



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



Tuesday, October 20
We will meet on Tuesdays at Berkley Bobs for Bible study from 5-6 p.m. Come and enjoy a little pick-me-up with The Word and a cup of Joe.

Cave Trip
The cave trip that was planned for Saturday, October 24, has been canceled and will be rescheduled for next month.

Sunday Mornings
7th & 8th Grades
"Take Charge"

9th-12 Grades
"The Life of David"
We study from 10:15-11:00 am.

Wednesday Night
7th & 8th Grades
"Acts" Video Series

9th-12th Grades
"The Battle Within"
Come and join our study from 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.

Gross Grub/One80
Sunday, October 18
Autumn is the start of the holiday season and parties abound. The teens will start it off with a Gross Grub on Sunday, October 18. It will be held at Tim & Lana's farm up in the barn loft. You won't want to miss this night of delectable delights that will treat your tastebuds. Meet at the building at 5:00 p.m. We will return at 8:00 p.m.

SEOLTC
7th - 12 Grades
Sunday, October 25
Chorus will meet from 5:30-6:00 p.m. each Sunday except for Care Group Sundays.

3rd-6th Grades
Sunday, October 25
Chorus will meet from 5:30-6:00 p.m.

Bible Bowl will meet from 6:00-7:00 p.m.
Study Chapters 13-14

Family Fall Festival
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Children's Ministry
C.H.O.W. (Children's Hour of Worship)
Meets everyone Sunday morning from 9:00 - 10:00 a.m. Age 3-K meets in room A4 and 1st-5th grades meets in room A2

Wiggles
Will not meet on Sunday, October 18.

Kids For Christ
Will not meet on Sunday, October 18.

ages 2 thru 6th Grades

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OUR ASSEMBLIES
Children's Hour of Worship Sunday 9:00 a.m.
Worship Sunday 9:00 a.m.
Sunday 6:00 p.m.
Bible Study Sunday 10:15 a.m.
Wednesday 6:30 p.m.



October 18, 2009

Greeters..... Main Entry: Max & Judy Kelley
Main West Entry: Barnie & Michele Westmoreland Carport: Kristie & Winn Williams
Welcome & Announcements..... Stephen Skinner
Scripture Reading Zack Jackson
Song Leader..... Tim Clemmons
Communion & Contribution..... Tim Moore, presiding

East Side 2	East Side 1	West Side 1	West Side 2	Alternates
5. George McElroy	1. Todd Adkison	1. Clayton Hale	5. Allen Sharpe	Ron Monk
6. Gary Powell	2. Leon Brown	2. Jeff Sanford	6. Charles Paine	Neal Cagle
7. Bob Nooner	3. Gene Green	3. Jospeh Simmons	7. Dale Earwood	Hunter Griffin
8. Charlie Thompson	4. Jason Tielking	4. Stephen Donaldson	8. Mike Burleson	Troy Forrest

Opening Prayer..... Allen Sharpe
Lesson Ken Forrest
Closing Prayer..... Tim Thrasher
Sound Room Audio..... Debbie Powell
Video..... Carol Clemmons
Security..... Jesse Johnson
Ushers..... Gene Lindsey, Tom Moore
Information Center Attendant..... Barbara Hayes

Nursery
Monthly Coordinator..... Phyllis Harness
Morning Attendants..... Phyllis Harness, Barbara Nooner
Evening Attendants..... Care Groups

Evening Assembly
Care Group Ministry..... Meet in Homes

Weekly Bible Correspondence Course Graders
Michele Westmoreland, Gwenda Freeman, Carol Echols, Kathleen Godfrey,
Ron Monk, Sandra Watts, Debra Hudson, Ann Voce

Assemble Correspondence Lessons for Mailing..... Rick Williams Jr.

