



# CRAWFORD BAPTIST CHURCH

A CHURCH FAMILY FOR YOUR FAMILY



4503 U.S. Highway 80 West  
Phenix City, AL 36870

## Weekly Events

### Sunday

9:15am Breakfast

10:00am Sunday School for all ages

11:00am Worship

(Nursery and Children's Church available birth-K)

### Tuesday

6:30pm Crawford Pickers

### Wednesday

10:00am Ready Gleaners Sunday School Class

11:00am Paint/Art Class

6:30pm Adult, Youth, and Children's Activities

*may* the God of hope  
fill you with all joy and peace in  
believing, so that by the power of  
the Holy Spirit you may abound in  
Hope. -Romans 15:13

## VBS Work Day

Sunday, May 19th

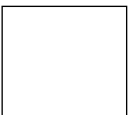
12pm-2pm

Lunch Provided

Bring your curriculum, or  
your VBS decorations, or  
simply join and help create  
our church VBS decorations!  
All skill-levels are welcome!



GOD'S ROCK-SOLID TRUTH IN A  
WORLD OF SHIFTING SANDS  
ROMANS 12:2

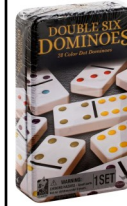


## Pastor's Corner

In 1952, a joint resolution of the United States Congress established a National Day of Prayer. In 1988, President Reagan set that day as the first Thursday in May. On this day, people from all walks of life join together around the country to call out to God for Him to work in and through our country. This year, a local prayer gathering will be held at Epworth Methodist Church in Phenix City at 12 noon EDT. I encourage all who are able, to join us and participate in this gathering as we cry out to God to heal our land and bring many to faith in Christ in Crawford, Phenix City, America, and beyond. We talk about being a praying church and praying big as we expect our big God to do big things, so let's be sure that we are consistent to pray not only as individuals but with others, as well. God moved in Acts in response to the church praying. On Thursday, May 2nd we have an opportunity to pray united with other brothers and sisters in Christ, so let's be sure to put into practice what we see the early church doing consistently.

Psalm 127:3 tells us, "Children are a heritage from the Lord, offspring a reward from him." In the past two years God has given our CBC family a great heritage! We had seven babies born to church families last year, and already this year we have welcomed into the world Micah Alan Wynn, Madi Brooke Blackshear, and Kaiden Sidney Goldmann. We are expecting two more babies to be born before August, and then one more to be born before the end of the year. In this same newsletter exactly one year ago, I wrote about how great it was to have 42 volunteers serving in the nursery—considering the numbers of babies we were expecting. With the influx of more babies and new children, our need for nursery workers has increased. Yet, the number of our volunteers in the nursery has decreased to only 28. We currently need 7 nursery volunteers per Sunday to teach our little ones, so their parents can focus solely on worship. The more volunteers we have the more Sundays each volunteer can participate in the worship service. Yes, we have Sydney now, but her role is to coordinate and equip; not to teach a class every Sunday morning. Therefore, please consider volunteering in this very vital ministry.

Praying with you,  
Bro. Matt



## GAME DAYS

May 14th: in the FLC

May 28th: in the FLC



*CBC Community*  
**ART / PAINT GROUP**  
Church Office Meeting Room  
Every Wednesday, 11am – 1:30pm (EDT)

**Crawford Pickers**  
Every Tuesday @ 6:30pm @ the CBC Pavilion  
*All Musicians Invited to Come "Pick"*

## THIRD THURSDAYS FASTING & PRAYER

Thursday, May 16th  
in the Sanctuary  
@ Noon (EDT)

**CRAWFORD MARKET DAYS**

WEEKEND SALE

**5/18**  
7:30AM - NOON

WE GIVE OUT WATER, POPSICLES, AND PRAYER.

# Where are you serving in May?

## Deacons Rotation

05/05:	Justin Goodson and Matthew Johnson
05/12:	Jerry Mills and Garry Havron
05/19:	Greg Dykes and Mike Windham
05/26:	Charles Thompson and Cody Dykes
06/02:	Ricky Howard and Kyle McMaster

## Usher & Greeter Rotation

05/05: Ushers-	<b>Jerry Posey, Ricky Howard,</b> Nathan Marquez, Tim Gallman, Trace Gallman, Erik Goldmann, Justin Goodson
Greeters-	Greg Dykes, Marcia Johnson, Laura Mills, Laurie Osteen
05/12: Ushers-	<b>Charles Thompson, Garry Havron,</b> Aaron Thompson, Todd Jones, Greg Moore, Troy Thaxton, Joshua Vankirk
Greeters-	Bert Howard, Bing Howard, Ellis Cameron, Michelle Lloyd
05/19: Ushers-	<b>Greg Dykes, Jerry Mills,</b> Wil Blackshear, Cody Dykes, Noah Mills, Victor Price, Alton Williams
Greeters-	Mary Harless, Michelle Jones, Todd Jones, Sue Wilson, Charles Thompson
05/26: Ushers-	<b>Mathew Johnson Sr., Mike Windham,</b> Bert Carroll, Mike Crouch, Russ Webb, Alex Strong, Matthew Johnson Jr., Shepard Arrington
Greeters-	Mike Crouch, Gloria Ellis, Nathan Marquez, Alyce Williams
06/02: Ushers-	<b>Jerry Posey, Ricky Howard,</b> Nathan Marquez, Tim Gallman, Trace Gallman, Erik Goldmann, Justin Goodson
Greeters-	Greg Dykes, Marcia Johnson, Laura Mills, Laurie Osteen

