



Azalea City Church of Christ

“A Place for Families, A Place for You”

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The Making of You

Someone said long ago, “God May Have To Break US In Order To Make US.” Do you feel like you are at your breaking point sometimes? The story is told about a woman who had experienced a great tragedy in her life. The heartache was so crushing and her sorrow so bitter that she exclaimed, “I wish I’d never been made.” A friend of hers said, “My dear, you are not fully made yet; you’re only being made, and this is the Maker’s process!”

There comes a time in our lives when God will take our troubles and make out of them a “garment of Christian fortitude” which will not only warm our souls but also serve to inspire others. This can be said about all of our trials - even when we are being corrected by God for our sin. The author of Hebrews wrote, “No chastening seems to be joyful for the present, but painful; nevertheless, afterward it yields the peaceable fruit of righteousness to those who have been trained by it.” (Hebrews 12:11).

Does it seem as though everything in life is going against you? We must remember that if we are children of God, all things are working for good, and He is conforming us (you) to the image of His son (Romans 8:28-29).

David

MISSION STATEMENT

We exist to **EXALT** Christ, **EVANGELIZE** the lost, **EDIFY** the saved, and be an **EXAMPLE** to our community.

2009 THEME: WALKING WITH HIM

“To this you were called, because Christ suffered for you, leaving you an example, that you should follow in His steps.” **1 Peter 2:21**

YOUTH GROUP

Jason Killough - Youth Minister
455-6443- cell

UPCOMING EVENTS

November 2- MNFTM, 6-8

November 13- Fun Friday Fellowship at the building, 7-10

December 4-6- FUEL at GCBC, Registration forms are in the foyer or see me to get one. They have to be postmarked by November 20. This fills up quick, so go ahead and sign up.

December 27-30- Exposure Youth Camp, Cost \$100, See me to sign up. Deadline to sign up is November 22. A \$50 non refundable deposit is due on November 22 as well. The remaining \$50 will be due on December 9

BIBLE VERSE OF THE WEEK

Or do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit within you whom you have from God? You are not your own, for you were bought with a price. So glorify God in your body.

I Corinthians 6:19-20

CONGRATULATIONS

-To Ashley Cagle, she made all A Honor Roll at MCS
-To Jacob Kirby, He made all A Honor Roll and Outstanding Citizenship Award
To Aaron Kirby, He made A-B Honor Roll and Outstanding Citizenship Award

Great job! Keep up the good work!

A Note from Jason

I hope that all of you are going to be involved with the things we have going on right now. It is a busy time of year with a lot going on. Between FUEL, Exposure Youth Camp, and GULF, there is plenty for you to be involved in and a lot of spiritual growth that we all need. Please be in prayer about these events that we may grow closer to our God.

In Him, Jason

YOUTH GROUP MISSION

To grow into one of the strongest, God fearing, neighbor loving, cross centered, Bible studying youth ministries in the world today.

THOSE PRIVILEGED TO SERVE

Announcements	Jason Killough
Video Media	Tom Deck
Ushers	

Song Leader	A.M.	Steve May
	P.M.	Steve May
Scripture Reading	A.M.	Jeff May
	P.M.	Caleb Cameron
Opening Prayer	A.M.	Ken Murphy
	P.M.	Rick Henebry
Closing Prayer	A.M.	Kent Wilkerson
	P.M.	Dean Simmons

9th Man

George Spurlock

Men to Serve the Lord's Table - November

Frank Nelson	Leavie King	Steve Whatley
David Kirby	Roy House	Scott Jayroe
Ray Campbell	James Galloway	

Lord's Table PM: Jason Killough

Communion to Shut-Ins: Kevin Crowell

Greeters for November

Front: **Side:** David Myers

Nursery Attendants

A.M. JoAnn Brown **P.M.** Julie Cameron

Toddler Training Room: Glenda Carpenter

Children's Bible Hour: Jessica Davidson

Men to Serve Wednesday, November 4th

Song Leader: Frank Nelson

Prayer: Mike Eubanks

Lock up Building for month of November: Robert Cornelison

Prepare Communion: Florence Nelson

Coordinate Meals for Sick & Bereaved: Need Volunteer

ELDERS

Kevin Crowell	Mike Eubanks
Stan Holland	Rudy Pierce

STAFF

David Myers Pulpit Minister

Terry Cagle Associate Minister

Jason Killough Youth Minister

Carra Deck Secretary

Glenda Carpenter Secretary

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Sunday Morning Bible Study	9:30 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship	10:30 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Evening Bible Study	7:00 p.m.

