

# UPCOMING EVENTS

## **Singspiration - Sunday May 26**

Looking for some good food, music, and fellowship? Come join us for our Singspiration. We eat at 5pm and sing at 6pm.

## **PRAISE REPORT**

Over the last few years we have seen God bless our shoebox ministry greatly. By God's provision and the help of so many both inside and outside the church, we are on pace to make more shoeboxes than ever this year. We want you to share in our excitement of what God is doing. Just to give you an idea let me tell you about some things God has done just in the last month. We were able to get over 400 pieces of brand new children's clothing for \$20, we have been given 1,000 toothbrushes, another donation with hundreds of items including socks, shoes, etc. We also were able to purchase 6,000 bars of soap for only \$638, and hundreds of washcloths. This is not including the hundreds of items we already had obtained. On top of that we had two anonymous donors provide all the shoeboxes needed to pack 1,000 and the shipping cost to pay the shipping for 1,000. It looks like through Gods provision we will make our goal of 1,000. Of course the way God is providing, who says we have to stop there?

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## **SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY:**

Sundays @ 9:45 a.m.

EXPLORE THE BIBLE:

A study of the book of Mark

GOING INTO THE WORLD:

A Study of the book of Acts

## **SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE:**

Sundays @ 11:00 a.m.

CALLED TO SERVE:

A Study of the book of Mark

## **WEDNESDAY NIGHT PRAYER MEETING:**

PSALMS

Wednesdays @ 7:00 p.m.

## **WE ARE LOCATED @**

3601 Lower Liberty Gloster RD  
Liberty, MS 39645

**Listen to our sermons online @**



# MINISTRY AND MISSION OPPORTUNITIES

## Apartment Ministry

Tuesdays @ 9:30 a.m.

*(Please meet at the church by 9:20 a.m. if you are interested in coming)*

## Food Pantry

We are always collecting food for our local food pantry. Please leave any donations in the food pantry donation box located in the fellowship hall.

# MOST RECENT PRAYER REQUEST

Mike Hedrick  
Lena Pearl Tuberville  
Tim Cupit  
Stewart Robison  
Benita Hicks  
Kristine Wilson  
Lori Hart  
Billy Judge  
Free Burma Rangers  
Jimmy Johnston  
Debbie Fenn  
Ernest Whittington  
Kaley Green  
Karen Freeman  
Rose Ferrar  
Charles Whittington  
Mike Smith  
Tina Harris  
Jackie Strange  
Betty Humphries  
Bill Berryman  
Jay Myers  
Bobby Hadskey  
Jerry Wroten  
Diane Short  
Carl Dixon  
Charles Dixon  
Dollie McKenzie  
Cathy Ruark  
Emma Rogillio  
Mike Pruder  
Delores Holden

Jimmy Spiers Family  
Mark Hamilton  
Johnny Laird  
Paul Albritton  
Judy Short  
Angelyn Herndon  
Daryl Bacon  
Virginia Dillon  
Gladys Alveris  
Rose Hinton  
Joyce Bacon  
Aaryn Olivia  
Cliff Wheat  
Ann Kinabrew  
Christy Miller  
Richard Laird  
Joyce Gilbert  
Mark Manchester  
Sam Moore  
James Bullock  
Mark Manchester  
John Mercier  
Joann Holmes  
Lamar Case  
Betty Humphries  
Larry Champion  
Hezekiah Fredrick  
Margie Binns  
Guy Thompson  
Roy Lee  
Eddie Lott  
Glen Huff

# IN THE WORD

Don't wear yourself out to get rich; stop giving your attention to it. As soon as your eyes fly to it, it disappears, for it makes wings for itself and flies like an eagle to the sky.  
**Proverbs 23:4-5 (HCSB)**

Work. A word that may be better referred to as “the American way”. A way that leaves us tired and causes us often to miss out on the joys of life. I (Bro. Shan) remember reading once this saying, “I go to work to dig the ditch to make the money to eat the bread to have the strength to dig the ditch”. Now I don't know who made that statement but it sums up the lives of many quite accurately. By the time we get to the point we can't work anymore we finally stop, but by then it's too late for us to enjoy life. By then we are worn out for good. The question we must ask is “what am I working so hard and killing myself for?”. A big house, fancy cars, nice things and in the long run do those things really matter? There are times in life when we do have to work hard just to make ends meet and keep food on the table and clothes on our families back. There are other times that maybe you could take that extra break, the half a day off, the week of vacation. We must make time for what's important and that includes both rest and being there with and for our families. We can wear ourselves out trying to get rich but it will often leave us worn out and unhappy. I don't know that there has ever been anyone on their deathbed who said “I wish I had worked more just a few hundred more hours” or “I wish I had made just a little more money”. Most realize at the end of life that they wished they would have spent more time with family and more time enjoying life. Proverbs 23 is a good reminder that riches will leave us tired and unhappy so don't fall into the trap! Don't be the one that looks back on life with regret of time wasted and a bank account full of money that can't buy happiness. Work when it's time to work, rest when it's time to rest, and play when it's time to play and enjoy life with the Lord who gave it to you and with those He put around you.