

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 "Visitor" card and send it to the center aisle so we can have a record of your presence.

This Week's Events

CLASS PROMOTION Today

The 3-year olds through High School Bible classes are promoting today. This is the start of the summer quarter.

2017 Summer Reading "Catch a Dragon by the Tale" Begins today



All children are encouraged to read this summer. Please sign up and check out books from our library. For questions, see Laura Cravy, Barry & Ellen Payne, or Marcy Cox.

L2L Bible Bowl Introduction and Study Session Today, 4-5:30 pm

All parents are asked to stay for the first ten minutes. We will be studying 1 Corinthians 1-4.

Elders & Deacons Meeting



Today 4 pm room 206

Monthly Singing & Fellowship Today

Please bring food for a potluck meal, including a drink and dessert. Schedule for the evening:
Singing 5:30 pm
KidSing 6:20 pm
Worship Service 6:30 pm
Graduation Celebration Fellowship 7 pm

Manna in the Morning



Every Monday @ 5:30 am

Join the men who meet for Bible study. This week, Walter Sessions will lead the discussion on 2 Corinthians 4:1.



Women's Recovery Group Mondays at 6:30 pm, room 205

If you would like to be a part of the recovery for women, please attend. Classic Brumley is the group facilitator.



Men's Recovery Group Mondays at 6:30 pm, room 206

If you would like to be a part of the 12-step recovery for men, please attend. See Dave Brannan for questions.



Sewing Club Summer Schedule Wednesday, June 7, 10 am Thursday, June 8, 7-9 pm

If you do not want to quilt, just bring your own project and enjoy the group.

L2L Second Language

Wednesday, June 7, 7 pm Spanish, room 205 Sign Language, room 206

If you are interested in learning Spanish and/or Sign Language, please attend. If you are interested in learning both, please attend the class of the language you would like to learn first. If you have any questions, please see Shawna Powell.

Creation Museum and Ark Encounter Trip June 8-11

Everyone is invited to join the group trip. Please see the misc. bulletin board for all the details, or contact Dave Brannan for questions.



Breakfast & VBS Workday Saturday, June 10 Breakfast at 8:30 am

This month's breakfast is open to everyone. Please stay and help set up for VBS. If you would like to help with the cooking, come early.



Knit/Crochet Classes Saturday, June 10 11 am-1 pm

Coming Soon



VBS: "Rome" Paul and the Underground Church June 11-14, 7-9 pm Ages 3yrs. to 5th grade Registration forms are in the foyer.

We still need volunteers.

Please sign up on the bulletin board.

VBS: Items Needed

Canopies/Pop-up Tents for the Market Place
Colored Sheets and Blankets
Old Pottery, Plastic Fruit,
Plastic Flower Arrangements, & Buckets
Please sign up to donate snacks. Lists are on the bulletin board.



Annual Lake Winnie Day Friday, June 16, 8:15 am

www.lakewinnie.com

All Youth (ES to HS) are invited to go on the annual trip to the Lake Winnie Amusement Park. We will plan to leave the building at 8:15 am. Please sign up on the youth bulletin board by June 11. Please see Joe Sticksel for questions.



Bible Camp Inagehi June 18-23

www.campinagehi.org

Online registration is open. Spots are filling fast. Register ASAP. Save money by registering early. If you would like to volunteer to be a counselor, please see Kristie Markham.

News & Information

Teachers Needed

If you would like to teach or assist teaching, please let our coordinators or Education Deacons know. Coordinators:
Pam Reynolds: Preschool
Tammy Williams: Elementary School
Don Williams: Middle & High School
Troy Golden: Adult Education Deacons:
Troy Golden, Jeremy Powell, Lincoln Waddell, and Walter Sessions



Congratulations to Charlie and Andi Scarborough who are celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary. Everyone is invited to a casual drop-in gathering at Central CoC., June 17, 1-3 pm. Cards only please.



