

SOUTHSIDE

BAPTIST

April 12

CELEBRATE

EASTER

On-line Services on Youtube,
Facebook and
sbcsouthside.org

April 2020

Dear SBC Family,

These are unprecedented times in our modern era. Social and religious gatherings have been affected in ways I never would have imagined a couple months ago. I pray that you and your family are doing well. Let's talk about care, where to get information, tithes and offerings, and prayer.

CARE

If you have needs like groceries, etc. please contact the church office 256 442-8602. Our partner, The Etowah Baptist Missions Center 256 546-2980, can also provide help to those in need. Our deacons and staff are here to serve and help in any way we can. We understand that we have limitations in hospitals and other facilities right now, but we will do everything we can to help.

WHERE TO GET INFORMATION

The best places to get information about the church schedule quickly is through the church website www.sbcsouthside.org or the church Facebook page "SBC Southside". There are also Instagram pages for the church and the Youth (sbcsouthside and Southside Student Ministry). Parents and Small Group Leaders are getting information from those avenues and Remind. If you feel out of the loop and can't access these resources, call the office 256 442-8602 Monday-Friday from 8am-4pm.

GIVING

Southside Baptist has always been blessed by generous giving and God has used that obedience to change many lives over the years. We have no doubt that He will continue to provide, and He wants us to be a part of the amazing work He is doing right now. The ministry of spreading the Gospel and serving the church body does not stop because of a virus, if anything the ministry is ramped up more now than ever before. One example of that is our new streaming church service so you and the world can hear the Good News of Jesus Christ. The ministry takes funding, and financial giving to God through your local church is an act of worship.

You may typically give in the offering plate or an envelope in your group time. The easiest way to give is online. Our website www.sbcsouthside.org has an "online giving" option toward the top of the home page. There you can give one time with debit or checking account or set up recurring giving. I opted a long time ago to set up recurring giving, it comes out of your account, weekly or monthly, and you never have to worry about forgetting! You can also drop off your offering at the church during office hours or mail it in- Southside Baptist Church 3975 Highway 77, Southside AL 35907.

PRAYER

Pray for those experiencing sickness and for their families. Pray for those in quarantine and isolated from their loved ones. Pray for your church leaders and deacon body as they navigate through decisions and ministry. Pray for our nation's leaders as they make very difficult decisions. Pray for healthcare professionals still on the front lines. Pray for the teachers and school leaders still working to reach their students. Pray for those working in stores and those in transportation getting things to the stores. Pray for those serving the public in various ways (postal service, restaurants, pharmacies, etc.).

God has not stepped off His throne, nor has He been shocked by what is happening. He is the same sovereign Father today that He was yesterday, and He will be tomorrow. Trust that while we don't know what the day holds, we know Who holds the day. We are thankful to serve with you and are blessed by your dedication to the ministry at Southside Baptist Church. I personally long for the day when we can once again join in person and worship our risen Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

For His Glory,

Pastor Adam

*In the same way, let your light shine before others,
so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father in heaven. Matt. 5:16*

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WEEKLY activities will resume when COVID 19 mandates are lifted. Please check the website sbcsouthside.org for updates or call the church office 256-442-8602.

Sundays: 9:15 am Small Groups; 10:30 am Worship

Tuesdays: 1-3 pm Corn Hole; 6:15 pm Pickleball

Wednesdays: 5:00 pm Men's & Ladies' Bible Study; MidWeek Meal; 6:00 pm Adult & Student Worship, Southside Kids; 6:30 pm Choir; 7:00 pm Orchestra; 8:00 pm College & Career Small Group

Thursdays: 10 am Ladies' Bible Study; 1-3:00 pm Corn Hole

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5 Palm Sunday	6	7	8	9 6:15 pm Women's Bible Study (Facebook Live)	10	11	
12 Easter Sunday	13	14	15	16	17	18	
19 8:30 am Finance Committee Meeting	20	21	22	23	24	25	
26	27	28	29	30			

Happy Birthday!

