

WORSHIP ASSIGNMENTS

SUNDAY MORNING SERVICES

Announcements	September 5th Don McKee	September 12th Quentin Holloway
Song Leading	Mark Pettit	Barry Pritchett
Open Prayer	Richard Bohannon	Garry Rittenberry
Close Prayer	Robert Wood	Billy Green
Head Table	Tim Hall	Tom Hall

Assist	Joby Ralston	Ed Busby
	Reid Cochran	Danny Marshall
	Ben Kingsley	James Barr
	Johnny Dunaway	Joby Ralston
	Dustin Holland	Mark Wilson
	Rob Burton	Reid Cochran
	William Pettit	Jack Stanley
	Winston Pettit	Mike Holloway

Usher	Mike Holloway	Terry Rochester
	Russell Cochran	Preston Kingsley
	Donnie Bailey	Donnie Bailey

Sound Board Projector	William Parker	William Parker
	Mike Holloway	John Painter

Greeters	Sybil Norton	C&M Giannone
	V&J Gibbs	E&S Busby
	M&P Parson	Q&J Holloway

SUNDAY NIGHT SERVICES

Announcements	Greg Burrell	Barry Kingsley
Song Leading	Barry Kingsley	Ed Busby
Open Prayer	Dennis Dove	Richard Bohannon
Close Prayer	Donnie Bailey	Rob Burton
Communion	Tim Hall	Tom Hall
Sound Board	William Parker	William Parker
Projector	Mike Holloway	John Painter

SEPTEMBER

OCTOBER

Unlock Building		
Lock Building	Tate McCoy	Johnny Dunaway
Lawn	Hall's	Kingsley

Announcements	September 8th	September 15th	
	Butch Jones	Don Kerley	
	Song Leading	John Painter	Daniel Sisson
	Prayer	Marvin Pritchett	Burt Hinton
	Sound Board	Seth Carswell	Seth Carswell
Projector	William Parker	William Parker	

Copies of all sermons from our pulpit are available on CD for \$1.00. The request sheet is posted on the bulletin board.

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Week of August 29th

Contribution.....	\$5571
Budget.....	\$5600
Under Year to Date.....	\$10,968
Bible Study.....	128
AM Worship.....	187
PM Worship.....	151
Wednesday Evening.....	131

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

Ellijay Church of Christ

...Spreading the Good News

September 5, 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.

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

In Our Prayers

Becca Pritchett is recovering at home from a brown recluse spider bite.

Breann Pritchett is at home recovering from mono.

Edith Hensley continues to have problems with dizziness.

Hilda Turley is scheduled for surgery Wednesday.

Marionette Brandt's ear surgery went well. She is recovering at home.

Fred Holloway's hernia surgery went well and he is recovering at home.

Marlene Ellis will be undergoing surgery.

Nancy Milko continues to recover from surgery. She is having some complications.

Julie Weeks, a friend of Tammy Woods, was involved in a serious car wreck Wednesday.

Dee Sanford has been diagnosed with cancer and will begin chemo soon.

Wylie Kiser, a 4th grader at Mountain View Elem. has been diagnosed with two brain tumors. Dr's are determining treatment plans for him.

OUR CANCER PATIENTS

Kenneth Davis, Martha Rollins, Ethan Jones, Billy Stells, Treet Tilley, Jewell Green, Mildred Davis, Rochell Griffith, Jack Milko, Sonya Self, Nancy Lockheart, Lorene Hall, Beverly Hardeman, Lillie Scaglione, Cledas Porter, Ginger Gile, Eddie Adams, Pam Byrd, Debra Sisson, Connie Stover, Harold Wright, Buddy Dove, Roy Hartsfield, Rechell Griffith

OTHERS TO REMEMBER

Jack & Eulyeen Callihan, Clay Holloway, Carl Giannone, Elmer LaRue, Harold Waddell, Jason Baker, A.E. Stephens, Esta Woody, Joy Martin, Christy Shule, Keith Martin, Tia Teague, Loretta Jenkins, Leon Stanley, Wilma Sisson, Sam May, Carl Giannone, Kim Cline, Sam May, Betty Bevins, Martha Stanley, Buna Hales, Ben Bangston, Betty Johnson, Nancy Milko

NURSING HOME RESIDENTS

Pauline Mullinax, Florence Stanley, Annette Fitch, Eva Thurman, Vera Cochran

Directory Update

If you are new to our church family or need an updated picture because of family changes, please sign the list on the love board for a time to have your picture made.

