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# REACCA Camelaaaa Begins Sunday, September 18

Training: Sunday, September, 4:00pm CLC Fellowship Hall

Web Site: www.cbcprattville.org Church Phone: (334) 365-0231 Church Office Hours: Mon-Thurs: 8:00am-4:00pm Friday: Closed E-mail: office@cbcprattville.org Camellia School: (334) 365-5693 Sunday Mornings <u>8:45am</u> Sunday School <u>10:00am</u> Morning Worship Children's Church, Nursery Provided

5:00pm Sunday Evenings: Children: AWANA Adults: Disciple Life Classes: the Books of the Bible & "Praying the Bible," & Students: Connect

> Mondays & Thursdays 6:00pm Pickleball

<u>Wednesday Evenings</u> <u>5:00pm</u> Fellowship Supper <u>5:45pm</u> Mission Friends, Children in Action, & Children's Choir <u>6:00pm</u> CBSM The Well, Adult Bible Study & Prayer Meeting <u>7:10pm</u> Celebration Choir Rehearsal

#### Monday, September 5



 Labor Day—Church Office & Camellia School closed

#### Tuesday, September 6

- 6:00pm Women's Ministry Meeting-CLC
- 6:30pm Young at Heart Game Night at Andy's office

#### Sunday, September 11

- 4:00pm "Reach Camellia" Training in the CLC
- Tuesday, September 13
- 6:00pm Women's Bible Study CLC, room 104
- Thursday, September 15
- 6:00pm Camellia School Mtg.
- 6:00pm Women's Bible Study
- Friday, September 16
- 5:30pmYoung at Heart Social in the CSFH
- Sunday, September 18
  3:00pm "Reach Camellia" begins
- Monday, September 19

#### • 9:00am Sewing for Missions Sunday, September 25

- 3:30pm Deacons Meeting
- Tuesday, September 27
- 6:00pm Women's Bible Study
   Wednesday, September 28
- 11:30am Brotherhood Lunch—meet at Capt. D's

New Members

by Letter: Joshua & Carey Carroll

## Myers-Mallory

State Missions Offering

Week of Prayer September 11-18 You may give during the month of September. Special envelopes are available in the vestibule of the church.



Meeting at 6:00pm on Tuesday, Sept. 6 in the CLC (first Tuesday of every month) We will plan & organize events.



"Seamless" by Angie Smith

Women's Bible Study beginning Tuesday, Sept. 13 6:00pm in the CLC

"Seamless" is a seven-session study that covers major events from the Bible, tying them together into the greater story of Scripture. <u>All ladies of any age</u> are welcome to join us.

We will meet the 2nd and 4th Tuesday nights at 6:00. Young at Heart Social 60 & above (spouses are welcome) Friday, Sept. 16 5:30pm in the CSFH Bring a dish to share with our guests and other Y@H friends. Come and enjoy special music by Bobbie Whorton's grandchildren. Please sign up, or call Becky, 365-4860, or text Andy, 324-4883, so we can better prepare.

Camellía Baptíst Church Sewing For Missions 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday, Sept. 19 9AM – 2PM Clayton Shaw Building Bring a sack lunch Drinks and Desserts provided For more information see Carol Brock or JoAnn Middlebrooks

#### Deacon Nominations

Copies of the "Qualifications and Responsibilities of the Active Deacons" will be in the foyer of the church with the Deacon Nomination forms.

Nominations will be accepted until Sunday, September 25.

#### Remember to sign up for our Prayer Chain Text!

81010 Message: @201cbc To sign up for urgent prayer requests for church members and immediate family, send a text to **81010** with the message **@201cbc.** If you need help signing up, call the Church Office, (365-0231, press "1").

