

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 (#881) Mansion Over the Hilltop
- Song (#882) No Tears in Heaven
- Song (#791) On Bended Knee

Opening Prayer

- Song (#474) Thank You, Lord

Prayer for the Contribution

Scripture Reading - Galatians 6:7-8

- Song (#851) I'll Fly Away
- Song (PPT) Just Over in the Glory Land

Message - The Squash Plant Principle

Jeremy Green

- Song (#852) When the Roll is Called Up Yonder

- Song (350) When My Love for Christ Grows

Weak

Partake of the Lord's Supper

Announcements

- Song (#916) What a Day That Will Be

Closing Prayer



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Sunday Service Times

- Bible Class - 9:30 AM
- Morning Worship - 10:30 AM
- Evening Worship - 6 PM

Wednesday Service Time

- Bible Study - 7 PM

Elders

- Tim Hall - 706-669-0915
- Curtis Kingsley - 706-515-5146
- John Painter - 706-889-7822
- Mark Pettit - 706-276-6610

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- Bob Burkewitz - 706-276-2456
- Josh Chancey - 706-669-6848
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- John Johnson - 706-669-0422
- Brandon Jones - 706-273-8762
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- Tate McCoy - 706-669-0667
- Will Parker - 706-889-1021
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Phoebe Dunn, the family counselor, is meeting with members **Sunday, September 12th.** If you would like to schedule an appointment with her, please feel free to call, text, or leave a message with her directly at 334-398-1310.

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

Week of August 22nd

- Bible Study..... No Service
- AM Worship.....
- PM Worship..... Online
- Wednesday Evening.....

CONTRIBUTION STATISTICS

	CHECKS	CASH	E-GMNG	TOTAL
Aug 1	2,550.00	60.00	4,215.00	6,825.00
Aug 8	815.00	10.00	4,349.00	5,174.00
Aug 15	6,140.00	117.00	3,190.00	9,447.00
Aug 22	1,945.00	100.00	2,385.00	4,430.00
Aug 29				
Total	11,450.00	287.00	14,139.00	25,876.00

WEEKLY AVERAGES

BUDGET	Y-T-D	AUGUST
\$8,200.00	\$7,558.82	\$6,469.00

Thank you for the continued donations for the Growth Expansion Building Fund. As of July 7th, the balance is \$13,666. Continued donations are appreciated as we work to complete the new parking lot.

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Worship Assignments

August 29th

September 5th

- Scripture Reading
- Open Prayer
- Song Leading
- Head Table
- Elder Closing

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Greeters

Sound Room

Nursery

Evening

Evening

- Open Prayer
- Song Leading
- Close Prayer
- Communion

September 1st

September 8th

- Announcements
- Song Leading
- Prayer
- Speaker



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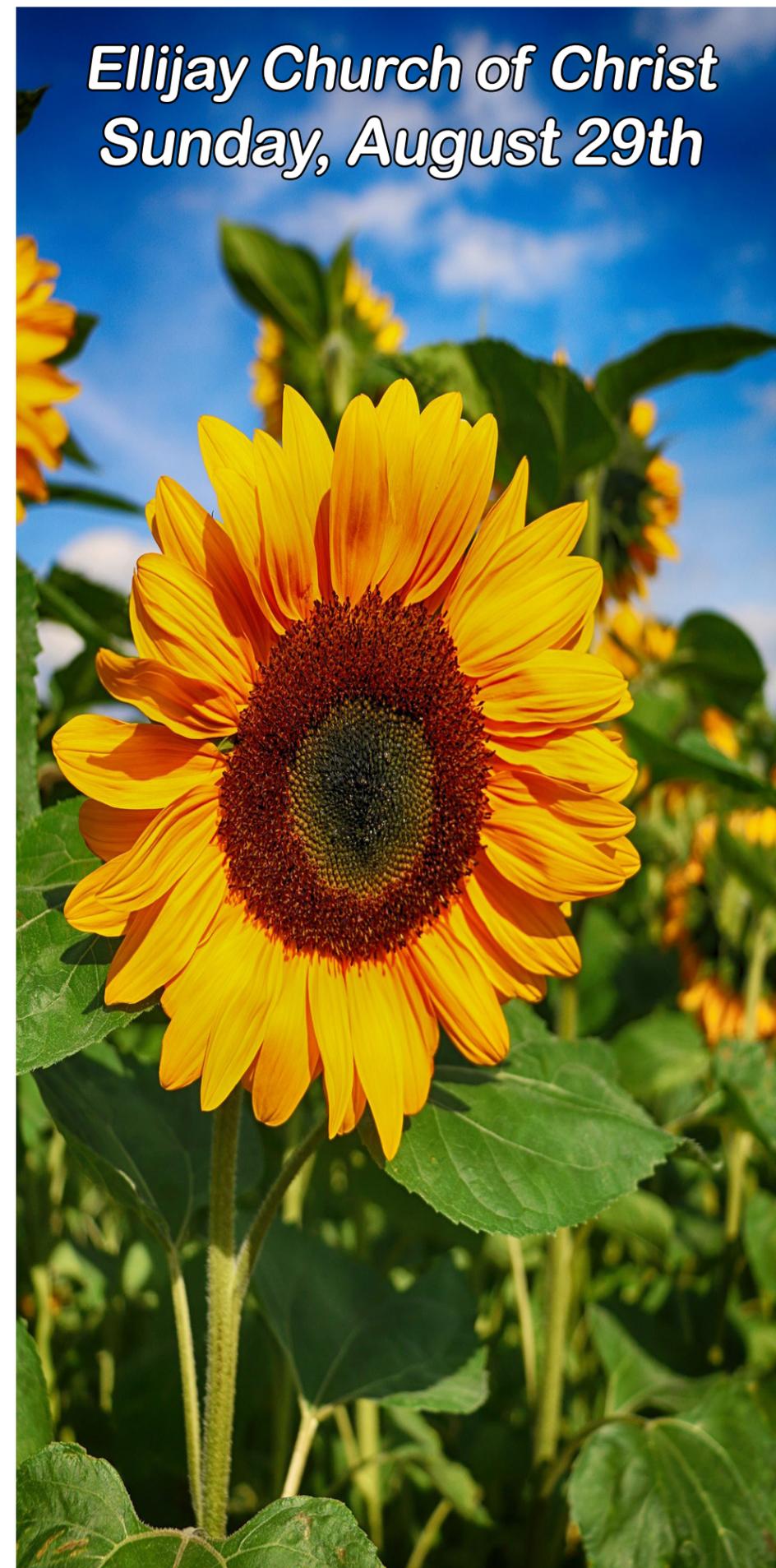
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The Roundtable Devotional Podcast is back! Check it out on YouTube or your favorite podcast app.



