

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).

How to Become a Christian

Hear the Gospel (Rom. 10:17)
 Believe in Jesus (Eph. 2:8-9; Heb. 11:6; John 8:24)
 Repent (Luke 13:3; Acts 2:37-38; Acts 17:30)
 Confess Jesus as Lord (Romans 10:9-10; Acts 8:37)
 Be Baptized for the Forgiveness of Sins (Acts 2:38; Acts 8:38; 1 Pet. 3:21)
 Then, Live Faithfully (Rev. 2:10)

Order of Worship

Welcome

Song (#PP) Here I Am to Worship
 Song (#683) I Am Mine No More
 Song (#31) Be Still and Know

Opening Prayer

Song (#PP) How Deep the Father's Love for Us

Partake of the Lords Supper

Contribution

Song (#PP) Create in Me
 Song (#694) Servant Song
 Song (#555) Seek Ye First

Scripture Reading - Psalm 37:23-28

Message - "The Joy of Being a Christian"

Butch Jones

Song (#927) Why Keep Jesus Waiting?

Announcements

Song (#587) Sing and Be Happy

Closing Prayer

Worship Assignments

	October 21st	October 28th
Scripture Reading	JB Dove	Wayman Story
Open Prayer	Tim Hall	James Barr
Song Leading	Barry Kingsley	Barry Kingsley
Close Prayer	John Painter	Mark Pettit
Head Table	Rob Burton	Josh Chancey
Assist	B. Weeks Re. Cochran L. Ferrell J. Ledford S. Wright E. Mulkey L. Mulkey R. Wood	T. Rochester B. Burkewitz J. Johnson C. Hall D. Green E. Mullinax D. Sisson Ti. Hall
Usher	S. Hall W. Teague J. Cochran	B. Weeks M. Wilson T. Hall
Greeters	Q&J Holloway B&S Burkewitz K&J White	L&B Ferrell B. Parker B. Morse R. Wood J. Mailen
	Evening	Evening
Announcements	Jeremy Green	Jeremy Green
Open Prayer	Robert Wood	Carl Hall
Song Leading	Josh Chancey	Singing Night
Close Prayer	Dudley Maddox	David Green
Communion	Rob Burton	Josh Chancey
	October 24th	October 31st
Announcements	Jeremy Green	Butch Jones
Song Leading	Spencer Hall	Jacob Jenkins
Prayer	Daniel Sisson	Lewis Mulkey
Devo	Jacob Jenkins	Butch Jones



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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

Elders

Bob Burton - 706-698-1345
 Tim Hall - 706-669-0915
 Barry Kingsley - 706-273-6153
 Curtis Kingsley - 706-515-5146
 John Painter - 706-889-7822
 Mark Pettit - 706-276-6610

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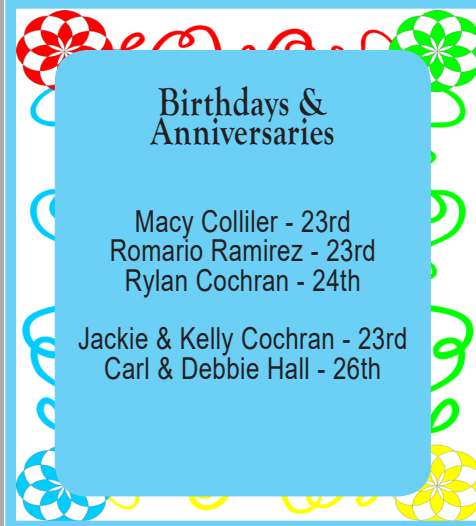
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 Bob Burkewitz - 706-276-2456
 Josh Chancey - 706-669-6848
 Nathan Collier - 706-972-4789
 Junior Jenkins - 706-273-6972
 John Johnson - 706-669-0422
 Brandon Jones - 706-273-8762
 Jason Ledford - 706-669-4504
 Tate McCoy - 706-273-3538
 Will Parker - 706-889-1021
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 Daniel Sisson - 770-595-8141

