

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!"

Scripture Reading

- Song (#242) Sing Hallelujah To The Lord
- Song (#801) Where No One Stands Alone

Opening Prayer

- Song (PP) How Deep the Father's Love

Partake of the Lords Supper

Contribution

- Song (#383) Jesus Keep Me Near the Cross

- Song (PP) In Christ Alone

Message - "Alone!"

- Song (#945) Kneel At The Cross

- Song (#376) He Paid A Debt

Closing Prayer

**Worship Assignments
Sunday Morning**

	March 20th	March 27th
Announcements	Rob Burton	Ken White
Scripture Reading	Dalton Stephens	Russell Cochran
Open Prayer	Josh Chancey	Richard Bohannon
Song Leading	Nathan Collier	Nathan Collier
Close Prayer	Mark Pettit	Curtis Kingsley
Head Table	John Painter	Barry Pritchett
Assist	R. Kimsey J. Chancey Re.Cochran J. Stephens T. Rochester J. Jenkins E. Mulkey B.Burkewitz	J. Jenkins S. Wright E. Mulkey B. Weeks J. Stephens E. Mullinax T.Rochester D. Bailey
Usher	Tu. Hall M. Hadden J. Chancey Re. Cochran	Sp. Hall N. Collier J. Cochran L. Burton
Greeters	E&S Busby G&A Chancey Q&J Holloway	J&S Jenkins J. Mailen S. Norton E&S Mullinax
	Evening	Evening
Announcements	Youth	Barry Kingsley
Open Prayer	Youth	Ed Busby
Song Leading	Youth	Jeremy Green
Close Prayer	Youth	Ben Kingsley
Communion	John Painter	Barry Pritchett
	March 23rd	March 30th
Announcements	Rob Burton	Butch Jones
Song Leading	Tucker Hall	Spencer Hall
Prayer	Jason Ledford	Marvin Pritchett

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.

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 2/29/16 in the Building and Emergency Fund total \$258,150.36. "FILL A CAN" ARE AVAILABLE FOR PICKUP.

Free Bible Correspondence is available by contacting the church office or Judy Mailen at 706-636-3960.

Week of March 13th	
Contribution.....	\$6178
Budget.....	\$6900
Weekly Average YTD.....	\$7201
Bible Study.....	125
AM Worship.....	220
PMWorship.....	142
Wednesday Evening.....	155

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Bob Burton
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Mark Pettit

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



March 20, 2016

"Devotional Book"

I am excited to introduce a project that is near and dear to my heart. Starting TODAY, we will begin work on a congregational devotional book that will provide daily thoughts of encouragement for 2017. These daily devotionals will be written by members of our church family. In other words, we need YOU to write for publication in the book. Here are just some of the benefits this project will deliver:

- Provides Opportunities for Each of Our Members to Share their Thoughts and/or Personal Stories
- Promotes Spiritual Development
- Serves as an Outreach Tool in Our Local Community
- Delivers a Book That Can Be Passed on and Used for Years to Come
- Allows Each of Us to Take Personal Pride in Writing for the Project

Once again, we would love for every member of our church family to submit an article for inclusion in this book. Jackie Cochran has already written one article, so we only need 364 more! Each devotional will be edited for spelling, grammar, etc. by myself and Richard Bohannon, and we do reserve the right to edit for content if a submission needs clarification. Here are the requirements for each devotional:

- The Messages Can Be Illustrations, Bible Stories, Personal Stories, etc.
- The Articles Should Be Challenging and Motivating
- No Copyrighted Material (Poems, Songs, etc.) Can Be Used
- Each Entry Must Be Between 250 – 300 Words
- Any Bible Verses Quoted Must be NKJV to Provide Continuity
- Each Author Must Allow a Picture to be Taken by Greg Burrell and Provide a Brief Biography
- The Articles Must Be Turned in no Later Than July 1 (This is a STRICT Deadline)

This is an extremely exciting project, and its impact will be felt by our family and beyond. It will, however, require work on our part to provide meaningful, spiritually uplifting content. If you would like to see an example of what the book may look like, I have a copy of a similar project that was completed by a congregation in Tennessee.

Thank you in advance to all of our authors and to Richard and Greg for agreeing to be part of the production team. We are so blessed to be part of this incredible body of believers in Ellijay!

- Jeremy Green

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In our Thoughts and Prayers

Eli Chastain has been diagnosed with a tumor on his brain and is awaiting surgery. If you would like to send a card, his address is P O Box 9000
Box 325
Oceanside, CA 92051
United States

Carolyn Howard continues to recover from surgery.

