

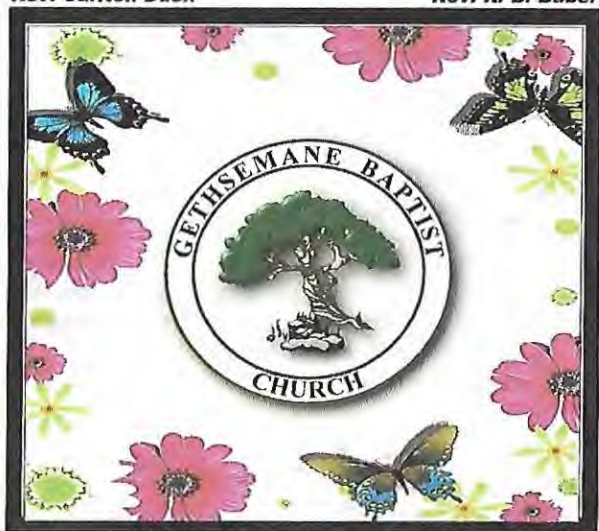
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ATM INSIDE...

ATONEMENT, TRUTH AND MERCY

***Welcome to the Church  
Where the SHOUT  
Has Not Gone OUT!***

"The Christian life is one of renewal. God is all about moving forwards, upwards, and making things better. That's why He sent Jesus—so that we could have a renewed life. ~ Unknown



# THIS WEEK

## SERVICE TIMES

SUNDAY	10:00 AM	10:55 AM
SUNDAY	Sunday School for all ages	10:00 AM
	Children's Church	11:00 AM
Kid's B.L.A.S.T. & TEENS		6:00 PM
YOUNG ADULTS CLASS		6:00 PM
SUNDAY NIGHT WORSHIP		6:00 PM
WEDNESDAY	Hour of Power	7:00 PM
	PRE-TEENS; TEENS & KID'S TIME	7:00 PM

## CALENDAR OF RECURRING EVENTS:

3rd TUESDAY Ladies Senior Visitation Ministry 9:30 AM  
(Check with Becky Martin)

1st THUR Sweet Spirits 6:30 PM

3rd THUR Men's Fellowship 6:30 PM

4th THUR Ladies Fellowship 6:30 PM

## FROM THE PASTOR . . .



God's grace to the Gibeonites is further seen as we trace the history of Israel. Ismaiah, one of King David's honored mighty men was a Gibeonite (1 Chron. 12:4). When Israel returned from the Babylonian captivity and rebuilt the wall under Nehemiah's leadership, the Gibeonites nobly assisted in this great project for God (Nehemiah 3:7). The grace of God continues in our lives as well--even when we make mistakes! When we allow ourselves to be deceived by the enemy and we make wrong choices, the consequences may be far-reaching and even tragic. God's grief and sorrow at our foolish lack of discernment is deeper than we can ever imagine. But in His great grace and love, God can take even our tragic mistakes and work them together into His overall, long-range plans for our good. His ultimate goal, of course, is to make us more and more like Jesus Christ (Romans 8:29)! The sad consequences and discipline that come when we are deceived are not pleasant, but we can be sure that the grace of God will always be there in every situation. The best scenario for us, however, is the one that most pleases God, and that scenario calls us to be alert and to avoid being deceived. LOOK TO JESUS!

## TODAY'S USHERS —April 30

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|--------------------|------------------|
| 1. Roscoe Mitchell | 4. Carl Summy    |
| 2. Brian Moore     | 5. Randy Tucker  |
| 3. Roy Padgett     | 6. Lawrence Agee |

*Alternates: Jerry Butler/Randy Dearing*

## NEXT SUNDAY'S USHERS—May 7

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|------------------|-------------------|
| 1. Jerry Butler  | 4. Tom Frank      |
| 2. Robby Dawson  | 5. Brad Gillaspay |
| 3. Randy Dearing | 6. Percy Gunter   |

*Alternates: Lewis Lee/Mike Lee*

## USHERS FOR WEDNESDAY—May 3

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|-----------------|----------------|
| 1. Jerry Butler | 3. Roy Padgett |
| 2. Lewis Lee    | 4. Carl Summy  |

*Alternates: Randy Dearing/Brad Gillaspay*

## CHILDREN'S CHURCH for Kids—Join us!

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|------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| <b>Apr 30</b> Holley/Maranda | <b>May 28</b> Angela/Holley   |
| <b>May 7</b> Michele/Jenna   | <b>June 4</b> Jenny/Carolyn   |
| <b>May 14</b> Holley/Joan    | <b>June 11</b> Holley/Maranda |
| <b>May 21</b> Linda/Patty    | <b>June 18</b> Michele/Jenna  |

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY!


