

Visitors' Welcome

We welcome all visitors to our services today. We are thankful for your presence and pray that you will enjoy this time of worship and fellowship with the brethren here at Woodstock Church of Christ.



Lads to Leaders Bible Bowl Teams

Today, Jan. 23, 2-4 pm



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All the ladies of the congregation are invited to a baby shower for Natalie Vitrano. Natalie is having a girl. She is registered at Babies'R'Us and Target. Nursery colors are pink and brown.

Lads to Leaders Boys Speech Girls Songs of Praise Practice

Today, Jan. 23, 5:15 pm

BJ's Wholesale Club Membership Renewal Time Checks Due TODAY

BJ's offers all our members an opportunity to join the wholesale club under the church membership. If you are currently a member, it is time to renew. This is also the time for you to join if you are not a member. The annual cost is \$20. Leave your check, written to "Woodstock Church of Christ", in the envelope in Kathy's mailbox. Please write your email address in the memo line. Our local store is NOT closing.

Elders & Seniors Appreciation Dinner

Saturday, January 29, 5 pm
The Elders and Senior members of our congregation are invited to an appreciation dinner hosted by the Teen Youth. Hors d'oeuvres will be served at 5 pm, dinner at 5:30 pm. The evening will end with a fun game of Take-A-Way BINGO! Please sign up on the Super Seniors Bulletin Board as soon as possible.

Day of Prayer, Planning & Involvement

Sunday, January 30
Every member is encouraged to be present at the morning worship service for our annual Day of Prayer, Planning and Involvement, and to view the displays in the foyer prepared by the deacons. This is a wonderful time to learn more about the various opportunities for service available to each of us in our congregation.

Schedule for the Day of Prayer & Planning

9:30 am Bible Study
10:30 am Worship
11:30 am Deacons' Displays (foyer)
12 noon Potluck Fellowship (fellowship hall)
1 pm Singing (auditorium)
1:30 pm Worship Service
(No 6 pm service on Jan. 30)

Junior Leaders

Next Meeting on
Sunday, January 30, 4 pm

Baby Shower

Sunday, February 6, 4 pm
All the ladies of the congregation are invited to a baby shower for Heather Massey and Kaitlyn. They are registered at Babies'R'Us and Target.



New Members

1/23/11
Ryan & Christina Cox
Camden & Ryleigh
Care Zone 2.2

Phone Number

Geri Hannan



A Note from a Benevolence Recipient

I have been unemployed for more than a year now and have tried so very hard to find a job but because of economy theres no work. I would like to thank you for your help. You have no idea how it feels not to be able to put food on the table for your family. *(This is why we try to keep our food pantry stocked. Thank you for all your help. Tom & Mike, Benevolence Deacons)*

Pantry Items of the Week

Our pantry is completely depleted of the following items. Please help!



Cooking Oil	Toilet Tissue
Mayonnaise	Dried Beans
Saltine Crackers	Rice

OUR LOVE EXPRESSED

Bible Study.....	185
Worship AM.....	325
Worship PM.....	160
Hispanic (am worship).....	20
Wed. Night Bible Study.....	126
Contribution.....	\$8,829
Budget.....	\$8,850
Difference.....	-\$21



Dear friends,
Thank you so much for all the phone calls, cards, and especially the prayers when my son, Randy, passed away recently. It is so good to have Christian friends at a sad time like this.

In Christian love,
Lillian Sutton

As many of you know, David's brother passed away a few years ago and left behind 3 children. We were notified 3 days before Christmas that the children were not going to have a Christmas. We reached out for assistance for them as well as prayers and once again, our church family came through for those in need.

Thanks to your generosity, we were able to put together a wonderful Christmas in 3 days. We were fortunate enough to be able to experience their reaction once they realized all of the presents were for them. It was a very heartwarming experience both for us and our children to experience. The two young boys who are 7 & 8, were able to receive their first brand new bikes, as well as many other items that they were in need of.

They were all overly excited and thanks to all of you, they said it was the best Christmas they have ever had. We cannot thank you enough for coming together on such short notice and ensuring that the children were able to have a Christmas. This was a true example of Christmas giving.

