

**ELDERS:**

	Cell:	Home:
Joe Rigby	393-1959	968-2116
Paul Springer	525-2091	994-6648
Larry Thompson	393-5043	479-4619
Johnny Waldroup	982-5524	995-5161

**MINISTERS:**

	Cell:	Home:
Kyle Rye	207-0089	477-5582
Cody Bearden		

# A VIEW FROM THE CHURCH OF CHRIST AT SCENIC HILLS

**DEACONS:**

	Home:
Darrel Bishop	484-7933
Michael C Brown	686-1364
Jerry Caine	968-5680
Rich Dodd	937-0366
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Herb Smith	587-4025

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**Constitutional King or Prime Minister**

*(Uncommon Stories and Illustrations by Jim Burns)*

The country of England has a constitutional queen and a prime minister. In theory, the queen is an essential part of the legislative process of her realms, but in practice, much of her role is strictly ceremonial. She has no real power to make decisions; she is simply a figurehead. On the other hand, the prime minister of England has a great deal of power. The person in this role is considered to be the presiding and actual head of the government and is expected (along with other ministers) to ensure the passage of laws through the legislature. The prime minister is essential in the oversight of the country's affairs whereas the queen is simply a representation of royalty.

Is Jesus the constitutional king or prime minister of your life? Jesus can be relegated to the status of a constitutional king when we refuse to relinquish control of our lives to Him. When our lives are still focused on ourselves then Jesus can be nothing more than a ceremonially figurehead. However, Jesus can also be prime minister of our lives. When we truly deny ourselves, take up our crosses, and follow Jesus (Luke 9:23), we remove our identity, our obstacles, and our control which interfere with Jesus' ability to run the show. We institute Jesus as the prime minister when He has complete uninterrupted power of our lives. So, I ask again, is Jesus the constitutional king or prime minister of your life?

**New Prayer Requests**

**Kevin Goodson** fell while playing tennis Monday and hit hard on his head. He spent the night in Sacred Heart with a basal skull fracture. Thankfully there was no bleeding in the brain.

**Karen Wade**, Kathryn Minton's niece of Tupelo, Mississippi, had a mastectomy Tuesday. She was able to go home from the hospital on Wednesday.

**Johnny Waldroup** has the flu.

**Continue to Remember in Prayer****Our Members**

Jerry Ard, Ken Blanton, Roger Ellis, Elvia Bolling, Wayne Born, Jody Brock, Fletcher Hinote, Barbara and Dale Hobbs, Beau Kelley, Chuck Pruitt, Charlotte Quinn, Al Sheffield, Clyde Taylor, Juanita Taylor and Jack Waldroup

**Our Shut-Ins**

Elmer Jensen, Myrtle Potter, Fred Strasser and Brooks & Maxine Ward

**Friends and Family**

Julie Blackmon (daughter-in-law of Sharon Blanton)  
Wally Booker (friend of the Goodson's)  
Doris Gubitosi (friend of Lola King)  
Jo Dee Kelley (friend of Lacey Brown)  
Bev Key (Kelly Hinote Key's mother-in-law)  
Mickel Kennedy (friend of Billy Cook)  
Dudley Maddox (cousin of Sue Smith)  
Emmett & Lois Phillips (Betty Brown's in-laws)  
Julia Rhodes (Jan Born's mother)  
Carolyn Walker (Eddie Rhodes' aunt)



## Week at a Glance

### Sunday

Bible Classes.....	9:00 AM
Morning Worship.....	10:00 AM
Evening Worship.....	6:00 PM

### Ladies Bible Class

Tuesday Mornings.....	10:00 AM
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### Wednesday

Bible Classes.....	7:00 PM
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### Working Women Walking With God

1 <sup>st</sup> Thursday of each month.....	6:30 PM
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### Men's Breakfast

2 <sup>nd</sup> Saturday of each month.....	8:00 AM
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### Last Week's Attendance

Sunday Morning Bible Class.....	120
Sunday Morning Worship.....	192
Sunday Evening Worship.....	130
Tuesday Ladies Bible Class.....	4
Wednesday Bible Study.....	122

**Weekly Budget - \$6,500**

**The Next Fifth Sunday Service  
Will be observed on next Sunday,  
May 30, 2010**

## Pantry Item for This Week

Our pantry is running short in a few areas.  
Please consider bringing the following...



