

Welcome to our Visitors



Welcome 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

Fellowship Hall Class Dealing with Family Grief

Today, 9:30 am

Don Williams is teaching this class. Please attend if you are dealing with grief or would like to support those who are grieving.

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
Fellowship 7 pm

Manna in the Morning



Every Monday @ 5:30 am
Woodstock IHOP

Join the men who meet for Bible study. This week, Lincoln Waddell will lead the discussion on Romans 15:8.



Tuesday, August 9, 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.

Pantry Items of the Week



Cooking Oil, Rice,
Canned Chicken, and Dish
Detergent



2016 Summer Series Wednesday, August 10, 7:30 pm A Study of Romans Chapter 12 "Present Your Bodies as a Living Sacrifice" by...

Rejoicing With Those Who Rejoice and Weep With Those Who Weep (Romans 12:15)
Orpheus Heyward-West End CoC



MS Devo & Dinner Friday, August 12, 6:30 pm at the home of Stan & Jan Dmytrowitz Dinner will be provided.



Men's Breakfast & Prayer Meeting Saturday, August 13 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.



Knit/Crochet Classes Saturday, August 13 11 am-1 pm



Sewing Club Schedule

August 8, 7-9 pm
August 11, 7-9 pm
August 15, 7-9 pm
August 22, 7-9 pm
August 29, 7-9 pm

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

Be a Change Agent for Georgia AGAPE

Our congregation is participating in Georgia AGAPE's "Change for Children Campaign" as an additional way to support this worthy organization that is doing so much in serving the needs of children and families through their foster care, adoption, and counseling programs. Change cans are now available in the foyer. We hope your family will take a can home and save your change (and the green stuff!) to help change the lives of needy children for the better. Be sure your name and address is placed in the can by using the sheets provided. Let's rally behind this effort and be a change agent for children!

Lost and Found

The Lost and Found box contains a number of items that have been left behind. Also, several Bibles have been found. Please check the round table in the foyer to retrieve your possessions before they are donated to a worthy cause!

Next Week's Events

Movies on the Lawn Friday, August 19, 8 pm The Sword in the Stone

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



Saturday, August 20, 10 am

The adult grief support group will meet on the third Saturday of each month in the fellowship hall. Please see Vickey Castro for questions.



HS Devo August 20, at the home of Matt & Chris Amos

More details to come.

Coming Soon

Care Zone 3 Visitor's Luncheon August 21 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 3.1 & 3.2.

Super Seniors in Service

Tues., August 23, 11:30 am
Frosty Frog

Join the group for a period of devotion and lunch at Frosty Frog. If you need a ride, please contact Barbara Murphy.

Men's Retreat August 26-28

Please see Charlie Bailey for questions.



Elementary Youth Group Service Project August 27, 2-4 pm



Bridal Shower Sun. August 28, 4 pm fellowship hall

Ladies, you are invited to a bridal shower for Emily Wilkinson. Emily is registered at Bed Bath & Beyond and Belk.



Sat., September 3, 2-4 pm in the fellowship hall

Verlon & Linda Grady were married September 4th, 1976. Their family invites you to celebrate their 40th anniversary at a come and go gathering. Everyone is invited to come and meet the Grady family. Your presence is the only present they wish.

Sister in Christ



The following member was baptized recently after prayerfully considering her understanding when she was baptized years ago.
8/3/16

Nancy Phillips

SYMPATHY

Joe Moody & Family

Joe's brother, Roy, passed away this past week in Oklahoma.



I thank the church for the get-well cards, food and prayers when I was in the hospital.
Don Cowart

Chronological Bible in a Year

August bookmarks are now available. Place completed bookmarks back in the tray. Currently: Jan. 45, Feb. 43, Mar. 43, Apr. 41, May 40, June 33, and July 24.

Missions



\$12,000

\$2,250

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 MissionTravel Fund.

