

This Week's Events		
Sunday	Noon	Visitors' Luncheon
Sunday	7 pm	Fellowship Dinner
Monday	7 pm	Monday Night for the Master
Monday	1-6 pm	Red Cross Blood Drive
Saturday	8:30 am	Men's Breakfast & Prayer Meeting

Weekly Schedule		Ushers for Aug.
Sunday		Marshall Brown
Bible Study	9:30 am	Robert Howell
Worship	10:30 am	Bryan Reid
	6:00 pm	Mark Williams
Wednesday		Scott Taylor
Bible Study	7:30 pm	Gary Kyle

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

Ministers	
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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	
DirecTV channel 323, Sunday & Thursday 8 am	
Dishnet Channel 9407, Sunday & Thursday at noon	

Ushers for August: Marshall Brown, Robert Howell, Bryan Reid, Mark Williams, Scott Taylor, Gary Kyle

Worship AM	August 3	August 10
Welcome	Paul Dotson	Joe Moody
Reading: Matthew 5:13-16	John Campbell	Charles Little
Songleader	Mark Kyle	Johnny Mackey
Opening Prayer	Ron Dunnivant	Reg Berry
Lord's Table	George Stroh	Bob Crompton
1	Gary Chapman	Jody Dotson
2	Eric Aguirre	John Campbell
3	Verlon Grady	Monty Davis
4	Stan Dmytrowitz	Clint Hall
5	Greg Hughes	Byron Dobbs
6	Mark Johnson	Mark Wood
Sermon	Bryan Collins	Bryan Collins
Closing Prayer	Harold Null	Jack Kyle
Prepare Communion	Eddie Cooper & Sons	Byron & Tina Dobbs
	Gary & Lara Kyle	Eric & Chris Dotson
Greeters	Reg & Kathy Berry	Ervy & Zelma Boothe
	Rick & Tammy Langosch	Eddie & Vickey Castro
Sound Room	Clint Hall	Frank Cole
Security	Jerry Wallace	Jody Dotson
Nursery	Sharon Stone	Rita Laukka
	Melissa Dotson	Beth Wallace
	Lauren Ivanyisky	Kaela Wallace
Worship PM	August 3	August 10
Welcome	Mark Howard	Jody Dotson
Reading: Matthew 7:7-12	John Hicks	Davis Cooper
Song Leader	Stan Dmytrowitz	Guy Hydrick
Opening Prayer	Loran Hogg	Homer West
Sermon	Richard Allen	Bryan Collins
Lord's Table	Justin Hydrick	Mark Kyle
Assist at Lord's Table	Harrison Kyle	Jeremy Wallace
Closing Prayer	Johnny Spillman	Robert Howell
Nursery	Tammy Williams, Louise White	Judy Hayes, Barbara Murphy
Wednesday	August 6	August 13
Song Leader	David Cravy	Stan Dmytrowitz
Invitation	Bryan Collins	Bryan Collins
Closing Prayer	Jack Walters	Keith Taylor
Sound Room	Stan Dmytrowitz	Jody Dotson
Security	Don Slocumb	Marshall Brown

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... We wish to see Jesus

Those words are so true, aren't they? You can sort of lose yourself in thoughts of what it would have been like to have seen Jesus and to have heard Him speak. What would it have been like to have been in the crowd at the foot of the mount? What did He look like? What did His voice sound like? Better still, what would it have been like for Him to have looked your way or have spoken directly to you? These are all questions we have, trivial or not, and there may be a few others we'd just like to know to satisfy our own curiosity.

In John 12:21, a group of Greek worshippers came to Philip with that same kind of curiosity, wanting to see Jesus. Jesus didn't avail Himself to the curiosity seekers. He took that moment to teach His own disciples of the significance of His death, and how it would benefit all of mankind. We can now understand that, through the word, all men have the opportunity to see Jesus.

One important fact that comes out of this passage is that, even among those who saw Jesus and heard His voice, not everyone believed and obeyed. Seeing Jesus satisfied a trivial curiosity in most, rather than filling a deep need for salvation. We read in this passage that God spoke and men began to dispute what they heard. Not much seems to have changed over the last 2000 years. People still have a mild curiosity about Jesus, but are not willing to go the lengths necessary to follow Him.

For so many, the word isn't enough, and yet, according to Jesus, the word He left will be the standard by which we are judged in the last days, John 12:48. Today's lesson is a look at Jesus glorified and lifted up, according to His own words.

