

LADIES DAY-OCTOBER 4TH-SAVE THE DATES

There are Save the Date cards in the foyer. Only take the amount you will send out. This will be a great day for the ladies here. Please plan to be a part of this day. There is also a sign up sheet in the foyer for different areas to help.

WEDDING RECEPTION-PLANNING MEETING

Please stay after for a planning session for Clifton and Lara Angel's wedding reception. It will be on August 16th.

LADIES DINNER

August 12th will be the monthly Ladies Dinner. It starts at 7pm. Any woman is welcome. They usually meet on the second Tuesday in the fellowship hall. Bring a finger food.

MENS BREAKFAST

Every Wednesday the men meet for breakfast at the Pot Luck Cafe. If you'd like to go they will be there at 9am.

SUMMER SERIES

We had a great lesson about Solomon from David Decker last Wednesday. Please be here this Wednesday at 7pm to hear from Butch Jones.

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Those serving...

July 27th-A.M. Services

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| Song Leading | Tom Wolaver |
| Scripture Reading | Caleb Stacks |
| Opening Prayer | Richard Allen |
| Lord's Supper | Chuck Mitchell(P) |
| | Clyde Hill, Jerry Shepherd, |
| | DJ Allen, John Thomason, |
| | Mark Pettus, Duke Allen |

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| Delivering Sermon | Keith Dixon |
| Closing Prayer | Tommy Wolaver |
| Media Attendant | Dwayne McCannon |
| Announcements/Invitation | Ed Smithpeters |

For The Record...

July 20th

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| Bible Study | 95 |
| AM Worship | 116 |
| PM Worship | 60 |
| Contribution | \$3600/\$3062.00 |
| YTD | \$104,400.00/\$96,293.12 |

July 23rd

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| Bible Study | 69 |
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Yearly Totals

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| Baptisms | 6 |
| New Members | 9 |

July 27th-P.M. Services

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| Song Leading | John Hughes |
| Scripture Reading | Calvin McCoy |
| Opening Prayer | Tommy Stacks |
| Delivering Sermon | Keith Dixon |
| Closing Prayer | Frank Long |

July 30th-Wednesday Services

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| Announcements | Ed Smithpeters |
| Lead Singing | Don Evans |
| Opening Prayer | Tommy Stacks |
| Devotional | Butch Jones |
| Closing Prayer | Harry Wise |
| Media Attendant | DJ Allen |

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"...worship in spirit and in truth." John 4:24

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Assembly Times:

Sunday
Bible Study-9:30 am
Worship-10:30 am
PM Worship-6:00 pm
Wednesday
Bible Study
Morning-10:30 am
Evening-7:00 pm

ELDERS

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LARRY ELDRIDGE 678-524-3848
TOMMY WOLAVER 770-596-7893

DEACONS

DUKE ALLEN 404-538-9507
TREY CALLIHAN 770-841-4975
JOHN HUGHES 678-983-8192

MINISTER
KEITH DIXON

GOD'S PLAN OF SALVATION

| | |
|-----------------|----------------|
| Hear | Romans 10:17 |
| Believe | John 8:24 |
| Repent | Acts 17:30 |
| Confess | Romans 10:9-10 |
| Baptized | Acts 22:16 |
| Live Faithfully | Matthew 7:21 |

If there are any health updates, changes, or events you would like to post in the bulletin please email them to: trudyblue1@yahoo.com

JULY 27, 2014

VISITORS WELCOME!

You are truly our honored guests! We hope that you find our Bible Study and Worship Service beneficial to you. We seek only to worship God in the same manner as done by Christians when the church began in Acts 2. Please stay after services so that we may get to know you. For your convenience, there is a nursery in the foyer for babies up to 18 months old and a toddlers room next to the auditorium.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Ted Noe Jr., had surgery on his leg. He is requesting that we, the members, go and please see his mama in his absence.
Vicki Angels sister-in-law, Carol Livsey, has stage 4 acute leukemia. Jewel Taylor had foot surgery and is at home recovering.
Rita Mitchell was transferred to a rehabilitation facility. Please pray for her, Chuck, Sandi, and Don.
Susan Thomason has some family members with several health issues. Please keep Susan and her family in your prayers.
Karon Sims had surgery. Pray for a fast recovery.
Several members have family members who are not doing well and who will have procedures done. Please keep the Hill, Thomason, and Cooper families in your prayers.

EXTENDED LIST...Julian Presley, Tommy Stacks, Otis Swales, Karon Sims, Casie Crane, Courtney Blanchard, Pam Harrison, Gloria Ansley, Dustin Casselle, The Braytons, Rose Noe, Gene Stephens, Donna White.

MILITARY...Barron Crane, Matt Callihan, Jacob Shepherd, Nicholas Stacks, Shilo Crane, Tim Dixon, Josh Blackburn, Matt Shepherd, Ronald Bly

COME BACK TONIGHT! SERVICES START AT 6PM.

