Privileged to Serve		
SpeakerPhilip Goad		
Announcements/PrayerBruce Clopton		
Song LeaderAndy Duncan		
AttendanceTerry Dyer/Jacob King		
Morning		
Scripture/Opening PrayerByron Madison		
Lord's Supper		
Presiding		
*Randy Rives		
Assisting		
Al St. Clair * * Lloyd Smith		
Jared Agan * * Lamar King		
Closing PrayerStan Raley		
Evening		
Opening PrayerLamar King		
Lord's Supper		
Al St. Clair * * Lloyd Smith		
Closing PrayerJack Mears		
Communion Preparation		
Month of February Bridget Smith		
Month of MarchAngela Duncan		
Nursery Attendant; Backup		
February 9Lara King; Katie Agan		
February 16 Katie Agan; Angela Duncan		
Wednesday Evening - February 12, 2020		
Prayer/AnnouncementsAl St. Clair		
Song LeaderByron Madison		

Service Times	
SUNDAY	
Bible Study9:00 a.m.	
Morning Worship 10:00 a.m.	
Evening Worship5:00 p.m.	
WEDNESDAY	
Bible Study	

Devotional.....Randy Rives

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TOM FAIR (601) 681-8293			
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LAMAR KING (601) 604-2656 BUILDING/GROUNDS			
Byron Madison (601) 227-1374 YOUTH			
RANDY RIVES (601) 513-4785 EDUCATION & WORSHIP			
ALBERT ST. CLAIR (601) 626-7815			
Works Supported			

Robert Martin
Stacey Ferguson

South Pacific Missions

Pine Vale Children's Home Corinth, Mississippi

Attendance Last Week

Sunday Bible Class	23
Sunday Morning Worship	51
Sunday Evening Worship	15
Wednesday Bible Study	21

Contributions & Other Income

Contribution Last Week \$ 1,876.31

Daily Bible Readers

February 2, 2020 * = *% of attending *Figures Unavailable

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Welcome Visitors!

GOD'S BLUEPRINT FOR THE HOME

"To the Unmarried and to Widows"

Most church families have young people who haven't yet married as well as unmarried members who were married at some point in the past. What does God's word have to say for these brothers and sisters? What blueprint does the Bible provide for living a life that honors God? Today we consider some practical advice from 1 Corinthians 7.

Consider 1 Corinthians 7:1-2, 6-9, 25-28, 32-39.

Practical advice for the unmarried, the widows and the church family:

- 1. Embrace God's truth that you are ______ in _____ as an unmarried person.
- ▶ Better positioned for "undistracted devotion to the Lord" 1 Cor. 7:32-35.
- A principle from **Colossians 2:8-12**.
- 2. Commit today to seeking dating relationships in a _____ way.
- Colossians 3:1-4 is an excellent passage for working on a better you!
- 3. Remain firmly committed to only marrying ______!
- Consider 1 Corinthians 7:39; 2 Corinthians 6:14.
- 4. As church family, we must actively ______ to our unmarried brothers and sisters.
- **Ephesians 4:16** emphasizes the need for all body parts to be healthy.
- ➤ We have responsibilities for our widows **1 Timothy 5:3-16**.

♦ Philip Goad ♦