SEPTEMBER



6th - Labor Day Picnic at the ETC Pavilion. EVERYONE INVITED!

7th - Weekly Ladies Bible Class starts back, 10 a.m. in the library.

14th - Georgia School of Preaching class on "The Gospel According to John", taught by David Decker. 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m., weekly

17th-19th - Gospel Meeting & Youth Rally with special speakers from Faulkner as well as a concert from Cornerstone on Saturday, 18th. Please be inviting.

18th - Men's Leadership Conference at Central in Dalton. More information and a signup sheet is on the board.

19th - Third Sunday Sing - Boardtown.

25th - Ladies Day at Central Dalton.

Burt Hinton - 8th
Will Teague - 9th



Steve & Carol Evans - 4th
Rob & Jennifer Burton - 8th

It's great to have visitors with us today. It's our prayer that you return often. If you're from the area and looking for a church home, we'd love to invite you to become a part of our "family" here at Ellijay. We'd love to sit down and study God's Word with you and would enjoy assisting you in becoming a part of HIS family. Please let us know if we can assist you in any way!

I appreciate the Elders for allowing me to attend the "Polishing the Pulpit Workshop" this past week. There were classes every hour from 8 in the morning till late into the evening. I had the opportunity to sit at the feet of some great Gospel Preachers and teachers. Hopefully, I will be able to share some of what I learned in the days ahead. I hope you enjoy the following illustration:

George E. Dixon, a native of Kentucky, joined Company E of the 21st Alabama Volunteers in 1861 and eventually reached the rank of Lieutenant. For over a century, a folklore story of romance and fortune was passed down involving Lt. Dixon.

According to the legend, Dixon fell in love with a beautiful young woman from Mobile, Alabama, named Queenie Bennett. To keep her sweetheart safe from harm, Queenie gave Lt. Dixon a gold coin, as a good luck charm. According to the legend, he kept the coin with him always, in his pocket, rubbing it while he dreamed of the day when he and Queenie would be reunited.

In Tennessee, during the Battle of Shiloh, Lt. Dixon was supposedly shot at point blank range. . . According to this legend, the impact left the gold piece bell-shaped, with the bullet embedded in it. Queenie's gift had saved his life.

Many such legends were created during the war. Was this one true? For 100 years, no one knew whether the story was true or merely a romantic tale from long ago.

On a key assignment, Lt. Dixon was given command of the H.L. Hunley, the world's first successful combat submarine, on its final assignment, which turned out to be one of the most important missions in naval history. However, this mission resulted in the sinking of the Hunley and its crew off the coast of South Carolina. During the recovery of the H.L. Hunley by the bestselling author and explorer Clive Cussler, the gold coin was discovered next to the remains of Lt. George Dixon. It was deeply indented from the impact of a bullet and traces of lead were discovered on the coin.

The coin, a \$20 dollar gold piece, was minted in 1860. One side bears an image of Lady Liberty. The other side, which has a federal shield-and-eagle symbol, had been sanded and inscribed by hand. It clearly bears four lines of cursive script with the following words:

Shiloh

April 6, 1862

My life Preserver

G. E. D.

True to the romantic tale, a precious gift from hands of love had indeed saved George Dixon from the enemy!

We should hold this message close to our hearts and lives! James says that the implanted Word is able to save us (James 1:21). It is truly THE Life Preserver! Will YOU "hide" the Word in your heart (Psalm 119:11) and "heed" its instructions (Matthew 7:21), so that you can be saved?

There are new Sunday Bible classes starting today. A new ladies class will be on "Teaching Others One on One and Christian Living." The men will meet on "Teaching Others One on One and Leadership in the Church." Two new Bible studies beginning Wednesday evening will be "The Book of Joshua," in the classroom off the foyer and "The Book of John," being taught in the auditorium.

A new Georgia School of Preaching class is starting on September 14th, also on the Gospel of John, taught by David Decker.