Sunday, June 25, 4 pm fellowship hall

Ladies, you are invited to a baby shower for Krystal Cox. Krystal & Ryan are expecting a boy. She is registered at Amazon and Target.



Check out our sermon video streams at www.youtube.com. Search for "Woodstock Church of Christ" and then Subscribe to our Channel. If we can get over 100 subscribers, we get advanced features for free which makes it more user friendly for you!



To all of our sweet friends at Woodstock Church of Christ:

Well, this week has come and gone, and Doug's surgery has come and gone as well. Thankful to God that he watched over Doug and the surgeon that attended to his bad back. We pray now that the surgery was a success and Doug can once again carry on his daily activities without his chronic pain. We are thankful to all who said a prayer, who sent a card, who made a phone call, or who paid a visit. We love you all and thank you all! With much love!
Connie and Doug Reed

Dear Church Family,

Thank you for the prayers, cards, phone calls, and beautiful plant. We so appreciate all the kindness shown after my mom, Martha Culpepper, passed away and during her illness. In Christian Love,
Greg & Susan Garner and the Culpepper Family

Pantry Items of the Week



Toilet Tissue, Shampoo, and Laundry Detergent

God's Blessing Bags

The Blessing Bags are ready! Please take what you can give away. In the foyer or room 205.

2017 Bible in a Year

June bookmarks are now available. Please check out BibleGateway.com to see the daily passages online. Place completed bookmarks back in the tray. Currently: Jan. 48, Feb. 39, Mar. 37, Apr. 31, May 7.

Our Love Expressed

Bible Study.....131
Worship AM.....288
Worship PM.....138
Wed. Night Bible Study.....171

SHUT-INS



Frank Blackwell
Jennifer Chambers
William Flatt
William Goodwin
Carole Gunter
Thamara Howell
Howard Key

Mary Legg
Ethel Miles
Janice Moody
Kenneth Payne
Margaret Payne
Lillian Sutton
Jewell Tucker

OUR MEMBERS

George Buchanan
Classic Brumley
Vickey Castro
Don Cowart
Pat Harris
Tim Locker
Bobby Mason
Floyd Garner
Nancy Phillips
Robert Phillips

Dakoda Phipps
Doug Reed
Anerol Reese
Glen Rice
Mark Roby
Harold Smith
Barbara Snook
Rafael Uzcategui
Carson Vitrano
Daniel Welker

Christians in Pakistan
Kyle Clayton Family in India

FRIENDS AND RELATIVES

Jim Bob Franklin, brother of Wanda White
Ashley Rice, granddaughter of Glen & Sandi Rice
Reba Duren, aunt of Thamar Howell
Barbara Napier, mother of Rick Laukka
Ryan Klimke, friend of Jennifer Welker
Sue Tenant, friend of Stephanie Mason
Kellie Renfro, friend of Kristie Markham
Kathy Cochran, friend of Sandi Rice
Janet Predko, friend of JoAnn Rhodes
Amanda, cousin of Catherine Cravy
Don Hood, brother of Louise White
David Wilkinson, father of Emily Hydrick
Wanda Zeanah, aunt of Don Williams
Carl Spratlin, uncle of Lisa Hammonds
Nancy Bender, sister of Leslie Torkildsen
Dave Craton, husband of Carol Craton
Donald Carlisle, brother of Jerry Wallace
Amelia McGuire, mother of Sandy Covington
Joe Isaksen, friend of Jeremy & Shawna Powell
Sam Perrine, father of Laura Cravy
Cole Putnam, son of Bob & Cathie Putnam
Juanita Sigman, mother of Corey Lloyd
Thomas Sanders, husband of Ruth Sanders



Donevan Brand
Austin Cooper
Christian Duren
Colton Umstead
Shane Umstead
Joseph Vasquez

