



# Home Missions Ministry

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH (OLD SITE)

10 a.m., Sunday, May 21, 2023

## INTRODUCING SHILOH OLD SITE'S Home Missions Ministry

**Pastor Emeritus Lawrence A. Davies** established the Home Mission Committee in 1963. It became the third arm of the existing mission ministries at Shiloh Old Site, joining the Foreign Mission Committee and the Lottie T. Young Missionary Society. (The latter two are now known as Norma L. Burruss Foreign Mission Ministry and the Lottie T. Young State Mission Ministry.)

### **We who serve with the Home Missions Ministry**

base our efforts on Matthew 25:40, "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me."

The Home Mission Ministry is unique. We are not just a caring, spiritually supportive ministry. Rather, we also seek to be aware of many basic and emergency needs, which we regularly seek to address.

**We seek to maintain an acceptable quality of life** for members of the congregation and for members of the local community. When urgent needs emerge, we use a "phone tree" or an email communication system to make decisions and to facilitate needed responses.

**Much of our interchurch ministry involves** efforts to keep open spiritual and caring communication with those with special needs, as well as with our seasoned citizens and those who are physically, mentally, and emotionally challenged.

**We stress inclusion**, using not only our committee members but continuing efforts to form partnerships with other churches and community service providers.

Our programs are also intergenerational, including both youth groups and young adults. We consider this not only a valuable resource but also

a training ground that can assure the ongoing stability, consistency, and productive evolution of our ministry.

**Our operating funds** come from designated gifts in the offering plate each Sunday as well as on-line. We are blessed because we receive generous donations from members of the church, their families, and persons in the community who are supportive of our mission.

Many who have been assisted in the past also later reciprocate by making financial contributions that enable us to continue our efforts in Christ's name for the benefit of many.



**10 A.M., SUNDAY, MAY 21, 2023**

GREETERS ❖ *Gwendolyn Stewart & Pamela Johnson*

PRESIDING ❖ *Tinka Harris*

(↑) = *Please stand as you are able*

**Prayer of Invocation** (↑)

**Hymn of Praise** (#433): **“On the Battlefield for My Lord”** (↑)

**Scripture** (↑): *Wilma Conyers*

**Morning Prayer:** *Deacon Delores Lacy*

**Announcements:** *Deacon Mary Malone*

**Welcome:** *Marva Moore*

**Tithes and Offering:** *Collected by the Ushers*

**Dedication of Offering** (↑): *Maynard Clipper*

**Reflections on the History of Our Home Missions Ministry**

**Special Musical Selection**

**Message:** *Rev. Curtis Edmonds*

**Invitational Hymn** (↑)

**Benediction and Blessing of the Food** (↑):

*Rev. Curtis Edmonds*

*After the service, all in attendance are invited to partake of  
light refreshments in the lower auditorium.*

Here are three possible ways of supporting **Shiloh Old Site's Home Missions Ministry** with a 60th Anniversary Contribution:



1. **Scan this QR code** to open a 60th anniversary giving form. (Or use a web browser to go to [OnRealm.org/ShilohOldSite/Give/Sixty](http://OnRealm.org/ShilohOldSite/Give/Sixty)).
2. **OR send a text to 73256** with this message: ShilohOldSite Sixty \$ (your gift amount).
3. **OR put a gift in the offering plate** marked for: “Home Missions 60th Anniversary.”