# Welcome!

We are glad you chose to come and be with us today!

"Enter His gates with thanksgiving and His courts with praise! Give thanks to Him and bless His holy name!"

#### TO KNOW CHRIST AND MAKE HIM KNOWN

"O come let us worship and bow down, let us kneel before the Lord, our Maker! For He is our God, and we are the people of His pasture, and the sheep of His hand." Psalm 95:6-7

#### CALL TO WORSHIP

The Joy of the Lord # 569 Come Now is the Time to Worship # 30

WELCOME/Scripture Reading/Prayer

Special Music "I Bless Your Name" Chris and Jennie Keys

Since Jesus Came Into My Heart # 624 Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus # 657 Oh, How He Loves You and me # 170

#### WORSHIP THROUGH THE WORD

James 2:1-12

**RESPONSE TIME:** The aim of the response time or invitation is to provide you the opportunity to express obedience to the revealed truth of God's Word.

- To receive Jesus Christ as personal Lord and Savior To repent of a specific sin that is hindering fellowship with God
- To renew commitment to grow toward spiritual maturity
- To request prayer for a personal need or respond to a specific challenge issued in the sermon

#### WORSHIP THROUGH TITHES AND OFFERINGS

**BENEDICTION** 

### THE FLOWERS WE ARE ENJOYING TODAY



Flowers are given by Emil Turk to the glory of God and in awe of His creation displayed in Spring beauty, particularly Macon's Cherry Blossoms.

### This week at WDBC

SUNDAY, March 17 9:00 AM Pray for Power

WEDNESDAY, March 20 5:00 PM Wednesday Prayer Service

9:45 AM Sunday School 11:00 AM Morning Worship 4:00 PM Evangelism Explosion

#### LOOKING AHEAD

Sewing Ministry every Thursday @ 9:30 AM March 16 Weslevan Drive Road Clean up March 23 Single's Fellowship 6:00 PM

#### CHURCH STAFF

Emails

Mike Gibbs Pastor Student Pastor Chris Keys Church Office Sydney Colvin Brenda Wimberly Piano/Organ

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#### **PRAYER REQUEST**

Call or text prayer request to our Prayer Ministry Coordinator, Margaret McCook, at 478-972-0588, or you can reach her by email at margmc@cox.net

Every Sunday morning we have an individual praying for the morning worship service and for individual needs. If you have a prayer request, please fill out the prayer request form on the side of the bulletin or the prayer request form located in the back of the pew and give to an usher at the start of the service.

### **IN THE PRAYER ROOM TODAY:** Pete Cook

God loves you! He wants you to have a personal relationship with Him through Jesus, His Son. There is just one thing that separates you from God. That one thing is sin.

"For all have sinned and come short of the glory of God." Rom. 3:23

However,

"God demonstrates His own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us." Romans 5:8

But I am a good person,

"He saved us, not because of righteous things we had done, but because of His mercy." Titus 3:5

It's God's grace that allows you to come to Him

For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith - and this not from yourselves, it is the gift of God - not by works, so that no one can boast." Ephesians 2:8-9

For you to come to God, the penalty for your sin must be paid. God's gift to you is His son, Jesus, who paid the debt for you when He died on the Cross.

"For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Jesus Christ our Lord." Rom. 6:23

Will you place your trust in Jesus Christ today?

### **Guest Information** Welcome!

#### Were glad you're here today!

Please fill out the information below and drop it in the offering plate or give to one of the ushers at the end of the service.

Name
Address
City
StateZip
Phone
E-mail
I am a guest of:
<b>Age Group:</b> 0-10 11-19 20-29 30-39 40-49 50-59 60+
Ages of Children at home
I would like information on: Bible Studies Children and youth activities Music and Choir

#### **Prayer Request:**

I would like to meet with the

Pastor

## Student Ministry Chris Keys

Sunday, March 24, our youth will be volunteering at the Cherry Blossom Road Race at Rosa Parks Square. More Details to be coming soon.

#### The Sunday School is the church organized to fulfill the Great Commission. Allan Taylor

Alan Taylor in his book, "The Six Core Values of Sunday School", challenges the churches to take a closer look at the importance of Sunday school.

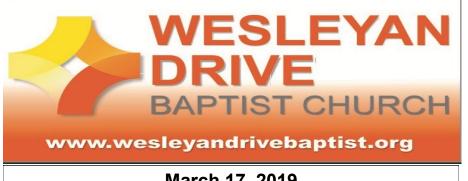
What then is the mission of the Sunday school? I believe many would say the mission is to "teach the Bible" or "fellowship together". While these are functions that take place in Sunday School, the main purpose of Sunday School is to evangelize the lost.

Notice in the quote up top by Allan Taylor, the Sunday School is the church ORGANIZED to fulfill the Great Commission. The old saving, failure to plan is planning to fail, is true even in Sunday School. Time is important and if you are like me, I don't like to have my time wasted. Without a organized plan for the worship service, we would end up wasting a lot of time before we realized it. The hour we have together in worship service is important and I believe we would be a poor steward of time not to have a plan. The same is true for Sunday School.

Charles Tidwell in his book, "The Educational Ministry Of A Church", defines six task the Sunday School should seek to accomplish.

- 1. Reach people for Bible study and fellowship
- 2. Teach the Bible
- 3. Lead people to Christ
- 4. Minister to people in need
- 5. Lead members to a more meaningful church membership
- 6. Support the work of the church

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March 17, 2019



It is time to Refresh the grounds and buildings, Rebuild ministries, and Reinvent our view of discipleship.



Annie Armstrong North American Missions

> Church Goal: \$2,500 Given to Date: \$1,875

5th Sunday Breakfast March 31 @ 9:45 AM



Have you been to Sunday School lately? Have you invited anyone to church lately?