

MAY 14, 2006

WORSHIP SCHEDULE:

9:00 am Sunday School  
10:15 am Morning Worship  
On the Radio Each Sunday on WZLT 99.3 FM at 10:45 am

USHERS

Jim Stowe, Brad Ray, Don Lindsey, and Bobby Dyer

GREETERS

Alba Crockett and Kim Odle

ACOLYTES

Garhett Gilbert and Katie Mobley

ALTAR FLOWERS

This week's altar flowers are to the glory of God and in loving memory of Sue Anderson by Danny Anderson and Tommy Anderson and their families.

SOUND/LIGHTING TECHNICIAN

Carole Small

WEE WORSHIP

No Wee Worship

NURSERY CAPTAINS FOR MAY

Cindy Odle and Natalie Salmon

INFANT NURSERY

SS hour: Pattie White and Mary Lou Martin

Worship: Deborah Roberts and Paul & Tara Gilbert

TODDLER NURSERY

Winnie & Sara Bunch

VISITOR'S MINISTRY TEAM

Libby Smith

KITCHEN MINISTRY TEAM

Ruth Hurtt

OFFERING COUNTERS

Kay Henderson & Thelma Hawkes

**Our Loyalty Report**

**Sunday, May 7, 2006**

**ATTENDANCE RECORD**

Sunday School: 130 Morning Worship: 232

UMYF: 26

**OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS:**

Figures unavailable.

We will report next week.

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Business Administrator  
Ministry Coordinator  
Music Director  
Organist/Pianist  
Facilities Manager



The  
Interpreter

**NAMES of BLESSINGS—BLESSED NAMES**

Now, Emily, Mattie, Ashley, Erica, Mercedes, Hanna, Hannah, Paul, Jake, Jeannie, Lindsay, Molly Blair, Nathan, Jacob, Chelsea, Chelsey, Jake, Blake, Molly, Sara, Shelbi, Dylan, Timothy, Russ, Garhett, Michael, Cody all share something with each other. They've taken the Confirmation journey since I have been the pastor here. Confirmation is a high point for me as a pastor. Infant baptisms, believer baptisms, weddings and confirmation are all high points. They remind me of how much I love being a pastor.

*I love* to see parents/families who care enough about their children that they raise them in church so they mature to the point that they take responsibility for their spiritual decisions: to follow Christ, to be baptized (*if they weren't baptized as an infant*) and be confirmed into the church. These young folks don't have to have everything all figured out. Who does? I don't.

*What I DO* have figured out is that it is a great privilege and blessing to be part of the youth at this tremendous time in their lives and the lives of their families. Our adult mentors have said as much—*it's a blessing from God to be part of the Confirmation experience of the youth of the church.*

*This Sunday*, at 10:15 AM, we will celebrate the Confirmation of **Trace, Lindsey** and **Paul**, 3 more of our outstanding youth. You should be there as the church because the church makes promises to these young people being confirmed in the church. You promise to be with them the *rest of their journey.*

You see, Confirmation isn't the end. It's the **BEGINNING!!!**--Of a fantastic life in Christ, being part of Christ's church, being part of the mission and ministry. The spiritual growth continues, the learning continues and YOU are part of the growth process for our youth. And who knows? They could very well be part of your growth process, as well.

Stan

**Thursday, May 11**

9:00 am Conference Meeting, Spirit Seekers Room  
7:00 pm Upper Room Prayer Line, Office

**Sunday, May 14**

**Confirmation Sunday**

**Mother's Day**

9:00 am Sunday School  
9:00 am Children's Choir Rehearsal  
10:15 am Morning Worship  
*Katrina Relief Team Special Offering*

**Monday, May 15**

9:00 am Staff Meeting  
7:00 pm Disciple Bible Study, Youth Area

**Tuesday, May 16**

4:45 pm Evening Prayer  
7:00 pm Facilities Team Meeting, Wrather Hall

**Wednesday, May 17**

5:00 pm Last Fellowship Meal  
6:00 pm New SS Class Meeting, Downstairs Meeting Room  
6:00 pm Pastor's Bible Study, Orio Room  
6:00 pm Handbell Rehearsal, Bell Room  
7:00 pm Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal, Choir Room

**Thursday, May 18**

6:30 pm Scouting Committee, Spirit Seekers Room

**Upcoming Events:**

**May 28 – Children's Fellowship Movie Day**  
**May 29 – Memorial Day, Church Office Closed**  
**May 30 – Katrina Mission Team Meeting**  
**June 5 to 9 – Vacation Bible School**

**Affirmation of Faith  
of the Confirmation Class of 2006**

We believe in God, creator of everything, from stars and sky to ants and atoms. We believe that God cares for and loves us.

