

## 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 with us.

## This Week's Events

### Family Finances

**Fellowship Hall Class**  
Today, 9:30 am

### Monthly Singing & Fellowship and Area-Wide Youth Devo Today

We will be hosting the Area-Wide Youth Devo, so please bring extra food for a potluck meal, including a drink and dessert. Schedule for the evening:

Area-Wide Youth Devo 4:30 pm  
Singing 5:30 pm  
Kid Sing 6:20 pm  
Worship Service 6:30 pm  
Fellowship 7 pm

### Manna in the Morning



Every Monday @ 5:30 am  
Woodstock IHOP

Join the men who meet for Bible study. This week, Don Williams will lead the discussion on Romans 13:3.



Tuesday, July 12, 7:30 pm

Everyone is encouraged to meet in the foyer of the Woodstock Nursing Home on Arnold Mill Road on Tuesday evening at 7:30 pm to sing hymns for the residents.



Tuesday, July 12, 7:30 pm

All Preschool-5th grade children and parents are encouraged to come to the Nursing Home Singing. See Lincoln Waddell for questions.



**2016 Summer Series**  
Wednesday, July 13, 7:30 pm  
A Study of Romans Chapter 12  
"Present Your Bodies a Living Sacrifice" by...

*Not Lagging in Diligence, Fervent in Spirit*  
Serving the Lord (Romans 12:11)  
Cary Oglesby-Duluth COC



**FCA Camping & Tubing**  
Yonah Mtn. Campground  
July 15-17

Each family will need to call 706-865-6546 to make camping reservations. If camping, check in on Friday, July 15 (can check in anytime for camping), and check out Sunday, July 17, by noon. We will be tubing with the Cool River tubing company in Helen. We will meet at the tubing place at 10 am on Saturday, July 16th. If we have a group of 10 or more, the cost is only \$6 per person. See Dave & Katrina Brannan for questions.

## Coming Soon

**Care Zone 2**  
Visitor's Luncheon  
Sunday, July 17  
following am worship

The Care Zones have decided to host a visitor(s) luncheon once a month. The lunch will be provided by Care Zones 2.1, 2.2, and 2.4. Please see Larry & Kathy Crawford for questions.



**Super Seniors**  
in Service

Tuesday, July 19, 11 am  
Fellowship Hall

Join the group for a period of devotion and a potluck luncheon to follow.

**Movies on the Lawn**  
"Secrets of the Mountain"  
Friday, July 22, 8 pm  
Movie Starts at Dark

Bring a lawn chair and a blanket. Come early for good seats. Good, clean family entertainment. Invite your friends and neighbors. Hosted by Troy & Anna Golden.



Sunday, July 24, 4 pm

Ladies, you are invited to a baby shower for Reagan Jones. Reagan is expecting a girl and is registered at Babies "R" Us.



We are planning to start an adult grief support group. If you are interested, please come to the initial meeting on July 31 at 4:30 pm in room 206. Please see Vickie Castro for questions.



August 6, 9 am -12 pm

Please join us as we reveal ourselves to our Silent Prayer Sisters and draw new names for the next 6 months. The first half of our day will be a time of fellowship and talking about our blessings, and the second half we will spend in prayer. Please see Anna Golden for questions.



August 26-28

Men, a sign-up sheet and a photo of the shirt design are on the Misc. bulletin board. The camp cost is \$40.00 each. Shirt cost is \$14.00 each. Shirt orders will be placed by July 17th at the latest. All money for registration and shirt must be paid up front. Please see Charlie Bailey for questions.

## Ongoing Events



**Sewing Club**  
Schedule

July 11, 7-9 pm  
July 16, 10 am-12 pm  
July 18, 7-9 pm  
July 21, 7-9 pm  
July 25, 7-9 pm  
July 30, 10 am-12 pm

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



**Be Bright... Read**  
Summer Reading  
June 1-August 31

All children are encouraged to sign up now in the library. For questions, see Laura Cravy, Barry & Ellen Payne, or Marcy Cox.

