

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!"

Worship
Scripture Reading

- Song (#2) We Praise Thee Oh God
- Song (#852) When The Roll is Called Up Yonder
- Song (#542) Tell It to Jesus Alone
- Opening Prayer
- Song (#313) The Old Rugged Cross
- Partake of the Lords Supper
- Contribution

- Song (PPT) Create In Me A Clean Heart
- Song (#732) The Family of God
- Message - "Breaking Down Barriers"
- Song (#909) There Is A Fountain Free
- Song (#615) He Keeps Me Singing
- Closing Prayer

Worship Assignments Sunday Morning		
	October 25th	November 1st
Announcements	Butch Jones	Nathan Collier
Scripture Reading	Russell Cochran	Spencer Hall
Open Prayer	Miles Peebles	Josh Chancey
Song Leading	Jim Wright	Barry Kingsley
Close Prayer	Curtis Kingsley	Mark Pettit
Head Table	John Painter	Don McKee
Assist	J.Jenkins S. Wright E. Mulkey B. Weeks J. Stephens E. Mullinax T. Rochester Re.Cochran	R. Burton J. Cole G. Chancey R. Kimsey B. Parker E. Mullinax J. Rep S. Wright
Usher	J. Chancey Sp. Hall D. Ledford M. Wilson	D. Bailey N. Collier D. Green T. Rochester
Greeters	J&A Cole B. Turley M. Teems F. Hightower S. Norton	J&S Jenkins K&J White B&T Weeks
	Evening	Evening
Announcements	Barry Kingsley	Nathan Collier
Open Prayer	Men	David Green
Song Leading	Men	Barry Kingsley
Close Prayer	Men	Marlin Brackett
Communion	John Painter	Don McKee
	October 28th	November 4th
Announcements	Butch Jones	Butch Jones
Song Leading	Tucker Hall	John Painter
Prayer	Barry Kingsley	Ben Kingsley

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 9/30/15 in the Building and Emergency Fund total \$241,296.96. "FILL A CAN" ARE AVAILABLE FOR PICKUP. Cans will be opened and counted at the September Snak-N-Yak.

Free Bible Correspondence is available by contacting the church office or Cleah Boaz, at 706-636-4516.

Week of October 18th	
Contribution.....	\$5901
Budget.....	\$6100
Weekly Average YTD.....	\$6491
Bible Study.....	115
AM Worship.....	183
PM Worship.....	138
Wednesday Evening.....	154



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- Sunday Bible Classes
9:30 AM
Morning Worship
10:30 AM
Evening Worship
6:00 PM
Wednesday Bible Study
7:00 PM

I was reading through a book this week called *Reflections on Our Hymns: Stories of 77 Hymns and Gospel Songs* written by Max Wheeler. One of the stories made an impact on me, and I want to share a portion of it with you today.

One Sunday morning in 1891 James M. Black was calling the roll for his Sunday school class when a young girl failed to respond. In that moment, he realized that the girl, the daughter of a drunk, was not present, and he began to worry about her well-being. His thoughts soon shifted, however, to the scene of judgment and how tragic it would be for a Christian's name to be absent from the Lamb's Book of Life. After returning home from worship, he sat down at his desk and within fifteen minutes he had written the words for a new hymn. Shortly after, the tune was composed and he sent it to a publisher to hopefully be included in a new songbook.

Two years later Charles H. Gabriel was rummaging through a pile of handwritten song manuscripts when he found one that stood out because it was written in green ink. If it were not for the strange choice of ink the song would have most likely been discarded with the rest of the stack, but its uniqueness caused the famous songwriter to have another look. The song, as you might have guessed, was written by an unknown Sunday school teacher named James M. Black and it focused on the triumph of the Christian over death on Judgment Day. The words, which we will sing this morning, are known to us all.

When the trumpet of the Lord shall sound and time shall be no more, and the morning breaks eternal bright and fair; when the saved of earth shall gather over on the other shore, and the roll is called up yonder I'll be there.

On that bright and cloudless morning when the dead in Christ shall rise, and the glory of his resurrection share; when his chosen ones shall gather to their home beyond the skies, and the roll is called up yonder I'll be there.