Cooking Oil  
Flour & Sugar  
Salt & Pepper

Our pantry is open to the public every Thurs-  
day from 10:00am-12:00pm or by appointment.

## What Must I Do To Become A Christian?

The plan of salvation is given to us in the  
New Testament. We must:

Hear.....	Romans 10:17
Believe.....	Mark 16:15-16
Repent.....	Acts 17:30
Confess.....	Matthew 10:32-33
Be Baptized.....	Acts 2:38
Live a Christian Life.....	2 Peter 1:4-11, 2:20-22

## Privileged to Serve May 16, 2010

### Morning

Welcome & Announcements.....	Eric Smith
Song Leader.....	Paul Springer
Scripture Reading/Opening Prayer.....	Jerry Caine
Communion Leader.....	Michael Peters
Communion Servers	
Left Outside.....	Jeff Messenger
Left Middle.....	Jerry Vincent
Left Inside.....	Howard Johnson
Right Inside.....	Dan Buckner
Right Middle.....	Jeremy Caine
Right Outside.....	Kenneth Elliott
Closing Prayer.....	Wayne Born
Sound/Computer.....	Corky Berry/Rich Dodd
Greeters.....	Kay Whitson/Beverly Springer
Nursery Attendants.....	Lori Kelley and Michelle Glover

### Evening

Song Leader.....	John Loanzon
Scripture Reading/Prayer.....	Vincent Andry
Closing Prayer.....	Dillon Lyons
Communion:	
Bread & Offering (left).....	T.B.A.
Cup (right).....	T.B.A.
Sound/Computer.....	Corky Berry/Evan Goodson

### Wednesday – May 19

Song Leader.....	John Brown
Closing Prayer.....	T.B.A.

### Sunday – May 23

Prepare Communion Trays.....	Juanita Taylor
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### Month of May

Building Lock-up.....	Jerry Caine
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## College Students Who Are Away

Michael Andry - University of Florida

## Pray for Military Personnel Who Are Deployed

### Afghanistan

John Garrison, Tanya Mixson,  
Jeff Powell & Chris Ware

### Iraq

Chad Corriveau, Philip Lundy and Chris Morgan

### Okinawa

Jason Whitson

## Missions Supported

Franklin County Florida (James Lee)  
Gulf Coast Bible Camp (Lucedale, Mississippi)  
Miami Spanish for Christ (Luis Estrada)  
Pacific Islands Mission Work (Randy English)  
Thailand Mission Work (Kim Voraritskul)

## House to House, Heart to Heart

The latest edition of House to House, Heart to Heart is available in the lobby or at [www.housetohouse.com](http://www.housetohouse.com).

## Children's Homes Supported

Childhaven - Cullman, Alabama  
Christian Home & Bible School - Mount Dora, Florida  
Potter Children's Home - Bowling Green, Kentucky  
Rainbow Omega - Eastaboga, Alabama

## Birthdays This Week



Evan Goodson (05-17)  
Paul Hinote (05-18)

## Anniversaries This Week



Fletcher & Bobbie Hinote (05-22)

## Education Department

Listed below are the teachers still needed for Sunday morning Bible Classes during the Summer Quarter.

Nursery ~ Toddlers ~ K-1<sup>st</sup> Grade

There is a sign-up sheet in the lobby.

## 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday Worship

We will observe our regular 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday Worship on May 30<sup>th</sup>. There will be an early service at 12:30 with a potluck luncheon between the morning and afternoon services. The young men of the Youth Group will conduct the afternoon worship. (No worship at 6:00 p.m.)

## Empty Nesters

The Empty Nesters will have an outing to the Chumuckla Farmer's Opry House on Friday, May 21<sup>st</sup>. We will attend a gospel singing with dinner at 6:00 p.m. There is a sign-up sheet on the table in the foyer. For those who are going, there will be a short meeting immediately following this morning's worship in the Youth Room downstairs.

## Lads to Leaders/Leaderettes

There will be Lads to Leaders Work Day on Saturday, May 22<sup>nd</sup> to organize and clean out the puppet stuff. See Jack Waldroup for times, etc.

## Summer Series

Our Summer Series will begin on Wednesday, June 3<sup>rd</sup> and last until Wednesday, August 25<sup>th</sup>. Our lineup of guest speakers has been posted on the bulletin board. This summer we will be studying the book of Ecclesiastes.

