

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).

Order of Worship

Announcements

Song (#76) How Great Thou Art
 Song (#671) Purer in Heart, O God

Opening Prayer

Song (#4) To God Be the Glory
 Song (#387) Tell Me the Story of Jesus

Partake of the Lords Supper

Song (#709) How Sweet, How Heavenly
 Song (#719) Love One Another

Song (#448) The Greatest Commands

Scripture Reading - 1 John 4:7-11

Message - "One Another"

Jeremy Green

Song (#909) There's a Fountain Free
 Song (#968) Oh, They Tell Me of a Home

Closing Prayer



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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

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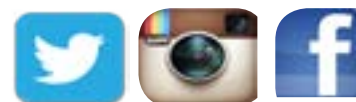
Free Bible Correspondence is available by contacting the church office or Cleah Boaz at 706-636-4516.

Birthdays & Anniversaries

Richard Bohannon - 3rd
 Allie Stanley - 4th
 Pam Hall - 8th

Barry & Katrina Kingsley - 5th
 Charles & Evelyn Walker - 7th

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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 3/5/17 in the Building and Emergency Fund total \$278,005.12 PLEASE CONTINUE TO DONATE.

Week of March 26th

Contribution.....	\$7544
Budget.....	\$7000
Weekly Average YTD.....	\$7345
Bible Study.....	146
AM Worship.....	252
PM Worship.....	148
Wednesday Evening.....	148

Worship Assignments

	April 2nd	April 9th
Announcements	Butch Jones	Barry Pritchett
Scripture Reading	Spencer Hall	Walker Gregory
Open Prayer	Tim Hall	John Painter
Song Leading	Mark Pettit	Nathan Collier
Close Prayer	Bob Burton	Mark Pettit
Head Table	Chase Sharp	James Barr
Assist	M. Wilson T. Rochester E. Mulkey J. Barr M. Johnston R. Burton J. Wright S. Wright	B. Parker D. Ledford Q. Collier D. Sisson Tu. Hall Ry. Cochran M. Bailey W. Teague
Usher	D. Ledford J. Ledford T. Hall L. Burton	L. Mulkey B. Jones J. Chancey S. Hall
Greeters	Q&J Holloway J&A Cole J&K Cochran	R&T Wood M&R Pritchett B&T Weeks
	Evening	Evening
Announcements	Butch Jones	Barry Pritchett
Open Prayer	Richard Bohannon	Daniel Sisson
Song Leading	Mark Pettit	Nathan Collier
Close Prayer	Garry Rittenberry	Carl Hall
Communion	Chase Sharp	James Barr
	April 5th	April 12th
Announcements	J. Ledford	G. Rittenberry
Song Leading	J. Chancey	S. Hall
Prayer	J. Johnson	L. Burton
Devo	J. Green	C. Sharp

APRIL 2, 2017

Love one
 ANOTHER
 as I have
 LOVED
 you
 -JOHN 15:12

Family News

Samantha Hill had a good report from her doctors. There were no signs of cancer spreading to the lymph nodes.

Susan Jones continues to have stomach problems and is under Dr's care.

Darla Dove is in severe pain with a pinched nerve and bulging disc.

Jeff Carns has been admitted to Mississippi Medical Center and will possibly remain there until a donor heart becomes available. If you would like to send he and Kimberly a card or note: 1101 Hwy 25 Tishomingo, MS 38873 Jeff and Kimberly are Sammy and Judy's daughter and son-in-law.

Randall Brown, a friend of the Jenkins' family, has terminal pancreatic cancer.

Nicole Hawthorne's grandfather, **Elmer LaRue**, suffered a stroke and is in N. Fulton Hospital.

Angela Cochran is at home recovering from appendectomy.

We extend our sympathy to the family of **Bobbie Miller Logan** in her passing.

Others to Remember

Kathleen Sisson, Zach Pritchett, George Hall, Ernestine Hall, Jeff Carns, Tim Ramsey, CiCi Rivera, Burt Hinton, Bonnie Smith, Laura Huckabay, Phillip Johnson, Billy Teems, Glenell Fricks, Perlle Mae Sluder, Harold Shepherd, Joyce Bennett, Shannon Queen, Shirley Fisher, Dustin Bolman, Reathel May

CANCER PATIENTS
Charles Walker, Andrew Lowe, Dorothy Gaddis, Mary Hensley, Harry Dennard, Steve Sisson, Charles Weeks, Billy Stells, Donald Watkins, Morris Hill, Chris Watkins, John Watts, Cathy Thurman Patterson, Mindy Banks, Phillip Weeks, Vernon Rodman, Travis Lucas, Clifford West, Lynn Tudor

Upcoming Events

TODAY - Song leading training class, 5:00 p.m.

TODAY - **Snak-n-yak** following evening service.

4th (Tuesday night) - **Georgia School of Preaching class**, 6 p.m. - 9 p.m.

