

WORSHIP ASSIGNMENTS

SUNDAY MORNING SERVICES

June 2nd

Announcements Quentin Holloway
Scripture Reading Dillon Ledford
Open Prayer Don McKee
Song Leading Jim Wright
Close Prayer Bob Burton
Head Table Tom Hall

June 9th

Butch Jones
Spencer Hall
Ken White
Barry Kingsley
Curtis Kingsley
Quentin Holloway

Assist

Rob Burton
Tim Hall
Tate McCoy
Barry Pritchett
John Johnson
George Hall
Don Kerley
Garry Rittenberry

Matthew Barbour
Bob Burkewitz
Billy Weeks
Tim Hall
Ross Cochran
Richard Stephens
John Stephens
Russell Cochran

Usher

T.Rochester C.Cody
M.Wilson Z.Pritchett
TuHall RyCochran
William Parker

DonKerleyG.Rittenberry
R.Burton C.Cody
Sp.HallRossCochran
William Parker

Sound Board
Projector
Greeters

J&A Johnson
Q&J Holloway
M.Teems B.Turley
Pat Ledford

M&R Pritchett
J&C Ledford
J&A Cole
Pat Ledford

SUNDAY NIGHT SERVICES

Announcements
Open Prayer
Song Leading
Close Prayer
Communion
Sound Board
Projector

Tom Hall
Dennis Dove
Barry Kingsley
James McGee
Tom Hall
William Parker

Butch Jones
Barry Kingsley
Jim Wright
Clyde Cody
Quentin Holloway
William Parker

JUNE

Billy Weeks
John Johnson

JULY

Bruce Turley
Donnie Bailey

June 5th

Announcements Don Kerley
Song Leading Daniel Sisson
Prayer Robert Wood
Sound Board William Parker

June 12th

Daniel Sisson
Nathan Collier
Rob Burton
William Parker

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Barry Kingsley.....706-276-7842
Tate McCoy.....706-273-3538
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Week of May 26th

Contribution.....\$8649
Budget.....\$6800
Over Yearto Date.....\$1191
Bible Study.....153
AM Worship.....251
PM Worship.....133
Wednesday Evening.....157

Gospel Broadcasting Network, 24hours/7days, Channel 21
"Truth For The World," Sunday, ETC Channel 3, 9:00 AM
"In Search Of The Lord's Way," Sunday, Channel 24, 7:30 AM

The bulletin is printed on Thursday. Any items coming in after noon on Thursday will go in the following week's bulletin.

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. Please contact the church office or Cleah Boaz, at 706-636-4516.

Ellijay Church of Christ

...Spreading the Good News

June 2, 2013



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. We hope you come as a guest, and leave as a friend.

**SUNDAY: Bible Study 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Bible Study 7:00 p.m.**



Peggy Walker continues to be in need of our prayers.

Barbara Stuart is recovering from surgery for kidney stones.

June Handte is recovering from gall bladder surgery.

Roy Elrod, a friend of Jason Ledford, is suffering with cancer.

Heidi Kerley's cousin, Lane Reece, is in need of our prayers.

Lisa Macy, David Macy's daughter in law, was diagnosed with cancer.

Vickie Ledford, Damien Baker's aunt, is having health problems. Please remember her in your prayers.



We extend our sympathy to Stacy Hadden in the passing away of her grandmother last week.

Welcome to Kacy Wigington. He will begin his work as our Summer Youth Intern starting today. He is meeting our young people at Faulkner this week for Inspire.

Please remember them in your prayers.



Please use the envelope on the back of the pews for your contributions to the planned new Fellowship Hall/Education Building. Please place the envelopes in the contribution plates and identify "Building Fund" on your check.

OTHERS TO REMEMBER

Betty Hall, Gladys Holloway, Clay Holloway, Hollis & Vernell Lowman, Elmer LaRue, Jason Baker, Keith Martin, Loretta Jenkins, Kim Cline, Betty Johnson, Mary Parker, Butch Davis, James Mullinax, Martha Ralston, Betty Bevins, Opal Corbin, Chuck Sisson, Ronnie Messer, Ed Marks, Melanie Lunsford, Jean Chastain, Scott Huffman, Casey Sullivan, Ed Busby, Paul Danger, Steve Woody, Chuck Hartnett, Wanda Ritchie, Vennie Busby, Billy Teems

OUR CANCER PATIENTS

Martha Rollins, Billy Stells, Treet Tilley, Jewel Green, Nancy Lockheart, Lillie Scaglione, Buddy & Lafern Dove, Mark Hyde, Connie Bishop, Angie Hodge, Calvin Michael Evans, Tressa Carter, Warren Watson, Bobby Long, Renee Jeffers, Ray Ritchie, Doris Dean, Charlene Thompson, Skylar Naugher, Carol Stanley, Steve Moore, Tray O'Neal, Lula Mae Cotney, Brenda Huffman

Nursing Home

Pauline Mullinax, Florence Stanley, Gladys Logan Shultz, Edith Davis

Birthdays & Anniversaries
Peggy Walker - 2nd
Megan Wilson - 4th
Terry Rochester - 6th
Mason Hadden - 8th



Don & Heidi Kerley - 3rd
Michael & Margaret Huff - 8th
Barry & Becca Pritchett - 8th
Roy & Peggy Walker - 8th

We would like to do a "Card Shower" for Peggy Walker for her birthday this week! Her address is: Pam Sullivan
6276 Ladd Road
Franklin, TN 37067

Butch Jones is preaching at Calhoun this morning. Please keep him in your prayers.

