

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 (#779) I Love You Lord

Song (#890) In the Land of Fadeless Day

**Opening Prayer**

Song (#962) Were You There?

**Partake of the Lords Supper**

**Contribution**

Song (#875) Home of the Soul

Song (#895) I'll Live in Glory

Song (#870) Beyond This Land of Pardon

**Message - "Please Excuse The Mess"**

Song (#948) I Am Resolved

Song (#853) When We All Get To Heaven

**Closing Prayer**

**Worship Assignments  
Sunday Morning**

|                   | November 29th   | December 6th  |
|-------------------|---|---|
| Announcements     | Butch Jones   | Barry Pritchett   |
| Scripture Reading | Tucker Hall   | Spencer Hall  |
| Open Prayer       | Don McKee   | Josh Chancey  |
| Song Leading      | Barry Kingsley  | Nathan Collier  |
| Close Prayer      | Curtis Kingsley   | Bob Burton  |
| Head Table        | Miles Peeples   | Lloyd Ferrell   |
| Assist            | J. Cochran Ru.Cochran<br>Ro. Cochran Ry.Cochran<br>L.Mulkey T.Hall<br>Sp. Hall Tu. Hall | G. Chancey S. Wright<br>J. Jenkins R. Burton<br>R. Kimsey B. Parker<br>E. Mullinax J. Rep |
| Usher             | R. Burton<br>L. Burton<br>J. Chancey<br>T. Rochester                                    | M. Hadden<br>L. Mulkey<br>D. Bailey<br>J. Cochran   |
| Greeters          | L&B Ferrell<br>E&S Mullinax<br>E&S Busby  | B&S Burkewitz<br>L&B Ferrell<br>M&R Pritchett   |
|                   | Evening   | Evening   |
| Announcements     | Barry Kingsley  | Barry Pritchett   |
| Open Prayer       | Men   | David Green   |
| Song Leading      | Men   | Nathan Collier  |
| Close Prayer      | Men   | Marlin Brackett   |
| Communion         | Miles Peeples   | Lloyd Ferrell   |
|                   | December 2nd  | December 9th  |
| Announcements     | Mark Pettit   | Jeremy Green  |
| Song Leading      | Junior Jenkins  | Gerald Chancey  |
| Prayer            | Tate McCoy  | Dennis Dove   |

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 9/30/15 in the Building and Emergency Fund total \$241,296.96. "FILL A CAN" ARE AVAILABLE FOR PICKUP.

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

| Week of November 22nd   |        |
|-------------------------|--------|
| Contribution.....       | \$6962 |
| Budget.....             | \$6100 |
| Weekly Average YTD..... | \$6529 |
| Bible Study.....        | 156    |
| AM Worship.....         | 214    |
| PM Worship.....         | 182    |
| Wednesday Evening.....  | 126    |

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November 29, 2015**

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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

**Something to Think About....**

- Life is simpler when you plow around the stump
- Words that soak into your ears are whispered...not yelled
- Meanness doesn't just happen overnight
- It doesn't take a very big person to carry a grudge
- You can't unsay a cruel word
- Every path has a few puddles
- The best sermons are lived, not preached
- When you wallow with pigs, expect to get dirty
- The most important things in your house are people
- When you get tangled up in problems, be still so God can untangle the knot
- There is no key to happiness; the door is always open
- Silence is often misinterpreted but never misquoted.

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***In our Thoughts and Prayers***

Caleb Rep's sinus surgery went well, he does require a second surgery on December 7th.  
 Cheryl Hall, Sandra Parker's sister, is having open heart surgery Monday in Birmingham.  
 Zach Pritchett is having some health issues at this time.  
 Matthew Barbour is having back problems and in a great deal of pain.  
 Sandra Bohannon will be having breast cancer surgery December 8th.  
 Shirley Kingsley continues to recover from knee replacement surgery.  
 Please keep Tina Messer in your prayers as she takes treatment for MRSA.  
 Kathy Holloway has been diagnosed with stage 4 mantle cell lymphoma.

**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

**TODAY - Year Round Speech** participants speaking in the Fellowship Hall, 5 PM.

***Coming in December.....***

- 1st - Weekly Ladies' Bible Class**
- 4th - Church Holiday Party. See more information below**
- 10th - Men's Devotional 9 AM**
- 12th - C-Squad Breakfast with Santa; 9:30 AM-11:30 AM, F.Hall, Sign up sheet posted**
- 13th - Youth Winter Series in Ringgold**
- 16th - Tuesday Ladies Class will be going to the Tate House**
- 17th - Young Professionals Holiday Party**
- 20th - Caleb Cochran will be bringing the evening lesson**
- 23rd - Combined classes for Special Prayer Service**
- 27th - 4th Sunday Night Singing**
- 30th - Combined classes for Special Prayer Service**

***A Look Ahead....***

**January 3rd - Growth Plan presented to Congregation**

Any girl interested in participating in secret sisters this quarter, please sign the sheet on the youth board.



The youth group (grades 7-12) will be going to Chattanooga on Saturday December 12 at 2 PM to see Christmas lights and to eat. You MUST sign up on the youth bulletin board and parents must complete a permission form. Cost is \$5 per person.

**Birthdays and Anniversaries**

- Susan Jones - 30th
- Dannye Kimsey - 30th
- Holly Barr - 3rd
- Linda Dubiski - 3rd
- Teresa Weeks - 4th
- Brandon Jones - 5th
- Richard McKee - 5th
- Dalton Stephens - 5th

Lamar & Irene Gorman - 3rd

**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



**Nursing Home Family**

Pauline Mullinax, Gladys Logan Shultz and Edith Davis.

We are in need of teachers for the new quarter starting in December. Please be a part of this rewarding work by signing one of the remaining spots on the board in the back.

**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, Hugh Long, Jeff Hunter, Susie Rep



**The Festival of Trees at the Gilmer County Library opens, starting Monday, Nov. 30, from 6 to 8 p.m.**

**The Homework Club proudly sponsored a tree with homemade ornaments! Take a minute, if you can, and admire the kid's artwork.**



The youth and C-Squad will be decorating cookies and caroling to members' homes after morning services on Dec. 6th. Please sign up for what you will bring on the youth board.



"After Ted closes with prayer, there will be a brief meeting in the parking lot to determine what, if anything, was actually decided in this meeting."

**Country Christmas Church Holiday Party**  
**December 4th**  
**6:30 PM**  
**Fellowship Hall Building**

**We hope everyone makes a special effort to join us for food, fellowship and fun**  
**Menu sign up sheet posted**  
**Ham will be provided**

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