



Youth Minister
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Youth Deacons
Craig Jackson
Johnny Hope
Jonathan Echols
Brandon Payne



Tuesday, March 3
We will meet at Berkeley Bobs from 5:00-6:00 p.m. Invite your friends.

Devo at the Hopes
Sunday, March 8
Meet at the home of Johnny & Donna Hope immediately following Sunday evening assembly for food, fellowship and a devo.

Sunday Mornings
"I AM" - a study of the Gospel of John. We study from 9:00 am. - 9:45 am.

Wednesday Night
"Your Kingdom Come"
Come and join our study from 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.

Challenge to Rise Up
CYC (Challenge Youth Conference)
February 27-March 1
CYC is close, very close! Check your mail for more information about this year's CYC in Gatlinburg, TN. Meet on Friday morning at 9:30 a.m. at the church building. We will return on Sunday around 6:00 p.m.

High School Mission Trip to Honduras
June 29-July 8
If you are interested in going and have not received an application please see Tim Moore immediately to receive one. Completed applications are to be returned to Tim Moore by Sunday, March 8.

LTC Chorus
Meet on Sundays at 3:00 p.m. in the chapel with Susie Sisk

LTC Puppets - 3rd-8th Grade
Meet on Sundays at 4:00 p.m. in the LTC Room with Donna Hope and Sandy Parker. We will not meet on Care Group Sundays.

Children's Ministry

Wiggleworms
Will not meet on Sunday, March 1.

Kids For Christ
Will not meet on Sunday, March 1.

ages 2 thru 6th Grades

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TV PROGRAM
cable channel 2: Tuesdays: 7:00 p.m.
Fridays: 8:30 a.m.

OUR ASSEMBLIES
Worship Sunday 9:55 a.m.
Sunday 6:00 p.m.
Bible Study Sunday 9:00 a.m.
Wednesday 6:30 p.m.



March 1, 2009

Greeters..... Main Entry: John & Sharon Symonds
Main West Entry: Swenda Freeman, Marilyn Campbell..... Carport: Rex & Jessica Johnson
Welcome & Announcements..... Stephen Skinner
Scripture Reading..... Sean Hope
Song Leader..... Doug King
Communion & Contribution..... Jonathan Echols, presiding

East Side 2	East Side 1	West Side 1	West Side 2	Alternates
5. Rex Johnson	1. Todd Adkison	1. Leon Brown	5. Barnie Westmoreland	Neal Cagle
6. Mike Fromhold	2. Theron Bishop	2. Milton Chaney	6. Rick Williams, Sr.	Blake V. Winkle
7. George McElroy	3. Jay Hale	3. Dale Earwood	7. Charles Williams	Carroll Sims
8. Charlie Thompson	4. John Symonds	4. Don Voce	8. Jim Yoho	Troy Forrest

Opening Prayer..... Todd Adkison
Lesson..... Ken Forrest
Closing Prayer..... Jason Baker
Sound Room..... Audio..... Sandy Parker/Glenda McElroy
Video..... Carol Clemmons
Camera..... Jay Hale/Neal Cagle
Security..... Jeff Sanford
Ushers..... Gene Green, Clayton Hayes
Information Center Attendant..... Janet Bartlett

Nursery
Monthly Coordinator..... Phyllis Harness
Morning Attendants..... Kathy Yoho, Patricia Williams
Evening Attendants..... Debbie Wright, Jeanie Higginbotham

Evening Assembly
Greeters..Main Entry..Tim & Lana Moore..... West Main....Rusty & Monica Nelson
Song Leader..... Ken Forrest
Opening Prayer..... Charles Balch
Lesson..... Singing
Closing Prayer..... Raymond Burleson
Serve Communion..... Todd Adkison, Dale Earwood
Sound Room..... Audio..... Sandy Parker/Glenda McElroy
Security..... Jerry Collins
Information Center Attendant..... Barbara Nooner

Weekly Bible Correspondence Course Graders
Dot Monk, Delma Sandlin, Raymond Burleson, Jim & Kathy Yoho, Ruth Paine,
Merle Sims, Shirley Sowell, Ellen Wilbanks, Stephen Burleson, Jeanie Higginbotham

Assemble Correspondence Lessons for Mailing.....Mike Fromhold

Sunday Bible Class: Mike Callan Attendance Count for March Sunday Worship: Chris Gambrell Wednesday: Raymond Burleson

Wednesday, March 4
Information Center Attendant..... Bonnie Bishop
Greeters..... Theron & Bonnie Bishop
Sound Room..... Doug King
Security:..... George McElroy



KEN'S PEN

RESPONSE
Carroll Sims
1651 Greenbrier Drive SW
Cullman, AL 35055

Kayla Richards
PO Box 2070
Cullman, AL 35056



Love That Makes a Commitment

“By this we know that we love the children of God, when we love God and keep His commandments. For this is the love of God, that we keep His commandments. And His commandments are not burdensome” (1 John 5:2f).