JUNE

TODAY- Elders, Deacons, Ministry Leaders, & Ministers Meeting , 4:30pm

TODAY - There will **not** be a Snak-n-Yak tonight. Instead, **everyone is invited to a cookout hosted by the C.A.R.E. Teams on Thursday, June 20th, at Fish Trap Park in Coosawattee Resort!**

5th - The beginning of our Summer Series, with Mike Gurganus bringing the lesson on Righteousness Exalts a Nation, 7pm.



9th-14th - Camp Wetoga Session 1

16th-21st - Camp Wetoga Session 2

We will be collecting drinks for canteen at Camp. They want to limit the drinks to coke, sprite, dr. pepper and mountain dew, (or their cheaper counter parts). Drinks donated will be shared between the first two weeks of Camp. We will have a box in the lobby for people to place the drinks in. Also, we are in need of Camp Scholarships. If you would like to make a donation, it would be greatly appreciated. Thank you for your help.

12th - "Soberly, Righteousness and Godly" David Decker- Summer Series, 7pm

16th - Donuts for Dads, 8:30am-9:15am. Sponsored by C-Squad kids to show our dads how important they are to us and how thankful we are for their guidance, support and love. A signup sheet is on the bulletin board.

19th - "Abortion" Dewayne Spivey- Summer Series, 7pm

23rd - 4th Sunday Night Singing service.

30th - July 3rd - Vacation Bible School



A Refuge from the Storm

Some students recall hearing the principal of Plaza Towers Elementary School telling them over the intercom to go to the cafeteria and wait for their parents. But then the tornado alarm sounded and selfless teachers of this school in Moore, Oklahoma, frantically tried to secure their students' safety. The tornado struck the school. Seven students were killed. But many were saved due to the heroic efforts of their teachers.

Rhonda Crosswhite, a sixth grade teacher at Plaza Towers, and several students, sought refuge from the twister in a school bathroom. As the tornado tore through the building, she shielded three of her students with her own body.

"It just started coming down so I just laid on top of some of them," she said on NBC's Today show. One of the students Crosswhite shielded, fourth-grader Damian Britton, said the tornado "sounded like a train coming by."

"A teacher covered us — Ms. Crosswhite," Damian said on the show. "I told her we were fine because we were holding onto something. Then she went over to my friend Antonio and covered him. So she saved our lives."

"The whole time I just kept screaming to them, 'Quit worrying, we're fine, we're fine,'" she told the Today show hosts, adding that she was unsure if her attempts at reassurance could be heard over the twister. Yet she kept reassuring them. "We're going to be fine, I'm protecting you," Crosswhite recalled telling the students. "Then I said a few prayers: 'God, please take care of my kids' — and we're fine."

The students shielded by Crosswhite were relatively unscathed. One student had a cut on his head. Crosswhite had cuts all over her back and feet — she was wearing sandals. Damian's mom, Brandi Kline, said her home was destroyed — but she was grateful her family was okay. "Everyone around us lost everything," the 29-year-old mom said, referring to her devastated neighborhood. "But we have our kids," she added, tearfully thanking Crosswhite. Thankfully, we also have Someone to shield us from the deadly destruction of sin...

As sin wrought havoc in the lives of all mankind, God, because of His great love for us, sent Jesus to our rescue. **He "shielded" us from the deadly blows of sin with His own body as He died on the cross for our sins.** "He himself bore our sins in his body on the tree, so that we might die to sins and live for righteousness; by his wounds you have been healed" (1 Peter 2:24). He died for us so that we might have forgiveness of our sins and receive the GIFT of eternal life (Eph 1:7; 1 Thess. 5:10).

Jesus will save those who seek refuge in Him by: placing their faith and trust in Him (Acts 16:30-31), turning from sin in repentance (Acts 17:30-31), confessing Him before men (Romans 10:9-10), and being baptized (immersed) into Christ for the forgiveness of sins (Acts 2:38). He will continue to shield THOSE who continue to trust Him enough to follow Him (1 John 1:7).

Many children are thankful for the heroic efforts of teachers like Rhonda Crosswhite who risked their lives to shield them from the storm.

And ALL of us can be thankful that Jesus gave Himself for us to shield us from the eternal destruction of sin! By His wounds, YOU can be healed IF you will trust and obey Him.

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