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Wednesdays - Bible Bowl @ 5:30 p.m.

Sundays - Puppets - 3:30 p.m.

Keepers/Providers TODAY, 2:30 - 3:30 - This will be a First Aid Class for any students. See Courtney Patterson for the list of supplies you will need to make your first aid kit!

YOUTH & TEEN NEWS

<u>- SAYS - TONIGHT!</u> - Exalt - NEXT Sunday, March 27th

Graduating... From High School or College?

If you will be graduating from High School or College in May (OR graduated college in December), please get your name to Susie in the office, ASAP! A special day is being planned in your honor for Sunday, May 1st.

> (Pictures and info WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED AFTER APRIL 17th).

Sheep Don't Wallow

There was a lamb and its mother. The lamb passed a pigpen each morning on the way to the pasture with it's mother. Watching the pigs wallow in the mud seems like such fun, and on an especially hot day the lamb asked his mother if he could jump the fence and wallow in the cool mud. She replied, "No."

Then the lamb asked "Why?"

The mother just replied, "Sheep don't wallow!"

This didn't satisfy the lamb. He felt she was just over -restrictive. So as soon as the mother was out of sight, the lamb jumped the fence and ran to the pigpen . He was soon feeling the cool mud on his feet, his legs and soon his stomach. Sermon Notes

After a few moments, he decided he had better go

back to his mother, but he couldn't. He was stuck.

Mud and wool don't mix. His pleasure had become

his prison. He cried out and was rescued by the

kindly farmer. When cleaned and returned to the

field, the mother said, "Remember: sheep don't wal-

Sin is like that. It looks nice, we may think we can

escape when we wish, but it is not so. Pleasures

often become prisons. ----Glad Tidings.

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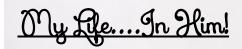
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Week 12: Friendship By Billy Smith

Brother Billy (as we lovingly have referred to him for over 20 years while he served as the chair of the Bible department at Freed-Hardeman) has been a friend to young Bible majors learning the ropes of ministry for decades. I've always appreciated the way he fits the Bible and its message into the everyday ebb and flow of our lives, because he lives it out as much as he preaches it.

This week's devotional thoughts on friendship are a great example of this characteristic. He is able to focus on one of the greatest friendships portrayed in the Bible—that of a lowly shepherd's son named David and the royal prince, Jonathan. They should not have been so closely knit together because of these vast cultural differences. Nevertheless, the ways in which they interacted serve as a great example in how we, too, can share friendship with another and what it means to us. I appreciate very much how Brother Smith shares his own personal experiences with his friends in our readings, giving us a glimpse of how friends shape our lives everyday. Keep your friends in mind as you read this week, and see what great lessons you can find.

Think about it today and be blessed, put it to work everyday and God will change your life!

With Love, Adam

Today's Service

Sunday, March 20th, 2022

Song ServiceJonathan Oakley
Song - "Firm Foundation "
Elder Welcome Terry Oakley
Song - (#514) "Redeemed"
Song - (#354) "I Gave My Life for Thee"
Scripture & Prayer Todd Mays
(1 Peter 1:18-21)
Song - (#324) "Alas! And Did My Savior Bleed"
Lord's Supper Patrick Mitchell
Song - (#287) "There Is A Redeemer"
Message Adam Richardson
"Victory in Jesus"
Invitation Song (#382) "Why Did My Savior Come to Earth"
Announcements Terry Oakley
Closing PrayerJerry Patrick
Join us this evening at 5:00 p.m. for our monthly Melting Pot.

3 Classes to be a part of, pick which best suits you!

God's Plan for Saving Man

Ephesians 2:8
Romans 5:9
Romans 1:16
Acts 16:31
Romans 10:10
1 Peter 3:21
James 2:24
Romans 8:24
Revelation 2:10

Responses

Larry Cross

"Let light SHINE out of darkness." (1 Cor. 4:6)

March Servants

Security/Ushers

B. Balentine, M. Frederick, A. Griffith, T. Mays, J. Smith *Cameras:* K. Mays, D. Scott

Lord's Supper/Lock Up Kevin Medley

<u>Audio Visuals</u> Jordan Eddy/Todd Mays (this week) Codi Rivera/Lydia Galloway (27/30th)

Lord's Supper Ministry Bob Parks, Louis McAdams, Wade Strait

<u>Greeters:</u> Todd/Kim Mays (F) Brent/LeighAnn May (S)

Bus Drivers this Week Wade Strait (today) Jimmy Risner (Wed)

Wed. Song Leader (Mar 23rd) Jack Culberson

Invitation - Wed (Mar 23rd) Terry Oakley

<u>Nursery</u> Shelley Hubbard (AM); Melting Pot (PM)

Zones On Call - March #1/#2 - R. West/P. Roberts #3/#4 - April Strait

Announcements

Bible Hour Tonight - for ages 2 years - 6th grade. 2 classes: 2 years - 1st grade (Teacher: Eric & Sarah Oakley); 2nd grade -6th grade (Teacher: Jon/Emily Oakley), meet in fellowship hall.

