

*Welcome* to the services of the  
*Guntersville Church of Christ.*

It is a privilege to have you join us as we worship our Creator. We hope that you will be spiritually uplifted in your worship time today and that you will come back and visit with us at any opportunity you have.

- > All members and guests are asked to **register** in the registration binder as it is passed in from the outside aisle. These will be collected at the end of the service. Please be sure to fill in *first and last name*.
- > If you are in need of a **nursery**, we have two available in the Preschool Education wing. There is an unattended nursery for mothers with infants in room 104 and an attended nursery for children ages 2 and under in room 111. We ask that you respect these age limits. Please see an usher if you need help locating the nursery.
- > **Children's Worship** meets every Sunday of the month except the first one. It is for ages 3 through Kindergarten. Children will be dismissed from the worship service during the song before the sermon to attend Children's Worship. Parents may exit during the closing song to pick them up. They meet in room 102 in the Preschool Education wing.
- > We meet in **Life Groups** during the school year every Sunday night. Life Groups are a house to house ministry focusing on the spiritual intimacy and fellowship that a small devotional group allows us to have. If you are not involved in a Sunday evening group, we urge you to become involved.
- > **Men's Prayer Group** meets every Wednesday at 6:00 in the front corner classroom of the Adult Education wing.
- > Please be in prayer for our **Mission Efforts** in Diaz Ordaz, Baja, Mexico; Cuba; Scotland; El Salvador; French-African Christian Education facility; Monday John Akpakpan and the World Bible School program.

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**Times of Worship:**

**Sunday**

9:00 AM Bible Study  
10:00 AM Worship  
5:00 PM Worship & Groups  
Building Group in Fellowship Hall

**Wednesday**

6:30 PM Bible Study

**Staff:**

Minister—Philip Bradley ext. 101  
Youth Minister—Daniel Millard ext. 102  
Children's Education—Jeff & Dawn McCoy ext. 104  
Office Manager—Lisa Buckelew ext. 100

**Church Record**

Sunday, September 26 Wednesday,  
Bible Class..... Bible Class.....  
Worship .....  
Contribution .....\$8,186

**Servers & Volunteers for October 3**

*Song Leader:* Buddy Pettry  
*Video:* Timmy Buckelew  
*PowerPoint:* Lisa Buckelew  
*Nursery Attendants:* Misti Edmondson  
*Security Monitoring:* Class—Chris & Belinda Ledbetter  
AM—Tom Bass & George Gillen Wednesday 10/6—Timmy  
Buckelew & Brent Lusk

**Usher/Greeter Team for October:** James Whitaker Team (J & Schwarze, B & B Bagwell, B Kennamer, H Skidmore, W Pettry)

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*Church of Christ*

*Welcome*

*“Come, Let Us Worship and*

*Bow Down” #153*

*“Higher Ground” #539*

*Prayer - Myron Gargis*

*“Above All”*

*Communion - Jeff McCoy*

*“We'll Work Till Jesus Comes” #634*

*Message: A Job Description for Elders*

*“Abide With Me” #808*

*Announcements*

*“He Gave Me a Song” #608*

*Prayer - Rodney Edmondson*

*October 3, 2021*

## Family Concerns

**Shut-ins:** Patricia Anderson, Vyva Hendrix

**Members:** Danny & Mike Traylor, Earline Henry, Ray & Jeanine Brannum, Mel & Betty Barham, Diane Lamons, Ted Nietzold, Annie Bevel, Gloria Collins, Lloyd Darnell, James Ogle, Jim & Martha Brazelton, Judy Reynolds, Lou Ormsby, David & Martha Stanbrough, Charles Causey, Melba Starnes, Nell Canady, Nicole Reyes, Peggy Powell, Pudgy Randolph, Bonnie Morrow, Bette Harrell, DeAnne Lay, Mike Lamons, Mike Dudley, Buford Bagwell, James Edmondson, Ki Smith

**Relatives of Members:** Sonja Hazelwood (Al Grider), Gary Gibbs (Jimmy Floyd), Megan Nichols (the Nichols'), Noel & Bobbie Spivey (Vickie Law), Luther Barnes (Lorne), Tommy Troup (Mary Beaver), Robert Galloway & Dot Tully (Ann Jackson), Sigrid Simmons (Nancy Whitaker), Parker Koch (Judy Reynolds), Carolyn Pendegrass (Phil Logan), Mike Penn (Candy Enloe), Stephanie King (the Underwood's), Brad McCoy (Belinda Ledbetter), Hal Cole (Harold & Mae), Jonah Parrish (Barnes), Casey Sampson (Timmy Buckelew), Mitchell Jackson (Anne), Ethan Brothers (Military-Marilyn Bass' grandson), Barbara Spurlin (Jerry Rowe), Benton Willoughby (the LeCroy's), Lois Campbell (LeShell Smith)