Family News

John Painter continues to be in the hospital on a ventilator with COVID-19.
Wylene Mullinax is at home under hospice care.
Patsy Watson is recovering at home from surgery on her foot.
Judy Holloway is undergoing chemo for cancer.
Danny Hensley is done with chemo, but he is going to MD Anderson to get a second opinion on radiation.
Teresa Weeks' stomach surgery has been delayed due to COVID.
Garry Rittenberry is dealing with complications from diabetes and back problems.
Sybil Norton continues to be under a doctor's care with back issues
Brandon Davenport is a lineman that made contact with a power line. He is recovering at home from surgery to have his pinky finger removed.
 Sandra Pankey's nephew **Jeff Davis** continues to do treatment and is doing well.
 Sandra Pankey's brother-in-law **Robert Bromley** had a heart attack and will be having open heart surgery when able.
Jean Mulkey is having breathing problems.
Catherine Brown, Karen Brackett's mother, was diagnosed with COVID. She is 95 years old.
Brooke Stanley Burnette is back at home recovering from back surgery.
Roger and Connie Duke, Caleb's cousins, as well as **Suzie Parnell**, Kristin's aunt, lost all their possessions in the recent flooding in Waverly, Tennessee.
 We extend our sympathy to Kim Ralston in the loss of her mother, **Ann Fields**.
 Please continue to keep the family of **Gail Adams** in your prayers.

Others to Remember

NURSING HOME/ ASSISTED LIVING

Perlie Mae Sluder

Alan and Barbara Cox, Kay O'Dowd, Marvin Pritchett, Sandra Norton, Barbara Shutt, JoAnn Maxwell, Steve Matthews, Trish Jenkins, Genell Cantrell, Abel Robinson, Betty Hall, Lisa Huffman, Joyce Butler, Zach Pritchett, George & Ernestine Hall, Cody Nichols, Mark Bailey, Wylene Mullinax, Annette Holt, Luisa Varin, Christine Scaglione, Shannon Pierce, Drenda Dennard

Cancer Patients

Judy Holloway, Danny Hensley, Joy Janke, Seth Weaver, Chrissy Ralston, Stacey Pettit, Calvin Michael Evans, Tom Hall, Billy Stells, Joann Lucas, Cathy Thurman, Ricky Patterson, Linda Vercher, Abby Collins, Charles Derrick, Cindy Setlock, Scotty Dobbs, Debbie Decker, Jim Dean

FAMILY & FRIENDS IN THE MILITARY

Reid Cochran, Andrew Edmondson, Michael Gregory, Corey Henry, Jonathan Hensley, Zach Hill, Wayne Jones, Dillan Ledford, Wilson Pettit, Winston Pettit, Frankie Silva, Eric Spisak, Luke Stolz, David Taylor, Cameron Trammell, Matthew Upshaw



A donation was made to the Ellijay Church of Christ by Daryl and Angelyn Evans in memory of

Gail Adams

The Georgia School of Preaching class scheduled to begin September 13th is being rescheduled for a later date.

