religious rut. Calm your disquieted spirit. Awaken you from a spiritual malaise. And resurrect the values and virtues of a new life in Christ.

Take an old habit and break it.

Take an old wrong and right it.

Take an old grudge and drop it.

Take an old problem and solve it.

Take an old priority and adjust it.

Take an old dream and revive it.

Take an old attitude and change it.

Take an old trespass and forgive it.

Take an old resentment and dismiss it.

Take an old relationship and reestablish it.

Take an old irritation and ignore it.

Take an old temptation and subdue it.

Take an old commitment and renew it.

Take an old method and improve it.

Take an old motivation and restore it.

Take an old sin and correct it.

"Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; old things have passed away; behold, all things have become new" (2 Cor 5:17).

-Ken Weliever, The Preacherman