BETTA VIEW HILLS CHURCH OF CHRIST

VOICE

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November 15, 2026

Sermon Today:

When You Follow Jesus Alone

1 Corinthians 7:12-16 & 1 Peter 3:1-7

BRICK TEAM # 2— PLEASE SEE RON CHAMBLESS THIS MORNING TO GET YOUR CARDS. Please drop off completed cards in the new brick box located in the foyer. (Anna Chambless, Kim Dempsey, Diane Gable, Candace Houston, Carolyn Jennings, Teresa Tims, Patsy Watts, Miriam Williams)

Order of Worship

***Welcome:* Eric Ishee**

***Shepherd's Call to Worship Prayer:* Kevin Briley**

***Song Leader:* David West**

Song: *Create In Me a Clean Heart*

Song # 410: *He Leadeth Me (1,3)*

Song: *Hilltops of Glory (1,3)*

Song # 287: *There Is a Redeemer (1,3)*

Song: *Anywhere Is Home (1,3)*

Communion & Offering
led by Ron Chambless

***Prayer:* Shaun Stancil**

Scripture Reading: *1 Corinthians 7:12-16*

Dismiss to Children's Bible Hour

***Message:* Mark Littleton**

Song # 791: *On Bended Knee*

Song # 716: *Sing to Me of Heaven (1,3)*

***Closing Prayer:* Frank Thomas**

I will give thanks to You, Lord, with all my heart; I will tell of all Your wonderful deeds. Psalm 9:1



Notes & Upcoming Events:

- **If you are interested in participating in the Christmas play, please meet in front of the auditorium immediately following worship this morning.**
- Ladies' Monday morning Bible study – Mondays @ 9:30am Current study: *To Live Is Christ* (a study of the ministry of Paul) by Beth Moore. If you are interested in more information, please see Kim Dempsey or Shelly. NO CLASS THIS WEEK – MINISTRY DAY
- Mid-week family dinner – every Wednesday / served from 5:15pm-6:15pm / cost is $5 each
- Mid-week Bible study – Wednesdays @ 6:30pm / classes for all ages!
- Thanksgiving Service – Tuesday, November 24th, 6:30pm
- Thanksgiving Day – November 26th
- Fifth Sunday contribution – November 29th
- "Kids Who Care" collection day – November 29th
- Youth fellowship – Sunday, November 29th, at the Wests' farmhouse
- Potluck Sunday – December 6th
- Ladies' Christmas fellowship – December 7th, 6pm, at the home of Pam Stratton / please bring a Christmas gift ($10-$15 price range) for the gift swap
- Blessings in a Backpack workday – TUESDAY, December 8th , 10:30am
- BVH church family Christmas dinner – December 13th, 5:30pm – please sign-up in the foyer if you plan to attend
- Christmas program & play – Wednesday, December 16th, 6:30pm / reception for everyone to follow
- We will not meet on December 23rd for mid-week Bible study.
- Wednesday night fellowship & chili cook-off – December 30th, 6:30pm / all classes will meet in the gym. Please sign up in the foyer for participate in the chili cook-off. Everyone, please bring your favorite finger foods & desserts.
- Winterfest 2027 Gatlinburg – February 12th-14th
- Free Senior Citizens Information Event – November 21st , 10am-12pm, at Ohatchee church of Christ – flyers located in the foyer
- **We are collecting small, inexpensive ($1-$2) gifts for our Blessings in a Backpack students to give them at Christmas. Students are ages pre-K through 4th grade. If you would like to help with this, please place items on the table by the office. Suggested items – individual Hot Wheels or sensory/fidget toys for the boys and items such as mini notebooks with pencils/pens, lip gloss, cute hair bows or scrunchies, mini craft sets, or sensory/fidget toys for the girls. Deadline: December 6th**

***Those Privileged to Serve:* November 2026**

Song Worship Leaders:
15th—David West
22nd—Shaun Stancil 29th – Shaun Stancil

Opening Prayer / Closing Prayer:
15th: Shaun Stancil / Frank Thomas
22nd: Calvin Phillips / Eddie Jennings
29th: Elton Carter / Brian Forbus