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|--------|------------------|
| May 1  | Marilyn Norfield |
| May 4  | Cynthia Duck     |
| May 4  | Quashanta Carson |
| May 5  | Kaiden Cabell    |
| May 6  | Dylan Norfield   |
| May 6  | Brad Gillaspay   |
| May 7  | Heather Lee      |
| May 10 | Jaycob Carwile   |
| May 10 | Ozelia Farmer    |





## LAUGHTER IS GOOD MEDICINE~

**KIDS**—When your first child eats some earth, a bit of grass or a worm, you take it to a doctor. When your second child eats some earth, a bit of grass or a worm, you spit on a hankie and clean it. When your third child eats some earth, a bit of grass or a worm, you wonder whether it still needs lunch.


# SPECIAL NOTES


 **TODAY 4:00 PM—DEACON'S & TRUSTEES MEETING**

 **TONIGHT 6:00 PM—  
B.L.A.S.T. KIDS PROGRAM**

 **SWEET SPIRITS-May 4, 6:30  
PM. It's Country Cooking &  
Desserts night! Bring a friend!**

  **Don't  
Forget!**  
**NEXT SUNDAY, MAY 7th**  
Chalk Artist and Speaker  
VESTER ARNOLD and his  
wife will be with us for the  
Morning Worship Service.  
Invite everyone you can—  
the person with the most  
guests will be awarded the  
beautiful chalk painting!

 **MOTHER'S DAY IS MAY 14**  
and we will be printing our  
Special Mother's Day Bulletin.  
For a donation of \$5.00 per  
name to our Building Fund,  
you can include your Mother  
or any special Lady in this  
Bulletin. Fill out a slip today!

 **COMING IN MAY—  
"UNLOCKING REVELATION"**  
an intensified but short Study  
of Revelation with answers  
revealing God's truth about the  
coming days. **Don't Miss It!**

# SERMON NOTES



## *PRAY FOR THOSE IN THE SERVICE OF OUR COUNTRY*



Calvin Barker

Nick Davis

Heath Morris

Seth Morris

Josh Overstreet

**"You can build a religious organization on entertainment, but you can't build a church."**

TV: *In The Garden* Program on "ALIVE" TV,

Shentel Cable Channel 15

Sun. 11AM; Tue. 8PM; Thu. 5PM; Sat. 9PM.

RADIO: *In The Garden* Radio Program

(WRMV—94.5FM) 5:30 p.m. Mon.—Fri.

## STATEMENT OF FAITH

WE BELIEVE the Bible to be the inspired, the only infallible, authoritative, inerrant Word of God.

2 Timothy 3:15-17; 2 Peter 1:21

WE BELIEVE there is one God, eternally existent in three persons: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Genesis 1:1; Deuteronomy 6:4; Matthew 28:19; John 10:30.

WE BELIEVE in the deity of Christ, John 10:33.

His virgin birth, Isaiah 7:14; Matthew 1:23;

Luke 1:34-35. His sinless life, Hebrews 4:15; 7:26.

His miracles, John 2:11. His vicarious and atoning death, 1 Corinthians 15:3; Ephesians 1:7; Hebrews 2:9. His resurrection, John 11:25; 1 Corinthians 15:4.

His ascension to the right hand of the Father, Mark 16:19. His personal return to earth in power and glory, Acts 1:11; Revelation 19:11-16.

WE BELIEVE in the absolute necessity of regeneration by the Holy Spirit for salvation because of the exceeding sinfulness of human nature, and that all are justified on the single ground of faith in the blood shed by Christ, and only by God's grace, through faith alone are we saved. John 3:16-19, 5:24; Romans 3:23, 5:8-9; Ephesians 2:8-10; Titus 3:5.

WE BELIEVE in the resurrection of both the saved and the lost: they that are saved unto the resurrection of life, and they that are not unto the resurrection of damnation, John 5:28-29.

WE BELIEVE in the spiritual unity of believers in our Lord Jesus Christ, Romans 8:9; 1 Cor. 12:12-13; Galatians 3:26-28.

WE BELIEVE in the present ministry of Holy Spirit by Whose indwelling the Christian is enabled to live a Godly life, Romans 8:13-14; 1 Cor. 3:16, 6:19-20; Eph. 4:30; 5:18.

**A Church is a gift from God—Assembly required**

- **Web Site Address: ITGM.ORG**

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Search using the name *Carlton Duck* and watch for the Church Logo with the Olive Tree! ([https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=10000959478942&\\_\\_nodl](https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=10000959478942&__nodl))

- **YOUTUBE.com/GBCALIVETV**

- To obtain Prayer App—**CHURCHAPP.MOBI/ITGM**

**EXPECT A MIRACLE!**