Once again we will be providing meals each Wednesday prior to our Bible Study. A sign-up sheet for those willing to prepare these meals is on the lobby table.

## Sympathy

Please pray for the family of Max Pope of Birmingham, Alabama. Mr. Pope was Billy Cook's first cousin and he passed away late last week. Billy and JoAnn will travel to Birmingham for the funeral.

## Thank You Note

Thanks for the prayers, cards, phone calls and the visits, also for those who came and sat with Jo Ann while I was in surgery.

Love to all of you,  
Billy Cook

## Update Directories

### Please update your directory:

Lillian and John McDonald have moved. You can find their new address and phone number in our online directory.

## Campaign & Gospel Meeting

The Roebuck Parkway Mission Trip is fast approaching and we need your help in making it a successful program. Below are some ways in which you can volunteer as a part of the door knocking campaign, gospel meeting, or VBS.

**Door Knocking Volunteers:** The door knocking campaign will begin on Saturday, June 19 and continue through Tuesday, June 22. We are in need of volunteers to work alongside the group from Roebuck Parkway to knock doors in surrounding neighborhoods each of those days. There is a sign-up sheet on the lobby table for volunteers to sign up for each door knocking session. Please sign up for one or more of the time slots on the Door Knocking sheet on the lobby table.

**Vacation Bible School:** In association with the nightly gospel meeting we would like to conduct a VBS for children that may be present. We are currently looking into a VBS curriculum created by Apologetics Press that would provide all of the material needed.

We are in need of adults who would be willing to conduct this program. If you are willing to volunteer with the VBS please sign the VBS sheet on the lobby table.

**Meals for Roebuck Parkway Group:** The group from Roebuck Parkway requested that we provide some of their meals while they are working with us. We will be responsible for providing lunch and supper for a group of approximately 70 from Saturday, June 19 through Tuesday, June 22. If you are willing to provide one of these meals then please sign the Meals sheet on the lobby table.

## Other Happenings

### Fund raiser dinner for

Alabama Gulf Coast Christian Academy  
Summerdale Church of Christ on June 1, 2010  
Seating is limited. Call 251-952-5601 for tickets  
Former University of Alabama football coach,  
Gene Stallings will be the keynote speaker  
(There's a flyer posted on bulletin board)

### Escambia Christian School

21<sup>st</sup> Annual Cliff Jernigan Memorial  
Golf Tournament  
Saturday, June 12, 2010  
Tiger Point Golf Club  
Registration information in the lobby

## Youth Ministry

**5th Sunday Service:** The young men will be conducting the afternoon worship service on Sunday, May 30. Kyle requests a meeting with all of our young men on Sunday, May 16 at 5:00pm to make the arrangements for this service.

**Graduation Reception:** Our annual reception for graduating seniors will be held on Sunday, May 23<sup>rd</sup> following our evening worship service. Senior pictures need to be turned in to Kyle or Sara today in order for them to be included in the slideshow.

**Gulf Coast Bible Camp:** You may obtain a registration form online by going to [www.gulfcoastbiblecamp.com](http://www.gulfcoastbiblecamp.com) and selecting the Application tab. The cost for camp is \$125. Please submit your applications and payments to Kyle (make checks payable to Scenic Hills). In order to avoid a \$20 late fee, you must turn in your application to Kyle for High School (Senior) week by May 26.

### Mark Your Calendar:

June 13-18 - High School Week at GCBC

June 18-23 - Gospel Meeting & Campaign with  
Roebuck Parkway Church of Christ

June 26-July 2 - Middle School Week at GCBC

July 8-16 - Arkansas Mission Trip

August 6-8 - Conquerors

August 10-13 - White Water Rafting Trip

Sign-up sheets for these events are located on the Youth Group Bulletin Board located in the office hallway. The deadline to sign up for these events is Sunday, June 6<sup>th</sup>.

## Stairstackers/Gulf Coast Bible Camp

Gulf Coast Bible Camp will host a session for those in first through fifth grades the week of June 20 - June 25. The fee for the week is \$125 per child with a \$20 deposit.

They are also in need of adults to work that week as well. If you are interested in sending your child or working, please see Michelle Glover. Please turn in your registration form and deposit to Kyle by Wednesday, May 26, and make checks payable to Scenic Hills Church of Christ. The remaining amount will be due by Sunday, June 20 and should also be turned in to Kyle.