We are blessed to be part of this family.
In Christian Love,
David & Stephanie Burns and family

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SHUT-INS

Bobbie Fish	Delbert Leavens
Carole Gunter	Henry Schmid
Marie Hastings	Kenneth Payne
Eulene Howell	Eileen Skelton
Bill Kirby	Betty Tomlin

OUR MEMBERS

Brenna Lloyd	Clint Hall
Rebecca Little	Thamara Howell
Debbie Dotson	

the unemployed of our congregation

FRIENDS AND RELATIVES

Art Edwins, uncle of Steve Brandt
Robin Cefalu, niece of Barbara Murphy
Sarah Heckhaus, frequent visitor
Logan Droke, nephew of C.L. & Louise White's friend
Michael Paul, nephew of C.L. & Louise White's friend
Belkis Uzcategui, sister of Rafael Uzcategui
Vivian Futral, sister-in-law of Betty Sticher
Clifford Dance, friend of Larry Crawford
Carl Campbell, nephew of Billy Wood
Charlotte Clouse, sister of Linda Campbell
Theron Knight, cousin of Peggy Blackwell
Ed & Ruth Viera, parents of Chris Dotson
Timothy Grogan, grandson of Jerry Wallace's coworker
Zoe Alpha, friend of Jack & Shirley Lewis
Eileen Chorjel, sister of John Hicks
Carolyn Diandra, aunt of John Hicks
Dennis DeGhelder, cousin of Rosie Hicks
Kerri Baunach, sister of Shawna Powell
John & William deGuzman, relatives of E. Davis
Tonja deGuzman, sister-in-law of Eileen Davis
David Null, son of Harold & Jackie Null

SERVING IN FOREIGN LANDS

Devin Dankert - cousin of Bryan Collins
Lewis Baughan - contact of Susan Garner
Lucas McTyre - contact of Susan Garner
Stephen Moody - great-nephew of Jean Franklin
Andrew Davidson - grandson of Willis & Mary Jo Michael
Brandon Tucker - great-grandson of Jewell Tucker
Stephanie Lewis - former member
Colton Thompson - nephew of Barbara Murphy
Brailey Brooks - brother of Stenelle Brewer
Ryan Franklin - son of Robin & Pam Franklin



This Week's Events		
Sun.	2-4 pm	Bible Bowl Teams Practice
Sun.	4 pm	Baby Shower for Natalie Vitrano
Sun.	5:15 pm	L2L Boys Speech, Girls Songs
Mon.	7 pm	Monday Night for the Master
Mon.	7 pm	ESL Classes
Sat.	5 pm	Elders & Seniors Appreciation Dinner

Weekly Schedule		Ushers for Jan.
<u>Sunday</u>		Marshall Brown
Bible Study	9:30 AM	Jerry Wallace
Worship	10:30 AM	Keith Taylor
	6:00 PM	Rick Laukka
<u>Wednesday</u>		Rick Laukka
Bible Study	7:30 PM	Loran Hogg

Deacons				
Eric Aguirre	Monty Davis	Jack Kyle	Harold Null	David Stoker
Dave Brannan	Greg Garner	Mark Kyle	Barry Payne	George Stroh
John Campbell	Mike House	Rick Langosch	Jeremy Powell	Don Williams
Larry Crawford	Greg Hughes	Rick Laukka	Glen Rice	
Bob Crompton	Guy Hydrick	Tom Markham	Benny Stephens	

Ministers	
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Office Hours	Monday - Thursday 8:30 AM - 3:30 PM Friday 8:30 AM - 12:30 PM	

Local TV Shows
<i>In Search of the Lord's Way</i> with Mac Lyon, WATC-TV 57, Sunday 7:30 am
<i>Good News Today</i> is on INSP (Inspiration Network) Sunday 7 am
INSP is on Dishnet, channel 259; DirecTV, Channel 364
Check local cable systems for the channel number for INSP
<i>Preaching the Gospel</i> with James Watkins is seen on <i>Good New Today</i>
See <i>GBN, 24/7</i> , Broadband: go to GBNTV.org, click on the live stream

Ushers for January: Marshall Brown, Jerry Wallace, Keith Taylor, Rick Laukka, Loran Hogg

