## CHAPEL CHIMES



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From Your Pastor's Heart

WOW!!! Randall's Chapel, we are off to a blessed beginning! Kim and I are so very blessed to be serving our Lord and Savior, Jesus, alongside you in our new home-town of Scottsboro!

Can you believe it's September already? Soon it will be cooling off, kids and "kids at heart" will be dressing up and expecting candy, families will be gathered around tables and giving thanks and before we know it, we will be celebrating the birth of our Savior. In what seems to be a blink of an eye, 2023 will have passed into history and we will lean into the head winds of 2024.



While time seems to move so fast, sometimes we find ourselves stuck where we are. Stuck physically, emotionally and most importantly, spiritually. Over the next several months the Randall's Chapel Leadership Team, Small Groups, Ministry Teams and many of my Sunday morning Sermons will be focusing on the challenges of "Moving from Here to There". Wherever we are, whether physical, emotional or spiritual, is the "Here". And, wherever it is that the Lord is calling us to, is the "There".

When Kim and I were preparing to move to Scottsboro a few months ago, we were confronted by the abundance of what we had accumulated since we last moved eight years before. And when we realized all the "baggage" it would take to move all of it to where God was calling us to "Go and Be" now. We, in a healthy way decided some of the things that we had for a season we did not need moving forward. In fact, some of the baggage, if kept, would be detrimental to our ability to move forward. So, we donated many things in the hope someone else would benefit from it, and some things we simply discarded.

As we inventory our spiritual "Here", most of the time the Lord will reveal to us that we are carrying baggage that is detrimental to the journey He has in store for us. It is imperative that we embrace this journey that is before us. It is also imperative that we do not resist the spiritual house cleaning the Lord reveals to us is necessary for us to get from "Here", where we are, and "There", where he is calling us to "Go and Be". Kim and I look forward to our journey with you.

Celebrate the Journey!

Pastor Woody



### News and Announcements



9-3 Sunday School at 9:00 and Worship at 10:00

9-5 Helping Hands Meet at 10:00

9-6 Wednesday Night Meal at 6:00

9-6 Bible Discussion at 6:30

9-6 Children & Youth meet at 6:30

9-9 Men's Food and Fellowship at 8:00

9-10 Sunday School at 9:00 and Worship at 10:00

9-10 Holy Communion

9-10 Leadership Team meeting after Worship

9-10 Cantata Practice at 4:00

9-12 Men's & Women's Bible Study at 6:30

9-13 Wednesday Night Meal at 6:00

9-13 Bible Discussion at 6:30

9-13 Children & Youth meet at 6:30

9-15 Grief Share meeting at 10:00

9-17 Sunday School at 9:00 and Worship at 10:00

9-17 Cantata Practice at 4:00

9-19 Women's Emmaus Reunion Group

meeting @ 10:00

9-19 Men's & Women's Bible Studay at 6:30

9-20 Wednesday Night Meal at 6:00

9-20 Bible Discussion at 6:30

9-20 Children & Youth meet at 6:30

9-21 Swim Team Breakfast at 7:00

9-23 JSU Football Game at 4:00

9-24 Sunday School at 9:00 and Worship at 10:00

9-24 Cantata Practice at 4:00

9-25 Charity Golf Tournament

9-25 Men's & Women's Bible Study at 6:30

9-27 Wednesday Night Meal at 6:00

9-27 Bible Discussion at 6:30

9-27 Children and Youth meet at 6:30

9-29 Grief Share meeting at 10:00

#### **Voices Lifted for Christ**

If you have missed being a part of a true performance quality choir or have never been a part of a performing choir but have the God-given ability to sing, there is a great opportunity coming this fall.

As of July 1<sup>st</sup>, Scottsboro welcomed the Rev. James "Woody" Woodin and his wife Kim to our community. Of the many gifts and graces the Lord has blessed this ministry couple with is the gift of



performing and teaching music. Their combined 60+ years of proclaiming the Gospel through song and discipling others in this high calling has afforded our community the opportunity to bring gifted voices from throughout our area to join together for the sake of the Gospel!

Rehearsals for a Christmas Cantata will begin Sunday, September 10<sup>th</sup> at 4:00pm. There will be a minimum of three performances in the Month of December in three different venues which will increase our opportunity to share the Good News that God is still with us.

