

New Market Presbyterian Church

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Sunday School – 10:00 A.M., Education Building
Fellowship – 10:45 A.M., Fellowship Hall
Worship – 11:00 A.M., Sanctuary
Song Leader: Jerry Tignor
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Youth Celebrant: Susan Faulk

Thank You!

Thank you to **Ted Dixie, Jr.**, for delivering today's sermon!

Thank you to our guests, **Mrs. Betty Dixie** (Ted's mom), **Ms. Carolyn Jackson**, and **Ms. Sylvia Scott**, for worshipping with us!

Thank you to **Velma Crumrine** for serving as Sunday School hostess!

PRAYER REQUESTS

Let's pray for peace in our country and guidance for our leaders.

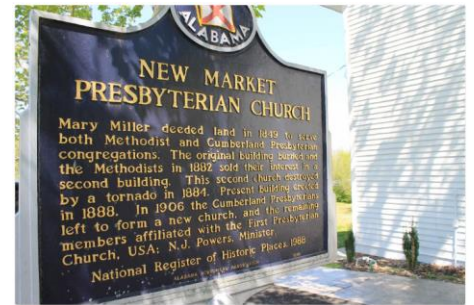
Devon Reynolds is here for Fall Break but will be returning to seminary soon. Let's pray for a safe return trip and success at seminary.

Let's keep Kim Mitchel's daughter in prayer. She has a long road ahead for recovery after her recent surgery.

Betty Dixie asks that we continue to pray for her sister, Katie Cleveland, in Tuscaloosa. She is out of the ICU and in rehab.

Please keep Eugene Faulk's father in prayer. He fell and sustained injuries that require therapy and rehabilitation. He's home from the hospital, and the family has been working on getting him settled at home comfortably. Also, pray for Eugene, who travels to Athens to care for his father.

Velma Crumrine said Martha Lawson asks that the church pray for her great-grandson, who was born recently but is having health issues.



Upcoming Events

October 23

Sermon by Ted Dixie, Jr.

October 30

Singing Service

November 6

Rev. Terry Tingle

Communion Sunday

Session Meeting

Sunday School Hostesses

OCTOBER

23 Joyce Mallory

30 Nell/Laura

NOVEMBER

06 Joyce Mallory

Thanks to Joyce Mallory for our Hostess List, and thanks to all who serve in this important ministry of hospitality.

Jerry Tignor asked that we pray for a friend of his who lost her son in a car accident recently. Psalm 34:18 – The Lord is close to those whose hearts are breaking.

Let's pray for the continuing recovery of Alan Jones' 2-year old granddaughter, Caroline Jones, who was diagnosed with cancer in November 2015. Radiation treatments are on-going, but she's doing OK.

Please keep the Woods family in your prayers. Both Jim and June are getting through serious illnesses.

New Market Presbyterian Church can use everyone's prayers during our transition.

Let's pray for Brad Hall as he goes through his career transition.

Please remember Eli Miller and his daughter, Debbie Miller Hall, in your prayers. Eli is still in decline, and Debbie manages his care.

Hesta Farrow is always in our thoughts but can use your prayers.

Please join us in our prayer for new members, new ways of serving our neighbors, and new ways of bringing Christ's joy to one another.

Community Outreach

HELP FEED OUR HUNGRY NEIGHBORS! Velma Crumrine reports that our food offerings have been good, and that the food bank has been proud to receive them. Times are hard and needs are great. We receive items year-round in the box near the entrance to the fellowship hall. Our special food collection day is the third Sunday of every month, in conjunction with Family Luncheon. The food pantry's most needed items are canned soups and canned tomatoes. Other items often requested are boxed macaroni and macaroni and cheese dinners, rice, peanut butter, instant pancake mix (the kind that requires only water), and Bisquit or similar products. There is a box for pantry items in the fellowship hall. Velma Crumrine is faithful in carrying the collections to the Community Food Pantry at the Methodist church.

PLEASE LET US KNOW of good works being done in and for our church. We don't want them to go unnoticed.