Our Love Expressed

Bible Study.....214
Worship AM.....325
Worship PM.....185
Wed. Night Bible Study.....186

August 7, 2016

SHUT-INS



Frank Blackwell
Jennifer Chambers
William Goodwin
Carole Gunter
Thamara Howell

Janice Moody
Kenneth Payne
Margaret Payne
Eileen Skelton
Betty Sticher
Jewell Tucker

OUR MEMBERS

Brian Chambers
Don Cowart
Carol DeVita
Diana Diamond
William Flatt
Jean Franklin

Corey Lloyd
Doug Reed
Lillian Sutton
Carson Vitrano
Daniel Welker

Christians in Pakistan
Kyle Clayton Family in India

FRIENDS AND RELATIVES

Adam Utterback, husband of Katie Utterback
Kay Whitley, mother of Marcy Cox
Katie Brown, friend of Angie Ray
Susan, friend of Pat Harris
Dean Shackelford, friend of Reg & Kathy Berry
Chad Walters, grandson of Anerel Reese
Ron Harvey, co-worker of Tom Markham
Family of Kaitlyn DiCarlo, friend of Megan Markham
Daniel Sequens, son-in-law of Dave & Pam Patterson
Judy Sessions, mother of Walter Sessions
Thomas Sanders, husband of Ruth Sanders
Curley Phillips, sister-in-law of Jean Franklin
Luke Lewis, son of Katrina West Lewis
Ron Stiteler, friend of Gayle Goodwin
Tim Schumacher, son of Cindy Schumacher
Tiffany, friend of Caroline Powell
Ashley Rice, granddaughter of Glen & Sandi Rice
Dave Craton, husband of Carol Craton
Deborah Thames, daughter of Anerel Reese
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
Wayne Cryder, cousin of Reg Berry
Joshua Moore & Dakoda Phipps, sons of Tammy Phipps
Allan Williams, husband of Janet Williams
Jackie Null, former member
Don Bailey, frequent visitor

INVITATION RESPONSE

Billy Allen



Joseph Vasquez
Donevan Brand
Colton Umstead
Austin Cooper
Austin Hannum

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Sun.	9:30 AM	Family Grief Class
Sun.	5:30 PM	Monthly Singing
Sun.	6:20 PM	KidSing
Sun.	7:00 PM	Fellowship Meal
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, Orpheus Heyward
Thurs.	7:00 PM	Sewing Club
Fri.	6:30 PM	MS Devo and Dinner
Sat.	8:30 AM	Men's Breakfast & Prayer Mtg.
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		Gary Kyle
Bible Study	7:30 PM	
Friday		Rick Reynolds
Spanish Bible Study	7:00 PM	
		Don Williams

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	
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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/414178388605466/	- Woodstock Church of Christ Ladies (WCOCLadies Group)
www.facebook.com/groups/35792174237/	- Woodstock Day School
Twitter: @wccoc219	

Privileged to Serve
If you are unable to serve, notify Frank Cole,
Ushers for August: Marshall Brown, Mark Williams, Barry Payne, Billy Wood

Worship AM	August 7	August 14
Welcome	Rick Laukka	Eric Dotson
Song Leader	Mike Tomlin	Joey O'Dell
Opening Prayer	Justin Hydrick	Rick Langosch
Lord's Table	David Cravy	Guy Hydrick
1	Jonathan Torkildsen	Jonathan Torkildsen
2	Byron Dobbs	Byron Dobbs
3	Lansil Davis	Lansil Davis
4	Sean Davis	Sean Davis
5	Reagan Amos	Reagan Amos
6	Jared Tomlin	Jared Tomlin
Sermon	Matt Amos	Johnny Mackey
Shepherd's Closing Prayer	Gary Kyle	David Cravy
Prepare Communion	Mike & Rhonda House	David & Laura Cravy
	Mark Roby	Harold & Rachel Smith
Greeters	Ron & Marcy Cox	Lansil & Loretta Davis
	Mark & Paula Williams	Larry Crawford
Sound Room	Michael Maldonado	Frank Cole
Security	Rick Laukka	Don Slocumb
Nursery	Rhonda House	Terri Hall
	Jaden House	Olivia Williams
Worship PM	August 7	August 14
Welcome	Troy Golden	Jack Kyle
Song Leader	Jeremy Powell	Walter Sessions
Opening Prayer	Charlie Bailey	Joe Sticksels
Sermon	Don Williams	Don Williams
Lord's Table	Justin Hydrick	Joey O'Dell
Assist at Lord's Table	Dave Brannan	Tripp Stephens
Closing Prayer	Tom Markham	Michael Maldonado
Nursery	Rita Laukka	Kathy Crawford
	Pam Reynolds	Barbara Murphy
Wednesday	August 10	August 17
Song Leader	Lincoln Waddell	Dave Brannan
Invitation	Orpheus Heyward	Neil Richey
Closing Prayer	Jack Kyle	Verlon Grady
Sound Room	Frank Cole	Eric Dotson
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, www.facebook.com/insearchofthelordsway , Blog: searchtelevision.blogspot.com/	
YouTube: www.youtube.com/user/SearchTVMMinistry	
Good News Today, www.GNTV.org , 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 http://www.gbn.tv/	
Through the Roku device (http://gbn.tv/roku.html)	
On iPhone/iPad with GBN app in the iTunes Store (http://bit.ly/inquMvK)	
On Android with GBN app from the Android Market (http://bit.ly/XREhXf)	