Attendance Count for October
Sunday Bible Class: Mike Callan Sunday Worship: Craig Jackson Wednesday: Raymond Burleson

Wednesday, October 21
Information Center Attendant..... Alice Lackey
Greeters..... Gwenda Freeman
Sound Room Doug King
Security: George McElroy

Sunday, October 18, 2009
Family Matters

"Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you. For everyone who asks receives; he who seeks finds; and to him who knocks, the door will be opened. "Which of you, if his son asks for bread, will give him a stone? Or if he asks for a fish, will give him a snake? If you, then, though you are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father in heaven give good gifts to those who ask him! So in everything, do to others what you would have them do to you, for this sums up the Law and the Prophets
Matthew 7:7-12



Care Group Sunday October 18
Care Groups will meet on Sunday evening, October 18. If you are not part of a care group and would like to participate please contact Jim Yoho.

KEN'S PEN
Taking Responsibility for Our Actions

Are you responsible? Without proper understanding of the nature of the responsibility in question, most of us would shy away from a direct answer to such a potentially incriminating question. However, from a purely biblical standpoint, the question is answered in the affirmative regardless of whether we accept its implication in our life or not.

We each bear responsibility for our actions. Ezekiel said, "The soul who sins shall die. The son shall not bear the guilt of the father, nor the father bear the guilt of the son. The righteousness of the righteous shall be upon himself, and the wickedness of the wicked shall be upon himself" (Eze. 18:20). Regardless of whether we subjectively feel guilty (or proud) by our involvement in an event, God objectively recognizes our participation and ascribes our name to its outcome. If its result is evil, God will surely judge us according to our ways (Eze. 18:30); if its result is good, God will bless us according to the same standard of measure. If we choose foolishly, we have no one to blame but ourselves!

On the other hand, it is one of this life's greatest comforts to know that the God who ascribes responsibility is aware of even the most trivial of our efforts at doing His will. Men may overlook our participation in an event to glare at the "shining stars" among us, but we are assured that God knows who is involved and will distribute rewards according to the labor done (1 Cor. 3:8).

Our omniscient God takes every effort into account, no matter how seemingly insignificant! "Each one's work will become clear; for the Day will declare it, because it will be revealed by fire; and the fire will test each one's work, of what sort it is. If anyone's work which he has built on it endures, he will receive a reward. If anyone's work is burned, he will suffer loss; but he himself will be saved, yet so as through fire" (1 Cor. 3:13-15).

The immediate acceptance of personal responsibility will come from a heart that is sensitive to the seriousness of the actions undertaken and the sobering reality of accompanying consequences or blessings. May God bless us as we "abhor what is evil and cling to what is good" (Rom. 12:9).

We Are Family

Ephesians 3:14-15

Prayer Requests

Cullman:

Jackie Burkett
E.O. Creel
Jennifer Garcia
Phyllis Harness
Jennifer McClellan
Coyal & Ethel Moyer
Marion Owens
Virginia Parker
Willard & Shelby Pyles
Manuel Whisenant

Family & Friends:

Earl Acuff, brother of Kathleen Godfrey
Cecil & Phyllis Bobo
Ray Banson, grandfather of Kristen Stroud

Alicia Chadwick, Godfrey's granddaughter
Tonya Criswell, friend of Melissa King
Robbie Downs, aunt of Brandon Payne
Larry Gambrell, son of Lee Gambrell
Carl Griffin, son of Marjorie
Sharon Hohenstein, sister of Jennifer McClellan
Christy Kroeger, wife of co-worker of Craig Jackson
Lois Long, mother of Kathy Yoho
Matthew Loyd, friend of Christy Williams
Bessie McKee, mother of Cathy Kapple
Ruby Porter, friend of Westmorelands
Patricia Reynolds, neighbor of the Whitmans
Ruth Staley, mother of Anita Forrest
Cindy Swann, friend of Sue Graves
Albert Wallace, father of Darren Wallace
Phillip Whisenant, son of Manuel
Mike Woods, cousin of George McElroy
Maxine Winn, mother of Irish Williams
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
Justin Creel, grandson of E.O. Creel
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 & Jeanette Johnson
Joshua Jones, nephew of Kelly England
Chris Reese, cousin of Rodger Walling
Michael Reese, cousin of Rodger Walling
Neil M. Romero, grandson-in-law of Jackie Burkett
Josh Willoughby, son-in-law of Tim & Carol Clemmons

