

Church Announcements for MARCH 1, 2026

Church-Wide

Pastor Davis is excited to announce that beginning the first Sunday in March, we will observe Unity Sunday on the first Sunday of each month at 9:00am.

On Unity Sunday, both worship services will come together in a spirit of unity, praise, and communion. Please note that on the 2nd, 3rd, 4th, and 5th Sundays of each month, two services will continue to be offered at 9am and 12-Noon.

For any questions or additional information, please contact Min. Marquis.

Children's Church will be available on the 1st, 2nd, and 4th Sundays during our 9:00 AM service for **children ages 5 through 12**. Children will enjoy a dynamic, age-appropriate worship experience **for the entire service** designed just for them! Each gathering will include engaging lessons, meaningful activities, and opportunities for our children to grow in their faith, build friendships, and learn more about God in a fun and welcoming environment. Parents, we kindly ask that you drop off your children in the church basement. Immediately following the service, please come directly to the basement for pick-up to ensure a smooth and safe dismissal. When signing your child in, please indicate on the sign-in sheet whether your child will be staying for Sunday School, so we can properly prepare and account for everyone. We are truly excited about what God is doing in the lives of our children, and we look forward to serving your family through Children's Church! If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Sis. Janika Crum or Minister Marquis.

New Members Orientation will NOT BE HELD TODAY

"Mid-Service Sunday School Hour" is now fully reinstated to serve both our Youth and Adult parishioners. *9:00am Service Attendees...stay just a little later; 12:00pm Service Attendees...come just a little earlier...as the "Mid-Service Sunday School Hour" takes place between the 9:00am and 12:00pm Worship Services to accommodate our entire Church Family!*

The **Youth Ministry** is seeking **dedicated and passionate volunteers** to serve in our Children's Church and Nursery Ministry during both the 9:00 AM and 12:00 Noon services. This is a wonderful opportunity to support our children, strengthen our ministry, and make a lasting impact on young lives. If you feel led to serve, please contact Min. Marquis for more information.

Newsletter: *The Herald*. Please submit your information to 1newsletter24@gmail.com and/or call 256-424-2569 if you have questions/concerns. The **next quarterly edition will be published, Sunday, April 5th**. Continue to submit your articles monthly in a timely manner. We reserve the right not to include all articles in the newsletter.

The 2026 National Baptist Convention Congress of Christian Education

This year's Congress of Christian Education **will be held June 22-26 in St. Louis, Missouri**. If you plan to attend, please sign up at the Welcome Desk in the foyer. **The sign-up deadline is May 3, 2026**. Transportation will be provided by the Church. For additional information, contact Deacon Michael Malone or email mdmalone04@yahoo.com.

MINISTRY Meetings

Executive Ministry Meeting will be held on Monday, March 2nd @ 6pm in the church library.



The Youth Choir will meet for rehearsal this Monday, March 2nd from 6:00pm-7:00pm in the choir room. All youth ages 7-18 are welcome to join as we develop their musical gifts. If you would like your child to participate, please contact Bro. Brandon Pair, Sis. Nikki Strickland or Min. Marquis for more information.

The GriefShare session scheduled for Sunday, March 1, 2026, will not be held. The next GriefShare session will be held Sunday, March 8th at 2:00 p.m., in Room 17. The topics of discussion will be “Self Care” and “Fearful and Overwhelmed.” GriefShare is designed to assist individuals with healing from the death of loved ones. For additional information, please contact Sister Monica Phipps Stewart at 256-682-0466 or Sister Georgia S. Valrie 256-656-4698.

Next Meeting -**Sunday, March 8, 2026**
Sunday, March 22, 2026

Sunday, March 15, 2026
Sunday, March 29, 2026

For more information about GriefShare, please contact Sister Georgia S. Valrie at 256-656-4698 or Sister Monica Phipps Stewart at 256-682-0466.

Missionary Ministry will meet on Monday, March 9 @ 12noon in the Fellowship Hall

The Veterans Ministry Monthly Meeting will be held on Monday, March 9, at 6:00 p.m. at the Tut Fann Veterans Home located at 2701 Meridian Street North, Huntsville.

Ms. Charlotte Robinson, Facility Director, will provide a tour of the facility. If you plan to attend, please sign up at the Welcome Desk today.

All veterans, their spouses, and caregivers are welcome to attend. Please direct all questions to Brother Bobby Sims or Minister Willie Montgomery, Jr.