<u>Melting Pot Classes Tonight -</u> Find a class to be a part of: *"Holy Matrimony"* (Teen Room - Adam/Autumn Richardson); *"Things I Learned in 1st Grade"* (Auditorium, Terry Oakley); *"How We Got the Bible"* (Adult Classroom - Zach Dayton)

Elders Meet on Wednesday Evenings!

<u>Wednesday Night Devos</u> - We need someone to volunteer this Wednesday. If you would like to lead a 10 minute devo on a Wednesday this year there are still a few spots left, please sign the list on the auditorium table.

Diapers for Jayd Hernandez's Infant Son - If you would like to provide diapers for her baby throughout the year--please see Kayla Burns or Marsha Oakley.

Magi Box Assembly - March 27th - Begin packing around 3:00 p.m. in the fellowship hall. Your help is needed (still lacking hygiene and school supply needs)

<u>Sisters in Stitches Projects</u> - You do not have to be a part of the group to participate. We will be collecting lapghans (for the nursing home), now through April 7th. Also if you would like to make scarves for the military (size requirements), see ShJuanda Medley.

Spring Bring Upcoming - Sunday, April 24th. Start inviting friends and family to come. We will have Lunch and 12:30 p.m. service.

Pray for our Sic

<u>Cancer:</u> Mark Alexander; Faye Balentine; Lonzo Beaman; Benjamin Behel; Larry Behel; Heath Brown; Selena Brown; Janice Bevis; Andy Bretherick; Vonda Brown; Ashley Clos; Ann Cole; Wanda Collier; Peggy Cooper; Tony Ellison; Stacey Evans; Lisa Grossheim; Evelyn Hicks; Madelyn Litrell (2 year old) leukemia; Linda McNeely; Joe Phillips; Grace Riedel; Shirley Rich; Kris Robertson; Kent Sparks; Kaye Swinney; Chris Truitt; Lee White; <u>Military</u>: Dallen Arny; Robbie Smith; <u>Other:</u> Sue Behel (lungs); Bobby Bretherick; Dewayne Fulmer (kidneys); Raymond Killen; David Morris, Don Pollard; Ted Pounders; Randal Rhodes, Sue Tucker;

<u>SICK</u>

Dave Arny - (broke leg/surgery) 303 Cypress Mill Road, Florence, AL 35630 Benjamin Behel - (son of Sue, bladder cancer, surgery, April 6th) Sue Behel - (breathing, doctor in B'ham last week) Michelle Bernstein - (neighbor of D. Scott, acute leukemia, bone marrow transplant recently) Marjorie Cox - (vocal chord issues) 111 Davis Ave. Levon Darby - (mom of D. Pruitt/S. Griffith) Florence Nursing and Rehab **Paul Dodd** - (pacemaker replacement this week) 6205 Pumping Station Road, Cypress Inn, TN **Debbie Durham** - (family of G. Montgomery) cancer **Dewayne Fulmer** - (dialysis) at home Lisa Grossheim - (friend of S. Pannell, cancer/ Covid, other medical issues) JW Somers Rehab **Jerry Hice** - (open heart surgery recently) 195 Murphy Road, Florence, AL 35633 Bradley Maxwell - (hernia complications, at home) continued prayers Marold Pigg - (former member, lost sight in eye) **Poncho Rivera** - (stroke/recovering from surg) 897 County Road 24, 35633 Patsy Roberts -(breast cancer, surgery on Friday at UAB) continued prayers Brenda Thigpen - (kidney issues, testing) asking for prayers Johnny Waddell - (uncle of J. Strait, open heart

surgery last week) req. prayers **Charles Willis -** (neighbor of R. Kimbrell/B. Hanback, cancer) 316 Davis St., Flo., 35633 **Dot Willis** - (broke hip/kidneys) Florence Rehab

*See Back for more announcements