

# The PROGRESS

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## AROUND PROGRESSIVE UNION IN JANUARY

We were blessed in January to continue our growth and we pray for continuous growth in our spiritual as well as physical growth. Praising God for all of His increases at our church home.



On Sunday, January 12, 2020, we baptized three youth, on this picture, left to right, Jason Minisee, Jr., Maximillen Bell, and Hovet Dixon, III. Thankful for there desire to become a part of the family of God.



Monday, January, 20, 2020, the 35th Annual Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Unity Breakfast. Pictured are some of our members attending. Front row, left to right Calvin Reed, Jerrie Reed, Evangelist Charlie Jenkins, and Stacie Brown. Back row, left to right, Jo Miley, Gwendolyn Davis, Mitchell Brooks, Linda

Ratliff, and Camilla Laws.



Women's Ministry "Sisters Connecting to Sisters" Kick-Off meeting, Saturday, January 25, 2020, at the Wayne P. Snodgrass Family Life Center (WPSFLC)! What a wonderful fellowship in a conference setting. Great video and a great Word from the Lord! Good job ladies and thank you to the Brotherhood of Progressive Union for doing the set up and breakdown! To God be the Glory!



Visit from our former member Michael Glover on Sunday, January 26, 2020. Pictured left to right, Delvia Hughes, Vanessea Bush, Michael Glover, Donnie Cook, and Evangelist Marie Hunter. Michael moved back to his hometown of Macon, Georgia.

## *Tithes and Offering Reports*

The 2019 tax season has begun and now is the time to request tithes and offering information.

Members desiring a copy of their 2019 tithes and offering donations are reminded that reports are available by request only. Request should be made to the church secretary, Flora Gilstrap at 534-8266. Married couples should specify if they desire a combined report or separate reports for each person. Avoid the rush, make your request now.



## **Titus Group Visitation and Meeting**

The Titus II group will not visit the Whitesburg Manor Health Care Center on Sunday, February 9, 2020. The visit is a monthly visit for the group, normally held on each second Sunday in the month. If you are interested in becoming a part of the visitation or need additional information please contact Sister Sue Johnson, president of the group at 256-722-9882.

Additionally the Titus II group monthly meeting is held on the first Wednesday of each month immediately following midday Bible study, approximately 12:30 p.m.

## *Visitation Ministry*

The Visitation Ministry will visit the sick and shut-in on Saturday, February 15, 2020. All persons interested in taking part in this ministry are asked to meet at the WPSFLC at 9:00 a.m. on the 15th. If you know of persons who may not be a part of our outreach and want to be visited by the Visitation Ministry please forward their name to Rev. Vera Bell, Visitation Minister Advisor at 256-852-6837.

## ***CanSurvive Support Group Meeting***

The Cancer Support Group will meet on Saturday February 15, 2020 at 12:30, in the Wayne P. Snodgrass Family Life Center. This is the monthly meeting scheduled for the group.

## **MAKING A DIFFERENCE IN THE WORLD PART 109**

*Submitted by Bro. James E. Smith*

Let God's Love enfold you in the radiance of his

Glory. Sit still in the Light of God's presence and receive his Peace. Quiet time spent with God will transcend time, accomplishing more than you can imagine.

God is with us always. God hold us by his right hand. He guides us with his counsel, and afterward God will take us into Glory. (Psalm 73:23-24)

When we present ourselves as a living sacrifice to God and put our trust in him, we will start "Making a Difference in the World".

## **PROGRESS DEADLINE**

Articles for the March PROGRESS are due Sunday, February 23, 2020. Please place your article in the PROGRESS mailbox located in the FCLC or e-mail them to [progress@pumbchurch.org](mailto:progress@pumbchurch.org).

## **ATTENDANCE FOR JANUARY**

*8:00 a.m. services*  
*1187*

*(Sunday Average 297)*

*11:00 a.m. services*  
*955*

*(Sunday Average 239)*

## **A Church in the Word**



**Making a Difference in the World**

**inGIVE**

Friday, February 21<sup>st</sup>, 7 PM

*Celebration*

Saturday, February 22<sup>nd</sup>, 12 Noon

*Re-dedication*

*Unveiling  
to Some  
Et  
Presenting  
to Others*

**The  
STATION**

4201 Oakwood Ave.  
Huntsville, AL

*Progressive Union MB Church Youth Ministry*

## 35th Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Unity Breakfast



Two of our Progressive Union youth members were part of the 35<sup>th</sup> Annual Martin Luther King, Jr., Unity Breakfast sponsored by the Delta Theta Lambda chapter, of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, held on Monday, January 20, 2020, at the Von Braun Center. Hannah Stanley was the winner of the Martin Luther King, Jr., Essay Contest. The topic for this year's essay was "What would I say to Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. if I met him today?" Hannah read her winning essay at the breakfast. Isaiah Snodgrass, a member of Boy Scout Troop 906, took part in the presentation and retiring of the colors.





**FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS (104)**

<u>NAME</u>	<u>DATE</u>
MONESHA YOUNG.....	02/01
TERRANCE KENDALL.....	02/01
MICHAEL GORDON.....	02/01
LINDA CARROLL.....	02/02
TRICIALYN GREEN.....	02/02
HOVET DIXON, JR.....	02/02
BENJAMIN STANLEY.....	02/02
SHANARA STIGGER.....	02/02
JAYDEN HOLMES.....	02/02
DREW STANLEY.....	02/02
SHANNON GILSTRAP.....	02/03
FRIEDA SIMS.....	02/06
SYDNEY WILLIAMS.....	02/06
LATANGIE O'NEAL.....	02/07
TIMOTHY HATTEN.....	02/08
GAYLAND NELSON.....	02/08
ELAINE FLEMING.....	02/08
LORRENE DIXSON.....	02/09
RICKEY HAWKINS.....	02/09
RUTH JONES.....	02/10
MICHAEL KELSEY.....	02/10
ELLA KIRKSEY.....	02/10
DONALD MCDONALD.....	02/11
RONALD MCDONALD.....	02/11
REGINA MASTIN.....	02/11
CARYLON HARRIS.....	02/11
BRANDON JOHNSON.....	02/12
ANTHONY SIMS.....	02/12
JORDAN SIMPSON.....	02/12
YVETTE EDMONDS.....	02/12
TERESA CRUTCHER.....	02/13
WILLIAM CLEMONS.....	02/13
CARLISHA LEFTWICH.....	02/13
ALLISON FITZGERALD.....	02/14
MARY BAILEY.....	02/14
LAQUITA BELL.....	02/14
DMITRI NORWOOD, II.....	02/14
KEVIN LYLES.....	02/14
MALAKAI TODD.....	02/14
MYCAH JERAYE ROBINSON.....	02/15
LAWRENCE MATTHEWS.....	02/15
BRADARICK ANDERSON.....	02/15
LINDA RATLIFF.....	02/15
SABRINA WALL.....	02/15
TOMEKA CRUTCHER.....	02/16
FREDDIE INGRAM.....	02/16
FELECIA WRIGHT.....	02/16
MICHAEL WRIGHT.....	02/17
NADIA TURNER.....	02/17
DELOIS PALMER.....	02/18
JEREMY UPSHAW.....	02/18
OMEGA SANDERS.....	02/19
DANIELLE SMITH.....	02/19
LAQUITA CRAIG.....	02/19
ZARIA FITZGERALD.....	02/19
TIANA MOSELEY.....	02/19
JORDAN BLACKBURN.....	02/19
DIONNA ROBINSON.....	02/20

DONALD JEFFERSON.....	02/21
BERTHA KING.....	02/21
ELIZA MARTIN.....	02/21
TED M. EDWARDS.....	02/21
KIMBERLY INGRAM.....	02/22
QUAVIS BROWN.....	02/22
TRAVIS CHUNN.....	02/22
PAIGE JORDAN.....	02/23
THERESSA ELLIOTT.....	02/23
AMOUR TURNER.....	02/23
JOHN RICHARDSON.....	02/24
CHRISTINE MOSS.....	02/24
JAMES WILSON.....	02/24
KAREN HUGHES.....	02/24
ELMORE DOWNING.....	02/24
SHIRLEY HAMMOND.....	02/24
RODERICK MATTHEWS.....	02/24
LARRY DEJARNETT, JR.....	02/25
LAQUISHA BELL.....	02/25
LORENZO MACK.....	02/26
GEANGELA EWING.....	02/26
CHINA GREEN.....	02/27
DAVID BROWN.....	02/27
CHERYL COATS.....	02/28
JAMES GRIFFIN.....	02/28
BERNETHA COLE.....	02/28
SHARIKA ELLIS.....	02/28
BERNARD LAMPLEY.....	02/28
KENDYL WASHINGTON.....	02/28
GABRIELLE STIGGER.....	02/28
JALEN GRIFFITH.....	02/28

