

We are so glad that you are with us today! Our service will be to praise and worship God and to encourage and uplift us to face another week. We will sing (Eph. 5:19, Col. 3:16), pray (James 5:15-18), and partake of the Lord's Supper to remember our Savior's sacrifice on the cross (Acts 20:7, 1 Cor. 11:23-26). We will also give back a portion of the monetary blessings that God has granted us so that we can carry out His work in our community (1 Cor. 16:2, 2 Cor. 9:7). We will also study a lesson from His Word that will hopefully be applicable to our daily lives, so that we can be equipped to handle the pressures of this world and reach those outside of Christ (2 Tim. 2:15). If you are a visitor, please fill out the yellow visitor's card and pass it to the end of the aisle so it can be collected. You are truly an honored guest, so please give us an opportunity to meet you after our services are over! "This is the day that the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it!"

**Order of Worship**

**Scripture Reading**

Song (#480) Blessed Assurance

Song (PPT) Into My Heart

**Opening Prayer**

Song (#314) Beneath the Cross of Jesus

**Partake of the Lords Supper**

**Contribution**

Song (#732) The Family of God

**Message -"David's Sin"**

Song (PPT) Is Thy Heart right with God?

Song (#147) I Stand Amazed

**Closing Prayer**

**Worship Assignment August 30th**

**Morning**

Announcements	Butch Jones
Scripture Reading	Ross Cochran
Open Prayer	Barry Pritchett
Song Leading	BarryKingsley
Close Prayer	Bob Burton
Head Table	Don McKee
Assist	Ron Kimsey Ben Kingsley Bob Burkewitz Jim Rep Donnie Bailey Tito Rodas Tate McCoy Junior Jenkins
Usher	R. Stephens Dalton Stephens T. Hall S. Hall
Greeters	E&S Busby E&S Mullinax F. Hightower S. Norton

**Evening**

Announcements	Butch Jones
Open Prayer	Daniel Sisson
Song Leading	Barry Kingsley
Close Prayer	Dalton Stephens
Communion	Don McKee

If you cannot serve, please contact Garry Rittenberry. Copies of all sermons from our pulpit are available on CD for \$1.00 Request sheet is posted on the bulletin board.

**Week of August 16th**

Contribution.....	\$7212
Budget.....	\$6100
Weekly Average YTD.....	\$6508
Bible Study.....	149
AM Worship.....	212
PM Worship.....	156
Wednesday Evening.....	151

**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. Total funds through 7/31/15 in the Building and Emergency Fund total \$238,346.71. "FILL A CAN" ARE AVAILABLE FOR PICKUP. Cans will be opened and counted at the September Snak-N-Yak.



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**Elders**

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Bob Burkewitz  
Rob Burton  
Nathan Collier  
Dennis Dove  
George Hall  
Tim Hall  
Tom Hall  
John Johnson  
Barry Kingsley  
Tate McCoy  
John Painter  
Barry Pritchett  
Garry Rittenberry

**Ministers**

Jeremy Green  
Butch Jones

**Missionary**

Michael Dunbar

**Sunday Bible Classes**

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

**Practical Application**

I love preaching! It is a tremendous blessing to stand in the pulpit or in a classroom and proclaim God's Word each week! We have an assortment of different classes available on Sunday morning and Wednesday evening for each segment of our congregation, and our elders do an outstanding job of bringing in a variety of dynamic speakers to preach throughout the year. As members of the Church, I know that we all enjoy strong, Biblical preaching that challenges us to be better Christians. Eventually, however, we must get to a point where we do more than just "admire" good preaching; preaching must inspire us to DO something. We have to start seeking out the practical application from our messages.

Over the last two weeks, we have tried to do some things that will act as catalysts for practical application. Last Sunday, we had a lesson about prayer in conjunction with our previously scheduled prayer service. For those that were in attendance, you saw the results. Our prayer service was one of the most uplifting spiritual experiences of my life! Wednesday night, on the heels of a sermon about the Great Commission, we distributed outreach cards so that each member can have an easy way to invite friends, neighbors, and even strangers to our services here at Ellijay. These are available on the tables in the lobby, and each bulletin contains a few so that each one of us can put our lessons about the Great Commission to use! I hope and pray that each time we come together we enjoy our services, but we also need to get so much more than enjoyment out of our time together. Each time we leave our building we should be prepared to change our lives so that each of us can continue to be more like Christ!