Arrangements for Dudley Maddox

We extend sympathy to the family of Dudley Maddox who passed away Thursday night. Dudley was beloved by all, and his infectious smile and love for the church will be missed within our family. We will celebrate Dudley's faithful life next Saturday, September 4th here at the church building. The family will receive visitors at Noon, and his memorial service will begin at 1:00 PM. After the service, the immediate family will have a private graveside service. Please continue to pray for Jennifer, Shep, Chris, and the entire family!



Announcements

We continue to have the foyer classroom available for those that choose to wear masks for worship and Bible study. This room is designated as "mask required" for each service. Additionally, an FM radio transmitter will be used to broadcast the services on 107.7 FM for those who want to participate by staying in their cars in the Maryann Street parking lot.



At this time, our services and congregational activities will be decided after prayers and discussion by the Elders on a day to day, week to week basis.

Birthdays

Helen Stephens 30th
 Arlene Johnston 31st
 Carter Perkins 31st

SEPTEMBER

Liz Sampson 1st
 Amanda Bagwell 3rd
 Aiden Ledford 5th
 Gary Story 7th
 Mila Green 8th
 Walker Gregory 9th
 Will Teague 9th
 Annette Holt 9th
 David Bailey 11th

Cameron Perkins 11th
 Sandra Pankey 16th
 Caleb Sampson 17th
 Zayne Grenier 20th
 Cathy Johnson 21st
 Titus Maxwell 22nd
 Brandy Setser 22nd
 Karletta McCoy 25th
 Chad Glover 25th
 Mark Pettit 27th
 Marvin Pritchett 27th
 Billy Weeks 27th
 Dillan Ledford 29th
 Virginia Cochran 29th
 Tom Hall 30th



GREEN CLIPPINGS



We are thankful to have everyone here today as we gather for worship on another beautiful Sunday. While our hearts are full as we approach God this morning, I know they are also heavy due to the great losses we have experienced lately. Every time we turn on the news, we see heartache due to acts of terror, political fueling, and even natural disasters. I hope we are already praying for those in the path of another powerful

storm today, that it may not cause the damage most experts are predicting. We continue to pray for the families affected by the flooding in Tennessee last week, including Caleb and Kristin's family members who lost all their possessions. Whether we agree with their decisions or not, the Bible tells us to pray for our nation's leaders. We should be doing that regularly. Finally, I hope we are continuing to pray for the families of those killed by terrorists, not only in Afghanistan, but around the world.

Here at home, we continue to pray for the family of Gail Adams. Last Saturday, we had a beautiful memorial service in her honor. She was a tremendous example of faithfulness. On Thursday night, Dudley Maddox passed from this life and received his eternal reward after a long, hard battle with COVID. His memorial service will be next Saturday, and I am already looking forward to all the Dudley stories that will be shared. He was a treasure to our church family, and he will be missed by everyone.

We have so many others that are battling various ailments, and our prayer list gets longer every week. The Painter family is on our hearts and minds this morning as John, one of the shepherds of our church, continues to fight for his life in a hospital bed. We selfishly pray for his complete healing, but we also yield to God's will for his life. Furthermore, we look forward to that day when all the pain and suffering will be gone. This morning, our lesson will address the law of sowing and reaping with the realization that God has promised the ultimate harvest - eternal life in Heaven! I pray that our message provides comfort and helps us grow closer to God while further cultivating the desire to dwell in his presence forever!

ALL IN



First off, I want to thank you all for the many prayers, calls, texts, food, and offers of assistance! It is such a comforting feeling knowing that someone is there to help with whatever life throws at you! I've learned a lot while sick (or maybe just I'm more resolved in my mind). Life is so short and precious! There is much work to do to reach those around us and get ourselves active in the service of the Kingdom! Please let me challenge you to honor the memory of those we have lost recently by motivating ourselves to be on fire and busy working

for the Lord!!! Let's look for opportunities to unite and encourage one another rather than complain. Again, life is too short!

I know it can be easy to be negative with lots of loss and slow downs going on. Satan wants you discouraged. He would love nothing more! Let's not let him win!

It's hard to believe the summer is over and we are back to school. We look forward to beginning classes back soon and pray that we can get back to a sense of normal after this last go around! Before long, the leaves will be turning and the air will be cooler. We are excited about some plans for the youth group and some we are working on for our parents and also our young adults.

A big "thank you" goes to Spencer Hall and all the great work he did to help me and the church this summer! His future in ministry is bright, and we are blessed to have him here! Thank you my brother!