## Living Wall Pictures

If you haven't had your picture made or if new baby, children have grown, new hair style, wedding, etc., and would like to have a new picture made to be posted on our Living Wall, please see Barry Payne. He will take the photo for you after any worship service.

## Missions



**2017 Woodstock Mission**  
Travel Fund

This fund is for those individuals traveling to India from Woodstock in January 2017. Collection dates for this fund began July 1, 2016, and will cease December 31, 2016. To contribute (IN ADDITION TO YOUR NORMAL WEEKLY CONTRIBUTION), make checks payable to WCOC and note for Woodstock Mission Travel Fund.

## New Address

Aaron & Shonna Martell  
Madison, Hayleigh & Matthew  
Care Zone 3.1

## New Sisters in Christ

Baptized 7-3-16



Kalen Whitener & Kirsten Whitener

## Sympathy



Sympathy to the family of Holly Wenson. Holly was a long time visitor to our congregation.

## Pantry Items of the Week

Cooking Oil, Rice,  
Canned Tuna, Canned  
Chicken, Laundry Detergent,  
and All Purpose Cleaner

## Chronological Bible in a Year

July bookmarks are now available. Place completed bookmarks back in the tray. Currently: Jan. 45, Feb. 43, Mar. 42, Apr. 38, May 37, June 22, and July 1.

## Our Love Expressed

Bible Study.....162  
Worship AM.....263  
Worship PM.....150  
Wed. Night Bible Study.....166

July 10, 2016

## SHUT-INS



Frank Blackwell  
Jennifer Chambers  
William Goodwin  
Carole Gunter  
Thamara Howell

Janice Moody  
Kenneth Payne  
Eileen Skelton  
Betty Sticher  
Jewell Tucker

## OUR MEMBERS

Loretta Davis  
Carol DeVita  
Diana Diamond  
William Flatt  
Jean Franklin  
Howard Guy  
Thamara Howell  
Wanda Jenkins

Steve Lusk  
Brenda Queen  
Anerol Reese  
Mark Roby  
Harold Smith  
Carson Vitrano  
Daniel Welker

Christians in Pakistan  
Kyle Clayton Family in India

## FRIENDS AND RELATIVES

Wayne Bradley, frequent visitor  
Seth Painter, grandson of James Kyle, Jack Kyle's brother  
Destin Coggins, step-granddaughter of the Putnams  
Nancy Massey, mother of Mark Massey  
Cara White, friend of Terri Hall  
Kathy, aunt of Bobby Mason  
Danny Welker, father of Daniel Welker  
Tim Schumacher, son of Cindy Schumacher  
Ricky Sammons, brother-in-law of Loretta Hydrick  
Mary Black Wilson, friend of Peggy Winters  
Sharon Hill, friend of Judy Hayes  
Joyce Bishop, friend of Peggy Winters  
Mia Lockman, friend of Anna Golden  
Ashley Rice, granddaughter of Glen & Sandi Rice  
Dave Craton, husband of Carol Craton  
Deborah Thames, daughter of Anerol Reese  
Sandy Roberts, father of Kevin, a server at Chick-fil-A  
Marcus Monahan, grandson of Barbara Murphy  
Adam Utterback, husband of Katie Utterback  
Kiran Kumari, friend of Kathy Berry  
Steve Wilson, friend of Cindy Taylor  
Patricia Vidrine, friend of Lori Baker  
Cole Putnam, son of Bob & Cathie Putnam  
Faye Ball, friend of Mignon Ridings  
Butch Adams, brother-in-law of Don Cowart  
Angela Foust, daughter-in-law of Ricky & Wanda Jenkins  
Ronnie Pounders, friend of Peggy Winters  
Wayne Cryder, cousin of Reg Berry  
Joshua Moore & Dakoda Phipps, sons of Tammy Phipps  
Queen Powell, grandmother of Jackie Slater  
Nancy Bender, sister of Leslie Torkildsen  
Allan Williams, husband of Janet Williams  
Michael Jennings, son of Chris Jennings  
Jackie Null, former member  
Don Bailey, frequent visitor