4th - **NO Ladies Weekly Bible Class** due to Spring Break.

4th - **NO Homework Club** due to Spring Break.

7th - **Youth Day** at the church building.

8th - Mens Fish Fry & Fellowship at Quentin & Joann Holloway's

9th - **Youth will be leading** the evening service.

11th (Tuesday night) - **Georgia School of Preaching class**, 6 p.m. - 9 p.m.

14th-16th - **Lads to Leaders**

22nd - **Work Day for building and grounds**

23rd - **Friends and Family Day**

JAMAICA CAMPAIGN

July 7th-17th
\$1750- includes
airfare, lodging,
transportation & 2
meals a day.
Jimmy Davis of
Elmore CoC in
charge.

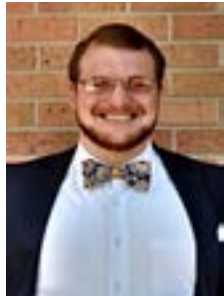


The work day at Camp WETOGA is April 21. Ellijay's cabin, B1, needs:

- Tin is bent on back right corner of cabin
- The outside of the back door needs cleaning
- The hinges on the back door need to be adjusted
- Two 4' fluorescent light covers
- Three 9 volt smoke alarm batteries
- The header boards over front door of cabin need to be replaced
- Cover for breaker box

Let Barry Pritchett know if you can help

Green Clippings



On Wednesday nights, we are blessed to be teaching the teenagers in the large classroom in the fellowship hall. Thus far, we have averaged over thirty 7th – 12th graders, and our focus has been on morals and ethics. Young people today face a tremendous amount of peer pressure to change the way they feel about things based on changes in our popular culture. Similarly, they are often coerced into doing things they are uncomfortable with because they have not thoroughly considered the consequences. Recently, Jackie Cochran passed on a set of ethics tests that he received while training in the Fire Academy, and we have adapted these and distributed them to the youth. We felt that it was also important to pass these along to all of our members as well. Certainly, the Bible test should our be ultimate guide to decision making, but these other tests are important to think about as secondary tools to assist us in deciding whether our actions are ethical.

1. **The Bible Test** – How does what the Bible teaches me apply to this decision? What advice would my elders/preacher give on the subject? What scriptures could I go to for guidance?
2. **The Conscience Test** – Does this go against my conscience? Will I feel guilty afterwards?
3. **The Truth Test** – Does this action represent the whole truth and nothing but the truth?
4. **The Consequences Test** – Could this action have negative consequences, such as damage to relationships or loss of self-respect, now or in the future? Could I regret doing this?
5. **The Parents Test** – How would my parents feel if they found out I did this? What advice would they give me if I asked them if I should do it?
6. **The Golden Rule Test** – Would I want people to do this to me?
7. **The What if Everybody Did This Test** – Would I want everyone to do this (lie, cheat, steal, litter, etc.)? Would I want to live in that kind of world?
8. **The Front-Page Test** – How would I feel if my action was reported on the front page of my hometown paper?

- Adapted from Character Matters by Dr. Tom Lickona

“For the word of God is alive and active. Sharper than any double-edged sword, it penetrates even to dividing soul and spirit, joints and marrow; it judges the thoughts and attitudes of the heart. Nothing in all creation is hidden from God's sight. Everything is uncovered and laid bare before the eyes of him to whom we must give account.”

- Hebrews 4:12-13 (NIV)

Judy Gibbs' new address is posted on the bulletin board.

There are several Ladies' Days and Gospel Meetings posted on the bulletin board. Please take a few minutes to look and see what's coming up around our area.

Youth News

Lads To Leaders - For the last few years, we have asked for donations for snacks, but this year we are accepting donations to buy gift cards for all the children who are participating in Lads to Leaders at the convention so they might buy snacks and drinks at the food court. Please see Tim or Pam to make any donations.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

7th - Youth Day at the Church Building

9th - Youth lead the evening services

14th-16th - Lads to Leaders Convention in Atlanta

19th - Parents Meeting

A donation was made to the Ellijay Church of Christ Memorial Gardens by Billy Green in memory of Larry Cantrell Pat Ledford

Grass and lawn maintenance is starting this year for the Ellijay Church of Christ Memorial Gardens. If you would like to make a donation to the cemetery to help with this, please see Ken White or Judy Mailen.

Men's Fish Fry & Fellowship

Saturday, April 8th - 2:00 p.m

WORK DAY AT THE BUILDING Saturday, April 22nd

FRIENDS AND FAMILY DAY - APRIL 23

Everything is **BETTER** WHEN YOU BRING YOUR FRIENDS



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9:30 AM - COMBINED BIBLE CLASSES

10:30 AM - MORNING WORSHIP

11:45 - LUNCH

1:30 PM - WORSHIP/MINISTERS' Q&A