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

HOMEBOUND

Doris Taylor Battles, Lee Brock, E.O. Creel, Marjorie Griffin, Francis & Lillie Bea Heatherly, Tappie Lou McCleskey, Manuel Whisenant, Nora Wright, mother of Jim

Cullman Health Care

Carl Griffin, Floyd Burgess

Woodland Health Care

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

Hanceville Nursing Home

Norman Carlisle

Morning Side

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

Folsom Center

Myrtle Mitchell

Summerford Nursing Home

Christine Hope

REPORTED SICK: Phyllis Harness fell and broke her foot on Wednesday, October 7, and had outpatient surgery at CRMC on Tuesday, October 13. Marion Owens is recovering from back surgery in room 659 at St. Vincent's Hospital in Birmingham. Shelby Pyles is recovering from a fall in room 310B at CRMC. Kristie Williams continues her recovery at home. Isabella Garcia is now at home from the hospital. Dave Cline, friend of Kristie Williams is in the hospital recovering from broken legs as a result of an automobile accident. Robbie Downs, aunt of Brandon Payne, continues her recovery at home. Matthew Loyd, friend of Christy Williams, has been diagnosed with prostate cancer and is now at home under the care of Hospice. Tonya Criswell, friend of Melissa King, has traveled to Houston for additional tests. Patricia Reynolds, neighbor of Frank & Kim Whitman, is scheduled for back surgery this week. Cindy Swann, friend of Sue Graves, is at home recovering from surgery. Phillip Whisenant, son of Manuel, continues his recovery at home. Mike Woods, cousin of George McElroy has been diagnosed with lung cancer. Jimmie Hale, father of Jay Hale, had a biopsy in Birmingham on Tuesday and has requested prayers. Misty Rainwater, friend of Don & Wendy Tysinger, had been diagnosed with a tumor in one of her kidneys. Aaron Jordan, cousin of Rodger Walling, is scheduled for a corneal transplant at UAB on Tuesday, October 20. Annette Daniel, 1st cousin of Margaret Chambers and Pearl Jernigan, is scheduled to have surgery for breast cancer this week and prayers have been requested.

SYMPATHY is extended to David Jones in the death of his brother-in-law, Billy Brock. The funeral was held in Gardendale on Monday, October 12. Billy is also the first cousin of Dewey Sims.

SYMPATHY is extended to Marc Ponder in the death of his grandmother, Allene Ponder, on Monday, October 12. The funeral was held on Wednesday, October 14, at Hanceville Funeral Home.

RADIO PROGRAM: On October 18 at 9:00 a.m. WFMH AM 1340 will begin broadcasting the morning service. It will begin with a pre-recording of our weekly announcements, some beautiful singing and then go live with our morning message. If you or anyone who is outside of the listening area, are unable to get the message via radio you may listen to the service on the station's website at jimmydalesports.com.

Fall Festival

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

WEDNESDAY EVENING MEAL is planned for October 21 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 chicken parmesan w/ pasta,, cheese garlic rolls, orange honey carrots, small salad, Italian cream cake and beverage. The childrens menu is chicken fingers, french fries and applesauce. Please see the sign up sheet at the information center in the foyer by Sunday, October 18, if you plan to attend. Make checks payable to Ron Esterak and give to him by Sunday.

A BRIDAL TEA for Dani Hainey, bride elect of Richard Wright, son of Jim & Debbie Wright, is planned for Sunday, October 25, at 1:30 p.m. in the reception room. They are registered at Belk, Deep South Classic, Target, Bed, Bath & Beyond, and WalMart.

Calendar of Events	OCTOBER
	17 Finney/Watts Wedding
	20 Tuesday Class 10:00 a.m.
	24 Angel Food Distribution
	25 Bridal Tea for Dani Hainey bride elect of Richard Wright
	27 Tuesday Class 10:00 a.m.
	31 Fall Festival 3-5 p.m.

worship. If you are unable to fulfill your responsibility, please contact Dewey Sims or Johnny Hope ASAP.