MARK Your CALENDAR

07-27 YOUTH DEVO-7PM-FELLOWSHIP HALL
08-03 SERVANTS FOR THE MASTER TEAM 1
08-06 MENS BREAKFAST-POT LUCK-9AM

PANTRY ITEMS ARE VERY LOW

Our pantry, which we use to help members in the church as well as in the community is running very low. If you have any canned veggies, meats, or non-perishable items please bring them in. Have your kids bring them to bible class. They will be excited about helping others!

RAINTREE TRUCK-AUGUST 5TH

If you have ANY items that could be sold in a thrift store please bring them to the church building. They are in need of many things. There is a more detailed list in the foyer of things they REALLY need.

DO YOU HAVE A SOLDIERS ADDRESS??

If so, please give it to Ed Smithpeters

SILENCE YOUR PHONES PLEASE



YOUTH DEVOTIONAL

TONIGHT at 7PM

Bring your bible and a friend!

Parents Must Teach Their Children
By Ron Boatwright

We in the Lord's church are losing 75% of our children who fall away from the Lord and become lost when they leave home. This is a tragedy! The main reason we are losing our children to the world is a lack of teaching of God's word at home by the parents. Parents are commanded to teach their children the word of God. "And you, fathers, do not provoke your children to wrath, but bring them up in the training and admonition of the Lord" (Ephesians 6:4). Can we as parents be pleasing to God if we fail to teach our children the word of God? The lack of Bible knowledge will cause our children to go off into atheism, agnosticism, denominationalism, and unfaithfulness, which will cause them to be eternally lost.

One 40 minute Bible study class each week at church or two if they attend Wednesday evening Bible study does not give our children enough spiritual food to fight off the world's influence they receive at school, TV, etc. Our children spend 30 hours per week in public school preparing for life in this world, but less than 2 hours per week in trying to prepare for eternity. Which is the most important? We become upset if our children make bad grades on their report cards, but it doesn't seem to bother us if they fail to study their Bible class lessons. We closely watch their scholastic and athletic progress, but what about their spiritual progress? We have become passive about allowing our children to grow up without a soul saving knowledge of the Bible. We need to know that the greatest thing we can do for our children is to instill in them a lasting faith in God and the Bible so they can be eternally saved. There is nothing greater we can do for our children.

We should help our children with their school subjects at home, but studying the Bible with them is of much greater importance than their school subjects. Why do children fall away and become lost when they leave home? God's word says, "My people are destroyed for a lack of knowledge" (Hosea 4:6). If our children are lacking in a knowledge of God's word they will most likely be eternally lost in hell. If they are lost, we as parents will have to give an account to God for our failure to teach them (Romans 14:12).

Bible study with our children will increase their faith in God, because "faith comes by hearing and hearing by the word of God" (Romans 10:17). God's inspired word says, "Train up a child in the way he should go, and

when he is old he will not depart from it" (Proverbs 22:6).

We have a good example in the Bible of a young person who was instilled with a genuine saving faith by his mother and grandmother. Paul says to Timothy, "When I call to remembrance the genuine faith that is in you, which dwelt first in your grandmother Lois and your mother Eunice, and I am persuaded is in you also" (2 Timothy 1:5). Here we see that Timothy had become a faithful Christian because his grandmother Lois and his mother Eunice had instilled in him a genuine faith in God. It did not happen by accident. If it wasn't for their teaching Timothy would probably not have become a faithful Christian.

To save our children we must be much more serious to help them prepare for eternity. We must set aside a certain time each day for Bible study with them. This teaching must begin at birth and continue as long as we have influence on them. We must teach our children to have proper spiritual values and this can only be done by teaching them God's word. God has commanded us, "And these words which I command today shall be in your heart. You shall teach them diligently to your children, and shall talk of them when you sit in your house, when you walk by the way, when you lie down, and when you rise up" (Deuteronomy 6:6-7). Our teaching is a 24/7 task. We must demonstrate by our lives that God and His word are the most important things in our lives. Our children are watching and being taught by our example. Actions speak louder than words. We must not expect our children to "do as I say, not as I do".

It is not if our children are going to be taught. It is who will teach them and what they are going to be taught? If we don't teach them, someone else will. Let's take parenting seriously and bring our children "up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord" (Ephesians 6:4) so we and they can be together in heaven.

Those serving...Next Sunday

Song Leading
Scripture Reading
Opening Prayer
Lord's Supper

Closing Prayer
Announcements/Invitation

Tom Wolaver
John Thomason
Perry Sims
Richard Allen(P)
Harry Wise, John Hughes, Tony Casselle,
Trey Callihan, Timmy Thomas, Art Hein
Keith Dixon
Tommy Wolaver

BULLETIN INFORMATION

If there is something that needs to be put in the bulletin please email Crissy at trudyblue1@yahoo.com. Please get this info to her before Thursday evening. You can also text her with info at 706-206-8514