Widows & Widowers Care Ministry ZOOM meeting will be held Monday, March 9 @ 6pm Dial in number-1-929-436-2866

Zoom Meeting ID: 842-0487-3189 Pass Code: 892774

Missionary Ministry will meet Monday, March 9 @ 12:00 noon in the Fellowship Hall— Contact: Mother Wilma Cooke if you have questions



TRANSPORTATION MINISTRY-

To All drivers and potential drivers for any Union Chapel vehicles Your presence is requested at a very important meeting **on Monday, March 9, 2026 at 6pm in the Fellowship Hall.**

Information to be discussed will include safety concerns, insurance requirements and more. If you have questions, please contact Deacons Themika Sims and Jerome Collins, and Bro. Lindsey Perry



Kidney Ministry Meeting on Tuesday, March 10, 2026 @6:00pm in room 17
We invite those impacted by kidney disease to include patients, caregivers, family members, kidney donors and transplant recipients to attend. Ministry contacts are Minister Janet Dickerson, Coordinator or Sis. Velma Howard, Co-coordinator.

Anniversary

Congratulations to **ALL** Members celebrating anniversaries in the month of **MARCH**
May God's grace, love, and favor continue to bless this union.

JOB ANNOUNCEMENT FOR--

1. DAYCARE WORKER / TEACHER; STATUS: Full-Time / Hourly

GENERAL SUMMARY: Union Chapel Missionary Baptist Church Child Development Center has an immediate opening for a Daycare Worker/Teacher.

2. DAYCARE COOK PART-TIME; STATUS: Part-Time / hourly

GENERAL SUMMARY: Union Chapel Missionary Baptist Church Child Development Center has an immediate opening for a Part-time Cook.

How to apply: Visit the church's website at: www.unionchapel-hsv/employment

Ways to Submit:

- Email to: HR@unionchapel-hsv.org
- Mailed to Union Chapel M. B. Church
 - ATTN: Human Resources
 - 315 Winchester Road Huntsville, AL 35811
- Apply in the Church Office on weekdays between the hours of 9:00am - 4:00pm

TIME CHANGE

Clocks will spring forward at 2:00am Sunday, March 8TH



Baptism and Holy Communion

John 3:16 NIV

¹⁶ For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.

Ephesians 2:4-9 NIV

⁴ But because of his great love for us, God, who is rich in mercy, ⁵ made us alive with Christ even when we were dead in transgressions—it is by grace you have been saved. ⁶ And God raised us up with Christ and seated us with him in the heavenly realms in Christ Jesus, ⁷ in order that in the coming ages he might show the incomparable riches of his grace, expressed in his kindness to us in Christ Jesus. ⁸ For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith—and this is not from yourselves, it is the gift of God— ⁹ not by works, so that no one can boast.

Romans 10:9-10 NIV

⁹ If you declare with your mouth, “Jesus is Lord,” and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. ¹⁰ For it is with your heart that you believe and are justified, and it is with your mouth that you profess your faith and are saved.

I Corinthians 11:23-26 NIV

²³ For I received from the Lord what I also passed on to you: The Lord Jesus, on the night he was betrayed, took bread, ²⁴ and when he had given thanks, he broke it and said, “This is my body, which is for you; do this in remembrance of me.” ²⁵ In the same way, after supper he took the cup, saying, “This cup is the new covenant in my blood; do this, whenever you drink it, in remembrance of me.” ²⁶ For whenever you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord’s death until he comes.

Trust and Obey

*1 When we walk with the Lord
in the light of his word,
what a glory he sheds on our way!
While we do his good will,
he abides with us still,
and with all who will trust and obey.*

Refrain:

***Trust and obey, for there's no other way
to be happy in Jesus, but to trust and
obey.***

*2 Not a burden we bear,
not a sorrow we share,
but our toil he doth richly repay;
not a grief or a loss,
not a frown or a cross,
but is blest if we trust and obey. **[Refrain]***

*3 But we never can prove
the delights of his love
until all on the altar we lay;
for the favor he shows,
for the joy he bestows,
are for them who will trust and obey.*

[Refrain]

*4 Then in fellowship sweet
we will sit at his feet,
or we'll walk by his side in the way;
what he says we will do,
where he sends we will go;
never fear, only trust and obey. **[Refrain]***

PRAYER LIST FOR HOSPITALIZED & NURSING/REHAB MEMBERS

Please keep our hospitalized members in your prayers.