John insisted that God stimulates love in our heart; a love that expresses itself both toward God and toward others. We cannot be warm toward God and cold toward our fellowman at the same time. Love for God is not so much an emotional experience as it is a moral commitment. Whether it is shown to God or man, Christian love is always practical and active. Love for our brothers and sisters expresses itself in “deed and in truth” (1 John 3:18); love for God in carrying out His commands. The expression of this love should not be difficult, seeing that it is “good, acceptable, and perfect” (Rom. 12:2).

One exciting attribute of love for God is that it makes obeying easy. “Want to” is always easier than “have to.” As long as we feel that we are forced against our will to do certain things that God demands, those things will be burdensome to us. But if we eagerly want to do those same things, they take on the form of a pleasure. We can easily check the state of our love for the Lord by using this principle: If we find ourselves wanting to do those things that we know please Him, we can be sure that our love for God is alive and well.

In the same way that God’s commands are “good, acceptable, and perfect,” so those who are born of God and love Him do not count them as burdensome, but lament the fact that they cannot serve Him more perfectly. Where there is love, there is a willingness to serve and please others. God’s commands are not especially difficult for us due to our love for Him.

There is a law in Cullman that requires parents to take care of their children. Is it a burden for parents to work and sacrifice to care for their children? Or do they care for them only because they fear this law? Neither is true! They naturally obey the law when they love their children. Likewise, the Christian who expresses his love for God and others does not do so because of a law to that effect; he loves because it is the natural expression of who he has become.

We Are Family

Ephesians 3:14-15

Prayer Requests

Cullman:

Jackie Burkett
Peggy Dixon
Elbert England
Jack Glover
Dot Monk
Coyal & Ethel Moyer
Virginia Parker
Willard & Shelby Pyles
Manuel & Nell Whisenant
Gertie Wainwright

Family & Friends:

Max Buettner, family member of Wal-mart employee
Marla Brown, niece of Carol Clemmons
Katherine Burgess, neice of Craig Jackson
Harold Coats, friend of Gene & Linda McKnight
Edsel Copeland, son-in-law of Judy Kelley
Kay Donnell, cousin of Kathy Sims

Harvey Forrest, father of Ken Forrest
Larry Gambrell, son of Lee Gambrell
Carl Griffin, son of Marjorie
Joyce Horton, aunt of Lana Moore
Barry Howell, brother of Kay Lindsey
Lois Long, mother of Kathy Yoho
Avery Lyle, friend of Wrenda Humphrey
Andrew Moore, family member of Walmart employee

Donnie Moyer, friend of Dot Causey
Perry Ray, family member of Wal-mart employee

Karl & Ruth Staley, parents of Anita Forrest
April Teter, Wal-mart employee
Albert Wallace, father of Warren Wallace
Clifford Walling, cousin of Rodger Walling
Glenda Watts, friend of Shirley Sowell

Charles Weatherford, grandfather of Craig Jackson
Donna Whisenant, daughter in law of Manuel & Nell
Randy Williams, brother of Rick
Nora Wright, mother of Jim

To maintain a current list, prayer requests for family and friends are included for one month. Please complete a prayer request card at the information center or in the back of the pews or call the office with an update.

Military Personnel

Nicholas Black, friend of George & Mary Hodge
Taylor Davis, friend of Sherry Fincher
Tyler Duke, grandson of Charles & Maude Rutledge
J. Hasenbein, son of Roger & Wrenda Humphrey
Tim Howard

Amanda Hung, daughter of Brad & Sandra Jones
Adam Johnson, son of Les & Jeanelle Johnson
Joshua Jones, nephew of Kelly England
Chris Reese, cousin of Rodger Walling
Michael Reese, cousin of Rodger Walling
Jesse Waldrop