RETIREE & SENIOR HEALTH FAIR The Commission on Aging & Health Coalition Free Health Fair will be held on Thursday, Oct. 15, 2009 from 9:00 am - 12:00 noon at the Civic Center. Free lunch to the first 250 who pick up a lunch ticket at the Commission on Aging booth. Health screenings are free. Cost for Pneumonia shots \$35 & Flu shots \$20 will be filed with Medicare & your insurance company. Health related presentations, free items & information. Call Rodger Walling or Alice Lackey by Oct. 13 if you need transportation.

THE CULLMAN EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY will conduct a meeting in the multipurpose room entitled, "Severe Weather Spotting Service," on Monday, November 2 from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. If you serve on the church's Disaster Assistance Program, you are encouraged to attend. If you have a question or need additional information call Rodger Walling. A sign up sheet will be located at the Information Desk. Credit hours will be granted towards certification. You do not have to be a member of the Disaster Team to attend this workshop.

COC MOTORCOACH CHRISTMAS TRIP to Branson, MO is planned for November 8-11. Information sheets are available at the information center in the foyer. Please see the sign up sheet at the information center in the foyer. You may contact Sandy Parker with any questions.

THANK YOU: Thanks for all the calls, emails and facebook comments during my surgery! I truly love you all more than words can explain.

Kristie Williams

Childhaven

**Thanksgiving Appeal
Sunday, October 25**

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Finney, Jr. along with Ms. Sandra Watts and Mr. Don Watts request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their children

Marci Katherine

and

Brandon Kyle

on Saturday, the seventeenth of October
Two thousand and nine
at five o'clock in the evening
Cullman Church of Christ
Highway 157
Cullman, Alabama
Reception immediately following the ceremony



ER BEARS

October 18-25 Sew

Area Events

Seminar at West Huntsville Church of Christ, October 30-November 1, "A Look at Islam," Speaker: Dave Miller, October 30, 7:00 p.m., October 31, 5:00 p.m. w/ 6:15 fellowship, November 1, 9:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m. & 1:30 p.m.

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
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
Wigglegorms
Chris Gambrell
Announcements
Elementary Education^(1st - 6th Grades)
Gene Green
Missions
Welcome Home
Ladies Ministry

October Birthdays & Anniversaries

18 Bill Callan,
Sophia Flanigan,
Miranda Thomas,
Allen Sharpe
19 Joe & Karrie Martin
21 Gary Mitchell
22 Alivia Gambrell
23 Steve Uptagrafft,
Justin Yoho
27 Valerie Gambrell
28 Mike Callan,
Hannah Donaldson,
Kelly England,
Sheila Foster,
Jordan Rogers
29 Dale Burgess,
Jake Johnson,
Charlie Thompson
30 Joy Brown,
Bailee Ponder,
Tony Shadix
31 Alana Sparkman,
Jordan Ward

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

WEEKLY RECORD

Bible Classes.....	257
Morning Assembly.....	349
Evening Assembly.....	181
Wednesday.....	210
Contribution.....	\$11,236
Weekly Budget.....	\$15,612
Budget to Date Total.....	\$640,092
Average Weekly Contribution to Date.....	\$12,339
Year to Date 2008 Contribution.....	\$537,296
Year to Date 2009 Contribution.....	\$505,909

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

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
Marilyn Campbell
Information Center
Billy Conquest
Contribution
Mike Donaldson
Announcements
Nesha Donaldson
Budget & Finance
Dale Earwood
Greet Guests

Bobby Ellenburg
Bible Correspondence Course
Phyllis Harness
School Supplies
ER Teddy Bears

Roger Hestla
Jail Ministry
Debra Hudson
Bridal & Baby Showers

Wrenda Humphrey
Food Teams Coordinator
Jessica Johnson
Library

Alice Lackey
Seniors Program
Monica Nelson
Nursery

Barbara Nooner
School Supplies
Sandy Parker
Vacation Bible School
Stephen Skinner
Announcements

Rodger Walling
Contribution
Disaster Relief
Seniors Program
Barnie Westmoreland
Benevolence

Frank Whitman
Announcements
Contribution