Today's Sermon Topics	
AM: We Wish To See Jesus	John 12:12-50
PM: How We Spend Our Time	Colossians 4:5

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. The luncheon today will be provided by Care Zones 1.1 & 1.2 (Leavens & Aguirre), and next week by Care Zones 1.3 & 3 (Woodyard & Crawford).



Advertising & Coordinating Committee Meeting

*This afternoon, 5 pm
Room 205*

Building Finance Committee

A short presentation will be made by this committee after evening services tonight.

First Sunday Singing & Fellowship Dinner

TONIGHT, August 3

Everyone is invited to the potluck dinner after worship in song tonight. Please bring food for the covered dish dinner including dessert and drinks. No one has volunteered to host the dinner so let's all join in to help set-up and clean-up.

Red Cross Blood Drive

*Monday, August 4, 1-6 pm
Fellowship Hall*

The Red Cross is running desperately low on blood. Please sign up on the bulletin board to be a donor. We need 50 donors! Please help.



Men's Breakfast & Prayer Meeting

*Saturday, August 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.

Georgia AGAPE

When Noah loaded the ark, the animals came two by two. The State of Georgia is asking Georgia AGAPE to provide shelter similarly by placing sibling groups together in foster homes. It is suggested that children who come into foster care adjust better when they can remain with siblings. AGAPE will be conducting 3 weekends of training classes shortly after school starts to prepare families who can help by foster parenting sibling groups. Please call Jayne Osburn at 770-452-9995 before September 1 for more information on this training.



Pakistan Mission Project

Please continue to work at home on the craft projects to be sent to Pakistan. A collection box is available in the ladies' classroom (room 205) where you can place all completed crafts or donations. This box is emptied after each service. Deadline for completion of crafts is August 20.

Bibles for Pakistan

Only \$2.00 will place a Bible in the Urdu language into the hands of a Pakistani woman. We need your help to spread the Word! Please give your contribution to the elders, Louise White or Shirley Walters and designate "Bibles for Pakistan".

preschool registration



Woodstock Day School

Openings are available for ages 1-4 years, as well as Kindergarten. See Chris Dotson to register your child today! School opens on August 25.

Clothing Giveaway



A special thank you to all who helped with the clothing giveaway this year. With all your help we were able to serve 21 families (over 80 individuals) and all who came were very appreciative. Thanks to the congregation for your continued support of this ministry. You can begin to bring clothing to the closet again (it is empty).

Clothing Closet Staff

Pantry Items of the Week

Canned Meat
Jelly



★ Thank You! ★ THANK YOU!

To my Christian family with love, I received the gift cards; they were very helpful and thank you to everyone that contributed. I am so thankful to have such wonderful friends and such a truly awesome church home. I haven't been home for almost a year and yet everyone from church is still as kind and thoughtful as they were when I left and I can't wait to get back and let Holly meet everyone!
Meagan Swirk
(recipient of gift cards for her baby)

★ Thank You! ★ THANK YOU!

Thank you for the beautiful flowers that were sent to the funeral home in honor of our mother. We find comfort in our loss knowing she is at peace. Thank you for your thoughts and prayers at this time.

Connie McArthur's family
(Millie Hardin's Sister)

★ Thank You! ★ THANK YOU!

Thank you for your love and concern for us at this time of loss *(of Leroy's mother, Ruby Dedmon).*

Love,
Leroy and Jane Dedmon

OUR LOVE EXPRESSED

Bible Study.....	195
Worship AM.....	366
Worship PM.....	166
Hispanic (Sunday am).....	25
Wed. Night Bible Study.....	N/A
Contribution.....	\$9,302
Budget.....	\$8,350
Difference.....	\$952

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SHUT-INS

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

OUR MEMBERS

Susan Leavens	Jenny Aguirre
Giles Hollingsworth	J.L. Tomlin
Natasha Furman	Gayle Goodwin
Don Slocumb	Loretta Davis
Robert Phillips	Brenda Queen

FRIENDS AND RELATIVES

Sherry Bakkin, co-worker of Shirley Lewis
Frances Haskins, aunt of Judy Hayes
Jim Haskins, cousin of Judy Hayes
Grady Dotson, brother of Paul Dotson
Bruce Martin, co-worker of Joe Moody
David Aguirre, father of Eric Aguirre
John Burke Jr., friend of Null family

SYMPATHY



Tina Dobbs & family - Tina's grandmother, Stella Kendall, passed away this week, the funeral was Wednesday in Blue Ridge
Family & friends of Melissa Byess - Melissa, friend of Tammy Moody, passed away last Sunday

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
Jordan Turner Keshawarz - Diana Diamond
Brailey Brooks - brother of Stenelle Cronan