We believe in Jesus Christ, God's Son and our Savior, teacher, and friend. We believe that Jesus died for our sins, and we believe in His resurrection which makes everlasting life possible.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the breath of God, present at Creation, present at our salvation and baptism and who gives us power to be His faithful disciples.

We believe the church is the body of Christ on earth that comes together in a sacred place for worship of God and study of God's word. We believed the church is our spiritual family and home.

We believe the Lord wants His children to accept His Son as Savior, to pray, and glorify the Lord by their lives.

Amen

**OUR NEWEST  
MEMBER**



Mrs. Ellen Fields joined our congregation by transfer of membership on Sunday, May 7, 2006. Ellen and her husband Donald live at 17 Plantation Drive in Lexington. Please add her name and address to your church directory.



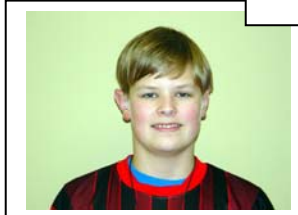
**CONFIRMATION CLASS, 2006**



*Lindsey Claire Martin*  
**Family: Russ and Mary Lou Martin and Jeremy**  
**Mentor: Claire Perky**



*Paul Redmon Emerson*  
**Family: Vince & Kay Emerson, Kelsey and Hannah**  
**Mentor: Jeff Odum**



*Ted Thompson Gordon, III*  
**"Trace"**  
**Family: Tommy & Karen Gordon, and Rachel**  
**Mentor: Sherry Armstrong**

**UMW NOTE**

The UMW has had a very busy two weeks. Thank you to all the members that helped with the Annual Luncheon and the High School Senior Luncheon. Both were a huge success. If you forgot your serving dish, please pick them up from the church kitchen.

Merle McDaniel

**MAY 14<sup>TH</sup> KATRINA RELIEF:**

This Sunday is Katrina Sunday. During our morning worship service, we will collect a special offering for the Katrina Mission Team. Money collected will be used to fund building projects during the upcoming mission trip to Pearlinton, MS. Don't forget your items for the Katrina Relief Fund, too. Items for this Sunday are:

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|--------------------------|--------------|
| Bottled water            | Garbage bags |
| Paper towels             | Peroxide     |
| Band Aids                | Kleenex      |
| Anti-bacterial ointments | Soap         |
| Towels                   | Washcloths   |
| Insect repellent         |              |

**PLEASE PRAY FOR:**

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|---|------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| <b>Roy Odum</b>                                 | <b>Jayla &amp; Jesslyn Gateley</b> | <b>Greg Henderson</b>      |
| <b>Etroy McCaslin</b>                           | <b>Dianne Ward</b>                 | <b>Catherine Gordon</b>    |
| <b>Sue Patton</b>                               | <b>Nell Miller</b>                 | <b>Gerald "Doc" Melton</b> |
| <b>Gerald Wooley</b>                            | <b>Otto Britt</b>                  | <b>Victor Stanford</b>     |
| <b>Callie Hinson</b>                            | <b>Farris Bartholomew</b>          | <b>Lou Kidd</b>            |
| <b>Lois Pugh</b>                                | <b>Al Kane</b>                     | <b>Marilyn Blurton</b>     |
| <b>Jack Barni</b>                               | <b>Bob Reed</b>                    | <b>Joe Mills</b>           |
| <b>Janice Strawn</b>                            | <b>Lorene Hatley</b>               | <b>Robert Earl Russell</b> |
| <b>Bobby Wilson</b>                             | <b>Don Harris</b>                  | <b>Royce Drewry</b>        |
| <b>Sandra Spears</b>                            | <b>Judd Crownover</b>              | <b>Joe Isaac</b>           |
| <b>Thomas Blankenship</b>                       | <b>David Dunham</b>                | <b>Bill Reed</b>           |
| <b>Jean Clampitt</b>                            | <b>Vanessa Jones</b>               |                            |
| <b>Family &amp; Friends of Blanche Stanfill</b> |                                    |                            |
| <b>Family &amp; Friends of Charlie Myracle</b>  |                                    |                            |
| <b>Family &amp; Friends of Kevin Rowland</b>    |                                    |                            |
| <b>Family &amp; Friends of Leonard Anderson</b> |                                    |                            |
| <b>Family &amp; Friends of Mildred Roberts</b>  |                                    |                            |

**Memorials**

**Ruth H. Hart**

by Candace Hart for the Habitat Fund  
by Edward Hart for the Budget