

This Week's Events		
Sunday	Noon	Visitors' Luncheon
Sunday	5:30 pm	Sunday Night in Song
Monday	7 pm	ESL Classes & Monday Night for Master
Thursday	8:30 pm	Men's Softball Game HP1
Thursday	6:30 pm	Women's Softball Game HP2
Friday	7 pm	FFYF
Saturday	10 am	Ladies' Day
Saturday	12:30 pm	Youth Rally at Forest Park COC

Weekly Schedule		Ushers for April
<u>Sunday</u>		Marshall Brown
Bible Study	9:30 am	Eric Aguirre
Worship	10:30 am	Jeremy Wallace
	6:00 pm	Mark Wood
<u>Wednesday</u>		Mark Mason
Bible Study	7:00 pm	Gus Suarez

Elders	Deacons		
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David Cravy	Larry Crawford	Guy Hydrick	Tom Markham
Paul Dotson	Bob Crompton	Jack Kyle	Barry Payne
Joe Moody	Stan Dmytrowitz	Mark Kyle	David Stoker
Rick Reynolds	Eric Dotson	Rick Laukka	George Stroh
	Greg Garner		Don Williams

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Local TV Shows	
<i>Preaching the Gospel</i> with James Watkins, WATC-TV 57	Saturday 7:30 am
<i>In Search of the Lord's Way</i> with Mac Lyon, WATC-TV 57,	Sunday 7:30 am
<i>Good News Today</i> with James Watkins	
DirectTV channel 323, Sunday & Thursday 8 am	
Dishnet Channel 9407, Sunday & Thursday at noon	

Ushers for April: Marshall Brown, Eric Aguirre, Gus Suarez, Jeremy Wallace, Mark Wood, Mark Mason

Worship AM	April 27	May 4
Welcome	Rick Reynolds	David Cravy
Reading: James 1:2-7	Harold Null	Austin Cooper
Songleader	Rich Hogan	Guy Hydrick
Opening Prayer	Floyd Garner	Eric Aguirre
Lord's Table	Jack Walters	Gary Chapman
1	David Stoker	Jody Dotson
2	John Campbell	Jack Kyle
3	Billy Wood	Greg Garner
4	Harold Smith	Don Cowart
5	John Hardin	Stan Dmytrowitz
6	Reg Berry	Byron Dobbs
Sermon	Bryan Collins	Bryan Collins
Closing Prayer	Jon Wise	Jerry Daffron
Prepare Communion	Gus & Billie Suarez	Stan & Jan Dmytrowitz
	Greg & Tammy Hughes	Clint & Terri Hall
Greeters	Charles & Sylvia Little	Paul & Debbie Dotson
	Tom & Kristie Markham	Lance & Susan Leavens
Sound Room	Clint Hall	Frank Cole
Security	Marshall Brown	Eric Aguirre
Nursery	Lindsey Taylor	Sharon & Rob Stone
	Christy Wise	Melisa Dotson
	Kaela Wallace	Lauren Ivanyisky
Worship PM	April 27	May 4
Welcome	Robert Howell	Keith Taylor
Reading: 1 John 4:7-11	Eddie Cooper	Guy Hydrick
Song Leader	Mark Kyle	Rich Hogan
Opening Prayer	Robert Hinkelmann	John Campbell
Sermon	Bryan Collins	David Cravy
Lord's Table	Justin Hydrick	Eddie Cooper
Assist at Lord's Table	Cole Putnam	Davis Cooper
Closing Prayer	John Hicks	Gary Kyle
Nursery	Lara & Anna Kyle	Tammy Williams, Louise White
Wednesday	April 30	May 7
Song Leader	George Stroh	Jack Kyle
Invitation	Bryan Collins	Bryan Collins
Closing Prayer	Carl Sticher	Floyd Garner
Sound Room	Jody Dotson	Robert Howell
Security	Don Slocumb	George Stroh

If you are unable to serve, call Larry Crawford

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# Woodstock church of Christ

## WEEKLY

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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... In Times of Need

You may remember sometime back Presidential Press Secretary Tony Snow stepped down from that position. Mr. Snow had battled cancer before and it had reoccurred and he was taking the time to fight his disease and be with his family. A few weeks after his resignation I found an article he had written about his struggle with cancer and the perspective he had gained from his trial. He wrote,

"We want lives of simple, predictable ease, smooth, even trails as far as the eye can see, but God likes to go off road. He provokes us with twists and turns. He places us in predicaments that seem to defy our endurance and comprehension, and yet don't. By His love and grace we persevere. The challenges that make our hearts leap and stomachs churn invariably strengthen our faith and grant measures of wisdom and joy we would not experience otherwise."

We all have times where we find it difficult to cope with the trials of life. Even if created or self-imposed there is a great amount of stress in our lives. With all the stress in our lives we search for places of refuge; for some place we can go and receive positive reinforcement. Often people expect church to be the one place where they can go to receive those positive messages that fill them with hope for a better tomorrow. One of the general messages of hope we receive is the message that whatever is happening to us, Jesus knows and that He truly cares for us.

This morning I want to talk about just how much Jesus knows about your situation and how He has experienced many of the same things you have endured in your lifetime. It may surprise you how familiar Jesus is with what we suffer having suffered Himself. I hope this brings you a measure of comfort as you bear your burdens.

Today's Sermon Topics	
<b>AM: In Times of Need</b>	Hebrews 4:14-16
<b>PM: The Good Shepherd</b>	John 10:1-21

## Visitors' Luncheon

We welcome all visitors to our services today.



