

UCMBC Announcements

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Church Wide Announcements

October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month: Please continue wearing your pink attire. Everyone is encouraged to visit your healthcare professional and schedule the appropriate screenings.



Today, Sunday, October 19th, we are observing College Paraphernalia Sunday. We celebrate the commitment to faith, excellence, and education and invite the church family to wear your favorite college attire. Additionally, we encourage all high school seniors to visit the table in the foyer to meet our Education Assistance Ministry as they provide valuable information toward graduation.



❖ High school seniors who are interested in scholarship opportunities are encouraged to connect with Minister Marquis immediately after service. He has valuable information to share that could help support your next steps after graduation.

The **Second Fall Session of GriefShare** will be held **Sunday, October 19th at 2:00pm** in Room 17. Topics of discussion will be “Loneliness & Sadness” and “Fearful & Overwhelmed.” The sessions are designed to assist individuals with healing from the death of a loved one. For additional information about GriefShare, please contact Sister Georgia S. Valrie or Sister Monica Phipps Stewart.

NEW MEMBER Orientation Classes

New Member Orientation Classes will meet today, immediately after 9 AM Worship Service, ending approximately at 11:30 AM before the noon Gospel Impact worship service. Adults will meet in the Old Library Room, and Youth will meet in Room 12. Please bring your Bible, New Member Orientation booklet, and a pen/pencil. Contact Minister Lee Sister Toney with inquiries.



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The Exchange: The **Collegiate Age Ministry** is thrilled to host The Exchange, an afternoon designed for high school seniors, members, and friend ages **18 to 25**. The event will be held on **Saturday, November 1st from 2PM until 5 PM in the Fellowship Hall**. This is more than just an event, it's a space where we come together to share Biblical wisdom, connect through real fellowship, and grow through an honest, interactive panel discussion. Think of it as iron sharpening iron. Do you have questions about anxiety, depression, forgiveness, or anything else on your heart? Bring them! No question is off limits, and every answer will be rooted in God's Word. Plus, we will have food available. **To join us, sign up at the Welcome Desk or us the link below.** For more info, please reach out to Sis. Shania Williams, Sis. Neveah Eggleston, or Sis. Robyn Cole. Don't miss The Exchange, we're saving a seat for you! Click [here](#) for more information!

Showers of Blessings: Union Chapel is extending support to church members in need of Christmas assistance for their children, infants through age 12. If you are a parent or legal guardian in need of assistance this holiday season, please complete the request form located at the **Welcome Desk**. **Proof of guardianship is required.** **The submission deadline is Sunday, November 16th.** If you would like to contribute to this meaningful effort, donations can be made through any of the church's giving platforms. Please clearly designate your gift for "Showers of Blessings.". For questions or more information, please contact Minister Marquis.

Ministry Meetings

The **Young Women's Ministry**, open to women ages 18-35, **will meet in person in Room 17 & virtually, Monday, October 20th, at 7:00pm**, to accommodate GHIMF rehearsal.



This is a space to be you, with like minded, young women, seeking a closer relationship with God. We are so excited to re-invigorate this ministry. Please reach out to Sis. Nikki Strickland if you have any questions! We hope to see you there!

Join Zoom Meeting
Meeting ID: 824 6353 8894
Passcode: YWM2023

To ALL Ministry Coordinators and Co-coordinators:

ALL DEACONS, MINISTRY COORDINATORS & CO-COORDINATORS are requested to meet with Pastor Davis on **Tuesday, October 21st** in the fellowship hall.

****ALL Deacons and Ministry Leaders are encouraged to attend**

SAM's Ministry will meet **Tuesday, November 4 @ 1:00pm in the Fellowship Hall**
For additional information contact Sis. Sarah White or Mother Elizabeth Smith.



Veterans Ministry: The Veterans Day Parade will be held Tuesday, November 11th at 11:00am. All veterans that would like to participate in the parade please contact Bro. Michael Rowland or Bro. Richard Pitts.