Community Announcement

Attention all **Pokémon Go** players! New Market Presbyterian Church is a **PokéStop!** Come by to play the game; stay for the fellowship and service! (Please enjoy the game *outside* of the Sanctuary and Education Building.)

2016 Session Members

Please let a session member know of any special needs or ministry opportunities in our extended church family or in the community.

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Community Announcement

November 20, 2016 (Sunday): New Market Presbyterian Church will be hosting the **Community Thanksgiving Dinner** this year.

Community Announcement

Trunk-or-Treat is 2 weeks away! We will be collecting bags of candy for this event! Make sure you bring the good stuff! Kids and their parents enjoy chocolate!



Church Announcement



Thank you to **Ted Dixie, Jr.**, for delivering today's sermon. Ted Dixie is an ordained Elder at Fellowship Presbyterian Church and an Inquirer in the North Alabama Presbytery (NAP). Ted had served in a variety of positions in the NAP, including president of the NAP Men, a missionary to South Africa, a Youth Leader, and a consultant to the NAP on matters surrounding Camp Maranatha. He asks for your prayers as he continues his studies at Oakwood University this Spring.



L-R: Betty Dixie, Sylvia Scott, Ted Dixie, Jr., and Carolyn Jackson

Church Announcement

Once again, New Market Presbyterian Church enjoyed fun and fellowship at **Family Luncheon!** At the request of a few folks, a copy of the Un-Stuffed Bell Pepper Casserole is printed below.



The New Market Presbyterian Church Lunch Bunch

Beverly Watson's Un-Stuffed Bell Pepper Casserole (2016)

Description: Layered casserole of sliced bell peppers, cheese, and seasoned rice for a 9 x 13 inch, 3 quart baking dish.

HARDWARE

- 3 quart baking dish
- 1 Dutch oven
- Rice cooker (or microwave rice cooker, or regular pot for cooking rice)

INGREDIENTS

- 3 cups cooked long grain rice
- 1 12-oz package of frozen Kroger Brand "3 Pepper & Onion Blend" Recipe Beginnings® **, thawed
- 3 tbsp canola oil (or oil of choice)
- 1 lb ground turkey (85/15)
- 1 can petite diced tomatoes
- 2 packages taco seasoning
- 1 tbsp oregano (or to taste)
- 1 tbsp basil (or to taste)
- 1 tsp black pepper (or to taste)
- 1/4 cup water (if needed)
- 1 8-oz package of shredded sharp cheddar cheese
- 2 tbsp butter, divided and sliced/chopped up



INSTRUCTIONS

1. Cook rice. Set aside.
2. Preheat the oven to 350 deg.
3. In the Dutch oven, add the oil and turkey meat. Brown the turkey meat.
4. To the browned turkey meat, add the can of diced tomatoes. Mix well.
5. Add the taco seasoning packages, oregano, basil, and black pepper to the ground turkey mixture. If the mixture is too dry to incorporate the spices evenly, add the water. Mix well.
6. Add the cooked rice to the turkey mixture. Mix very well.
7. Create layers of the casserole: a layer of the ground turkey/rice mixture, followed by a layer (half) of the "3 Pepper & Onion Blend", and finally a layer of cheese. Sprinkle 1 tbsp of butter on the cheese. Repeat. On the second layer of cheese, scatter the remaining sliced/chopped butter.
8. Bake for 25 minutes, or until the cheese has melted.

NOTES

** Or, use 2 chopped bell peppers and a cup of chopped onions

Church Announcement

Your favorite church newsletter editor, **Beverly Watson**, participated in this year's Liz Hurley Ribbon Run in Huntsville, AL. The 5K race took place on Saturday morning, October 15, with a whopping 5,700 registered participants, some of whom were from England, the Caribbean, and South America. Sporting the team's pink headband, Beverly trudged through the 3.1 mile course with her teammates, the Pink Pacers, who raised \$925! Last year's Ribbon Run proceeds purchased digital mammography with 3D imaging machines, and this year's proceeds will be used to purchase a biopsy system to be used with the new machines.