Communion and Offering thought:
15th: Ron Chambless
22nd: Jim Denney 29th: James Lindsey

Offering:
15th: Calvin Phillips, Nathaniel Maffett, Marty Livingston, Duane Stephens
22nd: Jay Willingham, Brodie Cobb, Frankie Bishop, Ethan Jennings
29th: Frank Thomas, Wayne Carden, Kenny Stratton, Anthony Pettis
***** Please see Eddie Jennings or Jeff Tims before worship service begins.***

Ushers: Jeff Tims & David Stancil

Greeters (pass out communion supplies):
15th: Denise Ramsey & Dorothy Phillips
22nd: Eric & Kristi Ishee
29th: Linda Carter & Candace Houston

Greeters (main foyer only—for the month):
Amy Littleton & Glenda Reaves

Security Duty:
15th: James Galbreath & Norman Morrison
22nd: Keith Stancil & Keith Luker
29th: Jay Painter & Marty Livingston

Audio-Visual:
15th: Tammy Cobb
22nd: Michael & Kaci Wingo 29th: Will West

Little Lambs Nursery:
15th: Christina Downer & Madison West
22nd: Ella Watts & teen
29th: Jada Foster & Tyler Painter

Secure the Building: Eddie Jennings
Contact Elder: Kevin Briley (256-310-9685)
If you are unable to serve please contact ***Brian Forbus @ 256-283-3267.***

Birthdays & Anniversaries

11/15: Tammy Cobb
11/16: M/M Kerry Cobb
11/17: Frank Thomas
11/19: Mila Wingo
11/20: Edna Brown

PRAYER REQUESTS

Our Sick…

Please continue to lift **Jerry Wilson** in prayer. (502 Nakoma Drive, Anniston 36206)

Please continue to cover **Geri Warner** in prayer. (3310 US Highway 78W, Oxford 36203)

Betsy Upchurch underwent a procedure this past week. Surgery went well. Please remember her recovery in prayer. (74 Polkville Drive, Apt. 306, Anniston 36206)

Please continue to remember **Bobby Houston** in prayer for health issues. (1300 Easterwood Drive, Oxford 36203)

Geneva Rochester has not been feeling well this past week. Please pray for a speedy recovery. (82 Bentbrook Circle, Oxford 36203)

Tromer and Donna Morrison have not been feeling well. Please pray for a speedy recovery. (1326 Gloria Lane, Weaver 36277)

Please continue to remember **David & Myra Pugh** in prayer. (2911 England Road, Lincoln 35096)

Norman Morrison underwent surgery this past week. Surgery went well. Please cover him and his recovery in prayer. (126 Mattison Road, Oxford 36203)

Debbie Mitchell is scheduled for a procedure on November 24th. Please continue to remember her in prayer. (139 Hickory Drive, Oxford 36203)

Family & Friends…

Gavin Carter (nephew of Elton Carter) was recently diagnosed with cancer. Please cover him in prayer. (9240 Bruckhaus Street, Apt. 320 Raleigh, NC 27617)

Suzanne McGaughy (friend of Percy Brooks) found out recently that her cancer has returned. Please cover her in prayer.

Zachary Ballard (infant - friend of Kollin & Macy Walters) was born prematurely and is struggling. Please pray for this little one.

Crew Wynne (infant – friend of Tim Lindsey) was born premature. He has gained a little weight and is making progress. Please lift this little one in prayer.

George Seritt (grandfather of Justin Brock) had emergency surgery this past week. Please pray for a complete recovery.

Mike Finch (brother of Ellen Cody) is scheduled for a procedure on his leg for blood flow and is in a lot of pain. Please lift his name in prayer.

Sympathy…

Please remember the **family of Melinda Heard** (friend of Nathaniel Maffett) in prayer in their time of loss.

