

Today's Sermon Topics

A.M. When the World Comes Calling
Numbers 22:1-22
P.M. A Message from an Elder

Welcome to our Visitors

We welcome all visitors to our services today. We are thankful for your presence for this time of worship and fellowship with the brethren here at Woodstock Church of Christ. Please complete a green "Visitor" card and send it to the center aisle so we can have a record of your presence with us.



L2L Bible Bowl Practice

Today, Room 205/206
12:30-2:30 pm
Bring a lunch

Bible Bowl teams will be studying Proverbs Chapters 24-27. Next practice Sun, Feb. 10, 2-4 pm.

Bridal Shower



Bridal Shower
Today, Feb. 3
3:30 pm
Fellowship Hall

Ladies, you are invited to a bridal shower for Kelsey Jones who will marry Zack Kay on Saturday, March 16. Kelsey and Zack are registered at Wal-Mart and Target.

Elders/Deacons Meeting

Today, February 3, 4 pm
Room 206

Monthly Sunday Evening Fellowship

Today, February 3, 7 pm
Fellowship Hall

The Fellowship of Christian Adults will host a Super Bowl Party. Spend time watching the game with fellow Christians. Please bring tailgate food, including dessert and beverage. Schedule for the evening:

Singing 5:30 pm
Worship Service 6:30 pm
Fellowship Meal Immediately Following

Woodstock Day School Stevi B's Fundraiser
Wednesday, Feb. 6
Lunch and Dinner



Have lunch or dinner at the Stevi B's Pizza on Hwy. 92, inform your server that you are from Woodstock Day School, the school receives 10%. Thank you for your support.

Woodstock Day School Fun With Your Favorite Fellow
Thursday, Feb. 7
7 pm, Fellowship Hall



Day School students and their fathers will make valentines for their moms. You are welcome to come to help and encourage them.

Elementary Youth Service Project
Friday, February 8, 6 pm

All K-5 graders are invited to take part in assembling baskets of love for our shut-in members. We will meet for pizza and then make Valentines and put the baskets together. Please plan to be part of this project.



Men's Breakfast & Prayer Meeting
Saturday, February 9
Breakfast at 8:30 AM

All men and boys are invited to the men's breakfast and meeting. If you would like to help with the cooking, come early.

Care Zone 3.1 & 3.2 Get Together

Saturday, Feb. 9, 6 pm
Home of Rick & Pam Reynolds
Please RSVP to Pam Reynolds.



Knit/Crochet Classes
Saturday, Feb. 9, 11-1 pm

Ladies, learn to knit or crochet or refresh your skills. Join us the second Saturday of each month in the fellowship hall. See Marian Stroh or Darlene Pawlicki about supplies/questions.

Area-Wide Youth Devo

Sunday, February 10
Macland Rd. Church of Christ
See Eric Aguirre if you plan to attend.

Cold & Flu Season

With the cold and flu season starting, we are asking each family to bring one box of Kleenex facial tissue (any brand) and one pump-style hand sanitizer and place in the box in the foyer.

Sympathy

Our thoughts and prayers are with Sandie and Charlie Bailey at the passing of Sandie's uncle. We also give sympathy to Dr. Robert Mills and his family on the loss of his son. Dr. Mills is physician to a number of our members.



Have a Heart

Please help the Woodstock Day School provide snacks for the students. Pick up a heart or two from the bulletin board in the foyer and purchase the item(s) by Feb. 14.. Thank you for helping the children. Money may be given to Kristie Markham (Director) or any board member. Items needed:

Money or Wal-Mart Gift Cards
Pretzels
Club Crackers
Whales or Goldfish
Peanut Butter Crackers
Graham Crackers
Animal Crackers
Oyster Crackers
Vanilla Wafers
Cheez-Its Crackers

Pantry Items of the Week



Toilet Tissue
Shampoo
Canned Green Peas
Laundry Detergent

OUR LOVE EXPRESSED

Bible Study.....	177
Worship AM.....	315
Worship PM.....	176
Wed. Night Bible Study.....	51
Hispanic (am service).....	25
Contribution.....	\$7,265
Budget.....	\$8,850
Difference.....	-\$1,585
Fiscal Year to Date Contribution.....	\$335,892
Fiscal Year to Date Budget.....	\$389,700

