



The Journey

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SAVE THE DATE!

Vacation Bible School

July 8-12 (9:00-11:30 am)

Ages 3 through 5th Grade

Neighbors are more than people who live next door. Neighbors are more than people in our families or communities. Children will go on a journey to discover more about God's great love, from looking at how to be a neighbor to diving into what it means to live out our faith. This interactive VBS leads children deeply into Bible stories focused on God's care and compassion for neighbors close at hand and around the world. Join us as we discover neighbors near and far!

To register your child or to volunteer to help please contact Pastor Laura (256) 881-0150 or laura@fcc-hsv.org

THANK YOU

Thank you again for giving to our sister church, Grateful Life. In May \$830 was donated from FCC members and will go to help Grateful Life provide a ministry to the homeless of Huntsville. It is not too late to give if you have not done so. Just write your check to FCC with Grateful Life on the memo line. All contributions will be put to good use!

CWM & Community Outreach

Deadline for the *Journey* is **Thursday, June 6**, at Noon publisher@fcc-hsv.org

3209 Whitesburg Drive, Huntsville, Alabama 35802 Telephone: 256-881-0150 **Office Hours: 9am - 5pm M-F**
Sunday Worship Services: 8:15 & 10:30 a.m. Christian Education for all ages - 9:15 a.m.

SUNDAY, JUNE 9

PENTECOST

Scripture Acts 2:1-21
Sermon "The Best Sermon Ever"

SERVING AT THE TABLE

8:15 Dale Thomas & Justin Givens
10:30 Bob Senn & Andy Herron

COMMUNION PREPARATION

Mary Ann Anderson

SERVING COMMUNION

8:15 Kathi Luzar & Nancy Waites
Rick & Kay Shrout
10:30 Mary Ann Anderson & Ty Davis
Beverly Cannon & Roberta Shivers
Marilee Keim

COFFEE FELLOWSHIP

Lynn Abernathy

SUNDAY'S FOOD BASKET is given in honor of all FCC Officers, Elders, Deacons, Conveners, & Trustees

CHILDREN WORSHIP & WONDER

Pentecost
Abby Allen, Holly Ahlbin,
Tré Davis

YOUNG DISCIPLES

On Break

AV SUPPORT TEAM

Technical Director - Chuck Herber
Assistant Director - Michael Smith
Sound - Michael Smith & Malcolm Landreth
Stream Operator - Michael Smith

The Pentecost Offering is Making a Difference in the Alabama-Northwest Florida Region

For almost a year, the Alabama-Northwest Florida Region has been supporting the formation of **Iglesia Cristiana - Nuevo Comienzo (Discipulos de Cristo) in Anniston, Alabama**, which translates as New Beginning Christian Church (Disciples of Christ). **Carmen Reyes** is commissioned by the Committee on the Ministry for her service as Church Planter. The growing new congregation is sharing space with the large Cornerstone Church in Anniston. A Project Advisory Team made up of persons from nearby Disciples congregations, and chaired by Irma Arevalo, is giving oversight to the project.

In the early stages of a new church start, funding from the Regional Church is essential. Before an offering plate is ever passed, there is a need for start-up funding to secure appropriate leadership and a place to meet. There are also publicity and equipment costs. **The annual Pentecost Offering is a primary source of funding that this Region uses in support of new congregations.** The **2019 Pentecost Offering** will be collected on **June 2 and June 9**. Your support of this offering is an important part of the ministry of starting new congregations. One-half (50%) of the Pentecost Offering is returned to the Region in which it is given.

SUPPORT CASA - JASON'S DELI JUNE 6TH

Thursday, June 6th, from 5:00 pm – 9:00 pm, eat at Jason's Deli at Whitesburg Drive South and support CASA, Care Assurance System for the Aging and Homebound. When you purchase your meal mention CASA's name and follow the restaurant's instructions to receive 15% of your meal's price donated back to CASA of Madison County. CASA is a non-profit agency.

CASA provides services to individuals age 60 and older and to the homebound (wheelchair and bed bound) of all ages since 1979. Community Outreach supports CASA at Christmas through gift cards for the clients and Sack Sunday.

Thank you for your support.

ATTENDANCE	5/26	6/2
First Service Worship	NR	37
Sunday School	21	31
Second Service Worship	73	76
Young Disciples	NA	NA
Children's Church	4	NR
Total Worship	77	113

HUNTSVILLE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM NIGHT

AT THE BIERGARTEN JUNE 20, 4:30-7:30 PM

Come and bring your friends and family to the US Space and Rocket Center on June 20 from 4:40 -7:30 pm for authentic German Cuisine! The Huntsville Assistance Program (HAP) will receive a percentage of all food sold that night. So come on out and enjoy an evening of German food while helping your community.

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BAKE SALE HELP

I am looking for someone to help me run the bake sale that we have in the fall and possibly take it over sometime in the future when they are comfortable with running it. Last year we were able to give about \$2000 back to our community with the proceeds we made. It also serves as a mission to the community since they all seem to appreciate our baking skills and we sell out every year.

No experience is necessary: I will teach you all you need to know. Most of the work is done the day before and the day of the bake sale. A lot is delegated to helpers and you will always have lots of help.

If you are interested learning this position, let me know. You can email me at dmlove1543@gmail.com or call me at 256-337-5597.

Thank you, Dinah Love

FOSTER CARE NEEDS OUR HELP

Community Outreach is asking your help in easing the burden of the Foster Care Unit of the Alabama Department of Human Resources (DHR). Please consider making a financial donation so we can purchase Walmart gift cards for the agency to use throughout the year for the children who come into care, through no fault of their own. The need could be as simple as snacks for when the children are in the building for visits with parents or waiting for a foster placement. Or, it could be a child might have a special immediate need. Funding is tight for DHR and more children are coming into care. We can help these children who have suffered so much by our donation. A check can be made to FCC with DHR in the memo line. FCC has shown compassion for our children in crisis before and we are again asking your help again because we can make a difference.