## Nursery Rotation

05/05: Infants-	Katie Johnson & Caleb Hawkins
Toddlers-	Alex Dykes & Amanda Thaxton
Children's Church-	Gail & Troy Johnson
05/12: Infants-	Lisa Thompson & Elizabeth Williams
Toddlers-	Michelle Lloyd & Amber Marquez
Children's Church-	Michelle & Todd Jones
05/19: Infants-	Gayle Crouch & Jennifer Collins
Toddlers-	Amy & Emily Doster & Barbara Price
Children's Church-	Sydney Reynolds & Sherry Ziebol
05/26: Infants-	Celine Simpson & Pam Graham
Toddlers-	Seth & Amelia Doster
Children's Church-	Rachel Goodson & Gloria Ellis
06/02: Infants-	Barbara Yarbrough & Barbara Clark
Toddlers-	Laurie Osteen & Stephanie F.
Children's Church-	Gail & Troy Johnson

We are looking for kind-hearted, servants of Christ to help us care for and show the love of Jesus to the children of CBC and our beloved community.

Join us in the  
*Nursery!*

Must be willing to wear a welcoming smile and "get your hands dirty" (maybe literally, but we do provide gloves!) May also be asked to read books or sing "Jesus Loves Me".

(It's not difficult, but it *is* Oh, So Important)

See Sydney Reynolds to sign up!




# May 2024



SUNDAYS		TUESDAYS		WEDNESDAYS	
9:15 AM	BREAKFAST	10:00 AM	GAMEDAYS IN THE FLC (2 <sup>ND</sup> & 4 <sup>TH</sup> TUESDAYS)	10:00 AM	READY GLEANERS SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS
10:00 AM	SUNDAY SCHOOL FOR ALL AGES	6:30 PM	CRAWFORD PICKERS	11:00 AM	ART/PAINT CLASS
11:00 AM	WORSHIP SERVICE (NURSERY & CHILDREN'S CHURCH AVAILABLE BIRTH-K)			6:30 PM	PRAYER MEETING YOUTH BIBLE STUDY CHILDREN'S BIBLE DRILL & MISSIONS NURSERY – (BIRTH – 3 YEARS OLD)

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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<p>May Birthdays: <b>5/3</b> –David Cantrell, Garry Havron <b>5/6</b> –Shelby Bush, Jean Johnson <b>5/7</b> –Donna Mitchell, Tommy Pugh <b>5/8</b> –Dee Cantrell, Joseph Davis, Maudie Hagler, Tucker Posey, Hannah Simpson <b>5/9</b> –Wesley Johnson <b>5/12</b> –Laura Mills <b>5/13</b> –Ron Helms <b>5/14</b> –Ray Allen, Margaret Boutwell <b>5/16</b> –Dan Johnson <b>5/17</b> –Dylan Simpson <b>5/20</b> –Judy Jay, Mickey Pace, Drew Parkman <b>5/23</b> –Terry Lawler <b>5/24</b> –Bill Cantrell <b>5/27</b> –Jerrell Brown <b>5/29</b> –Walker Marquez, Thatcher Yarbrough <b>5/31</b> –Susan Howard</p>		<b>1</b>	10:00 AM READY GLEANERS SS 11:00 AM ART/PAINT CLASS 5:30 PM WORSHIP PRACTICE 6:30 PM WEDNESDAY NIGHT ACTIVITIES	<b>2</b>	6:30 PM FINANCE TEAM	<b>3</b>		<b>4</b>					
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9:15 AM BREAKFAST 10:00 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL 11:00 AM WORSHIP *MAY BIRTHDAY BANK!* 12:15 DEACONS MEETING 2-4 PM MRS MAUDIE HAGLER'S BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION		6:30 PM TECH TEAM		6:30 PM BUILDING & GROUNDS TEAM 6:30 PM CRAWFORD PICKERS		10:00 AM READY GLEANERS SS 11:00 AM ART/PAINT CLASS 5:30 PM WORSHIP PRACTICE 6:30PM BUSINESS MEETING & FAMILY MEAL		10:30 AM—1 PM TEACHER APPRECIATION LUNCH @ DIXIE ELEMENTARY					
<b>12</b>	<b>MOTHER'S DAY</b>	<b>13</b>		<b>14</b>		<b>15</b>		<b>16</b>		<b>17</b>		<b>18</b>	
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