

Sixth Avenue Church of Christ
 1501 6th Ave. S. ♦ Jasper, Alabama ♦ 35501
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Glad Tidings

Schedule of Services

Sunday:

Bible Classes 9:00 A.M.
 Worship 10:00 A.M./1:00 P.M.

Wednesday:

Morning Bible class (Sep-Mar) . . . 10:00 A.M.
 Evening Bible study 7:00 P.M.

Elders: Jimmie Alexander, Billy Davidson, Neil Evans, Danny Latham, Tim Shadix, David Sortino, Charles “Skoot” Wilson.

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Sarah Roberts, sarahroberts@bellsouth.net;
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Works of Evangelism

- ▶ Gus Nichols’ School of Biblical Studies
- ▶ Myanmar Bible School
- ▶ “Fishers of Men” Program
- ▶ Tanzania Mission
- ▶ “Seeking the Lost” International Radio
- ▶ Gospel Broadcasting Network
- ▶ Apologetics Press
- ▶ Crossroads C/C (Deaf Ministry)
- ▶ Jamaica Mission
- ▶ Chatom, AL Mission
- ▶ John Hurt’s Correspondence Courses
- ▶ World Bible School (correspondence)
- ▶ Vernon & Gertrude Key Memorial Scholarship Fund

Works of Benevolence

- ▶ Childhaven Children’s Home
- ▶ Food Pantry; Outreach Center

Works of Edification

- ▶ Daily radio program on WJLX (1240 AM & 101.5 FM) at 8:00 A.M. www.wjlx1015fm.com
- ▶ *The Words of Truth*, a monthly teaching publication reaching over 4,000 families

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NO LIMITS

One of the most empowering phrases in the English language has to be “No Limits.” This idea can be dangerous when it applies to our credit cards. With good enough credit, some people can qualify for credit cards that have no spending limit. Imagine what irreparable mistakes could be made by irresponsible people with such power! As a college student with no financial training, the \$1000 credit card I was able to procure did me enough harm, but in the hands of smart spenders, a no limit credit card could be used as an investment tool, turning small purchases into lifetimes of financial stability.

Some of the data plans available through cellular providers are unlimited. This means a universe of information is available at our fingertips at any given moment. We never have to get lost in unfamiliar places again because we always have access to directions. We never have to wonder what was the actor’s name who starred in that one movie because we have instant access to the information. It can be a wonderful tool to our productivity, but unlimited data can also be dangerous. With no limits on their data usage, some parents will mindlessly fork over a tablet to their child, allowing that electronic device to provide the time and instruction that makes indelible impressions on the youngster’s mind.

As Christians, we have no limits in Christ Jesus (Rom. 8:1-2). There is no limit to the good we can do. No one is ever going to stop us from helping the needy, feeding the hungry, or clothing the less fortunate. No one will ever make laws preventing us from loving our neighbors as ourselves (Gal. 5:22-23). We have unlimited potential in the good we can do for this wide world or our own small circles of influence! Are you exploring the limits of your potential to do good, or is your spiritual productivity remaining too close to zero? Get busy!

There is no limit to the forgiveness available to us. Jesus shed his blood for all the sins of all the people for all time (1 John 2:2). His blood can cover the whole world (John 3:16)! There is no sinner so foul that Jesus’ blood is repelled by his wickedness. This limitless forgiveness is not license to sin, it is reason to repent (Rom. 6:1-5). Jesus loves us unconditionally, but his grace and mercy have terms to be met. Once obedience is rendered to the Gospel plan of salvation, the blood of Jesus Christ continually cleanses us from the sins we commit as long as we live penitent, confessional lives (1 John 1:6-10).

The limitless life of a disciple of Jesus Christ is a life of spiritual freedom. We are not constrained by the guilt of dishonesty, or the fear of retribution, or the anxiety of being found out. We live without condemnation! We live above reproach! Our conversation is full of assurance! What a joy and a blessing to know God loves us, Jesus forgives us, and the Spirit instructs us through the Word. Do you know the freedom of a life without limits in Christ Jesus? If not, turn to Him Who will not leave you, and trust Him all the days of your life.

————David Dixon



FAMILY NOTES

KIDS' SING

We will have **Kids' Sing** on **Sunday, May 27**, at **1:00 p.m.**, before the **Afternoon Service**. All young people please sit on the front two rows.