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Sun.	4:00 PM	L2L Bible Bowl Practice
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Sun.	5:30 PM	Singing
Sun.	6:20 PM	KidSing
Sun.	7:00 PM	Graduation Fellowship
Mon.	5:30 AM	Manna in the Morning
Mon.	6:30 PM	Women's Recovery
Mon.	6:30 PM	Men's Recovery
Wed.	10:00 AM	Sewing Club
Wed.	7:00 PM	L2L Second Language
Wed.	7:30 PM	Summer Series with Stan Butt
Thurs.	7:00 PM	Sewing Club
Sat.	8:30 AM	Breakfast & VBS Workday
Sat.	11:00 AM	Knit & Crochet Class

Weekly Schedule		Elders
Sunday		elders@woodstockchurchofchrist.org
Bible Study	9:30 AM	
Worship	10:30 AM	
		David Cravy
	6:00 PM	
Wednesday		Rick Reynolds
Bible Study	7:30 PM	
Friday		Don Williams
Spanish Bible Study	7:00 PM	

Deacons	
Charles Bailey	Rick Laukka
Reg Berry	Jack Lewis
Dave Brannan	Tom Markham
Frank Cole	Barry Payne
Ron Cox	Jeremy Powell
Larry Crawford	Doug Reed
Eric Dotson	Walter Sessions
Greg Garner	Joe Stephens
Troy Golden	Joe Stickels
Mike House	Lincoln Waddell


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

Social Media	
www.facebook.com/groups/6063394680/	- Woodstock Church of Christ page
www.facebook.com/groups/681085048620415/	- Young Christian Adults page (YCA)
www.facebook.com/groups/163427743687505/	- Fellowship of Christian Adults (FCA)
www.facebook.com/groups/205772372829263/	- Woman IN God's Service (Wings)
www.facebook.com/groups/41417838605466/	- Woodstock Church of Christ Ladies (WCOCLadies Group)
www.facebook.com/groups/35792174237/	- Woodstock Day School Twitter: @wccoc219
Stream sermons at https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCzIDPK3tAJSF4UCOKYAS3A	

Privileged to Serve		
If you are unable to serve, notify Frank Cole,		
Ushers for June: Marshall Brown, Woody Woodyard, David Kennedy, and Charles Little		
Worship AM	June 4	June 11
Welcome	Mike House	Eric Dotson
Song Leader	Mike Tomlin	Joey O'Dell
Opening Prayer	Ray Allen	Larry Crawford
Lord's Table	Joey O'Dell	Dave Brannan
1	Charlie Bailey	Ryan Cox
2	Barry Payne	Mike House
3	Robert Howell	Mike Tomlin
4	David Patterson	Jared Tomlin
5	Michael Johnson	Joe Stephens
6	Frank Rhodes	Tripp Stephens
Scripture Reading	Justin Dobbs	Keaton Brumley
Sermon	Matt Amos	Matt Amos
Shepherd's Closing Prayer	Don Williams	Gary Kyle
Prepare Communion	Clint & Terri Hall	Mark & Paula Williams
Greeters	Rick & Pam Reynolds	Joe & Gayla Stephens
	Ron & Marcy Cox	Lansil & Loretta Davis
	James & Peggy Dowdy	David & Pam Patterson
Sound Room (AV)	Michael Maldonado	Eric Dotson
Building Lock-up	Rick Laukka	Marshall Brown
Nursery	Rhonda House	Terri Hall
	Jaden House	Sara Morrison
Worship PM	June 4	June 11
Welcome	Troy Golden	Rick Laukka
Song Leader	Reagan Markham	David Dangar
Opening Prayer	Jack Kyle	Lincoln Waddell
Scripture Reading	Owen Massey	Brody Brumley
Sermon	Don Williams	Matt Amos
Lord's Table	Ethan Woodyard	Tom Markham
Assist at Lord's Table	Andrew Woodyard	Trenton Markham
Closing Prayer	Dave Brannan	Monty Davis
Building Lock-up	Rick Laukka	Marshall Brown
Nursery	Rita Laukka	Kathy Crawford
	Pam Reynolds	Barbara Murphy
Wednesday	June 7	June 14
Song Leader	Jeremy Powell	Dave Brannan
Invitation	Stan Butt	Tommy Tidwell
Closing Prayer	Justin Hydrick	David Dangar
Sound Room (AV)	Michael Maldonado	Eric Dotson
Building Lock-up	Troy Golden	Don Slocumb