**Friends of Members:** Charlie Nash Foley (Dr. Foley's son), John Burch; Sydney McMurray (Jennifer King), Wendy Griffin (Blessings), Isaac Nixon (Dr. Nixon's son), Ricky Chavers (Bobby Law), Betty Ann Langley (Shirley Davis), Pam Smith (the Campbell's), David McKinney (Julie Floyd), Milla Sachs (James Whitaker), Gloria Ricardo (El Salvador), Cheryl Hoard (the Morrow's), Lavon Castle (Linda Finley), Lucy Kelly (Misti Edmondson), Meredith Washburn (Mary Campbell), Eunice Gonzalez (Baja), Durall & Pam Teague (Mary Beaver), Ian Stars (Scotland Missionary), Fuller Goldsmith (Sunny Randolph), Nora Ann Hester, Zach Stinson (AHS grad), Kayla Wall (Misti Edmondson), Carter & Brayden Haynes (Guntersville Feed Store), Caroline McCoy & Deborah Cornelius (Anthony Campbell), Ricky Lang (Dawn McCoy) Shirley Chupp (Julie Golden)

**Sick List:** *Russell Meredith* broke his arm Sunday in an ultimate frisbee game. He had surgery Monday. Tom Bass' sister, *Beth Pate*, has been diagnosed with a rare form of uterine cancer and is undergoing chemo and radiation treatments. She lives in Mobile. Brenda Johnson requests prayers for her friend, *Judy Hulsey*, who is battling cancer.

**Sympathy:** We express our sympathy to Amy Atkins in the passing her father, Paul Border. Funeral services were held Friday.

## Family News

We have two couples getting married in October and we will be doing CONGREGATIONAL WEDDING GIFTS for each. There are envelopes on the bulletin board for donations or you can do so online and choose the couple(s). Jon Dudley Litchford and Rainey Ayers will be getting married on October 23. They are registered at Zola.com if you want to shop for a gift. Madeline Atkins and Logan Brooks will be getting married October 30. For gifts, they are registered at Amazon, Target and Fine Things.

We have been doing a lot of schedule changes lately and have tried to get the word out to everyone in a timely manner. With that being said, please be sure that the office has your MOST CURRENT CONTACT INFORMATION. If you are not sure, you can check the online directory/app to see what we have listed for you. If you use cell phone only and do not have a landline, please save 256-582-2494 as a contact so you will know when the church is calling with an update. For email, please be sure office@guntersvillechurchofchrist.org is saved as a contact so that our emails will not go to spam. Also, when you receive a text from the church office, it will come from a 223-83 number. Because it is a random number, all texts start out with from GvilleCoC. Please be sure and read those messages. The best thing to do is also save that number as a church contact.

GYM SIGN-UPS: Today is the deadline to sign up for Twist of Insanity on October 17. Sign-ups are open for Fall Retreat November 5-7 at Camp ToKnowHim. Go to the GYM website and click Sign Up for an Event.

The Ladies' LOVE CIRCLE fellowship for this month will be Thursday, October 14 at 10 am in the fellowship hall.

We are beginning the process of appointing NEW ELDERS. Philip will preach sermons today and next week regarding church leadership. In next week's bulletin there will be a form for you to submit names of men that you think are qualified to serve as an Elder AND

that you have personally talked to about their willingness for you to submit their name. The existing elders will select and evaluate potential elders from the names submitted and then those names of the selected candidates will be presented to the congregation for acceptance.

### Upcoming Events:

October 17—GYM Twist of Insanity

October 27—Trunk or Treat

November 5 thru 7—GYM Fall Retreat

### Reminders:

1. Please turn all CELL PHONES to vibrate/silent when entering the building.
2. Items for the BULLETIN and/or the POWERPOINT must be turned in by Thursday at noon each week.
3. Items for the BENEVOLENCE HOUSE are to be put in the stairwell behind the elevator in the addition.
4. The CHURCH DIRECTORY is accessible online. The online version has the most up to date information on everyone. If you are not using the online version or the phone app, please contact the office. (we are no longer using Instant Church Directory; our online directory is through FellowshipOne)
5. Contribution/Youth Event Payments/Memorial Donations can be made online using the PAYMENTS tab on the church website.
6. The weekly BULLETIN is posted on the church website every week. To view the current week, click the "View File" on the website homepage. To view an earlier week, go to the Media tab at the top and then click 2021 Bulletins.
7. Our Sunday services are available on our YOUTUBE channel.