THE RECORD YOU HELPED MAKE

Bible Study	121
Morning Worship	248
Evening Worship	137
Wednesday Bible Study	130
Contribution (Regular)	\$5,822.15
Weekly Contribution Need	\$8,607.80

UPCOMING EVENTS

TODAY: CONGREGATIONAL SINGING 5:30

Nov 2nd - MONDAY NIGHT FOR THE MASTER dinner at 6, activities at 6:25; please sign up on your white registration card

Nov 3rd - LADIES' BIBLE CLASS 10:30

Nov 4th - WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNER at 6:00; If you plan to come, please sign up on white registration card

COST: \$1 for kids; \$3 for teens and adults

MENU: Sloppy Joes, Baked Beans, Chips

COOKS: Jessica Davidson & Melisa Kirby

CLEAN UP: Mary Ella Crowell, Juanita Sanders, Joann Gibbon

DESSERTS: Frieda Bagwell & Need Volunteers

Nov 5th - FOOD DISTRIBUTION 9-11

Nov 6th - PIONEER GAME NIGHT 6:30

Nov 7th - ACCS/MCS BENEFIT FISH FRY 11:30-2

Nov 7th - HOMEBUILDERS' ACTIVITY at Beth Overton's home

Nov 8th - FAMILY DAY to recognize new members

Nov 13th-14th - ACCS YARD SALE Please start bringing in your items for the school yard sale!

Nov 21st - GULF COAST BIBLE CAMP BENEFIT DINNER 6:00 at Creekwood - please see George Spurlock for tickets and more information

ACCS/MCS FISH FRY SPECIAL OFFER

Our benefit fish fry for Azalea City Christian School/Mobile Christian School is coming up this Saturday, Nov 7th from 11:30-2 in the gym. We would like every member of Azalea City to come and enjoy great food and fellowship that day. Once you come you will wonder why you haven't been before! This month we are offering our members **"BOGO"...** buy one get one free. If you buy your ticket **IN ADVANCE** for \$9.00 (or \$5.00 for kid's meal tickets), you will get the second ticket free. Please come, you'll be glad you did! **AGAIN, TICKETS MUST BE PURCHASED IN ADVANCE.** You can see any school staff member for tickets.

AREA EVENTS

Church of Christ in Gautier, MS will be having their Fall Gospel Meeting Nov 1st-4th. The speaker is Brother Winford Claiborne, speaker for the International Gospel Hour. The schedule for Sunday, Nov 1st is 9:30, 10:30, and 6:00. Services will be at 7:00 p.m. Monday through Wednesday.

More details are located on the bulletin board by the church office.

ADULT BIBLE CLASS DIRECTORY

Sun Aud. David Myers - The Book of John
Sun F'hall Terry Cagle/Bill Pierce - Fundamentals of Faith
Wed Aud. David Myers - Hebrews: Beautiful Savior
Wed F'hall Ladies' Class - Various Topics

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CRAYONS FOR CHILDREN: We have placed bags of crayons and coloring sheets in the front foyer. If you have small children who want to draw, please have them draw on these instead of the attendance cards. Please return the crayons to the front foyer after church.

COMMUNION TO SHUT INS is available for anyone who might need it. If you need to have communion brought to you (or know someone who does), please contact the church office.

FAMILY DAY

We are having **Family Day** next Sunday, November 8th, to recognize everyone who was baptized or placed membership with us in the past year. Please invite friends and family and bring all the wonderful dishes we are well known for!