Other Prayer Requests…

Please continue to cover all those currently serving in the military in prayer: Jacob Reaves, Tanner Cobb, Asyndace Turner, Derek Houston , Rileigh Lindsey, Toby Williford, John Meade, J.W. Clement, Travis Woodard, James Morrison, Zachary Lewis, Tristian Waters



THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE

ends next Sunday, November 22nd

Items needed: mashed potatoes, family sized mac n cheese, green beans, canned corn, gravy mix, stuffing, cranberry sauce, cake mix, icing, tea bags, vegetable oil, sugar, canned pumpkin, evaporated milk



Ladies' Thanksgiving Dinner & Night of Praise
Monday, November 16th, 6pm, at BVH

Meal is provided – please bring $8 each. If you need assistance with the cost, please let Shelly know and it will be covered! Desserts are also needed & welcome! We will not have a gift swap this month!
All ages are welcome! Bring a friend!

BVH Leaders

Elders:
Kevin Briley
Elton Carter
James Lindsey

Deacons:
James Galbreath
(Food Ministry)
Eddie Jennings
(Homebuilders, Young Adult Activities, Baptistery, Attendance)
Marty Livingston
(Building Operations)
Kenny Stratton
(Finance)
Jay Painter (youth)
Jay Willingham (youth)

Minister:
Mark Littleton

Children's Ministry Activities Coordinator:
Eric Ishee

Youth Minister:

Service Times: Sunday
Bible study: 9:30 a.m.
Worship: 10:30 a.m.

Wednesday:
Bible Study: 6:30 p.m.

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Ongoing Prayer Requests: Alice Moore, Debbie Campbell, Doris Newman, Marie Gunter, Peggy Russell, Shane & Debra Champion, Fay Brown, Debra Tyson, Candace Houston, Mina Faye Stephens , Ashley Watts, Norma Tyson, Phil & Donna Waits, Cassie Gaskins, Debbie Medders, Dot Anaker, Keith Stancil, Jordan Swearingen, Karen Burnham, Mike Tucker, Cindy Goocher, Vicki Buckhanan, Harold & Pattie Bean, McKenzie McWilliams, Casey Newman, Tristan Gates, Mike Godfrey, JC Smith, Susan Haney, Montgomery family, Joe Beam, Ben Strickland, Craig Leath, Ronald Bailey, Cindy Strickland, Zh'mir Montgomery, Jerre Strickland, James Mitchell, June Fontane, Kim Maddox, David Wilson, Herbert Raulston, Donna Smith, Heather Green, Kathy Ishee, Jenny Haynes, Landen Cromwell, Joey Chambers, Jason Meadows, Judy Townsend, Regina Gray, Kolby Ingram, Zachary Bresley, Eleanor Eaton, Russ Jackson, Randy Greene, Stephanie Stephens, Kasson Greer, Geri Warner, Scott Cobb, Pat Strickland, Denver Nichols, Daryl Johnston, Jared Holland, Deaiera Burns, Randy Goodson, Phyllis Rochester, Doyle, Darryl Webb, Denise Alverson, Ted Lackey, Tim McGuirk, Sandy Higgins, Lorine Darrell Johnston, Lillie Cooley, Rachael Strickland, Lillian Chupp, Sondra Stephens, Alicia Grant, Dolly Sprayberry, Ben Hunter, Phil Green, Monica Wright, Melvin Strickland , Linda Woodard, Carl Wyatt, Bill Strickland, Isabella Reynolds, David Baggett, Danny & Rhonda Dover, Jeff, Angela Warren, nephew of Kaci Wingo, Norma Tyson, Eva Lynn Vincent, Sandi Sharp, Maggie Freeman, Joe Bailey, Bridgett Martin, Jackie Spratlin, Hattie Fields, Tami Sims, Luann Brock, Teresa Bradshaw, Susan Langley, Roxanne Stancil, Chad Thomas, Wanda Cagle, Mike Brown, Philip Youngblood, sister of Anna Chambless, Mary Evelyn McBurnett, Wayne Livingston, Sam Parker, Dee Vines, Dennis Smith, Kay Adams, Crystal Greenwood & baby, Robert Smith, Dale Adams, Marcellus Maffett, Joel Fetner, Ron Chambless, Trish Lerette, Michael Fluker, Danika Durham , Paul Dingler, Amanda Stephens, Doug Steen, Lorine Houston, Ike Purvis, Ann Frazier, James Crawford, Dennis Turner, Glenda Wooten, Brady Magouirk, Ralph Haynes, James Sumers, Rickie Brown, Cindy Dickie, Kiane Rowell, Callan Gore, Dena Pressley. Tromer Morrison, Fisher Camp, Frances Stephens, Penny Raines, Jane Burns, Jeremiah Bennett, Jackie Turner, Casey Bice, Flint Nunnelly, Jim Melton, Travis Oglesby, Faye Nowland, Ted Hicks, Jeanene Hayes, Norman & Vicky Morrison, Edna Brown, Diane Bowman, Heidi Bittle, Connie Green, Butch Ponder, Gloria Moates, Michael Ingram, Geoff Williams, Mike Tims, Jerry Mitchell, Rachael Cotney, Sherri Barris, Jennifer Pitts, Scott Frazier, Jeremy Watts, Tony McCombs, Ray Johnson, Bruce Lovell , Rebekah Carpenter, Rod Cobb, Catherine McAdams. Will Hamilton, Rita Williams, Debra Tyson, Sara Poole, Imogene Shaddix, Roger Tims, Melissa Prince, Rita Hinds, Janet Williams, Linda Garvey, Cathy Jeffers, Sherry Burcham, James Hickman, Lou Pearson, Matthew Roberts, Jay Kirk Stephens, Mickey Haney, Zach Biggers, Ronnie Brock, Willodean Carter, Rick Pinkston, Frank Peterson, Eddie Cook, Macy Warford, Mark Dulaney, Angela Smith, Gerald Shaw, Kayla Lewis, Derek Tims, Butch Wilson, Rebecca Singleton, parent of Jody Parker, Patsy Wilkerson, De Wayne Willoughby, Sue Ryker, Bobby Houston, Terri Ferguson, Jimmy Hawkins, Linda Trussell, Herbert Raulston, Mike Jones, Charles Smedley, Jerry Robinson, Sandy Couch, Dillon Phillips, Angie Morrison, Keith Edwards, Carson Pol, Hillary Casimiro, Scott Cobb, Lakon Nicholson, Karen Wolf, Gary & Monica Sparks, Teretha Maffett, Philip Youngblood, Myra Clement, Jennifer Pitts, Angie Turner, Matt Greene, Brad Stone, Tristen Connell, Lindsey Ball, Wade Pugh, Dustin, Kathy Moxley, Christy Worthington, Dennis Jordan, Marcellus Maffett, Joe Tom Stephens, David & Myra Pugh, Debbie Mitchell, Don Hall, Christy Harris, Jane Haney, Brantly Goodson, the Dennis family, Amber Strickland, Omarionate Miller, Janice Wiley-Dorn, Carla Pettis, Theo Moore,, Kelly Denney