Ministers

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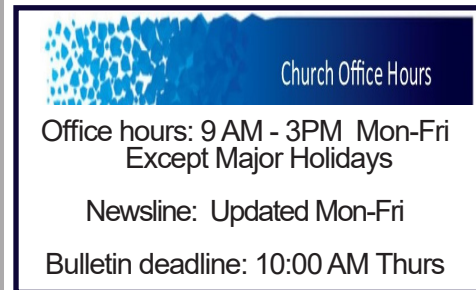


Birthdays & Anniversaries

Macy Collier - 23rd
 Romario Ramirez - 23rd
 Rylan Cochran - 24th

Jackie & Kelly Cochran - 23rd
 Carl & Debbie Hall - 26th

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Church Office Hours

Office hours: 9 AM - 3PM Mon-Fri
 Except Major Holidays

Newsline: Updated Mon-Fri

Bulletin deadline: 10:00 AM Thurs

Let Us Rise Up and Build
 Donations and transfers to the Building and Growth Fund for the proposed Fellowship Hall/Education Building through 09/30/2018 total \$329,688.00. Please continue to donate.

Electronic Contribution Available
 E-Giving is now 15% of the contribution
 See Bob Burkewitz for details or questions

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

Week of October 14th

Contribution.....	\$7135
Budget.....	\$7500
Weekly Average YTD.....	\$7842
Bible Study.....	142
AM Worship.....	205
PM Worship.....	133
Wednesday Evening.....	161



Jada Howard, Gerald and Abby Chancey's granddaughter, will be having a bone marrow test next week.

Zach Pritchett continues to be in need of our prayers.

Mark Johnston is recovering from surgery and is having to make daily trips back to Murphy. Please keep Mark and Arlene in your prayers.

Ginger Barber, a friend of Robin Story's mom, lost her son last weekend. Please remember the Barber family in your prayers.

Special Contribution

Thanks to you, \$6,712.25 was donated last Sunday to help with disaster relief for those affected by the hurricane in the Carolinas a few weeks ago and Hurricane Michael one week ago in Florida and southern Georgia. If you did not have a chance last week and would like to donate we are still accepting contributions. Please remember in prayer the people who suffered in the disasters as well as the workers and volunteers helping in the aid process.

Nursery Volunteers Needed



Sign up sheet posted on the board. Please see Wendy Jones with questions. Nursery ages 0-3 years

OCTOBER	This week's daily Bible reading:	
	21st.....	Zechariah 8-10
	22nd.....	Zech 11-14
	23rd.....	Malachi 1-4
	24th.....	Matthew 1-4
	25th.....	Matthew 5-9
	26th.....	Matthew 10-13
27th.....	Matthew 14-17	

NURSING HOME/ ASSISTED LIVING

Polly Cochran
Pauline Mullinax
Gladys Shultz
Perlie Mae Sluder

Cancer Patients

Carolyn Howard, Betty Sue Barfield, Tom Hall, John Stephens, Harry Dennard, Charles Weeks, Billy Stells, Chris Watkins, Cathy Thurman Patterson, Travis Lucas, Clifford West, Joanne Lucas, Linda Vercher, David Rogers, Christy Heard, Doug Lenz, Ashely Wooten, Bud Kirby, Chad Dixon

Others to Remember

FAMILY & FRIENDS IN THE MILITARY

Seth Carswell, Reid Cochran, Caleb Covington, Andrew Edmondson, Kourtney Gregory, Michael Gregory, Corey Henry, Jonathan Hensley, Zach Hill, Wayne Jones, Dillan Ledford, Jacob Mahaffey, Wilson Pettit, CJ Reid, Frankie Silva, Eric Spisak, David Taylor, Cameron Trammell, Matthew Upshaw

Patrick Mahaffey, Margaret Vaughn, Teresa Bryant, Betty Hall, Lisa Huffman, Jeanne Sweeney, Lauryn Patterson, Lori Williams, Jean Stanley, Joyce Butler, Suzanne Young, Bruce Stover, Luke Wright, Zach Pritchett, George & Ernestine

