

Worship Assignments Sunday Morning Services

	<i>January 18th</i>	<i>January 25th</i>
Announcements	Nathan Collier	Nathan Collier
Scripture Reading	Preston Kingsley	Russell Cochran
Open Prayer	Ed Busby	Garry Rittenberry
Song Leading	Barry Kingsley	Jim Wright
Close Prayer	Curtis Kingsley	Bob Burton
Head Table	Richard Bohannon	Tim Hall
Assist	John Painter Sammy Wright Reid Cochran Billy Weeks Terry Rochester Jackie Cochran Eddy Mulkey Bob Burkewitz	Ed Busby Bob Burkewitz George Hall Tate McCoy Rob Burton Reid Cochran Mark Wilson Ben Kinglsey
Usher	L. Mulkey S. Hall L. Burton William Parker	D. Stephens P. Kingsley R. Cochran William Parker
Sound Board	William Parker	William Parker
Projector		
Greeters	J&A Cole Q&J Holloway J. Mailen	C&M Giannone M&R Pritchett B. Turley M. Teems
<i>Sunday Evening Services</i>		
Announcements	Nathan Collier	Nathan Collier
Open Prayer	Donnie Bailey	Greg Burrell
Song Leading	Barry Kingsley	Men
Close Prayer	Marvin Pritchett	Dennis Dove
Communion	Richard Bohannon	Tim Hall
Sound Board	William Parker	William Parker
	<i>JANUARY</i>	<i>FEBRUARY</i>
Unlock Building	Bruce Turley	Curtis Kingsley
Lock Building	Greg Burrell	Marvin Pritchett
	<i>January 21st</i>	<i>January 28th</i>
Announcements	Butch Jones	Butch Jones
Song Leading	John Painter	Nathan Collier
Prayer	Rob Burton	Robert Wood
Sound Board	William Parker	William Parker

If you cannot serve, please contact Garry Rittenberry.

The bulletin is printed on Thursday. Information submitted after that day will print the following week.

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SUNDAY: Bible Study 9:30 am
Morning Worship 10:30 am
Evening Worship 6 pm
WEDNESDAY: Bible Study 7pm

Week of January 11th	
Contribution.....	\$7330
Budget.....	\$6100
Over Year To Date.....	\$678
Bible Study.....	125
AM Worship.....	199
PM Worship.....	138
Wednesday Evening.....	157