Our Sunday worship service may be viewed live on our Facebook page!

SERMON NOTES

Sermon Title:

When You Follow Jesus Alone

Key text: 1 Corinthians 7:12-16 & 1 Peter 3:1-7

The Challenge: How can I stay faithful to _____ without abandoning my commitment to my _____?

Principle #1: Don't A _____ Your Marriage Just Because Your Spouse Doesn't Share Your Faith (1 Cor. 7:12-13)

- Your spouse's unbelief doesn't make your marriage _____
- Your commitment to Jesus should actually _____ your commitment to your marriage
- Don't _____ a problem where God hasn't created one

Principle #2: Don't Compromise Your Faith, But Do Recognize Your Spiritual I _____ (1 Cor. 7:14,16)

- Understand the _____ you have
- Don't confuse influence with _____
- Don't give up _____

Principle # 3: Don't Try to Win Your Spouse With Arguments-Seek to Win Them With Your L _____ (1 Peter 3:1-6)

- Let your _____ reinforce your convictions
- Don't make your spouse the _____

Principle # 4: Don't Allow Differences In Faith to Destroy the L _____ & R _____ in Your Marriage (1 Peter 3:7)

- Be _____
- Treat your spouse with _____
- Recognize that your relationship with your spouse affects your relationship with your _____

Principle # 5: Know Where to Draw the Line – Faithfulness to J _____ Must Come First (1 Cor. 7:15)

Remember that you are never truly _____ when you follow Jesus!