

## TO THE 2020 SENIORS

Tonight, we are celebrating the class of 2020. Every family in America experiencing the critical role our schools and charities play in our lives and what happens when they shut down. In our poorest neighborhoods, schools are about much more than learning. In places like Akron, Ohio, schools are the most essential service. It may be the only place that supports you, the only place to protect you, and for many, the only place that feeds you. Our schools are our safety net. Our people build our communities. To the class of 2020: as you celebrate tonight, do not forget your safety net. Every teacher, every coach, every pastor, they along with your friends and family got you to this moment.

And now it is time to go to a new place. It is time to chase every dream, accept every challenge, strive for greatness, honor every promise, and recommit to your community. I know that's the last thing you want to think about right now in a place you've been sitting in for the last two months, really, I mean, the last 18 years for you guys, but it's the truth. The community needs you. And when I say to the community, I mean your rec league, your church, your youth group, and most of all, your school. They need you. Most importantly, building your community is how you change the world.

Unfortunately, the system does not solve the real problem. Education, violence, racism, they must be solved in the street. Class of 2020, I know the last thing you want to hear right now is stay home. That's not my message to you. My message is stay close to home. Maybe not physically, but in every other way possible. Pursue every ambition, go as far as you possibly can dream, and be the first generation to embrace a new responsibility, a responsibility to rebuild your community. Class of 2020, the world has changed. You will determine how we rebuild, and I ask that you make your community your priority. Congratulations, class of 2020. I love all of you, and remember one thing: you're all kings and queens.

**-LeBron James**

### Word Search for God Made People

Find the words on the list that are hidden in the puzzle. The words can be left to right, up and down, or diagonally.



ADAM  
BIRDS  
BREAHTED

DUST  
EDEN  
EVE

FISH  
GARDEN  
IMAGE

LIFE  
MAN  
WOMAN



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Bible Study. . . . . 9:00 a.m.  
AM Worship. . . . . 10:00 a.m.  
PM Worship. . . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Wednesday. . . . . 6:30 p.m.  
Tues. Bible Study. . . 10:00 a.m.

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Jesus said these words:

But about that day or hour no one knows, not even the angels in heaven, nor the Son, but only the Father. As it was in the days of Noah, so it will be at the coming of the Son of Man. For in the days before the flood, people were eating and drinking, marrying and being given in marriage, up to the day Noah entered the ark; and they knew nothing about what would happen until the flood came and took them away. That is how it will be at the coming of the Son of Man. Two men will be in a field, one will be taken and the other left. Two women will be grinding with a hand mill; one will be taken and the other left (Matthew 24.36-41).

Today we will study lessons that we can learn from this teaching of Jesus. It is a message about being prepared. So, I want you to think about ways this message encourages us to be more of what God needs us to be to reach people.

Our goal is to grow in our understanding of the calling we have received from Christ to be ambassadors FOR Christ (2 Cor 5). What message would Jesus have US to tell people in light of this teaching of his?

Alex

## Sick

Cecil Haraway is recovering at home.

Ellen Davis, wife of Keith (cousin to Donnie Lane), has been diagnosed with Undifferentiated Carcinoma.

**Extended Illness:** Christine Blankenship, Vera Cox (Glenwood Rehab), Nancy Trousdale, Alvin Poss, Todd Gordon, Faye Stewart, Dale Ray (relative of Millie Goode), Kathleen Phillips (sister to Doris Jackson), Donnie Smith (nephew to Earl Smith), Gatlan & Mollie Vinson and their unborn child, Kiera Gafford

## Shut Ins

Larry Haraway (home), Tyler Hooie (home), Martha Rose Ezell (Cedar View), Vera Cox (Cedar View), Alice Ezell (Traditions 22171 Traditions Way, Rm 222, Athens, AL 35163), Linda Rekart (home), Gearlean Hammond (home), Petty Ezell (Grapevine Medical Lodge, 1005 Ira E Woods Ave., Grapevine, TX 76052), Vella Green (100 Prince Dr. Apt. A-3), Willie Mae Eldridge

## Our Newest Addition

Jamie & Haley Hammell are the proud parents of Laylan Grace, born May 15. She weighed 7lbs 3oz and 20 inches in length. David & Donna Barksdale are two of the proud grandparents along with great-grandmother, Leslie Barksdale.



## Congratulations

Congratulations to Chase & Amy Griffin Hunt who were recently married. Their wedding was planned for June, but decided to marry early due to the "Corona Virus chaos". We would like to help them as they start their lives together. In lieu of a formal shower a table will be set up in the annex for gifts and cards. They are registered at Target and Walmart. Please have your items there by Sunday, June 21.

## Tuesday Morning Bible Class

This Tuesday May 26<sup>th</sup> at 10 AM Alex will have a live Zoom Bible class. The Zoom Meeting ID is 280 828 4955. We will also try to broadcast live again on Mary Ann Gann's Facebook.

## Graduates

Congratulations to Katie Trousdale, Claire Ferguson, and Lily Burchell, who graduated Friday from LCHS.

We plan to have a graduation recognition at a later date so please fill out pages for their scrapbooks. I can also email these to you if you did not receive one or you can create your own. These can be returned to [kim.lane@rogersvillecoc.org](mailto:kim.lane@rogersvillecoc.org) or dropped off at the office.

## North Alabama Christian Children's Home

Under the current circumstances NACCH has planned their summer fundraiser as a drive-thru on campus instead of being held at the coliseum. The "Drive-Thru Take-Out" Benefit Dinner, is scheduled for Saturday, June 13 from 4-6pm. To order a plate, please call 256-366-3327 or 256-426-0464 by Monday, June 7 so food can be ordered. We also have donation cards in the office if you would prefer to make a donation.

## Live Stream Services and Devotionals

### Schedule for Sunday:

9am - Bible Class

9:45am - Kids' Class (this will be a time of singing and a brief devotional thought aimed at our little ones... please have them watch and participate)

10am - Outside service at the building

5pm - There will be an additional study done via Facebook and Youtube

We will stream on our website (<https://rogersvillecoc.org/sermon-archive/>); Facebook page (<https://www.facebook.com/RogersvillecoC/>).

Also, please check our YouTube channel and our Facebook page for daily devotional thoughts shared by Scott. Feel free to share those with anyone you would like.

### Contribution

05/17. . . . . \$11,970.95

Budget. . . . . \$10,630.00

### Outside Service Attendance

05/17. . . . . 182



*You are invited to*

*The Wedding of*

*Kaden Danielle Childers & Stephen James Embry*

*Saturday, May thirtieth, five o'clock in the afternoon*

*Rogersville Church of Christ*

*Reception to follow: Plantation Room*