#### <u>Livestream</u>

Go to cbcprattville.org & click on "Watch Live" or go to youtube.com/camelliabaptistchurchprattville to watch our Sunday Morning Worship Service and/or Wednesday Night Bible Study

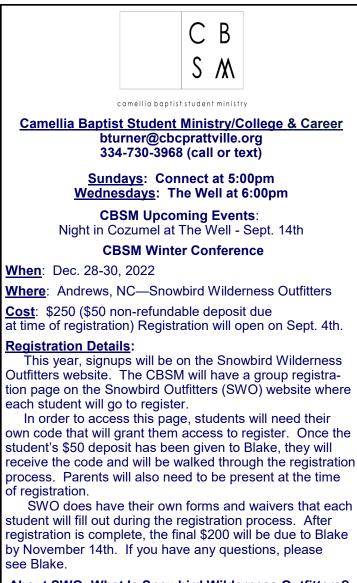
#### Message from our Associate Pastor of Music & Ministries

#### "Take My Moments and My Days"

Recently in our Sunday night Disciple Life class on "Spiritual Disciplines of the Christian Life", we studied the chapter on stewardship. We think of stewardship mainly in terms of giving our earnings to the work of the Lord. This chapter not only covered that, but also stewardship as it relates to our use of time.

The latter part of James 4:14 reminds us, "For you are a mist that appears for a little time and then vanishes." When I think about life, especially that of my children, I think about the preciousness of time. Compared to eternity, life is but a vapor. The time we have with one another is so short. Considering this, make the most of your time in light of eternity. Pass on to your children and grandchildren the hope of the gospel of Jesus Christ. May we echo the words of the great hymn, "Take my moments and my days. Let them flow in ceaseless praise!"

In His Service, Peyton Kelly



About SWO: What Is Snowbird Wilderness Outfitters?

https://www.swoutfitters.com/about/





We have an immediate need for two or three additional adult volunteers (at least one male) to help children as they memorize Scripture in AWANA.

Contact Toni or Hilary if you are willing to serve!

# NURSERY

Would you be willing to care for our precious little ones **once a month** in the nursery on Wednesday nights from 6-7PM? Contact Hilary!



Visit our Camellia Bookstore (in the Worship Center hallway) for trusted biblical resources to assist you as you disciple your children!



To keep up to date with Children's Ministry announcements, like us on Facebook! @CamelliaChildren



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**Return Service Requested** 





Ministerial Staff **Senior Pastor** Rev. James Taylor 270-213-0536 Assoc. Pastor of Music & Ministries Rev. Peyton Kelly 334-730-2822 Address Label **Student Ministries Director** Blake Turner 334-730-3968 Interim Children's Director Hilary Taylor 270-213-0561 **Camellia School Administrator** Jessica Senn 334-365-5693 Support Staff Memory Verse for September: Mark 1:15 And saying, "The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God is at hand; Church Secretary: Charlotte McGuire repent and believe the Gospel." Financial Secretary: B.J. Lazenby

### Aword from our Pastor

Church family, I have been very thankful for your response to the vision I laid out for *Reach Camellia* in my sermon on August 14th. Many of you share my desire to reach the community of Camellia Estates, and you have had that desire for a long time. Camellia Baptist Church was started in 1975 for the very purpose of reaching Camellia Estates with the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ. And, for many decades we were successful. But over these last two decades, things have changed. It is time for Camellia Baptist Church to fulfill her mission and once again reach Camellia Estates.

On September 11th, at 4:00 we will have a training meeting in the CLC fellowship hall. I greatly encourage all participants to be a part of this meeting. Even if you know that you cannot participate in the weekly ministry of *Reach Camellia*, you can still attend the training meeting to know how to pray for this ministry. And then on September 18th at 3:00 we will begin to go out in groups of 2 or 3 to knock on doors and pray for the residents of Camellia Estates.

Will you join me in praying for *Reach Camellia*? Pray for the residents of Camellia Estates. Pray their hearts will be open to Jesus. Pray they will be receptive when our church members knock on their doors. Pray we will be able to build genuine, loving relationships with them. Pray these relationships will lead them to be comfortable attending our church and submitting to the Gospel. Pray our members respond and participate in this ministry. Pray for our members to have boldness as they go door to door. Pray for the weather each Sunday afternoon, that it will be comfortable for our people to walk our neighborhood.

Lastly, I want to say this. There is an opportunity for all to be involved. Even if all you can take is 2-3 houses, we would be so grateful for that service. If you do not have the physical ability or the time to take even the 2-3 houses, we always need prayer. We, as at the people of Camellia Baptist Church, cannot save anyone. That is the job of the Holy Spirit. So we pray that the Holy Spirit will work through us and use *Reach Camellia* to shine the light of the Gospel upon Camellia Estates.

May God bless you, Bro. James