Congregation Meeting in Iraq: <http://ourchurch.com/member/b/baghdadoc>

HOMEBOUND

Lee Brock, Marjorie Griffin, Francis & Lillie
Bea Heatherly, Christine Hope, Hartselle
Lammon, mother of Pat Moore, Tappie Lou
McCleskey, Robert & Martha Palfrey, Manuel
Whisenant, Nora Wright, mother of Jim, Gertie
Wainwright

Cullman Health Care

Carl Griffin,

Woodland Health Care

John & Reba Beall, Hattie Moyer, sister of
Coyal Moyer

Hanceville Nursing Home

Rose Sirvio, Norman Carlisle

Morning Side

Ruby Mitchell, Elbert & Clara England, Homer
& Virginia Parker

Folsom Center

Myrtle Mitchell

HELP NEEDED: The Lone Grove Church of Christ, who is providing services to victims of the recent Oklahoma tornado, needs clean baby clothing. You may bring clean baby items by Sunday, March 1 and place in the box in the coat closet. If you need further information, you may call Phyllis Harness, Barbara Noonan or Mary Glenn Guthery.

WEDNESDAY EVENING MEAL is planned for March 4 from 5:00 – 6:15 p.m. The cost is \$4.00 per adult and \$2.00 for children under age 10. There will also be a salad bar available for an *additional cost* of \$4.00 per person. The menu is beef vegetable

soup, BBQ sandwich or footlong hotdog, slaw, chips, dessert & beverage. Salad bar. Please see the sign up sheet at the information center in the foyer by Sunday, March 1, if you plan to attend. Make checks payable to Ron Esterak and give to him by Sunday.

ANGEL FOOD MINISTRY: The distribution day is Saturday, February 28. If you plan to help with this please see the sign up sheet at the information center in the foyer. You may contact Dennis Grossman with any questions.

CULLMAN CHURCH OF CHRIST DISASTER RELIEF MINISTRY is sponsoring a two day CERT Training Program for its Leaders, Coordinators, Support Persons and Volunteers on March 7th and 14th from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. (with a provided eat in luncheon, classes should be over by 2:30 p.m.) CERT Training is a partnership effort between the local emergency agencies

and our church's members to provide emergency services to our members, as well as, persons in our community. You will be trained to implement lifesaving services to our congregation until local disaster personnel arrive (many times this is the most crucial support for saving lives immediately. A sign-up sheet is located at the information desk. Please sign up by Sunday, March 1. For further information, see Rodger Walling. This training is valid for most Continued Education Credits (about 20 hours)

THE TUESDAY CLASS will meet on March 3 at 10:00 a.m. in the chapel.

HIGH SCHOOL MISSION TRIP TO HONDURAS: The date for the Teen Mission Trip to Honduras is June 29-July 8. If you are interested in going and have not received an application please see Tim Moore immediately to receive one. Completed applications are to be returned to Tim Moore by Sunday, March 8.

A BABY SHOWER for Mindy Conquest is planned for Sunday, March 15, at 2:00 p.m. in the reception room. A boy is expected. She is registered at Kiddieland, Cutie Patooties, Belk, WalMart, Babies R US, and Target.

THANK YOU: Our family appreciates so much the prayers, cards, calls and beautiful plant sent during our mother's recent illness and passing. The continuous support and concern of our church family is a constant source of encouragement and comfort. In Christ, Rick & Patricia Williams

Calendar of Events	FEBRUARY
	28 Angel Food Ministry Distribution
	MARCH
	1 Return Completed Involvement Forms
	3 Tuesday Class 10:00 a.m.
	3 Game Night - Bunco
	7 Disaster Relief Ministry CERT Training
	8 New Quarter Begins
	9 Primetimers 5:00 p.m.
	10 Ladies Dutch Treat Luncheon
	14 Disaster Relief Ministry CERT Training
	15 Angel Food Ministry Order Deadline
	15 Care Group Ministry Night
	27 26th Annual Acappella Singing
	28 Angel Food Ministry Distribution



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Cut - March 1-8

Area Events

19th Annual Acappella Singing at Arab Church of Christ, Friday, March 6, 7:00 p.m.

Areawide Singing at Plainview Church of Christ, March 13, 7:00-9:00 p.m. MC: Tom Holland

Gospel Meeting at Northside Church of Christ in Hanceville, March 15-18, Speaker: Chris Barnett, Sunday: 10:00 & 10:45 a.m., fellowship lunch, 6:00 p.m., Monday-Wednesday: 7:00 p.m.