Joseph Vasquez  
Donevan Brand  
Colton Umstead  
Austin Cooper

This Week's Events		
Sun.	9:30 AM	Family Finance Class
Sun.	4:30 PM	Area-Wide Youth Devo
Sun.	5:30 PM	Singing
Sun.	6:20 PM	KidSing
Sun.	7:00 PM	Fellowship
Mon.	5:30 AM	Manna in the Morning
Mon.	7:00 PM	Sewing Club
Tues.	7:30 PM	Nursing Home Singing
Wed.	7:30 PM	Summer Series, Cary Oglesby
Fri.	5:30 AM	FCA Camping & Tubing Trip
Sat	10:00 AM	Sewing Club

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

Deacons	
Charles Bailey	Mike House
Reg Berry	Rick Laukka
Dave Brannan	Jack Lewis
Ron Cox	Tom Markham
Larry Crawford	Barry Payne
Eric Dotson	Jeremy Powell
Greg Garner	Joe Stephens

Ministers	
Matt Amos	Rafael Uzcategui
<a href="mailto:matt.amos@woodstockchurchofchrist.org">matt.amos@woodstockchurchofchrist.org</a>	<a href="mailto:rafael.uzcategui@woodstockchurchofchrist.org">rafael.uzcategui@woodstockchurchofchrist.org</a>

Contact Information	
<b>Address</b>	219 Rope Mill Road Woodstock, GA 30188
<b>Main Office</b>	770-926-8838
<b>Spanish Office</b>	770-926-8271
<b>Fax</b>	770-926-8271
<b>Website</b>	<a href="http://www.woodstockchurchofchrist.org">www.woodstockchurchofchrist.org</a>
<b>Email</b>	<a href="mailto:info@woodstockchurchofchrist.org">info@woodstockchurchofchrist.org</a>
<b>Office Hours</b>	Monday - Thursday 8:30 AM-3:30 PM Friday 8:30 AM-12:30 PM

Social Media	
<a href="http://www.facebook.com/groups/6063394680/">www.facebook.com/groups/6063394680/</a>	- Woodstock Church of Christ page
<a href="http://www.facebook.com/groups/681085048620415/">www.facebook.com/groups/681085048620415/</a>	- Young Christian Adults page (YCA)
<a href="http://www.facebook.com/groups/163427743687505/">www.facebook.com/groups/163427743687505/</a>	- Fellowship of Christian Adults (FCA)
<a href="http://www.facebook.com/groups/205772372829263/">www.facebook.com/groups/205772372829263/</a>	- Woman IN God's Service (Wings)
<a href="http://www.facebook.com/groups/414178388605466/">www.facebook.com/groups/414178388605466/</a>	- Woodstock Church of Christ Ladies (WCOCLadies Group)
<a href="http://www.facebook.com/groups/35792174237/">www.facebook.com/groups/35792174237/</a>	- Woodstock Day School
Twitter: @wccoc219	

**Privileged to Serve**  
If you are unable to serve, notify Frank Cole,  
Ushers for July: Marshall Brown, Jerry Wallace, David Stoker, and Ron Cox