Sis. Regina Clemons-NO VISITORS PLEASE

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

- *Bro. Charley Cattage –*
- *Bro. Charlie Fletcher, POC Lisa Suggs*
- *Sis. Joann King*
- *Sis Gloria Wynn*
- *Sis. Vernina Taylor*

• PRAYER LIST for Condolences (Members)

Please remember to keep our bereaved families in your prayers.

Bro. David Lamar Porter, the husband of Sis. Evelyn Porter passed on Friday, February 27, 2026 in Huntsville, AL. NO OTHER DETAILS. Royal Funeral Home has been entrusted with the final arrangements.

*Condolences may be sent to:
Mrs. Evelyn Porter and Family*

Mr. Burkie McGee, Jr., the brother of Sis. Theresa Gurley, passed on Sunday, February 22, 2026 in Jackson, MS. NO OTHER DETAILS

*Condolences may be sent to:
Dr. Theresa Gurley and Family*

Bro. Kevon Collier, the son of Sis. Crystal D. Collier and the brother of Sis. Christine Reivee Collier, passed on Friday, February 20, 2026 in Huntsville, AL. The Funeral Service will be held at 12:00 noon on Saturday, February 28th at the Union Chapel Missionary Baptist Church, 315 Winchester Rd, Huntsville, AL 35811. Interment: Meadowlawn Garden of Peace, 450 Mt. Lebanon Road, Toney, AL 35773. Final arrangements have been entrusted to Royal Funeral Home.

*Condolences may be sent to:
Ms. Crystal D. Collier and Family
Miss Christine R. Collier*

Mr. Enmon Demond Rogers, the son of Sister Evelyn and Bro. David Porter, passed on Friday, February 20, 2026 in Huntsville, AL. The Funeral Service will be held at 12:00 noon on Saturday, March 7, 2026 at the Union Chapel Missionary Baptist Church, 315 Winchester Rd, Huntsville, AL 35811. Public viewing: Friday, March 6 from 1pm - 6pm Interment: Meadowlawn Garden of Peace, 450 Mt. Lebanon Road, Toney, AL 35773. Royal Funeral Home will handle the final arrangements.

*Condolences may be sent to:
Mrs. Evelyn Porter and Family*

PRAYER LIST for the Sick & Shut-ins MEMBERS

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**
 - **Bro. Booker Weaver**
 - **Bro. Robert Key**
 - **Sis. Annie Bradley**
 - **Sis. Janice Fletcher**
 - **Sis. Martha Toney**
 - **Bro. Anthony Brown**
 - **Deacon Eddie Thomas & Sis. Elizabeth Thomas**
 - **Bro. Ontario "Terry" Crutcher, POC: Florence Love**
 - **Sis. Sandra McCall**
 - **Sis. Mae Cathryn Phillips**
 - **Mother Ernestine Sullivan-NO VISITORS - Please contact Daughter, Cindy Humphrey**
 - **Sis. Jennifer Simmons**
 - **Bro. Anthony Hawkins**
 - **Bro. Patrick Walker**

PRAYER LIST

- **Ms. Doris Carter (mother of Sis. Jackie Jefferson)**
 - **Sis. Genell Pitts needs a kidney transplant (wife of Bro. Richard Pitts)**
 - **Bro. Willie Smith POC: Sis Christinia Smith, wife,**
 - **Sis. Ann Plenty**
 - **Mr. Brad D. Jefferson needs a kidney transplant (son of Bro. Archie & Sis. Debra Jefferson)**
 - **Mrs. Frankie Yarbrough (wife of Bro. Alexander Gilmore)**
 - **Bro. David Langston Stewart**
 - **Minister Lennon Martin**
 - **Sis. Sheri Tims**
 - **Mother Hattie Burton**
- **Ms. Courtnie Perry (niece if Sis. Sarah Eatman)**
 - **Sis. Brenda Martin**
 - **Bro. Harrison Johnson**
 - **Bro. Ryland Landers (son of Sis. Virdell Landers Mason and Bro. AL Mason)**
 - **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. Archie Gurley**
 - **Mr. Roosevelt Rodgers (father of Sis. Virdell Mason)**



To Our Pastor's Wife,

We have a priceless treasure in you

*One never knows the struggles, the trials you go through
as you stand behind our Pastor...Your Husband in support of His Ministry
and this Church Family*

We love and appreciate you...

Thank you for all you do in His Name!

Happy Birthday

Mother Dora Moore Davis

(Sister Davis celebrated her birthday on Friday, February 27th)