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| <p>April 1
Samuel Bishop
Sandy Niamon
Savannah Thomas
Melissa Wethington</p> <p>April 2
Kay Armstrong
Tracy Rich
Jimmy Whittemore</p> <p>April 3
Buddy Osborne</p> <p>April 4
Carly Noah
Gloria Self</p> <p>April 5
Rick Lankford
Tracy Mann</p> <p>April 6
Alan Arthur
Ellie Clevenger
Jordan Foster
Bo Kilgo
Dianne Rogerson</p> <p>April 7
Denson Ragsdale</p> <p>April 8
Frank Amos
Carole Ballard
Holly Brown</p> | <p>April 9
Jackson Abernathy
Jamie Kilgo
Preston Rich
Valerie Pugliese
Clarence Truitt</p> <p>April 10
Amy McGlaughn
George Thorpe</p> <p>April 11
Dan Childs
Zac Hefner</p> <p>April 12
Peyton Abernathy
Scott Abernathy
Jennifer Alverson
Grace Brown</p> <p>April 13
Baylor Alred
Noah Dasinger
Andrea Hanson
Beata Smith
Hazel Sosebee</p> <p>April 14
Riley Foster
Doug Gattis
Luke Pearson
Jimmy Richardson
Lillian Roper</p> | <p>April 15
Paul Bishop
Nevaeh Taylor</p> <p>April 16
John Hatley
Erin Knowles
Vera Lankford
Aric Nelson</p> <p>April 18
Jody Willoughby</p> <p>April 19
Carol Autrey
Jan Galbreath
Noah Ragsdale</p> <p>April 20
Jennifer Bishop
Justin Chambers
Peggy Chastain
Dalton Speegle</p> <p>April 21
Barbara Chambers
Ron Chamblee
Brian Hess
Candi Thompson</p> <p>April 22
Louise Davis
Joyce Lovelady</p> <p>April 23
Polly Elrod</p> | <p>....April 23
Vickie Garmon
Alice Rich</p> <p>April 24
Ken Beck
Norman Dasinger
John Little
Alan Neal
Amy Ragsdale</p> <p>April 25
Becky Oglesby
Wesley Speegle</p> <p>April 26
Taylor Boggs
Ron Daugherty
Anthony Denson</p> <p>April 27
Gary Galbreath</p> <p>April 28
Jacob Alverson</p> <p>April 29
Caroline Burton</p> <p>April 30
Ronald Lankford
Brian McElwee
Sydney Middleton
Ray Strawbridge</p> |
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Sympathy

The following deaths occurred in our church family during the month: Alan Hollingsworth; Helen Ruth Kiddler, Harold Burton's sister; and Johnny Powell. Our sympathy is expressed to these families.

Sr. Adult Activities

April 23 Atlanta Braves game has been postponed. "The opening of the 2020 MLB regular season has been pushed back in accordance with the CDC guidelines. MLB remains committed to playing as many games as possible when the season begins."

Refunds will be given if unable to attend a rescheduled game. More details hopefully soon.

Trip deposits and payments for future trips can be paid later when church activities resume. Please call Bill if questions.

Financial Summary

	February	Year To Date
Total Receipts (Budget & Interest)	\$ 121,818	\$ 202,770
Actual Expenses	\$ 99,691	\$ 193,760
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Income (+/-) than Expenses	\$ 22,128	\$ 9,010
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Actual Expenses	\$ 99,691	\$ 193,760
Budgeted Expenses	\$ 109,553	\$ 219,045
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Actual (+/-) than Budget	\$ (9,862)	\$ (25,285)

Cash Balances:

	Jan-20	Feb-20	Feb-19
Operating Cash	\$ 180,125	\$ 203,254	\$ 177,095
Designated	\$ 220,926	\$ 167,824	\$ 76,097
Total Cash	\$ 401,051	\$ 371,077	\$ 253,192

Long Term Debt Balance: \$ 1,802,499

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SBC Goal: \$16,000

Given to date: \$3,644

Women's BIBLE Study

April 9

6:15 pm "

-Facebook Live-

Contact Lori McRae for details

A Fortified Life