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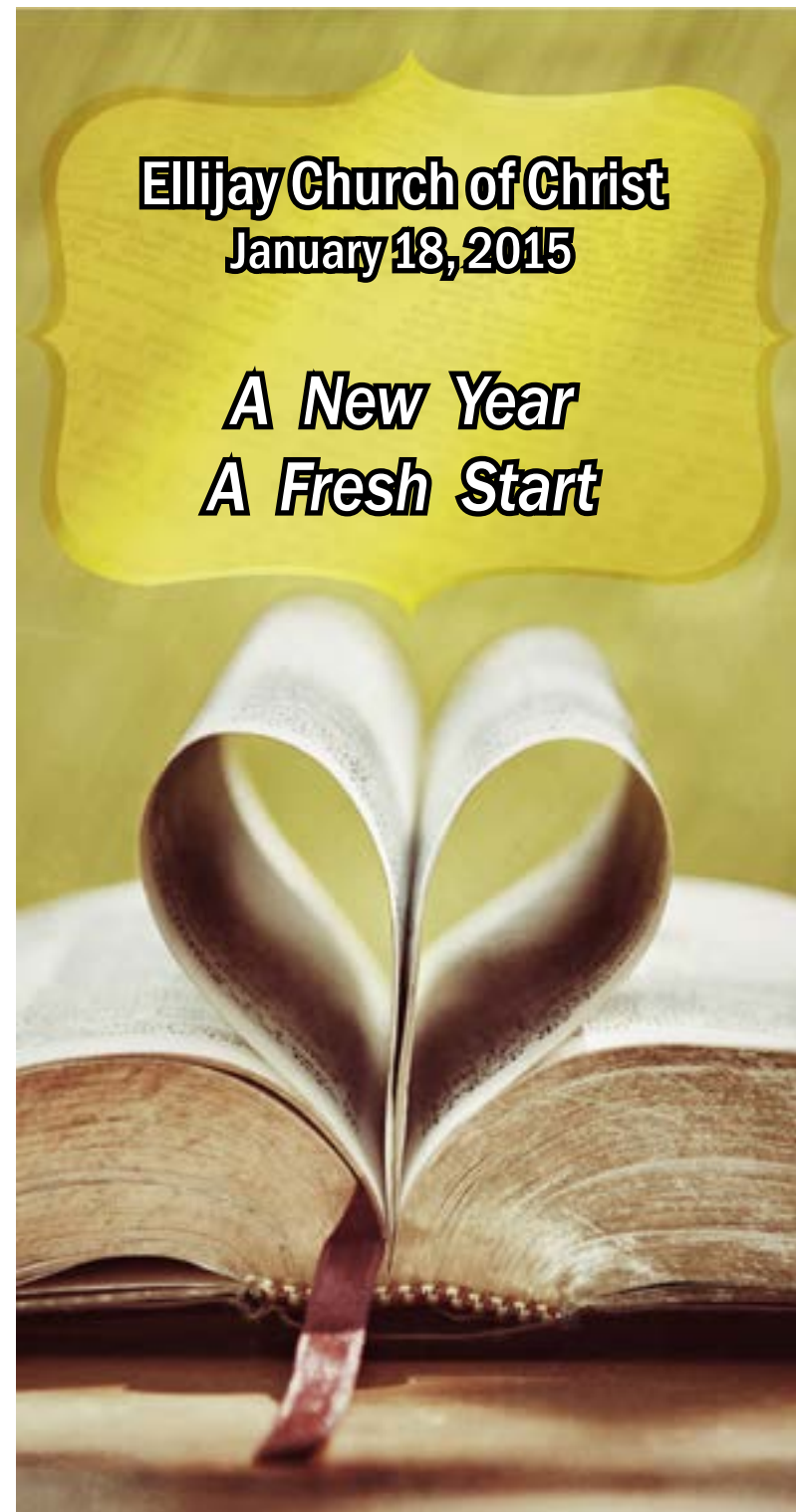
Copies of all sermons from our pulpit are available on CD for \$1.00. Request sheet is posted on the bulletin board. Free Bible Correspondence is also available by contacting the church office or Cleah Boaz, at 706-636-4516.

*Our worship services are streaming live each Sunday morning and evening! Services can be viewed by going to our website at: www.ellijaychurchofchrist.com, and click on the heading, **Live Streaming***

Welcome to our Visitors! Please complete the visitors card and pass it to the end of the aisle. It will be collected after announcements so we will have a record of your visit.

Let Us Rise Up and Build

Envelopes are available on the back of the pews to make your donation to the Building Fund for the new Fellowship Hall/Education Building. Funds in the Growth & Expansion account and the Building Fund account, through January 1, 2015, total \$187,896.12. Thank you to everyone for donating. Checks should be made to Ellijay Church of Christ and placed in the contribution trays. **"FILL A CAN" ARE AVAILABLE FOR PICKUP.** \$8000 was transferred to general checking to assist in purchasing the 2012 church van.



In our Thoughts and Prayers

David Cochran's surgery went well. Dr's feel they feel they were able to remove all the cancer from his liver.



Billy Teague underwent bone marrow transplant surgery this past Friday. Dr's are anticipating him being in the hospital for approximately 4 months.

Sandra Parker will be having a radiation treatment this Wednesday at Piedmont Atlanta.

Peggy Walker is at home on hospice. Please keep the Walker family in your prayers.

Ronnie Evans is improving slowly and remains in Floyd Medical Center.

With Deepest Sympathy

We express our sympathy to Brent & Sandra Parker in the passing away of Sandra's aunt, Imojean Tolbert.

A donation was made to the Ellijay Church of Christ Memorial Gardens in memory of:

Larry Cantrell
by Genell Cantrell

Chuck Sisson
by Kathleen Sisson



Donnie Bailey - 18th
Judy Wright - 20th
Rachel Eaton - 22nd

NURSING HOME

Pauline Mullinax, Gladys Logan Shultz, Edith Davis, Kathy Queen

OTHERS TO REMEMBER

Lamar Gorman, Clay Holloway, Zach Pritchett, Bill & Ann Burkett, Gladys Holloway, Mary Parker, James Mullinax, Martha Ralston, Opal Corbin, Chuck Hartnett, Vonnie Busby, Lane Reece, Vickie Ledford, Florene Johnson, Harold Shepherd, Richard Neal, Dwayne Wood