-Jeremy Green

### ***In our Thoughts and Prayers***

Dorothy Rittenberry, Garry's mom, is recovering from surgery on a broken arm.

Ronnie Messer is back at home after several days in the hospital.

Charles Walker is scheduled for hip replacement surgery August 25th at Piedmont Mountinside.

Marie Overton will be having knee replacement surgery August 25th at Northside Atlanta.

Barbara Cox continues to be in a great deal of pain with her back.

Angela Dobson is back at home recovering from emergency gallbladder surgery.

Jenny Calvert, Jim Wright's aunt and Barbara McKee's cousin, is out of a coma and doing much better.

We extend our sympathy to Pat Ledford and her family in the passing of her sister in law, Vondell Rice. Funeral services were this past Wednesday.



Luisa Varin - 25th  
Bryan Wright - 25th  
Vernon Gibbs - 27th  
Kadie Weaver - 27th  
Janie Wright - 28th  
Tom McCoy - 29th

**Youth Rally  
and  
Cookout &  
Hayride**  
*come as guests,  
leave as friends*  
**Saturday, September 12**  
*Special Guests from Faulkner University  
Cornerstone  
& Vanguard*

#### **OTHERS TO REMEMBER**

Zach Pritchett, Lamar Gorman, Clay Holloway, Bill & Ann Burkett, Gladys Holloway, Mary Parker, Vernon Gibbs, James Mullinax, Martha Ralston, Opal Corbin, Richard Neal, Genell Cantrell, Edith Hensley, CiCi Rivera, Geneva Holloway, Luisa Varin, Ruth Jones, Glenda Stanley, Chad Luther, Angela Dobson, Cody Sowder, Shirley Jones, Shirley Davis

#### **CANCER PATIENTS**

David Cochran, Charles Weeks, Billy Stells, Treet Tilley, Jewell Green, Lillie Scaglione, Lafern Dove, Doris Dean, Carol Stanley, Lisa Macy, Dean Cleavinger, Brenda Martin, Don Powichroski, Tori Boynton, John Corbin, Benjamin Corbin, Phillip Askew, Brandy Nicholson, Carolyn McTyre, Pam Wimberly, Jessica Campbell, Hugh Long, Glen Hart



**NURSING HOME**  
Pauline Mullinax,  
Gladys Logan Shultz,  
Edith Davis

#### **FAMILY & FRIENDS IN THE MILITARY**

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

### **MARK YOUR CALENDAR**

**TODAY- Our youth will be in charge** of the evening service.

**30th - Devotional at Gilmer Nursing Home, 3pm**

**30th - Sunday Night Singing service**



**SEPTEMBER...**

**7th - Labor Day Picnic** at ETC Pavilion. Church will provide hot dogs & hamburgers; please bring fixings and sides. Eat at 12pm.

**8th - Tuesday Ladies Bible Class** starts back, 9:30am-11am

**12th - Youth Rally and Cookout & Hayride** with Faulkner Students and Cornerstone. Registration & breakfast begins at 9:00 a.m., program starts at 10a.m. Cookout & Hayride at the Pritchett Farm starts at 5pm. Bring hot dogs, sides and desserts.



**14th - Georgia School of Preaching Class** begins. "Developing Leadership in the Church," taught by Richard Bohannon. 6:30pm-8:30pm, 7 weeks.



Please pick up your Outreach cards before you leave today!



"Martha, you really need to update your picture for the directory."

We are doing a Church Directory and would love 100% participation!

Portraits will be done:

Sunday, October 4th 12:30pm-6pm

Monday, October 5th 1pm-8pm

Kelly will be in the foyer making appointments.

**Mark your Calendar  
for  
Monday, October 12th**

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