Liz Hurley starting the Race with Selfies



The Pink Pacers Team
(Beverly is number 1376)

For Next Week

Revised Common Lectionary Readings for Sunday, October 23, 2016, the Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year C)

- **First Reading** Joel 2:23-32
 - **Psalm** 65:1-13
 - **Second Reading** 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18
 - **Gospel** Luke 18:9-14
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First Reading Joel 2:23-32

²³O children of Zion, be glad and rejoice in the LORD your God; for he has given the early rain for your vindication, he has poured down for you abundant rain, the early and the later rain, as before. ²⁴The threshing floors shall be full of grain, the vats shall overflow with wine and oil.

²⁵I will repay you for the years that the swarming locust has eaten, the hopper, the destroyer, and the cutter, my great army, which I sent against you.

²⁶You shall eat in plenty and be satisfied, and praise the name of the LORD your God, who has dealt wondrously with you. And my people shall never again be put to shame. ²⁷You shall know that I am in the midst of Israel, and that I, the LORD, am your God and there is no other. And my people shall never again be put to shame.

²⁸Then afterward I will pour out my spirit on all flesh; your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, your old men shall dream dreams, and your young men shall see visions. ²⁹Even on the male and female slaves, in those days, I will pour out my spirit.

³⁰I will show portents in the heavens and on the earth, blood and fire and columns of smoke. ³¹The sun shall be turned to darkness, and the moon to blood, before the great and terrible day of the LORD comes. ³²Then everyone who calls on the name of the LORD shall be saved; for in Mount Zion and in Jerusalem there shall be those who escape, as the LORD has said, and among the survivors shall be those whom the LORD calls.

Psalm 65:1-13

¹Praise is due to you,

O God, in Zion;

and to you shall vows be performed,

²O you who answer prayer!

To you all flesh shall come.

³When deeds of iniquity overwhelm us,
you forgive our transgressions.

⁴Happy are those whom you choose and bring near
to live in your courts.

We shall be satisfied with the goodness of your house,
your holy temple.

⁵By awesome deeds you answer us with deliverance,
O God of our salvation;
you are the hope of all the ends of the earth
and of the farthest seas.

⁶By your strength you established the mountains;
you are girded with might.

⁷You silence the roaring of the seas,
the roaring of their waves,
the tumult of the peoples.

⁸Those who live at earth's farthest bounds are awed by your signs;
you make the gateways of the morning and the evening shout for joy.

⁹You visit the earth and water it,
you greatly enrich it;
the river of God is full of water;
you provide the people with grain,
for so you have prepared it.

¹⁰You water its furrows abundantly,
settling its ridges,
softening it with showers,
and blessing its growth.

¹¹You crown the year with your bounty;

your wagon tracks overflow with richness.

¹²The pastures of the wilderness overflow,

the hills gird themselves with joy,

¹³the meadows clothe themselves with flocks,

the valleys deck themselves with grain,

they shout and sing together for joy.

Second Reading 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18

⁶As for me, I am already being poured out as a libation, and the time of my departure has come. ⁷I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. ⁸From now on there is reserved for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give me on that day, and not only to me but also to all who have longed for his appearing.

¹⁶At my first defense no one came to my support, but all deserted me. May it not be counted against them!

¹⁷But the Lord stood by me and gave me strength, so that through me the message might be fully proclaimed and all the Gentiles might hear it. So I was rescued from the lion's mouth. ¹⁸The Lord will rescue me from every evil attack and save me for his heavenly kingdom. To him be the glory forever and ever. Amen.

Gospel Luke 18:9-14

⁹He also told this parable to some who trusted in themselves that they were righteous and regarded others with contempt: ¹⁰"Two men went up to the temple to pray, one a Pharisee and the other a tax collector.

¹¹The Pharisee, standing by himself, was praying thus, 'God, I thank you that I am not like other people: thieves, rogues, adulterers, or even like this tax collector. ¹²I fast twice a week; I give a tenth of all my income.' ¹³But the tax collector, standing far off, would not even look up to heaven, but was beating his breast and saying, 'God, be merciful to me, a sinner!' ¹⁴I tell you, this man went down to his home justified rather than the other; for all who exalt themselves will be humbled, but all who humble themselves will be exalted."