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.

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IS HELL REAL AND ETERNAL?

August 7, 2016

It is interesting that a much higher percentage of people believe in the existence of heaven than believe in the existence of hell. As is the case with many beliefs of religious people, those beliefs are based upon what one wants to believe instead of what the Word of God actually teaches. According to the Bible, hell is just as real as heaven. In fact, there are many more words of Jesus in the New Testament that refer to hell than refer to heaven. The Bible clearly and explicitly teaches that hell is a real place to which the wicked/unbelieving are sent after Judgment. We have all sinned against God (Romans 3:23). The just punishment for that sin is death (Romans 6:23). Since all of our sin is ultimately against God (Psalm 51:4), and since God is an infinite and eternal Being, it follows that punishment for sin, death, must also be infinite and eternal. Hell is this infinite and eternal death which we have earned because of our sin.

The punishment of the wicked dead in hell is described throughout Scripture as "eternal fire" (Matthew 25:4), "unquenchable fire" (Matthew 3:12), "shame and everlasting contempt" (Daniel 12:2), a place where "the fire is not quenched" (Mark 9:44-49), "everlasting destruction" (2 Thessalonians 1:9), a place where "the smoke of torment rises forever and ever" (Revelation 14:10-11), and a "lake of burning brimstone" where the wicked are "tormented day and night forever and ever" (Revelation 20:10).

The punishment of the wicked in hell is as never ending as the bliss of the righteous in heaven. Jesus Himself teaches (Matthew 25:46) that punishment in hell is just as everlasting (Greek: aionion) as life in heaven is eternal (Greek: aionion). The wicked are forever subject to the wrath of God. Those in hell will have to acknowledge the perfect and wrathful justice of God (Psalms 76:7). Those will know that their punishment is just and that they alone are to blame for their fate and destiny. Yes, hell is real. Yes, hell is a place of torment and punishment that lasts forever and ever, without end.

But thanks be to God, through Jesus Christ, we can escape this eternal fate by surrendering all to Him in belief, repentance, confession, baptism, and a life-long commitment to service and faithfulness in His church/kingdom (John 8:24, Acts 17:30, Romans 10:9-10, Mark 16:16, Acts 2:38, Acts 2:47, Colossians 1:13).

How sad it is that many will choose the broad way that leads to eternal destruction but only a few will choose the way that leads to an abundant life in Christ now and eternal life with Him in that is to come (Matthew 7:13-14). The choice simply put before all of us is this: (1) Christ and His people, or (2) the pleasures of sin for a season (Hebrews 11:25). The choice is a "must" that each will make. Which shall you choose? You do not have to go to hell! God can forgive all! God desperately wants to forgive all (2 Pet. 3:9), as He has shown by allowing His only Son to be crucified for our most horrid sins (John 3:16, Acts 2:36-38) and to save us from hell!

"I call heaven and earth to record against you this day, that I have set before you life and death, blessing and cursing: therefore choose life that both you and your seed may live" (Deuteronomy 30:19). Many have not/are not choosing life and that choice is greatly affecting their children and grandchildren!

God loves you...a whole lot and He wants to live with you eternally! Take great care of that choice today! We are here to help! It is the greatest choice you will make in this life!

-Matt