



Joy Journal



WHAT IN THE WORD?

THE HOLY SPIRIT, IS IT IN YOU?

John 14:16-17 (KJV)

And I will pray the Father, and he shall give you another Comforter, that he may abide with you forever; even the Spirit of truth; whom the world cannot receive, because it seeth him not, neither knoweth him: but ye know him; for he dwelleth with you, and shall be in you.

Romans 5:5 (KJV)

And hope does not put us to shame, because God's love has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit, who has been given to us.

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SAVE THE DATE

We have planned a NEW event for **Friday, October 10, 2025**, called "Restoration 2025." We have a number of individuals in our church body who have restored antique vehicles, motorcycles, and other forms of transportation. We invite everyone to join us from 10:00 AM until 1:00 PM to view these restored "beauties," enjoy food and learn a brief lesson on becoming restored through Christ. This is a free event. We encourage you to bring a lawn chair and join us in the Perry Street Parking Lot.



Member Spotlight

Pat Watkins was born in Birmingham, Alabama, and grew up in Tuscaloosa County. She married her high school sweetheart, Joe Watkins, and they were married for 58 years. Pat has worked as a real estate agent and broker for 30 years. Together, she and Joe have two sons. She cherishes her friends and church family, and she has a deep love for Jesus. Pat's father was a lay pastor, and she gave her heart to Jesus at the age of six at Friendship Baptist Church in Brookwood, Alabama.

SENIOR ADULT LEADERSHIP TEAM

CHAIR

Christine Philley

VICE CHAIR

Sandra White

EVENT ASSISTANTS

Joe Davis & Richard Pierce

SMART TEAM

Ken Sandstrom & Jim Johnson

FLOWERS FOR IN-HOME

Ginger McMichael & Lou Ann Darby

IN-HOME MINISTRY

Scott and Debby McLaughlin



Would you please consider writing an encouraging note or sending a sweet card to one of our In-Home Ministry church members? This would be a wonderful way to minister to some of our church members who are unable to attend Sunday School or Worship Services. Here's one:

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**If you would like to serve
as an In-Home Ministry
visitor, contact
Debby McLaughlin at
(334) 312-7406.**



OCTOBER 13-16, 2025
PIGEON FORGE, TENNESSEE

Our annual trip to the **Celebrators Conference** will take place from **October 13 to 16, 2025**, in Pigeon Forge, Tennessee. We have room for 30 participants. The cost per person is \$450 and includes the conference, hotel, all breakfasts, and transportation. Each of you will be responsible for paying for your lunch and dinner.

Headliners include: Phil Waldrep, David Jeremiah, The Collingsworth Family, Karen Peck & New River, Mark Lowry & Friends, David Phelps & Band, Jonnie W. (comedian), and Charles Billingsley.

Register at montgomeryfbc.org/senior-adults

UPCOMING EVENTS

JOY SINGERS | MONDAY, AUGUST 11

Join us at 10:00 AM in room 347 as we kick off the new year with a great lineup of wonderful music for the Advent Worship Service. The folders are full of new music! There is plenty of room for you to become a new member. We would love to have you!

THE BIG MEETING | TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

Our annual Big Meeting will be on September 9, 2025, from 10:30 AM to 12:30 PM in the fellowship hall. Join us for a time to gather and share ideas for our Senior Adult Ministry. Lunch is provided, so save the date! Registration will come later this summer.

MONTANA MISSION TRIP | SEPTEMBER 13-20

Sixteen senior adults will work with Pastor Darryl Brunson and his wife, Veronica, in Livingston, Montana. Please pray for our group as we prepare to go. *This trip is currently full.*



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