

Ellijay Church of Christ

...Spreading the Good News

March 14, 2010



Come as a guest, leave as a friend...

Welcome to our Visitors! Please complete the visitors card so we will have a record of your visit and know that you are always welcome at all of our services. We hope you will stay after services and let us get to know you.

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Week of March 7th

Contribution.....	\$5349
Budget.....	\$5600
Under Year to Date.....	\$708
Bible Study.....	137
AM Worship.....	208
PM Worship.....	168
Wednesday Evening.....	139

Gospel Broadcasting Network, 24hours/7days,
Channel 52 on ETC Cable
"Truth For The World," Sunday, ETC Channel 3,
9:00 AM
"In Search Of The Lord's Way," Sunday, ETC
Channel 24, 7:30 AM

Worship Assignments **Sunday Morning Services**

MARCH 14TH March 21st

<i>Announcements</i>	Mark Pettit	Quentin Holloway
<i>Song Leading</i>	Barry Pritchett	Barry Kingsley
<i>Open Prayer</i>	Garry Rittenberry	Tim Hall
<i>Close Prayer</i>	Robert Wood	Robert Wood
<i>Head Table</i>	Tim Hall	Bob Burton

<i>Assist</i>	Ed Busby	Mike Parson
	William Pettit	Hollis Lowman
	James Barr	Johnny Dunaway
	Joby Ralston	Jackie Cochran
	Mark Wilson	Billy Weeks
	Reid Cochran	Jack Stanley
	Winston Pettit	Daniel Sisson
	Mike Holloway	Dennis Dove

<i>Usher</i>	David Jones	Terry Rochester
	Russell Cochran	Rylan Cochran
	Mike Parson	Reid Cochran
	Terry Rochester	Billy Green
	Dennis Nicholson	Mark Wilson
	Donnie Bailey	Eddy Mulkey

<i>Sound Board</i>	Dow McEntyre	Mike Holloway
<i>Projector</i>	William Parker	William Parker

<i>Greeters</i>	C&M Giannone	K&J White
	Shirley Busby	Juanita Bloodworth
	Q&J Holloway	G&B Rittenberry

SUNDAY NIGHT SERVICES

<i>Announcements</i>	Don Kerley	Barry Pritchett
<i>Song Leading</i>	David Green	Mark Pettit
<i>Open Prayer</i>	Billy Green	Joby Ralston
<i>Close Prayer</i>	Bob Burton	James Barr
<i>Communion</i>	Tim Hall	Bob Burton
<i>Sound Board</i>	Dow McEntyre	Mike HOLLOWAY
<i>Projector</i>	William Parker	William Parker

MONTH OF MARCH

<i>Unlock Building</i>	Mark Wilson
<i>Lock Building</i>	Don Kerley

MONTH OF APRIL

	Ken White
	Donnie Bailey

<i>Announcements</i>	March 17th	March 24th
<i>Song Leading</i>	Butch Jones	Butch Jones
<i>Prayer</i>	David Green	Daniel Sisson
<i>Sound Board</i>	Burt Hinton	Tom Hall
<i>Projector</i>	Seth Carswell	John Painter
	John Painter	Jackie Cochran

In Our Prayers

Lillie Scaglione is having health complications. She had to return to the hospital last Friday.

Tammy Wood will have gall bladder surgery March 16th in Jasper.

Jessica Burrell will also be having gall bladder surgery on the 16th in Jasper.

Bob Jones, Butch's dad, will undergo knee replacement surgery on Monday, March 15th.

June Handte will be undergoing a special treatment on the 19th for medical problems.

Lorene Hall is having health issues at this time.

J.B. Cochran, Vondell and Vernell's brother, is at home and under hospice care suffering from leukemia.

Johnny Savage, a friend and neighbor of Brenda McEntyre's is in ICU at Erlanger. He & his wife Kelly have visited with us several times in the past.

Several people have asked about an address for Miles and Marilyn Peoples. It is:

310 South River Street
Claxton, Georgia 30417

Deepest Sympathy

We extend our sympathy to Judy and Vernon Gibbs in the passing away of Judy's mother, Dell Beaver. Visitation is today, 3pm-9pm at Bernhardt's. The funeral will be Monday, 2pm here at the building.

