

June 5, 2022



# FLORENCE BOULEVARD CHURCH OF CHRIST

## Elders

Steve Clark  
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Greg Allen  
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Nate Fulmer  
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Dave Schmidt  
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Don Williams

## Minister

Austin Johnson

## Youth Minister

John Birdwell

## Secretary

Sonya Cox

## The “god” of My Emotions

The god of emotions controls me. When god sends me a reactionary choice word, I send it forward. When god reminds me I am far inferior to him or her I immediately shrink and sour. When god informs me that the emotions I feel are true to me, while inappropriate and ungodly, I convince myself that “I am being my true self.” You see, the god of emotions controls me.

What is this “little-g” god I speak of? I believe it is an idol god that each of us are quite familiar with. We may just not be familiar with calling it an “idol god.” However, when anything glorifies oneself over God and consumes your thoughts, such a thing can become an idol. So does God expect us to gain control of these emotions? Contemplate the following text as a precursor to the sermon today and, with me, prayerfully consider how God will help us to “Control Our Emotions.”

### Philippians 4:2–9

<sup>2</sup> I entreat Euodia and I entreat Syntyche to agree in the Lord. <sup>3</sup> Yes, I ask you also, true companion, help these women, who have labored side by side with me in the gospel together with Clement and the rest of my fellow workers, whose names are in the book of life.

<sup>4</sup> Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, rejoice. <sup>5</sup> Let your reasonableness be known to everyone. The Lord is at hand; <sup>6</sup> do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. <sup>7</sup> And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

<sup>8</sup> Finally, brothers, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence, if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things. <sup>9</sup> What you have learned and received and heard and seen in me—practice these things, and the God of peace will be with you.

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Worship: Sunday 9:00 am & 5:00 pm; Bible Class 10:15 am

Wednesday: 6:30 pm

### **FOR THE RECORD**

Sunday AM: 282 / On Line Views: 97  
Sunday School: 210 / On Line Views: 104  
Sunday PM: 134 / On Line Views: 111  
Wednesday: 171 / On Line Views: 77  
Budget: \$13,300  
Contribution: \$ 9,348

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### **PRIME-TIMERS GROUP**

You are invited to Ronnie & Janet Putnam's house  
**TONIGHT** following services, for an ice cream social.  
Please sign the sheet, on the table, in the foyer if you plan to attend.

### **JUNE MISSIONARY OF THE MONTH**

Wayne Barrier (Burma)  
PO Box 93  
Cloverdale, AL 35633

### **TODAY IS PROMOTION SUNDAY**

**12-18 Months:** Joseph Birdwell, Creed Clifton, Greyson Hodges, Beckett Stovall (same classroom as before)  
**Age 3:** Ellis Beckman, Baylor Devito, Jackson Farrar, Ivy Fulmer, Blair Mayes, Mylon Webster, Evelyn Holt  
**Age 4:** Emmett Boatright, Cathleen Gooch, Brooks Johnson  
**Age 5:** Rilee Boatright, Alexander Devito, Stella McGee  
**1<sup>st</sup> Grade:** Aurora Beckman, Juliana Devito, Justin Farrar, Jarrett Johnson, Moses Weatherford, Colton White  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Grade:** Alba Beckman, Sierra Hinton, Jaycee McDonald  
**3<sup>rd</sup> Grade:** Miriama Voigt  
**4<sup>th</sup> Grade:** Chloe White  
**5<sup>th</sup> Grade:** Hannah Grace Dickson, Karlee McDonald, Trent Woodfin, Embree Wright, John Thomas Condrey  
**6<sup>th</sup> Grade:** Walker Osborn

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### **VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**

Begins NEXT Sunday, June 12<sup>th</sup> and will go through Wednesday, June 15<sup>th</sup>. Ages 2-6<sup>th</sup> Grade; Adult Class.  
6 pm-8pm. Please invite your family and friends.

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### **SUMMER CLASS SCHEDULE**

#### **Sunday:**

**Auditorium:** Philippians-taught by Don Williams  
**49er's:** Lessons from Nehemiah-taught by Gregg Elrod  
**Ladies:** Practical Passages from Proverbs-taught by Leisa Williams  
**Young Professionals:** People at the Cross- taught by Austin Johnson

#### **Wednesday:**

**Summer Series**  
**June 8<sup>th</sup>:** Ben Williams (Meridianville); Contemporary Lessons From  
The Book of Beginnings; Genesis "Does Genesis Apply To Today?"

#### **June 15<sup>th</sup>:**

Vacation Bible School- Age 2-6<sup>th</sup> Grade; Adult Class

### **52 WEEK BIBLE READING PLAN**

#### **Week 23**

**Sunday** (Epistles) Galations 4-6

**Monday** (The Law) Exodus 37-40

**Tuesday** (History) 1 Kings 5-9

**Wednesday** (Psalms) Psalm 66-68

**Thursday** (Poetry) Proverbs 2-3

**Friday** (Prophecy) Lamentations

**Saturday** (Gospels) Luke 9-10