Let us labor for the Master from the dawn till setting sun, let us talk of all his wondrous love and care; then when all of life is over and our work on earth is done, and the roll is called up yonder I'll be there.

This simple, yet powerful hymn has become a rallying cry for us all as we strive to make it through this life and receive our heavenly reward. I'm so thankful that this song, written in green ink, still rings in our hearts today!

- Jeremy Green

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In our Thoughts and Prayers

Lamar Gorman is back at home but continues to have health problems.

Mary Giannone is recovering at home from surgery on her ears. If you would like to send a card: P O Box 774 Ellijay 30540

Genell Cantrell is recovering at home from surgery this past Monday.

Becki Hall Crump is recovering at home from surgery.

Buddy Atchenson is critical at this time and in Jasper's hospital.

Ken Reece is in Jasper's hospital with pneumonia and not doing well.

We extend our sympathy to Stacey, Mason and Kailyn Hadden in the passing away of Stacey's grandmother, Elizabeth Arthur. Her funeral was yesterday in Americus.

We also extend sympathy to the family of Richard Abernathy in his passing away. Richard is Debra Bailey's uncle as well as the father of Edith Hensley's daughter in law, Beverly.



CANCER PATIENTS

David Cochran, Charles Weeks, Billy Stells, Treet Tilley, Jewell Green, Lillie Scaglione, Doris Dean, Carol Stanley, Lisa Macy, Dean Cleavinger, Brenda Martin, Don Powichroski, Tori Boynton, John Corbin, Benjamin Corbin, Phillip Askew, Brandy Nicholson, Carolyn McTyre, Jessica Campbell, Hugh Long, Jeff Hunter, Susie Rep



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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, Cody Sowder, Jeremy Ferrell, Shirley Jones, Shirley Davis, Elizabeth Arthur

The Raintree Village food truck will be here to pickup on *Monday, November 2nd.*



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

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Nursing Home Family

Pauline Mullinax, Gladys Logan Shultz and Edith Davis.

Birthdays and Anniversaries

Alice Cole - 28th
Roy Neville - 28th
Alice Crow - 30th
Sherry Garland - 30th

Jeremy & Rachel Eaton - 27th
Alan & Barbara Cox - 28th
Jim & Sharon Rep - 30th



TODAY - Elders Appreciation Luncheon following morning service. We hope everyone will make a special effort to stay.

TODAY - GIFTS will be meeting. Girls should bring projects and have read Chapter 2.

TONIGHT - 4th Sunday Night Worship in songs and prayers.

26th - Georgia School of Preaching class, 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM

27th - Tuesday Ladies Bible Class, 9:30 AM-11 AM. See more info below.

28th - Trip to the Amish Farm and Market in Benton, Tennessee. Leaving the church building at 8:30 AM and returning around 4 PM. Sign up sheet is on the board.

28th - Trunk or Treat following evening service.

Coming in November...

5th - Young Professionals Paint Party. See Robin Jones with questions.

8th - Veterans Luncheon. Please be inviting friends and family that have served as we honor our veterans.

8th - Area Wide Youth Service and Devo - Oakhill Church of Christ in Rome. Evening service, contact Tim or Pam for details.

12th - Men's Devotional, 9AM



The weekly Ladies Bible Class will meet on Tuesday morning October 27 with a devotional and a special program at 10:00 a.m. We are working with the North Georgia Family Crisis Center to sew and provide some children's quilts, blankets, and Teddy Bears for the center. Julie Welsh, director of the center will be speaking with us about the needs at the center and how we can assist.

We have rescheduled the dates for our church directory. Portraits will be done Friday, November 13th through Monday, November 16th. We are transferring the names and times of those who had previously made appointments to the new dates and will schedule new appointments from there.



Special Birthday Wishes to:
Turning 95 years young on the 28th
Roy Neville
c/o Tina Neville
901 Zig Zag
Divine, Texas 78016

Turning 93 years young on the 30th
Alice Crow
Cameron Hall
114 Penland Street
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