PANTRY

Please remember our **pantry** each week. We give away food **once each month**. Our next giveaway will be **Thursday, May 31, 8:30-10:30 a.m.** We need **NON-PERISHABLE, BASIC FOOD ITEMS**, such as **CANNED VEGETABLES, SOUP, MEAT, & FRUIT; OATMEAL; PEANUT BUTTER, DRIED BEANS**, etc. If you would prefer to contribute money to this program, see any of the elders or Sarah. **There are boxes in the foyer for you to place your food in or you can bring your items by the church office. Thanks so much for your help!!**

GOOD SAMARITANS & FOOD PANTRY

All youth, remember to help fill our **food pantry**. You can bring a pantry item to **Bible Class (Sunday and/or Wednesday night)** each month! **All youth can participate!!**

MEET & GREET

HONORING DAVID DIXON & FAMILY

You're invited to a **Meet & Greet** with **David Dixon & family** on **Sunday, June 3, 2:30-4:00 p.m.**, in the **Ark Room** of the **Sixth Avenue Church of Christ**. We would like everyone to come out and meet our new evangelist and his family! Light refreshments will be served.

ELDERS' MEETING

The **Elders** meet every **1st and 3rd Sundays** in the **Church Office**. If you would like to meet with them at any time, please contact the church office at **384-6446** so that you can be put on the agenda to meet with them.

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR CONTACT ELDER

If you have an announcement for the **Contact Elder**, please put it **in writing** and give to him **ASAP before classes begin or immediately after class**.

WEDNESDAY SUMMER SERIES "CHRISTIANITY IN ACTION"

- June 6, 2018- **"Do" James 1:22**
Dwayne Butler—Blackwater Macedonia
- June 13, 2018- **"Believe" Hebrews 11:6**
Matthew Thigpen—Fulton, MS
- June 20, 2018- **"Keep My Commandments"**
John 14:15—Derek Porter—Eldridge
- June 27, 2018- **"Be Transformed" Romans 12:1-2**
Ricky Berger—Wood Avenue
- July 4, 2018- **"Love One Another" John 13:34**
Mark Howell—Midway
- July 11, 2018- **"Be Merciful" Luke 6:36**
Roy Williams—Tidwell Chapel
- July 18, 2018- **Vacation Bible School**
Levi Sides—Auditorium Class
- July 25, 2018- **"Be Separate" 2 Corinthians 6:17**
Vance Hutton—Double Springs
- August 1, 2018- **"Pray" 1 Thessalonians 5:17**
Clark Sims—North Tuscaloosa
- August 8, 2018- **"Rejoice" Philippians 4:4**
Ryan Gallagher—Hamilton
- August 15, 2018- **"Have Fellowship" 1 John 1:7**
David Dixon—Sixth Avenue
- August 22, 2018- **"Confess" John 5:19**
Justin Guin—Double Springs
- August 29, 2018- **"Contend" Jude 3**
Floyd Rodgers—East Huntsville

DO YOU HAVE AN EMAIL ADDRESS??

Do you have an email address? Are you on the Email list at the church office? Please email the office at **sarahcroberts@bellsouth.net**. This is a very effective way to receive lots of useful information.

DAILY RADIO PROGRAM

Please remember our **radio program** every morning at **8:00 a.m.** on **WJLX, 1240 AM** and on **101.5 FM**. You can also listen to the program **LIVE** at **8:00 a.m. CST** from anywhere in the world. Just go to **www.walkercountyradio.com**. You can begin your day with area announcements and a lesson from God's Word!!

SYMPATHY

The sympathy of the congregation is extended to the family of **David Hutton**. He was the brother of **Vance Hutton** (PO Box 371, Double Springs 35553).

LADS TO LEADERS/LEADERETTES CLASSES

Lads to Leaders and Leaderettes will meet **Wednesday, June 6 and June 20**. Boys will meet in the **Teen Room**, and Girls will meet in the **Ladies' Classroom**.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

We need your help! VBS is **July 16-19**. There is a job for everyone. Be looking for **Sign-up Sheets** and ways you can help this year. For more info, see **Danny Latham or Amy Latham**.

BIBLE CORRESPONDENCE COURSE

If you or someone you know would like to know more about the Bible, about God, Jesus Christ, the Holy Spirit, Heaven, Salvation . . . Enroll in a free Bible Study Course. Write to Bro. Roger Appling, Words of Truth, Sixth Avenue Church of Christ, 1501 6th Avenue South, Jasper, AL 35501, or you may call 205-384-6446. You may also request it at sixthavenuechurch.org.