Union Chapel Christian Academy Foundation, Inc.

Day of Giving- October 19, 2025

Please join Pastor O. Wendell Davis and the Board of Directors of the Union Chapel Christian Academy Foundation, Inc. in celebrating the "Annual Day of Giving" for our beloved Christian Academy! This year's "Day of Giving" is Sunday, October 19, 2025 and the signature event of our Annual Giving Program. The Annual Giving Program was established in 2013 to raise funds to enhance academic and non-academic programs and provide scholarships to academically talented students to attend the Academy.



The students and faculty of our Academy have been so richly blessed by the generosity of our "giving partners", like you, and we are so blessed that you are



willing to continue the generosity! Please make your check payable to Union Chapel Christian Academy Foundation (UCCAF) or notate UCCAF on your donation.

All gifts are tax-deductible and donor gifts of \$1,000 and above will be listed on the O. Wendell Davis Wall of Honor. God Bless you for your generous spirits and gifts! We look forward to greeting you on our "Annual Giving Day", Sunday, October 19, 2025. **Judise H. Lanier-Owens**

Employment Opportunities

Union Chapel Missionary Baptist Church (UCMBC) has immediate openings for:

1. Church Accountant

Please visit the church website for additional information.

Hospitalized Members

Please keep our hospitalized members in your prayers.

- *Mother Ernestine Sullivan- NO VISITORS (POC: Daughter Cindy Humphrey)*
- *Bro. Charlie Fletcher, NO VISITORS PLEASE*

Please keep our members who are in nursing home and rehab in your prayers.

- *Sis. Louisiana Jordan, POC – Ingrid Jordan (dau)*
- *Sis Gloria Wynn*
- *Sis. Vernina Taylor*

Condolences

Please continue to keep our bereaved families in your prayers.

Sunday, October 19, 2025

*Mr. Jerome McKinstry, the brother of Sis. Deborah McKinstry Toney, passed on Tuesday, October in Birmingham, AL. **Celebration of Life Services will be held at 11:00am on Monday, October 20th at Sixteenth Street Baptist Church, 1530 6th Ave North, Birmingham, AL 35203. Alpha Phi Alpha Omega: Monday at 10:30 at Sixteenth Street Baptist Church.** Smith & Gaston Funeral Services, 102 6th Avenue SW, Birmingham, AL 35211 has been entrusted with the final arrangements. **Repast:** Birmingham Civil Rights Institute, 520 16th St N, Birmingham, AL 35203. **Interment:** Tuesday, October 21 at 11:45 Alabama National Cemetery 3133 Highway 119, Montevallo, AL 35115.*

Condolences may be sent to:
Mrs. Deborah M. McKinstry (Rick) and Family

*Mr. Titus Cattage, the son of Bro. Charley and Sis. Arlene Cattage, passed on September 27, 2025 in California. **A Memorial Service will be held at 1pm on Thursday, October 23rd at the New Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church, 11479 Dogwood Flats Rd, Tanner, AL 35671. Interment: Thatch-Mann Cemetery, 1801 West Hobbs St, Athens, AL 35611. Locally Serenity Funeral Home will handle the arrangements.***

Condolences may be sent to:
Mr. Charley and Mrs. Arlene Cattage and Family

*Bro. Randy Reed, the husband of Sis. Juliet N. Reed passed in Huntsville, AL. Final arrangements have been entrusted to Serenity Funeral Home. **NO OTHER DETAILS***

Condolences may be sent to:
Mrs. Juliet Reed and Family

*Bro. James Plenty, the husband of Sis. Ann Plenty, and the father of Dr. Anthony Plenty and Sisters Tierra McCants, Wendy Ferguson and Sandra Plenty, passed on Tuesday, October 14, 2025, in Huntsville, AL. **The Funeral Service will be held at 11:00am on Friday, October 24 at Union Chapel Missionary Baptist Church, 315 Winchester Rd, Huntsville, AL 35811. Visitation-Thursday, October 23 from 12noon-7pm at Serenity Funeral Home.***