FAMILY & FRIENDS IN THE MILITARY

Kourtney Bolen, Seth Carswell, Eli Chastain, Reid Cochran, Steven Giannone, Corey Henry, Jonathan Hensley, Zach Hill, Wayne Jones, Jacob Mahaffey, Patrick Mahaffey, Evan Pankey, William Pettit, Wilson Pettit, Winston Pettit, Frankie Silva, Canio Sequevia-Cuevas, David Taylor, Matthew Upshaw

CANCER PATIENTS

Billy Teague, David Cochran, Charles Weeks, Billy Stells, Treet Tilley, Jewell Green, Lillie Scaglione, Buddy & Lafern Dove, Doris Dean, Carol Stanley, Roy Elrod, Lisa Macy, Dean Cleavinger, Elizabeth King, Adair Owen, Danielle Coats, Dewayne Wood, Brenda Martin, Don Powichroski, Tori Boynton, John Corbin, Benjamin Corbin, Phillip Askew, Brandy Nicholson, Carolyn McTyre, Pam Wimberly, Jessica Campbell, Jon Harrison

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Beginning Today - Richard Bohannon will work with boys at 5pm for speech; Nathan Collier & John Painter will work with boys at 5pm for song leading; both of these are for anyone wanting to come.

20th - Ladies Bible Class 9:30am-11am. Open to all ladies.

25th - Elders, Deacons, Minister & Coordinators Mtg., 4:30pm

25th - 4th Sunday Night Singing service

31st - Sky Zone. More information is posted on the bulletin board and below.

Youth and C-Squad groups

Skyzone in Kennesaw January 31, 2015

Cost: \$14.00 for one hour plus \$2.00 for socks

Additional money: lunch Leaving the church building at 10 a.m. Parents: if you are not attending this activity with your child, you must sign an online waiver (see www.skyzone.om/kennesaw). Also, anyone riding the van or riding with anyone who is not a parent, parents must complete a transportation waiver. Indicate on this sign up sheet if you plan to ride the youth van or need a ride.

For more information, see Nathan, Ben, or Tim.



The C-squad and youth are hosting a Valentine Italian dinner & talent show on Friday, February 13th at 6:00 for all seniors 60 and over. Come enjoy the food and entertainment. Please sign up on the list if you are attending. C-squad and youth, there will be a sign up sheet for what you need to bring.

Family Retreat at Coosawattee

February 27th & February 28th

6pm Friday thru lunch Saturday

Lodging Available



A Year Untried

Robert Marshall Offord authored a book entitled Heart-song: A Volume of Verse. It was published by New York Observer in 1895. One of his poems is entitled "A Year Untried."

*A year untried before me lies,
what it shall bring of strange surprise
Of joy or grief, I cannot tell...*

It is true: we do not know what this new year will bring, or if we will even have a whole new year. "Do not boast about tomorrow, For you do not know what a day may bring forth" (Proverbs 27:1).

We are admonished in the Scriptures: "Come now, you who say, 'Today or tomorrow we will go to such and such a city, spend a year there, buy and sell, and make a profit'; whereas you do not know what will happen tomorrow. For what is your life?"

It is even a vapor that appears for a little time and then vanishes away. Instead you ought to say, 'If the Lord wills, we shall live and do this or that'" (James 4:13-15).

Since there is so much about the future that is unknown, what is our response? Should we stay in our homes and despair? That is not a very pleasant thought!

The best response is to trust – to trust God!

That's what Offord suggests:

*A year untried before me lies, what it shall bring of strange surprise
Of joy or grief, I cannot tell; Since God my Father knoweth well.
I make it no concern of mine but leave it all with love Divine.*

That's what Jesus teaches. See Matthew 6:25-34.

Why should we trust God? For two reasons: (1) He is trustworthy. He keeps His promises. He is faithful. (2) He loves us. He cares for us. He wants the very best for us. In fact, He loves us so much that He gave His Son Jesus to die on the cross for our sins so that we can be saved from our sins and receive eternal life (John 3:16; Romans 6:23). No matter what happens in this life, through Christ we have eternal life!

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BIBLE BOWL TEST February 15th 9:15am-10:15 am
BIBLE BOWL MAKEUP TEST February 22nd
PEARLS TEST February 11th 7pm-8pm
PEARLS MAKEUP TEST February 18th