HOMEBUILDERS' GATHERING

Our next homebuilders' activity is scheduled for this Saturday, Nov. 7th, from 3-6. We will meet at Beth Overton's home for fishing (bring your pole), turkey hunting, and singing around a campfire. We'll have a wiener roast for the kids and homemade chicken & dumplings and greens for the adults. If you plan to come, please sign one of the sheets located in either foyer by Wednesday.

CONGRATULATIONS!!

To proud parents, Justin and Terra Thompson, and proud grandparents, Claude and Sherry Thompson, on the birth of Justin and Terra's daughter, Danica Lynn. She was born around 10:45 Wednesday morning and weighed 6 lbs 3 oz. She's 19" long. Mom and baby are doing fine.

THANKSGIVING BASKETS

We will be giving away Thanksgiving baskets to needy families again this year. If you know of a family in need, please give their information to the church office. Also, we would like for our members to bring in non-perishables to put in the baskets. We will have a table set up in the fellowship hall if you can start bringing in Thanksgiving related canned and boxed goods.

ACCS PECAN SALES LAST DAY

Today is the last day to order pecans! Order sheets are in both foyers. Please see Evelyn, Sarah, or Rachel for more information. Checks should be made payable to Azalea City Christian School.

WE ARE TRYING TO COMPILE A LIST OF ADDRESSES FOR OUR MILITARY FAMILY AND FRIENDS. IF YOU HAVE SOMEONE ON THE LIST, PLEASE MAKE SURE THE OFFICE HAS THEIR ADDRESS.

REMEMBER TO CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE, WWW.AZALEACITY.ORG

REMEMBER IN PRAYER (members)

PLEASE LET THE OFFICE KNOW OF ANY CHANGES IN THE PRAYER LIST

Jake Warren - Recovering from auto accident
Chandler & Skyler Carpenter - Bronchitis & croup
Nathan & Aaron Myers - Both sick
Deborah Moody - Home, continues to have pneumonia
Jane Campbell - diverticulitis has returned, on medication, may need surgery
Sarah Myers - Tests
JoAnn Brown - Knee replacement surgery scheduled for 11/23 at Providence
Don Andrews - Had procedure 10/21 to dilate his esophagus
Ruby Allsup - Staph infection in her leg, recovering from fall last Sunday
BriAnna Montgomery - Fractured her foot, on crutches
Chris White
John Allsup
Myra Blizzard - Back pain
Brenda Odom - Has a tumor, awaiting test results
Bill & Betty Nichols - Bill is on hospice care
Billy Allsup - Back problems, deteriorated discs
Trez Rudder - Will have surgery Nov. 12th at Mobile Infirmary
Nita Mae Eubanks
Bill & Eunice Day - Health problems
Audrey Anderson - Thyroid problem, on medication
Cubby Merrell - Lots of health problems (Paul & Debora's grandson)
Rainie McInvale - Had spinal block, continues to be in a lot of pain
James & Esther Bell - Health problems
Paul & Debora Merrell
Linda Lockler - having to resume treatments for blood problem

REMEMBER IN PRAYER (friends & family)