Our Cancer Patients

Martha Rollins, Wally Schmidt. Ethan Jones, Billy Stells, Emory Pankey, Treet Tilley, Linda Beaver, Jewell Green, Laverne Dove, Lupita Stephens, Garlin Davis, Mildred Davis, Susan Logan, Homer Hefner, Rochell Griffith, Jack Milko, Buddy Atcheson, Bobby Long (of Fannin County), JB Cochran, Sonya Self, Kenneth Davis

Birthdays & Anniversaries

Kell Weaver - 14th
Greg Burrell - 15th
Clay Holloway - 15th
Dianne Miller - 15th
William Pettit - 16th
Peggy Pinson - 17th
Florence Stanley - 17th

Dennis & Darla Dove - 15th
Carl & Brenda Wilson - 18th
William & Kristen Parker - 19th



Donations made to the Ellijay Church of Christ Memorial Gardens by Mike and Phyllis Parson in memory of:

Savannah Cash

Donations made to the Ellijay Church of Christ Memorial Gardens in memory of:

Willene Cody

by:

Vernon & Judy Gibbs
Sybil Norton

We express our sympathy to the family of Joel Mashburn in his passing away. He is Ken and Tommie Jo Mashburn's son.

Donations made to the Church of Christ Memorial Gardens should be given to Dianne Miller.

MARCH

14th - **New Bible class in the Fellowship Hall**, "Survey of the Old Testament." Open to all.

15th - **Ladies Bible Study**, 10 am in the library. All ladies are welcome and encouraged to come.

20th - **Ladies Tea** at Blairsville, for Leaderettes, 2pm - 5pm. Van will leave our bldg at 12:45 pm. Please let Becca know TODAY what scripture and songs your child will be doing.

21st - **Third Sunday Sing**, Boardtown

22nd - **GA School of Preaching class** beginning. "The Restoration of the Lord's Church." 6:30 pm - 8:30 p.m., each Monday night for seven weeks.

26th-28th - **Blue Ridge Gospel Meeting**. Friday & Saturday 7pm.

28th - **Lads to Leaders/Leaderettes Appreciation Lunch**. See info below.

APRIL

4th, 11th, 18th - **Separate Ladies Bible class and Men's Class** in the Fellowship Hall. Men's will be "Providing Leadership in the Church." Ladies will be announced.

24th - **Workday** at building

25th - **Friends and Family Day**. Goal is 500- Please be inviting!!

"How Well Do You Recall?"

There are days that I have trouble remembering where I place things. I hunted for days recently for a set of keys that I just knew was in the office to later find them in a coat pocket of a suit that I had worn. How soon we forget! But Gordon Bell is trying to devise a system in which he can recall most anything in his life.

For the past decade, Bell, a Microsoft researcher, has been "moving" the data from his brain onto computers. The process is much more involved than saving digital pictures and e-mails. Bell carries around video equipment, cameras, and audio recorders to capture his conversations, commutes, trips, and experiences. He has used a SenseCam - a device that is being developed by Microsoft that a person hangs around his neck and automatically records every detail of life in photo form. And Bell has been saving almost everything from restaurant receipts to correspondence, bills, and medical records.

Thus far Bell has accumulated a mountain of data - more than 350 gigabytes worth, not including the streaming audio and video. He describes the storage of information as a replica of his biological memory. It's actually better, he says, because if you back up your data in enough places, this digitized "e-memory" never forgets. It's like having a multimedia transcript of your life.

Bell hopes that by developing and implementing this process, no one will have to fret about storing the details of their lives in their heads anymore; they can save the details on their computer and recall it at will. *

Do we really want to remember every detail of our lives? After all, we make many mistakes (Romans 3:23). Sure, we want to learn from our mistakes, but do we want to be reminded of them constantly? Aren't there things that we'd like to forget and know that they won't be held against us?

There is Another who has infallible, total recall: GOD! "There is no creature hidden from His sight, but all things are naked and open to the eyes of Him to whom we must give account" (Hebrews 4:13). And give account, we must! "He has appointed a day on which He will judge the world in righteousness by the Man (His Son, Jesus) whom He has ordained. He has given assurance of this to all by raising Him from the dead" (Acts 17:31). "For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ, that each one may receive the things done in the body, according to what he has done, whether good or bad" (2 Corinthians 5:10).

God, Who has total recall, will recall everything that we have done and hold us accountable for EVERY impure thought, idle word, and evil deed. **Unless... the memory of our sins has been erased, through the sacrifice of Christ!**

The Old Testament prophets foretold the time when God would establish a new covenant with His people that contained this promise: "**I will forgive their iniquity, and their sin I will remember no more**" (Jeremiah 31:34; see Hebrews 8:12).

Because of His great love for us... God has made provision for our forgiveness through the death of His Son, Jesus, who died on the cross to redeem us from sin (Ephesians 1:7). When we respond in faith, trusting Him for salvation (Acts 16:30-31), turning from our sins in repentance (Acts 17:30-31), confessing Him before men (Romans 10:9-10), and being baptized (immersed) in His name (Acts 2:38), He has promised to forgive us from our sins. Then, as we continue to walk in the light of His Word, He has promised that the blood of Jesus will continually cleanse us from sin (1 John 1:7).

On Judgment Day, the Lord will NOT recall those sins that have been covered by the blood of Jesus. Are YOU covered?