ADDRESS CHANGES

Please let us know if you have a change of address! The *Words of Truth* and *Glad Tidings* **ARE NOT FORWARDED!** They are returned to us with a **\$.58** charge for **each one**. We appreciate your cooperation in this matter. **Also, if you would like to receive either publication by e-mail, please let us know. This will save postage, and you will receive it quicker!!**

GOD'S PLAN FOR SAVING MAN

God's Grace:	Ephesians 2:8
Christ's Blood:	Romans 5:9
The Holy Spirit's Gospel:	Romans 1:16
Sinner's Faith:	Acts 16:31
Sinner's Repentance:	Luke 13:3
Sinner's Confession:	Romans 10:10
Sinner's Baptism:	1 Peter 3:21
Christian's Work:	James 2:24
Christian's Hope:	Romans 8:24
Christian's Endurance:	Revelation 2:10

UPCOMING YOUTH ACTIVITIES:

- **June 10-13—Vacation Bible School**, Doovertown Church of Christ. Sunday: 2:00 p.m.; Monday-Wednesday: 6:00 p.m.
- **June 11-15—Vacation Bible School**, Antioch Church of Christ, 7:00 p.m.
- **June 27-30—Extreme.**
- **July 16-19—Vacation Bible School**, Sixth Avenue Church of Christ.

UPCOMING AREA ACTIVITIES:

- **May 27—Preaching the Gospel**, with James Watkins, 6:30 a.m. Dish Network, chan. 267; Direct TV, chan. 376.
- **May 27—Bible Talk**, sponsored by the Fayette Church of Christ, 7:30 a.m. on My Network, Channel 68 WABM; 7:30 a.m. on WCBI Columbus, MS; and 8:30 a.m. on radio AM990. Also, www.bible-talk.org.
- **May 27-30—Gospel Meeting**, Davis Chapel Church of Christ. Guest speaker: Levi Sides. Sunday: 10:00 a.m.; Monday-Wednesday: 7:00 p.m.
- **May 27-31—Gospel Meeting**, Goldmine Church of Christ. Guest speaker: Andy Kizer. Sunday: 10:00 a.m.; 11:00 a.m.; Fellowship Meal; 7:30 p.m.; Monday-Thursday: 7:00 p.m.
- **June 3-6—Gospel Meeting**, Midway Church of Christ. Guest speaker: Michael Shepherd. Sunday: 9:30 a.m.; 10:30 a.m.; Fellowship Meal; 1:00 p.m.; Monday-Wednesday: 6:30 p.m. For more info: 205-221-2760.
- **June 3-6—Homecoming & Gospel Meeting**, Adamsville Church of Christ. Guest speaker: Dale Jenkins. Sunday: 9:30 a.m.; 10:30 a.m.; 7:00 p.m.; Monday-Wednesday: 10:30 a.m. & 7:00 p.m. For more info: 205-674-5659.
- **June 10-14—Gospel Meeting**, Carbon Hill Church of Christ. Guest speaker: Patrick Morrison. Sunday: 7:30 p.m.; Monday-Thursday: 7:00 p.m.
- **June 11-13—Gospel Meeting**, Community Church of Christ. Monday-Wednesday: 7:00 p.m. For more info: 205-920-3511.

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THOSE TO SERVE

Contact ElderSkoot Wilson

WORSHIP A.M.—MAY 27

Lead Singing Jonathan Morrison

Opening Prayer Tim Shadix

Scripture. Jackson Kiser

Sermon David Dixon

Closing Prayer Jack Kiser

WORSHIP P.M.—MAY 27

Lead Singing Kyle Shadix

Opening Prayer Bob Roberts

Sermon David Dixon

Closing Prayer Mark DeFoor

WEDNESDAY EVENING—MAY 30

Announcements Skoot Wilson

Lead Singing Kody Bradford

Prayer Billy Davidson

Invitation Levi Sides

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VIDEO MANAGERS

MAY 2018

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MAY 27, 2018

Bob Roberts (388-3152)

JUNE 3, 2018

Roger Wilson (275-9293)

(If unable to drive, please call:
 Bob Roberts: 388-3152)

GREETERS

MAY 27, 2018

Wayne & Peggy Brown
 Steve & Suzanne Jones
 Chris & Amy Welborn

JUNE 3, 2018

Neil & Sandi Evans
 Tim & Connie Shadix
 Conard & Betty Smith

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NURSERY ATTENDANTS

MAY 27, 2018

WORSHIP A.M. Susan Kreidler
 Emily Overton
WORSHIP P.M. Sandi Evans
 Debra Wells

JUNE 3, 2018

WORSHIP A.M. Penny Davidson
 Ginger Norris
WORSHIP P.M. Gail Sortino
 Kim Wilson

(If unable to serve please call Sarah Roberts: 384-6446 or 522-3794)