PLEASE LET THE OFFICE KNOW OF ANY CHANGES IN THE PRAYER LIST

Carley Stewart - SMH 3219, cancer has returned (Iris House's brother)
Addie Jones - Congestive heart failure, on hospice care (June Tart's mother)
Mandy Shaw - Baby Isaiah born 10/13 in USA Women's & Childrens
Jane Campbell's Aunt Lucille - Lung cancer
Petersen Family - House burned, lost everything, son has cystic fibrosis and has been on our prayer list (friends of Mac & Jamie Goleman)
George Loden - Heart problems (Pauline King's brother)
Lamar Harrison - Home, recovering well
Vera Hill - Cancer returned, radiation treatments soon (Dora Wright's sister)
Madelyn Fetner - Neonatal diabetes, treating with insulin (Ben & Jennifer's baby - members at Univ. COC)
Frances Davidson - Been sick for long time, Drs don't know why (Jerry's wife)
Eugene Neese - Home from hospital (Jeff Abrams' uncle)
Lynn Snellgrove - In hospital with scleroderma (friend of Cecilia McCain's)
Fred Roschen - Cancer, not taking any more treatments (Margaret Istre's friend)
Gil Ludlam - Blood clots in leg, on medication (Mandy Schmitz's father)
Cindy Buford - Had leg amputated (Libby Phillip's neighbor)
Judy Lincoln - Needs liver transplant (former member)
Larry Williams - Needs kidney transplant (Easter's son)
Amy Dominques - Cancer of lymph nodes (relative of Helen Jones)
DC Mosley - Bone & blood cancer (Quincy & Pat Woodard's neighbor)
Gerald Ruiz - Hit by tractor trailer 7/20, paralyzed from waist down, not doing well (address on bulletin board for cards) (Kathy Henebry's co-worker)
Doris Moss - Doing better (Bob's mother)
Freddy Corina's father - Health issues
Toni Lucas - Lyme Disease (Perry & Donna's daughter-in-law)
Mary Bauer - Cancer, on chemo (Tom Deck's aunt)
Icleatus Albritton - home
Temple Anderson - Cancer (elder at Opelika Church)
Jessica Weller - Cancer free (friend of the Roberts family)
Mary-Kathryn Harrison - Has Gorlin's Syndrome
Glenn & Donna Corley - Many health issues
Carley Stewart - Colon cancer, on chemo, doing well (Iris House's brother)
Clara Williams (Bob's mother)
Michelle Epperson & Darian Guy
Pauline Russell - cancer (Tim's sister)
Donald Thrower - Various health issues (Glenda Wilkes' brother)
Breanna Moore - 18 mth old, incurable disease (friend of Blankenships)
Brynn Woods - Malignant Fibrous Histiocytoma (3½ yrs old)
Marley Nix - Endoscopy 10/6, may have Celiac disease (Hornbuckles' granddaughter)
J.T. Harrison - Back problems
Ann Weaver - Cancer (friend of Glenda Warren)
Charlie Peterson - Cystic Fibrosis (child) (Mac & Jamie Goleman's friend)
Billy Jones - Mother is battling ovarian cancer (Kevin Crowell's friend)
Jerrold Eubanks - Prostate cancer
Michael Hornbuckle - Head injury, another 6 months of recovery
Loretta Vaught - Cancer, chemo is going well, got a good report (Tricia Pierce's mother)
Teddy Mears - Bone cancer
Michele Wheeler - On medication for brain tumors
Ronin White - Cancer (Linda Lockler's 7 yr old nephew)
Hixon Nobles - Friend of David & Sarah Myers
Pauline Russell - Cancer

EXPECTANT MOTHERS

Geralyn Smith (November 09) - on bed rest
Stephanie (Andrews) Lewis (December 09)
Lori Holland (June 2010)

OUR MILITARY

Jason Odom - Iraq (Phillip & Tammy's nephew)
Chris Campbell - Navy
Randy Pierce - Marines, Fort Pendleton (Rudy & Nita's grandson)
Kenneth Andrews - In Iraq (Terry & Sue's son)
Aaron Allsup - Stationed in Italy (John & Ruby Allsup's grandson)
Jacob Pierce - Back in the States
Matthew Geroux - Deployed to Kyrgyzstan, 6 mths (Phillip & Tammy's son-in-law)
Keith Moss - Marines (Skip Garner's son-in-law)
Dewayne Nix - Navy, stationed in Corpus Christi, TX
Manuel Baldwin - Iraq (Natasha Polk's-member at Univ COC-fiancee)
Michael L Burroughs - Navy, in Iraq (Irene King's son)
Layne Ortiz - London & **Ryan Ortiz** (Beverly Hall's niece and her husband)
Shaun Christian - Afghanistan (Phillip & Tammy Odom's nephew)

BIRTHDAYS/ANNIVERSARIES

Today - Justin Wilkerson
Monday - Lilly Marler
Tuesday - Michael Eubanks
Wednesday - Angel Russo
Friday - Gail Carr, George Mears
Saturday - Harry Frost, Ashley May,
Tim Russell, Steve & Lisha May