Geneva Holloway is in Gilmer Nursing Home room 105, undergoing physical therapy.

Billy Teems, Mary's husband, is recovering from surgery and will require another soon.

Dennis Nicholson will begin radiation soon.

Bill Johnson is recovering from cancer surgery.

Kathy Holloway continues to be under a doctors care. She was in the hospital due to extremely low blood count, more blood work was being done this past Thursday. Please keep Kathy and Benny in your prayers. Their address is PO Box 1972, Chatsworth, 30705.

Please keep 1 year old *Hayes Tate* in your prayers. He is fighting cancer and lives with his father and mother, Steve and Savanna Tate, and is one of three triplets. He just finished his second round of chemo, but an MRI recently done showed the tumors on his back had not shrunk. The family's address is 2854 Sleepy Hollow Drive, Salt Lake City, Utah 84117. They are friends of Brenda Ledford's daughter Terri Carpenter.

Romaine Holloway, Carolyn Howard's brother, has been in Gainesville's hospital with blood clots.

David Harper, Barbara Morse's brother, continues under a doctors care undergoing tests.

FAMILY & FRIENDS IN THE MILITARY

Seth Carswell, Eli Chastain, Reid Cochran, Caleb Covington, 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

Nursing Home Family

Pauline Mullinax, Gladys Logan Shultz

Cameron Hall Family
Polly Cochran, Alice Crow

CANCER PATIENTS

Dennis Nicholson, Charles Weeks, Billy Stells, Donald Watkins, Treet Tilley, Jewell Green, Doris Dean, Carol Stanley, Lisa Macy, Brandy Nicholson, Carolyn McTyre, Jeff Hunter, Susie Rep

OTHERS TO REMEMBER

Tom Hall, Phillip Johnson, Jeff Carns, Alan & Barbara Cox, Barbara McKee, Zach Pritchett, Lamar Gorman, Bill & Ann Burkett, Gladys Holloway, Opal Corbin, Richard Neal, Genell Cantrell, Edith Hensley, CiCi Rivera, Geneva Holloway, Luisa Varin, Jeremy Ferrell, Hayes Tate, Billy Teems, Brandon Nelson, Glenell Fricks, Perlie Mae Sluder

We are needing individually wrapped snacks for L2L. There will be a box in the foyer to put items or if you would like to donate money, please see Tim Hall.



Lads2Leaders/Youth Recognition Day
Sunday April 17th

Luncheon following the morning service. Menu will be pizza. Please bring desserts, cookies & drinks. This is for all youth.



TODAY - C-Squad Easter Egg hunt. ETC Pavilion from 12 PM - 2 PM.

TODAY - Young ladies involved in speech and song leading will present their program at 4:30 PM in the Fellowship Hall. Ladies, please come and encourage our young ladies as they finalize for L2L. **Young Men** are in charge of tonight's service.

21st - Georgia School of Preaching class, 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM

22nd - Ladies Weekly Bible Study, 9:30 AM - 11 AM

24th - Men's Devo, 9:00 AM

25th - 27th - Lads to Leaders Convention in Atlanta

Butch Jones will be preaching at Blue Ridge AM & PM today and next Sunday, March 27th. He will still teach his Bible class at Ellijay these two Sundays.



Question of the Week:
According to Matthew 2:1, who was the King at the time of Jesus' birth?
a - David c - Nebuchadnezzar
b - Herrod d - Pontius Pilate

The Tuesday morning Ladies Bible Class will begin a new study from the book "Sisters at Sea" written by Jenny Harp of the Buford congregation. Jenny will be here this Tuesday, the 22nd, to speak with us and kick off the study. We will gather at 9:30 a.m. in the fellowship hall and will begin at 10:00 a.m. and lunch will be served following the lesson. We would love for any ladies of the congregation to come and hear Jenny and join us for lunch. See Gail Adams, Judy Mailen, or Shirley Kingsley

Birthdays and Anniversaries

Elise Wright - 20th
Tammy Wood - 22nd
Ed Busby - 23rd
James Barr - 24th
Miranda Chancey - 24th
Joel Leigh Wright - 24th

Tito & Julie Rodas - 26th

Church Work Day
Saturday, April 23
8:30 AM



Friends and Family Day
Sunday, April 24th

9:30 AM, 10:30 AM & 6:00 PM

Luncheon immediately following morning service

C-Squad Easter Egg Hunt At ETC Pavilion
TODAY 12 PM - 2 PM
Lunch will be provided
Please bring candy filled eggs
See Wendy Jones for questions