Local TV Shows/Other Social Media	
In Search of the Lord's Way with Phil Sanders, WATC-TV 57, Sunday 7:30 am, www.facebook.com/insearchofthelordsway , Blog: searchtelevision.blogspot.com/	
YouTube: www.youtube.com/user/Search1TVMinistry	
Good News Today on GBN	
Preaching the Gospel program available on DISH NETWORK Channel 267 and DIRECTV Channel 376, Sunday Mornings only, 7:30 Eastern Standard Time	
The Gospel Broadcasting Network may be viewed in the Atlanta area: Online at http://www.gbnv.org/	
Through the Roku device (http://gbnv.org/roku.html)	
On iPhone/iPad with GBN app in the iTunes Store (http://bit.ly/InqMwK)	
On Android with GBN app from the Android Market (http://bit.ly/XREhX0)	



Woodstock Church of Christ

Weekly Bulletin

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.

Vol. 25 No. 23 MALACHI AND WORSHIP June 4, 2017

Malachi was a messenger and prophet of God at a time, when, after the Babylonian captivity, the people had been restored to Jerusalem and the temple and walls of the city had been rebuilt. However, the priesthood had become sensual and selfish and had grown careless and neglectful of their duty. They had expected that the Messianic kingdom would be established immediately upon their return. They were, therefore, discouraged and grew skeptical (Malachi 2:17) because the Kingdom was yet future (Matthew 16:18; Mark 9:1) and of what they perceived around them as many inequalities of life, seeing it as divine injustice. This doubt of divine justice had caused them to neglect God and His will under that old system and, as a result, true worship had given place to mere robotic formality. They had not yet relapsed into idolatry but a spirit of worldliness had crept in and they had become guilty of promoting and engaging in worship to God as they deemed it proper, and that without a sense of holiness and propriety as is seen in many religious groups today. In an attempt to be like "the nations around us" more and more often significant numbers of today's congregations of the Lord's Church have, as well, fallen into the same error.

The purpose of Malachi's prophecy was to rebuke the priests and the people for departing from the worship as commanded in the law of God and to call them back to worship Him in spirit and in the truth of His Law. Malachi says of those who engaged in their own developed "will worship", "They affect to themselves innocence and are unconscious of any sin." (Verse 23). They are like Cain of old who asked, "Am I my brother's keeper?" and like many who will be turned away from the gates of life at the Last Day, these ancient sinners had presumptuously judged themselves to be innocent of any wrong-doing. The same is prevalent today throughout the denominational world! Jesus warned:

"Many will say to me in that day, Lord did we not prophecy by thy name, and by thy name cast out demons, and by thy name do many mighty works? And then will I profess unto them, I never knew you: depart from me, ye that work iniquity (Matthew 7:22-23)."

The priests, as many today, claimed innocence in the development and employment of their own methods of worship while effectively and ignorantly proclaiming, "we are doing it all in His name", a complete misunderstanding of Colossians 3:17 which has nothing to do with proclamations, but demands that "all that is said and done must have His authority!". And these misled people by proclaiming they are doing "it" in His name have come to be taught and believe that by pronouncing such when engaging in any activity within or without worship, they have, thereby, justified themselves and are pure and innocent, no matter the action, addition or subtraction, such as instruments of music, strobe lights, colored smoke, rock bands, musical groups, and other items of entertainment of which Christ's authority knows nothing!

As the judgment fell in 70 AD on those Jews who had rejected Him as noted above, so judgment awaits those guilty of the same in these last days. Our worship today must be without addition or subtraction, as clearly directed by the Spirit in the New Testament, with the right attitude, an attitude that is based and flows from a thankful heart (mind)!

-Matt