EDDIE'S EDITORIAL

Life is full of interruptions. Hardly a day goes by that there isn't some type of interruption. It is just a part of life. They can really cause one to stop and regroup just when we think we have it all planned out.

Interruptions can really ruin your plans unless we can find God in the interruptions. Abraham had to leave everything but as a result all the families on earth would be blessed. Paul was stopped by the Holy Spirit right in the middle of a planned mission trip but God redirects his efforts and the gospel is preached in a place it had never been preached. Mary and Joseph had wedding plans and are told that a baby is going to be born. This baby would change the world and bring salvation to all people.

I think we would all agree that there have been many interruptions over the past year. So what do we do? We find God in the interruptions. We don't quit. We don't give up. We continue to make a difference in the lives of others. Use our interruptions to bring glory to God.

Sunday Bible Study n/a
Sunday Morning Worship 117
Sunday Evening Worship n/a
Wednesday Night Bible Study n/a
Contribution \$6792

Prayer list:

KEITH CORKREN is not doing well at home.

JOPHN R. MCGEE is sick at home.

MARY ELMORE, Beth Snyder's mother, is recovering from surgery at her home in Northport. Her address: 6191 Concord Place. Northport, AL. 35473 FREDDIE MADDOX, Freddie Maddox's father, is in a rehab facility in Northport recovering from surgery.

Remember our shut-ins in your prayers: Harold Gault, J.C. Hutchison, Alton Rector, Martha Rye, Jo Seay, Norma Stanford, Mary Thomas PRAYERS A.M.

SONG LEADERS
A.M. Craig Snyder(9:30), Kurt Hankins
(10:45)

Lord's Supper: 9:30 O.Z. Rhudy, 10:45, Austin Brown

Security –1-24(1st) – Lynn Pennington, James McGee 1-24 (2nd) –Mark Thomas, Austin Brown

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES:

If your are 75 and older you can get the Covid Vaccine at the Lamar County Health Dept. beginning January 18. Call for an appointment.

Congratulations to Glen & Tammy Bardon in becoming grandparents. Cora Grace Denton was born 1-18-21. She weighed 6lbs – 7oz.

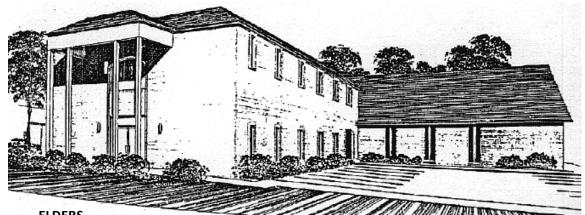
Eddie

I try to keep politics out of my sermons and articles as much as possible. But this election cycle, especially the past week, has shaken me to the core. As a veteran, patriot and Christian, it is hard to deal with everything that is going on. This past week as people ransacked the capitol building I found for the first time my faith in our country shaken. I fear that as Christians we are quickly approaching a time that will try our souls, spirits and resolve.

The fact that everyday most of us handle money and on that money is printed "In God We Trust." Never has a sentiment been more relevant to or mocked by the people. It would do us good as faithful children of God to remember that it is trust in Him and not a system or man-made institution that can carry us through the road ahead.

As Christians in the coming days, we may be sieged on all sides. Some will say we are to loving and understanding with those who wish to do us harm. Some will say we are too ridged in the way we continue to carry ourselves according to divine scriptures. Most will not understand how we can desire peace and yet say we are ready to obey God over man. The remnants of God throughout history faced the same problems. They simply bowed before God and put all their trust in Him. May we do the same. Jason Flowers

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Glenn Butler Allen Chandler Burt Hankins Hugh Windle

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Schedule of Services
Sunday Bible Study 10:00 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship 5:00 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

"The churches of Christ salute you . . ."
Romans 16:16