Worship AM	January 23	January 30
Welcome	Gary Kyle	Don Williams
Reading: Psalm 1:1-6	Joe Stephens	Harold Null
Songleader	Benny Stephens	Benny Stephens
Opening Prayer	Mike House	Rick Langosch
Lord's Table	Stan Dmytrowitz	Jack Kyle
1	Woody Woodyard	Eric Aguirre
2	Tom Markham	Greg Garner
3	Corey Lloyd	John Campbell
4	Jeremy Wallace	David Brannan
5	Ron Dunnivant	Greg House
6	Johnny Mackey	Jeremy Powell
Sermon	Bryan Collins	Crompton, House, Davis
Shepherd's Closing Prayer	Rick Reynolds	
Prepare Communion	Verlon & Linda Grady	Larry & Kathy Crawford
	Mark & Paula Williams	Tom & Kristie Markham
Greeters	John & Rosie Hicks, Jack & Lois Kyle, Charles & Sylvia Little, Joe & Janice Moody	John & Rosie Hicks, Jack & Lois Kyle, Charles & Sylvia Little, Joe & Janice Moody
Sound Room	Eric Dotson	Stan Dmytrowitz
Security	George Stroh	Eric Aguirre
Nursery	Tina Dobbs	Melisa Dotson
	Tanya Chapman	Lauren & Madison Ivanyisky
Worship PM	January 23	January 30 (1:30 pm)
Welcome	Mark Williams	Mark Kyle
Reading: Psalm 5:1-3	Tripp Stephens	Trenton Markham
Song Leader	Jack Kyle	Benny Stephens
Opening Prayer	John Hicks	Steve Brandt
Sermon	Bryan Collins	Bryan Collins
Lord's Table	Larry Crawford	Gary Kyle
Assist at Lord's Table	Caleb Aguirre	Harrison Kyle
Closing Prayer	Lance Leavens	Bob Crompton
Nursery	Barbara Murphy	Heather Davis
	Martha Slocumb	Ellen Payne
Wednesday	January 26	February 2
Song Leader	Stan Dmytrowitz	Johnny Mackey
Invitation	Bryan Collins	Bryan Collins
Closing Prayer	Keith Taylor	Richard Holdridge
Sound Room	Robert Howell	Clint Hall
Security	Eric Aguirre	TBA

Privileged to Serve if you are unable to serve, notify Dave Brannan

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Welcome to the Lord's church that meets at Woodstock, Georgia. We find our authority in the inspired word of God and are governed in organization, faith, worship and work according to God's Holy Word.

A Note From Bryan. . . Spiritual Drought

The nation of Israel addressed by the Prophet Ezekiel was a living example of what happens to the best people in the world when they become complacent. Israel was lost and captive of a foreign power. The prophet Jeremiah, in the 29th chapter of the book that bears his name wrote that the captives from Judah should take to the land of Babylon and build their lives there because they were going to be there for quite a while.

In the 37th chapter of Ezekiel the prophet recollects God's message in a vision. In this visual aid from God Ezekiel was shown a valley of dry bones. As readers we understand and picture as we are supposed to the carnage of a long forgotten war where an army lay ambushed; bones piled on bones. The vultures had long picked the remains and the sun had spent years bleaching and drying the remains. In this rather macabre scene as Ezekiel processed what he witnessed the Lord asked a simple question of the man of God, "Can these bones live again?"

The horror of such a scene can hardly be imagined. The discomfort it caused to hear of it from the prophet likely unhinged many a listener because it's intended audience was that valley of dry bones. God was painting the picture of His thoughts of His chosen, covenant people. In the mind of God, the child He had reared and protected and delivered so many times had long been dead, lay exposed and unburied, subject to the elements. This was quite an unholy sight and a sickening thought. God told the prophet, "Preach to the bones."

The message: these bones can live again! Although confrontational and shaming this message still beckons to God's people of today. We are in danger of dying in a valley of dry bones. We are likely to go through periods where our carcasses are, in a spiritual sense, piled in the bone pile because we have allowed our unfulfilled desire, our disappointments and petty disagreements pull our soul down into this spiritual wasteland. If you are struggling spiritually the word of the Lord has a message of hope for you. These bones can indeed live again with the power of God.

Today's Sermon Topics	
AM: Dry As Dust	Ezekiel 37:1-14
PM: Filled With the Spirit	Ephesians 5:18-21