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SHUT-INS

Bobbie Fish	Henry Schmid
Carole Gunter	Eileen Skelton
Eulene Howell	Betty Tomlin
Kenneth Payne	Katherine West

OUR MEMBERS

John Hardin	Dianne Whitener
Jennifer Chambers	Rebecca Little
Brenda Queen	Linda Grady
Sandi Rice	

the unemployed of our congregation

FRIENDS AND RELATIVES

Connie Wilson, friend of Rice family
Frederic Prewett, parent of Day School student
Lannas Anschutz, father of Sandie Bailey
Nick Barnes, friend of Katherine Brewer
Mary Lou Chester, cousin of Sandi Rice
Glen Head, son of Vickey Castro
Caleb Sams, friend of Brandt family
Cliff Hulburt, friend of Ron & Marcy Cox
Carolyn Merrick, friend of Judy Hayes
Fred & Gladys Holloway, parents of Debbie Dotson
Tillie Knight, mother of Gwen Stoker & Ruth Knight
Bonnie Johnston, sister of Brenda Queen
Jeannie Adams, friend of Peggy Simpson

SERVING IN FOREIGN LANDS

Bill Moorehead - Garner family contact
Austin Hannum - friend of Verlon & Linda Grady
Christian Key - friend of Verlon & Linda Grady
Scott Carter - brother of Laura Cravy's co-worker
Andrew Hulsey - grandson-in-law of Jack & Shirley Lewis
Shane Umstead - cousin of Pam Reynolds
Neil Hufstetler - friend of Linda Campbell
Ryan Franklin - son of Robin & Pam Franklin

This Week's Events		
Sun.	12:30 pm	L2L Bible Bowl Teams Practice
Sun.	3:30 pm	Bridal Shower for Kelsey Jones
Sun.	4 pm	Elders/Deacons Meeting
Sun.	5:30 pm	Singing, Worship, Fellowship Meal
Mon.	5:30 am	Manna in the Morning
Wed.	10 am	Ladies' Bible Class
Wed.	All Day	Day School Stevi B's Fundraiser
Fri.	6 pm	Elem. Youth Group Service Project
Sat.	8:30 am	Men's Breakfast
Sat.	11 am	Knit & Crochet Class
Sat.	6 pm	Care Zone 3 Get Together

Weekly Schedule		Ushers for Feb.
<u>Sunday</u>		Marshall Brown
Bible Study	9:30 AM	Keith Taylor
Worship	10:30 AM	David Stoker
	6:00 PM	Tom Markham
<u>Wednesday</u>		Billy Wood
Bible Study	7:30 PM	

Deacons		
Eric Aguirre	Greg Hughes	Barry Payne
Dave Brannan	Guy Hydrick	Jeremy Powell
Larry Crawford	Rick Langosch	David Stoker
Greg Garner	Rick Laukka	George Stroh
Mike House	Tom Markham	Don Williams

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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> Sunday 7:30 AM, Dishnet Channel 267, DirecTV Channel 376, Sky Angel - IPTV Channel 136, GloryStar Channel 117
<i>Preaching the Gospel</i> with James Watkins is seen on <i>Good News Today</i> See GBN, 24/7, Broadband: go to GBNTV.org, click on the live stream

Ushers for February: Marshall Brown, Keith Taylor, David Stoker, Tom Markham, Billy Wood