We are thankful for your presence. Our visitors are invited to join us for lunch in the Fellowship Hall immediately after services. This week's luncheon will be provided by Care Zones 1.1 & 2.3 (Leavens & Mason), and next week by Care Zones 2.1 & 3 (Wise & Crawford).



**Sunday Night in Song**  
Continues at 5:30 pm  
this evening,  
in auditorium



**FFYF = First Friday Youth Fellowship**  
Friday, May 2, 7 pm

The monthly devotional for middle and high school students will meet in the fellowship hall. Make plans now to join in the fun!

**Middle & High School Youth Rally**  
Forest Park Church of Christ  
Saturday, May 3

Meet at the building at 12:30 pm, leave at 1 pm. Eat lunch before you come. We will return at about 8:30 pm. The schedule includes singing, speaker, games & activities, and dinner.

## Phone Cards for our Friends in the Military



We are collecting money to purchase phone cards for our service men and women. We hope to have the cards in their hands in time for them to call home on Mother's Day! Please give your contributions to Susan Garner by Wednesday night, April 30.

**Ladies' Day**  
"LIGHTING THE WAY"  
Saturday, May 3  
10 am - 1 pm



We pray that all ladies and young girls will make plans now to attend our Ladies' Day, which will be fun for all ages! Ellie Blankenship, mother of Kara Spillman, will speak on the theme, "Lighting the Way". We will focus on shining our light so that we may be an example to others.

Your help is needed with a project for the Ladies' Day. One of our activities will be based on a picture wall containing a baby picture of each lady who attends. Please submit a baby picture with your name written on the back to Romy Reid or Heather Massey immediately!!!

Every good event needs good food. Please sign up on the WINGS bulletin board to bring a salad or dessert for the Ladies' Day. Help is also needed to decorate tables. See sign up sheet for details.

**Sunday Night Dynamite**  
Sunday, May 4, 5-5:50 pm  
Rm. 205 & foyer  
3 year olds - third graders

Sign up today for your child(ren) to attend this month's event!

**Graduates to be honored at Fellowship Dinner**  
Sunday, May 4, 7 pm



High School and College Graduates for 2007-08 will be honored at the fellowship dinner following the First Sunday Night Singing on May 4. Parents, please provide some pictures of your graduate to Terri Hall for a slide show. You may also want to prepare some kind (or amusing) words to say about your graduate.

Also, please turn in a graduation picture to the office for use in the bulletin. We will publish a special insert for the June 1 bulletin.

## Library News

Due to duplication and overcrowding in the church library, a number of books are available free to a good home! They are located in the foyer. Please supervise your children as they select up to 5 books per family.

## Pantry Items of the Week

Canned Meat  
Cereal



## ~ BAPTISM ~

We rejoice as Sherry Rizzi was baptized into Christ Wednesday night! Be sure to make a note of the following information in your directory:

Sherry Rizzi  
Care Zone 2.3

## "Thank You!" Note

"Your expressions of sympathy, friendship, and love have been much appreciate during the time of the passing of my father. Thank you for your cards and prayers during this time. In Christian Love,  
Ron Dunnivant"

## Baby Gift Card

Meagan Swirk, niece of Darlene Pawlicki, was baptized here in 2006. She married a soldier and moved to Germany soon after. Her husband, Ron has been deployed to Iraq. Meagan is expecting a baby girl on May 23, and cannot come home. We would like to send a gift card to express our love, joy and concern for her and her family. If you would like to contribute, gift your money to Rita Laukka.

## OUR LOVE EXPRESSED

BibleStudy.....	170
WorshipAM.....	298
WorshipPM.....	177
Hispanic (Sunday am).....	15
Wed.NightBibleStudy.....	175
Contribution.....	\$10,186
Budget.....	\$8,350
Difference.....	\$1,836

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## SHUT-INS

Hazel Brown	Bill Kirby
Virginia Choate	Scott Moody
Carole Gunter	Kenneth Payne
Marie Hastings	Harry Slaughter
Eulene Howell	Alice Williamson

## OUR MEMBERS

Carl Sticher	Louise White
Joe Stickels	Harry Slaughter
Robert Howell	Dianne Whitener
Henry Schmid	Geri Furline
Eileen Skelton	Jenny Aguirre
	Brenda Queen

## FRIENDS AND RELATIVES

Arrin Alewel, granddaughter of Ery & Zelma Boothe  
David Aguirre, father of Eric Aguirre  
Phyllis Goodwin, cousin of Keith Taylor  
Rob Galbraith, brother of Michele Butler & Cindy Kircher

## PRaise GOD

Jordan Whetstone, friend of Rich & Kim Hogan, is back on American soil after serving in Iraq

## SERVING IN FOREIGN LANDS

Ron Swirk - husband of Meagan Swirk, former member  
Jonathan Rickaway - friend of the Grady family  
Nathan Rennicks - grandson of Weaver's neighbor  
Michael-John Vargas - grandson of John & Rosie Hicks  
Andrew Davidson - grandson of Mary Jo & Willis Michael  
Richard Holdridge - member  
Tommy Dean - friend of Garner family  
Jordan Turner Keshawarz - Diana Diamond  
Jason Kilgore - friend of the Garner family  
Brailey Brooks - brother of Stenelle Cronan  
Jeff Kerby - friend of Doug & Connie Reed  
Joey Reid - nephew of Vickey Castro