**FEBRUARY ANNIVERSARIES (11)**

<u>NAME</u>	<u>DATE</u>
MR. & MRS. HARRY GANTT.....	02/03
MR. & MRS. CALVIN REED.....	02/09
MR. & MRS. LEMUEL VAUGHN.....	02/11
MR. & MRS. GERALD BAILEY.....	02/14
MR. & MRS. KIRA LEWIS.....	02/14
MR. & MRS. DONELL HARRIS, SR.....	02/14
MR. & MRS. JAMES MCGINNIS.....	02/19
MR. & MRS. WILLIE TURNER.....	02/20
MR. & MRS. HOVET DIXON, JR.....	02/23
MR. & MRS. LAWRENCE DAVIS.....	02/28
MR. & MRS. SHELVE EASON.....	02/28

**NEW MEMBERS (6)**

<u>NAME</u>	<u>DATE JOINED</u>
DEMIKA SUMBRY.....	01/05
JAY SUMBRY.....	01/05
MARVIN MALONE.....	01/12
DONOVAN FLETCHER.....	01/19
MICHAEL GORDON.....	01/19
ASRIAN LEWIS.....	01/26

**BAPTISMS (3)**

<u>NAME</u>	<u>DATE BAPTIZED</u>
MAXIMILLEN BELL.....	01/12
HOVET DIXON, III.....	01/12
JASON MINISEE, JR.....	01/12

# FEBRUARY 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						<i>1</i> Nurses Guild Meeting 9:00 a.m.  Mothers/Deaconess Meeting 10:00 a.m.
<i>2</i>	<i>3</i> Sweet Hour of Prayer 7:00 a.m.  Women's Bible Study 6:30 p.m.	<i>4</i> P.U.P.P. Choir Rehearsal 6:00 p.m.  Youth/Young Adult Choir Rehearsal 6:30 p.m.  Ushers/Greeters Meeting 6:30 p.m.  Men's Bible Study 6:30 p.m.	<i>5</i> Midday Bible Study 11:30 a.m.  Titus II Meeting 12:30 p.m.  Prayer Meeting 6:00 p.m.  Bible Study 6:30 p.m.	<i>6</i> P.U.P.P. Choir Rehearsal 6:00 p.m.  Youth/Young Adult Choir Rehearsal 6:30 p.m.  Bible Study 6:30 p.m.	<i>7</i>	<i>8</i>   AIM Ministry 6:00 a.m.
<i>9</i>	<i>10</i> Sweet Hour of Prayer 7:00 a.m.  Official Board Meeting 6:00 p.m.  Women's Bible Study 6:30 p.m.	<i>11</i> Praise Team Rehearsal 5:30 p.m.  Voices of Praise Choir Rehearsal 6:30 p.m.  Men's Bible Study 6:30 p.m.	<i>12</i> Midday Bible Study 11:30 a.m.  Prayer Meeting 6:00 p.m.  Bible Study 6:30 p.m.	<i>13</i> Praise Team Rehearsal 5:30 p.m.  Voices of Praise Choir Rehearsal 6:30 p.m.  Bible Study 6:30 p.m.	<i>14</i>	<i>15</i>   Visitation Ministry 9:00 a.m.  CanSurvive Meeting 12:30 p.m.
<i>16</i>	<i>17</i> Sweet Hour of Prayer 7:00 a.m.  Women's Bible Study 6:30 p.m.	<i>18</i> Praise Team Rehearsal 5:30 p.m.  Male Chorus Rehearsal 6:30 p.m.  Men's Bible Study 6:30 p.m.	<i>19</i> Midday Bible Study 11:30 a.m.  Prayer Meeting 6:00 p.m.  Bible Study 6:30 p.m.	<i>20</i> Praise Team Rehearsal 5:30 p.m.  Male Chorus Rehearsal 6:30 p.m.  Bible Study 6:30 p.m.	<i>21</i>	<i>22</i> Junior/Senior Usher Board Training 10:00 a.m.  Praise Dance Rehearsal 12:00 noon
<i>23</i>  <i>Security Ministry Anniversary</i>	<i>24</i> Sweet Hour of Prayer 7:00 a.m.  Women's Bible Study 6:30 p.m.	<i>25</i> Mass Ensemble Rehearsal 6:30 p.m.  Men's Bible Study 6:30 p.m.	<i>26</i> Midday Bible Study 11:30 a.m.  Prayer Meeting 6:00 p.m.  Bible Study 6:30 p.m.	<i>27</i> Mass Ensemble Rehearsal 6:30 p.m.  Bible Study 6:30 p.m.	<i>28</i>	<i>29</i>