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

Worship AM	February 3	February 10
Welcome	Rick Laukka	Gary Kyle
Songleader	Stan Dmytrowitz	Johnny Mackey
Opening Prayer	Frank Rhodes	Larry Crawford
Reading: Numbers 22:1-22	Steve Brandt	Joe Stickels
Lord's Table	Larry Crawford	Guy Hydrick
1	Ryan Cox	Clint Hall
2	Roger Brewer	Ryan Cox
3	Clint Hall	Roger Brewer
4	Perry Druzba	Marty Ray
5	Joe Stickels	Byron Dobbs
6	Byron Dobbs	Tom Markham
Sermon	Matt Amos	Matt Amos
Shepherd's Closing Prayer	Joe Moody	David Cravy
Prepare Communion	Eric & Christine Aguirre	Robert & Nancy Phillips
	Marshall & Jane Brown	Bob & Julie Crompton
Greeters	Ryan & Christina Cox	Paul & Debbie Dotson
	Charlie & Sandy Bailey	Glen & Sandi Rice
Sound Room	Eric Dotson	Frank Cole
Security	Mike House	George Stroh
Nursery	Kristie Markham	Felicia Kyle
	Tina Dobbs	Sydney Kyle
Worship PM	February 3	February 10
Welcome	Woody Woodyard	David Cravy
Song Leader	Jeremy Powell	Mark Kyle
Opening Prayer	Glen Rice	William Goodwin
Reading	Reagan Amos	Owen Massey
Sermon	Rick Reynolds	Matt Amos
Lord's Table	William Goodwin	Bob Crompton
Assist at Lord's Table	Bob Crompton	Frank Rhodes
Closing Prayer	Tom Markham	Glen Rice
Nursery	Jayne Woodyard	Kathy Crawford
	Mary Catherine Woodyard	Pam Reynolds
Wednesday	February 6	February 13
Song Leader	Robert Howell	Jeremy Powell
Invitation	Matt Amos	Matt Amos
Closing Prayer	Guy Hydrick	Steve Brandt
Sound Room	Frank Cole	Stan Dmytrowitz
Security	Eric Aguirre	Mike House

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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.

WORK

What is work? Well, as a noun it may be defined as "activity involving mental or physical effort done in order to achieve a purpose or result". As a verb, expressive of action, it may similarly be defined as "being engaged in mental or physical activity in order to achieve a purpose or result".

Most often, in certain religious circles, it is held that "works" simply and solely involves only physical activity in which one may engage. Resulting from this thinking comes the notion and doctrine that one coming to Christ can do absolutely nothing physically to effect his/her salvation.

Without doubt, man cannot be saved by "works of righteousness" (Titus 3:5), i.e., good deeds or just by living a good moral life. Neither can one be saved by engaging in the works that were commanded under the Law of Moses, the Old Testament (Romans 3:20). But these two types of works cannot be the only works that the Bible speaks of because James, the Lord's half-brother writes in James 2:24, "You see then how a man is justified by "works" and NOT by faith only". Well it must be asked, "what type of work is it that justifies a man"? Is it merely mental belief? Is it merely physical belief? Note that Abraham "trusted" God (Hebrews 11:17-19) which caused him to "obey" and so his faith was made perfect or complete and in that way he was justified before God (James 2:21). Clearly, then a man must "trust" (have faith) that upon his "obedience" to God, he also will be justified, as was Abraham. Henry Thayer, noted lexicographer, had it scripturally correct when he wrote that the word "believes" of John 3:16 must be defined not as believing only, but as "trust in Christ, conjoined with obedience" in order to gain the promise of eternal life! We note that "belief" itself is a WORK of obedience! It is the case, then, that if it is true that one cannot be saved by works, then it is the case that one cannot be saved by belief, because Christ has said that belief IS a work! Notice the question asked of Jesus in John 6:28, "What shall we DO, that we might WORK the WORKS of God?" In Verse 29, Jesus answers, "This is the WORK of God, that you BELIEVE on Him whom He has sent." So, belief, then, is not a work of righteousness, but, rather, it is a work of obedience. The same is true of baptism, it is not a work of righteousness, but it is a work of obedience, obedience to the commandment (law) of Christ, "He who believes (mental) and is (physically) baptized shall be saved" (Mark 16:16). Belief (faith) is not complete until the believer obeys in physical baptism (immersion) in water (James 2:21).

Salvation, then, cannot be by faith alone, neither by works alone! Salvation must be the result of both mental and physical activity, i.e., a mental trust (faith) in God which causes one to physically demonstrate that faith through physical obedience (baptism) in answer to Christ's terms of salvation; "He who believes AND is baptized shall be saved"!!

-Matt