Hall, Jeff Carns, Bonnie Smith, Glenell Fricks, Shannon Queen, Shirley Fisher, Dustin Bolman, Reathel May, Wade Green Sr., Austin Young, Chad Galloway, Debbie Sims, Alyce Dunn, Amber VanRiper, Lynn Coleman

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

TODAY - Devotional on the Square for Apple Festival Workers and vendors, 8:30 AM

TODAY - Congregational Growth Plan 2019 Meeting, 4:30 PM

23rd - Ladies' Bible Class, 9:30 AM

25th - Men's Devotional, 9:00 AM Fellowship Hall

27th - Area-Wide Youth Devo at Adairsville. The van will leave our church building at 4 PM.

28th - Elders meet with deacons individually

31st - Trunk or Treat following service.

Decoration of cars will be done before service and kids changing into costumes will be done after service.



Coming in November

4th-7th - Gospel meeting at Jasper. Info on the board.

11th - Veterans Day Luncheon and early evening service.

We have some members taking supplies to the Mexico Beach/Panama City Florida area. Listed below is a list of the most needed items at this time. If you would like to help, please bring the items by tonight's service.

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| *Water | *Candles |
| *Any food that doesn't require cooking | *Lighters |
| *Diapers/pull ups | *Bug spray |
| *Formula | *Coolers |
| *Wipes | *Gatorade |
| *Propane | *Dog and cat food |
| *Charcoal | |
| *First aid kits | |



I want to welcome our visitors today and thank you for coming to visit our family here at the Ellijay Congregation. This is "apple time" in the mountains and we have lots of people that come to visit and see the beauty that we enjoy 365 days a year. Our prayer is, that you will return often and please let us know if we can be of assistance to you.

You can feel that Fall has officially arrived. The leaves will be turning at a rapid pace and you can see and feel the changes of the season. We are also preparing for the coming months and years. **This afternoon, our Shepherds have asked that everyone come and participate in our annual congregational planning meeting. We will be meeting in the Fellowship Hall at 4:30 p.m. This will also be combined with a prayer service where we will be lifting up concerns and needs to our Heavenly Father.**

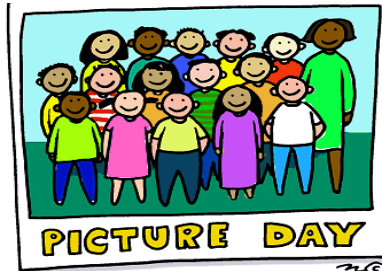
I hope you will enjoy this beautiful season of the year and as 2018 starts to wind down, we will be looking forward to a great year in 2019! It's a wonderful feeling to be a part of a loving, caring family that is striving to work together to advance the cause of Christ.

Fall Progressive Dinner

The Youth and C-Squad will have a fall progressive meal/devotional immediately after morning worship on Sunday, November 4th. We will be going to various homes and will return to the church building before Sunday night services. If you plan to attend, please make sure that you sign up on the youth board so we can prepare accordingly.



To the parents, guardians, and students of the KINDERGARTEN through 6th grade classes as well as to any teachers of these classes from April 2018 to the present: we will be **taking class pictures November 4th**. The picture will be taken during the last 10 minutes of class. Please make every effort to be in attendance so all of the children and teachers can be in the picture. We appreciate your help in this effort!



AREA-WIDE DEVOTIONAL
Adairsville Church of Christ
Saturday October 27th

Pew Packers
Sunday evenings 5:50PM

SERMON NOTES



Recipes Needed for Keepers/ Providers

****Specifically: soups, bread, appetizers, drinks and fruit dishes

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| Appetizers | Fruits |
| Breads | Side Dishes |
| Soups | Desserts |
| Main Dishes | Beverages |

Our children have an opportunity to make their own cookbook for Keepers/Providers, but they need 100 different recipes. We need your help.

Please submit **2 or more** of your favorite recipes. Label each with a category from above, place a copy of all recipes in the box in the foyer or email them to Jennifer Painter at japainter26@gmail.com

Please try to do this by **Nov. 4th**.