Condolences may be sent to:

Mrs. Ann Plenty and Family
Dr. Anthony Plenty
Mrs. Tierra McCants
Mrs. Wendy Ferguson
Ms. Sandra Plenty

Prayer List

Mrs. Mattie Moore (aunt of Sis. Pam Byers)
Mrs. Cassandra Nobles(wife of Bro. Tony Nobles)
Sis. Viola McWilliams, POC: Nikki Titang (dau)
Sis. Kalexis Jordan Drake
Bro. Patrick Walker
Bro. David Langston_Stewart
Sis. Florence Love
Sis. Dorothy Bolden
Minister Lennon Martin
Sis. Sheri Tims
Mr. Roosevelt Rodgers(father of Sis. Virdell Mason)

Mother Hattie Burton
Bro. Derrick Hunter
Bro. Archie Gurley
Bro. Knute R. Walker
Sis. Martha Leslie
Sis Raven Hill Dickerson
Sis. Cynthia Wiley
Mrs. Helen Cooper (mother of Sis. Sarah White)

Sick and Shut In

Please continue to pray for our sick and shut in members.

Sis. Evonne Burns
Mother Patsy Pope
Sis. Jessie Booker, *POC- Son: Vincent Timmons*
Bro. James Pope
Sis. Terri Acklin-Lewis, *POC-Dau*
Sis. Cynthia Lockhart
Sis. Vivian Kelley
Bro. Emery Brooks
Mother Annie Woods, *POC: Carol Ford*
Sis. Minnie Wilson & Bro. Frank D. Wilson, *POC: Letitia Walker (daughter)*
Sis. Barbara Hampton Steele, POC: Joyce Hampton
Deacon John Butler
Deacon Franklin Brandon
Bro. Howard Gaines, Sr
Sis. Melody Malone
Sis. Linda Turner Chirwa, *POC: Evette Turner*
Sis. Georgia Hewlett
Mother Hazel Hawk
Sis. Crystal S. Blackburn, *POC: Jimmy Blackburn*

Bro. Booker Weaver
Brother Jimmy Brooks
Bro. Charley Cattage
Bro. Robert Key
Sis. Marilyn Warren,
Sis. Bobbie Gordon, *c/o Natasha Charles (dau)*
Bro. Anthony Hawkins
Sis. Annie Bradley
Sis. Janice Fletcher
Sis. Barbara Brasher
Sis. Martha Toney
Sis. Kathy Jefferson
Bro. Anthony Brown
Sis. Quennis Stevenson & Deacon Michael Stevenson
Deacon Eddie Thomas & Sis. Elizabeth Thomas
Bro. Ontario "Terry" Crutcher, *POC: Florence Love*
Bro. Harrison Johnson
Sis. Sandra McCall
Sis. Jean Flakes

UCMBC YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS

BEGINS SUNDAY NOVEMBER 2ND 2025



CLASSES CURRENTLY AVAILABLE:

- CLASS 1: K – 3rd
- CLASS 2: 4th – 6th



Church Basement: 11:15am – 11:50am

The Union Chapel Missionary Baptist Church Sunday School Department is excited to announce the reinstatement of the Youth Sunday School Classes beginning Sunday, November 2nd 2025. Youth Sunday School Classes will be held each Sunday between the 9 o'clock and 12 o'clock Church Services in the church basement from 11:15am to 11:50am. Initial classes being offered are for Grades K-3rd and Grades 4th-6th. Future classes for both Middle School and High School students are being planned, and will be initiated and announced when available. We encourage all parents and guardians to take the initiative to ensure our youth are involved in the life changing experiences and benefits of Sunday School studies, as it is our duty and responsibility to *"train up our children in the way they should go"*. Please direct any questions to Deacon Jacoby Berry.