Worship AM	July 10	July 17
Welcome	Eric Dotson	Rick Laukka
Song Leader	Jeremy Powell	Mike Tomlin
Opening Prayer	Gary Kyle	Mike House
Lord's Table	Joe Stickels	Dave Amos
1	Mark Wood	Mark Wood
2	Tom Markham	Tom Markham
3	Paul Dotson	Paul Dotson
4	Charles Little	Charles Little
5	Don Slocumb	Don Slocumb
6	Jeremy Wallace	Jeremy Wallace
Sermon	Matt Amos	Matt Amos
Shepherd's Closing Prayer	Gary Kyle	David Cravy
Prepare Communion	Tom & Kristie Markham	Lansil & Loretta Davis
	Jeremy & Shawna Powell	David & Laura Cravy
Greeters	Barry & Ellen Payne	Paul & Debbie Dotson
	Rick & Rita Laukka	Dave Brannan
Sound Room	Michael Maldonado	Clint Hall
Security	Don Slocumb	Mike House
Nursery	Terri Hall	Lara Kyle
	Laura Cravy	Emma Kyle
Worship PM	July 10	July 17
Welcome	Jack Kyle	Joey O'Dell
Song Leader	Johnny Mackey	Stan Dmytrowitz
Opening Prayer	Tom Markham	Justin Hydrick
Sermon	Rick Reynolds	Matt Amos
Lord's Table	Daniel Welker	Rick Reynolds
Assist at Lord's Table	Barry Payne	Owen Massey
Closing Prayer	Woody Woodyard	Johnny Mackey
Nursery	Cathie Putnam	Anna Golden
	Wanda White	Darlene Vasquez
Wednesday	July 13	July 20
Song Leader	Lincoln Waddell	Dave Brannan
Invitation	Cary Oglesby	Caleb Colley
Closing Prayer	Owen Massey	Lincoln Waddell
Sound Room	Michael Maldonado	Clint Hall
Security	Don Slocumb	Mike House

Local TV Shows/Other Social Media	
In Search of the Lord's Way with Phil Sanders, WATC-TV 57, Sunday 7:30 am, <a href="http://www.facebook.com/insearchofthelordsway">www.facebook.com/insearchofthelordsway</a> , Blog: <a href="http://searchtelevision.blogspot.com/">searchtelevision.blogspot.com/</a> YouTube: <a href="http://www.youtube.com/user/SearchTVMinistry">www.youtube.com/user/SearchTVMinistry</a> Good News Today, <a href="http://www.GNTTV.org">www.GNTTV.org</a> , WATC-TV 57, 10:30 pm 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 <a href="http://www.gbn.tv/">http://www.gbn.tv/</a> Through the Roku device ( <a href="http://gbn.tv/roku.html">http://gbn.tv/roku.html</a> ) On iPhone/iPad with GBN app in the iTunes Store ( <a href="http://bit.ly/inquMvK">http://bit.ly/inquMvK</a> ) On Android with GBN app from the Android Market ( <a href="http://bit.ly/XREHxI">http://bit.ly/XREHxI</a> )	



# 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. 24 No. 28      **SPIRITUAL GROWTH**      July 10, 2016

Spiritual growth is the process of becoming more and more like Jesus Christ. When we place our faith in Jesus, the Holy Spirit begins the process of making us more like Him, conforming us to His image. Spiritual growth is perhaps best described in 2 Peter 1:3-8, which tells us that by God's divine power we have "everything we need" to live lives of godliness, which is the goal of spiritual growth. Notice that what we need comes "through our knowledge of Him," which is the key to obtaining everything we need. Our knowledge of Him comes from the Word, given to us for our edification and growth.

There are two lists in Galatians 5:19-21. Verses 19-21 list the "acts of the flesh." These are the things that identified our lives before we came to Christ for salvation. The acts of the flesh are the activities we are to confess, repent of, and, with God's help overcome. As we experience spiritual growth, fewer and fewer of the "acts of the flesh" will be evident in our lives. The second list is the "fruit of the Spirit" (verses 22-23). These are what should characterize our lives after we have gained salvation through His cleansing blood that is reached and applied in baptism. Spiritual growth is to be identified by the fruit of the Spirit becoming increasingly evident in a believer's life.

Immediately following baptism into Christ, spiritual growth begins. Upon baptism we receive the gift of the Holy Spirit (Acts 2:38). We, at that point, become new creatures in Christ (2 Corinthians 5:17). The old man of sin begins to give way to the new life in Christ. Spiritual growth is a lifelong process that depends on our study and application of God's Word (2 Timothy 3:16-17) and our spiritual walk in Christ (Galatians 5:16-26).

As we strive for spiritual growth, we should pray to God and ask for wisdom (James 1:5) concerning areas in which we can serve and mature spiritually. We can ask God to increase our faith and knowledge of Him as we study His Word. He desires for us to grow spiritually, and He has given us all we need to experience that growth. As we give way in loving obedience to His Word, we will overcome sin and steadily become more like our Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ.

-Matt Amos