If you have questions and/or would like to join this community-wide evangelistic effort, you are welcome to reach Pastor Woody and Kim via the following.

Cell: Woody (256) 404-8274 Kim (205) 765-8362 Email: kimwoodinstudio@gmail.com

### **BIRTHDAYS**

4 Noah Downer

9 Haley Ricker

10 Taylor Miller

23 Bill Hurlburt

27 Myron Dawson



### ANNIVERSARIES

28 Kyle and Madison Wendlick



The Leadership Team will meet immediately following worship Sunday, September 10th

Randall's Chapel Helping Hands will meet on Tuesday, September 5th at 10:00 All women interested in missions are encouraged to attend.

The Methodist Men's Food & Fellowship will meet Saturday, September 9th at 8:00 a.m.



**Bible Discussion - Come** join us on Wednesday Nights at 6:30 p.m. as we get into the Bible and discuss the answers to our questions. It's laid back and you're welcome to join us.



### **August Greeters**

9-3 Eleanor Allen 9-10 Jamie & Jack St. John 9-17 Janice Chambless 9-24 Pam & Jim Barnette



### Children's Message -August Leaders -

9-3 Betty Richey 9-10 Jack St. John 9-17 Cindy Green 9-24 Janet Matthews



**Anyone** interested in attending a JSU football game on the 23rd of September contact Pastor Woody.

The Ellen Rudder Sunday School Class will resume meeting on Sunday September 10th in Classroom 1 at 9:00 a.m.

Jane Hopson will lead the class in a 12-week study on The Absolute Basics of the Wesleyan Way. Past members, as well as anyone who is not already in a class and interested in this topic, are welcome.

If you plant to attend, please contact Elaine Brookshire to get an estimate of the number of books needed.



Anyone interested in playing in a Charity Golf Tournament on Monday, September 25th contact Jeremy Hughes.



### **Grief Support Group**

GRIEF SHARE Theresa Kilgro has been leading a great support group for a couple of years here at Randall's Chapel. If you have had the passing of a love one, let me encourage you to check out this ministry and group to find some good support and encouragement. They are meeting every other Friday. If you are interested contact Theresa or the church office.

They will be meeting on Friday, September 1st, 15th and 29th at 10:00 a.m.



Life Resource Services of Jackson Co. We are open Monday thru Friday from 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

### September Collection:

Snacks, paper towels, Styrofoam cups, plastic spoons. We can always use volunteers to help. Thank You for your support.



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 Grief Share Meeting 10:00 a.m.	2
3 Sunday School at 9:00 Worship at 10:00	4	5 Randall's Chapel Helping Hands Meeting at 10:00	6 Meal at 6:00 Bible Discussion, Children and Youth at 6:30	7	8	9 Men's Food and Fellowship at 8:00 a.m.
10 Sunday School at 9:00 Worship at 10:00 Holy Communion Leadership Team will meet after Worship Cantata Practice at	11	Men's and Women's Bible Study at 6:30	Meal at 6:00 Bible Discussion, Children and Youth at 6:30	14	Grief Share Meeting 10:00 a.m	16
Sunday School at 9:00 Worship at 10:00 Cantata Practice at 4:00	18	Women's Emmaus Reunion Group meeting 10:00 Men's and Women's Bible Study at 6:30	Meal at 6:00 Bible Discussion, Children and Youth at 6:30	Swim Team Breakfast at 7:00	22	JSU Football Game at 4:00
24 Sunday School at 9:00 Worship at 10:00 Cantata Practice at 4:00	25 Charity Golf Tournament	26  Men's and Women's Bible Study at 6:30	Meal at 6:00 Bible Discussion, Children and Youth at 6:30	28	Grief Share Meeting 10:00 a.m	30



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"All our summer shade is falling down!"



STONE SOUP BY JAN ELIOT



### Pickles by Brian Crane for March 22, 2021





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### **WORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES**

### **SUNDAY**

SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:00 WORSHIP 10:00

### **TUESDAY**

MEN'S & WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY
AT 6:30 PM

### **WEDNESDAY**

ADULT BIBLE STUDY 6:30 PM YOUTH AND CHILDREN ACTIVITIES 6:30 PM