Wallace State Basketball Home Games

Coach: Allen Sharpe
Assistant Coach: Joseph Simmons

ACCC Tournament
Friday, March 6, 5:00 p.m.
Saturday, March 7, TBA



Por Los Ninos Coin Bank Campaign Continues through March

March Birthdays & Anniversaries

- Mindy Conquest, E.O. Creel, Mike Donaldson, Rex Johnson
- Gloria Donaldson, Barnie Westmoreland
- Lauren Skinner
- George Hodge
- Myrtle Mitchell, Jonah Parrish, Dave & Terri Thomas
- Missy Donaldson, Roger Hestla, Dakota Wilson, Tim & Lana Moore
- Susan Sharpe
- Betty Balch
- Leon & Joy Brown
- Jamie Gartman
- Ashley Collins

If your birthday or anniversary is not listed please call the church office with this information.

WEEKLY RECORD

Bible Classes	209
Morning Assembly	305
Evening Assembly	175
Wednesday	NC
Contribution	\$15,660

ELDERs *contact elder for month
Max Bartlett
Facility & Grounds
Family Life & Edification
Del Brock
Worship
Education Ministry
Family Life & Edification
Raymond Burleson
Finance
Facility & Grounds
Family Life & Edification
John Symonds
Facility & Grounds
Family Life & Edification
Jim Wright
Technology
Outreach & Evangelism
Administration
Family Life & Edification
Jim Yoho
Outreach & Evangelism
Family Life & Edification
Care Group Ministry

DEACONS
Leon Brown
Special Fellowship
Multipurpose Room
Rodney Chambers
Building & Grounds
Tweenagers
Milton Chaney
Outreach
Jerry Collins
Adopt-A-Mile
Special Project Grounds
Library
Bob Echols
Missions
Jonathan Echols
Missions
Jr. & Sr. High Education
Wiggieworms
Elbert England
Heating & Cooling
Chris Gambrell
Announcements
Elementary Education(1st - 6th Grades)
Gene Green
Missions
Welcome Home
Ladies Ministry
Dennis Grossman
Angel Food Ministry
Web Site
Childhaven
Clayton Hayes
Disaster Relief
Benevolence
Johnny Hope
P.M. Worship Preparation
Janitorial Services
Heating & Cooling
Van Maintenance
Building & Grounds
Jr. & Sr. High Education
Worship Appointments
Craig Jackson
Jr. & Sr. High Education
Heating & Cooling
Doug King
Special Singing
A.M. Worship Preparation
Computer Audio Visual
Advertising
TV Production
Matt Manning
Grounds
Special Projects
Rusty Nelson
Contribution
College Class
Benevolence

DEACONS (continued)
Brandon Payne
Web Site
Jr. & Sr. High Education
Adult Education
Gary Powell
Fellowships
Mill Ruebush
Primetimers
Cream of the Crop
Information Center
Greeters
Jeff Sanford
Security & Keys
Benevolence
Special Fellowship
Multipurpose Room
Tony Shadix
Web Site
Kids for Christ
Tweenagers
Dewey Sims
Special Singing
Home Worship
Jail Ministry
Benevolence
Visitation
Prime Timers
Homebound Visit
Wayne Sisk
Computer Audio Visual
Primary Education(birth-Kindergarten)
Wiggieworms
Eddy Sparkman
Correspondence Ministry
Budget
Contribution
Policy & Administration
Tim Thrasher
Childhaven
Evangelism Classes
LTC
Adult Education
Vacation Bible School
Jason Tielking
Correspondence Ministry
Pictorial Directory
Charles Williams
World Bible School
Benevolence
Prime Timers
Homebound Visit

MINISTRY LEADERS
Mike Callan
Heating & Cooling
Billy Conquest
Contribution
Mike Donaldson
Announcements
Nesha Donaldson
Budget & Finance
Dale Earwood
Guests
Bobby Ellenburg
Bible Correspondence Course
Phyllis Harness
School Supplies
ER Teddy Bears
Jeanie Higginbotham
Nurse's
Roger Hestla
Jail Ministry
Wrenda Humphrey
Food Team's Coordinator
Jessica Johnson
Library
Alice Lackey
Information Center
Barbara Noonan
School Supplies
Sandy Parker
Vacation Bible School
Judy Sisk
Hospital ICU Basket
Stephen Skinner
Announcements
Rodger Walling
Contribution
Disaster Relief
Barnie Westmoreland
Benevolence
Frank Whitman
Announcements
Contribution

OUR MISSION: Loving God, loving people and serving the world