

## 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. Today the lunch will be provided by Care Zones 1.3 & 4 (Woodyard & Druzba). We will not have a luncheon for the next three weeks during the holidays.



## Woodstock Day School Board of Directors Meeting

Today, Dec. 13, 12:45 pm following visitors' luncheon

## Junior Leaders

Today, December 13 2:30 pm, room 205

This is the first meeting of the new Lads to Leaders program for ages K-5th graders. Please bring the items you signed up to bring. Parents are welcome to stay. See Lara Kyle or Tammy Williams with any questions.



Sunday, December 13, 4 pm for Ashley & Cameron Ivanyisky

All ladies are invited to attend a wedding shower for Ashley and Cameron Ivanyisky, who were married on November 7. They are registered at Bed, Bath and Beyond.



Tues., Dec. 15, 11:30 am

The Super Seniors will celebrate the holidays at the Frosty Frog with "lunch and a movie". The cost is \$10 per person. If you wish to ride in the van, please see Jack or Shirley Walters. Sign up on the Senior bulletin board as soon as possible.

## Woodstock Day School Christmas Program "Santa's Workshop"

Thursday, Dec. 17, 7pm

Volunteers are needed to assist with caroling, decorating cookies, face painting and story-telling. Everyone is welcome to attend to enjoy the program presented by the children.

## Annual Teen Youth Christmas Party

Saturday, Dec. 19, 6-9pm Home of Eric Aguirre

Evening events include Meet & Greet, Photo Scavenger Hunt, Holiday Food, Gift Exchange and Basement of Fun! Parent chaperone/drivers with digital camera are needed, as well as help with festive foods. See Eric or Christine Aguirre to volunteer. Information about the gift exchange is found on the bulletin board.

## Job Needed

Chris Flynn is in need of odd jobs. If you need anything done around your house, please call him.



**Pantry Items of the Week**  
Toilet Tissue  
Cooking Oil

## Coat Collection

We are collecting warm coats, heavy sweaters and blankets for the homeless and needy in our area. Please place your donations in the box in the foyer.

## Sermon Recordings

If you have requested a recording of Bryan's lessons, they are available at the back of the auditorium. If you wish to request a recording of a lesson on CD, please make your request on the form hanging on the door of the sound room.

## Woodstock Day School

1 year olds thru Kindergarten

One thing that you can do to help the school financially is save the Box Tops for Education from grocery items. Place boxtops in the collection box on the credenza in the foyer. We receive 10 cents for each box top and the money mounts up quickly when we all save the box tops.

## WINGS Newsletter

The latest edition of the WINGS (Women in God's Service) Newsletter is available on the credenza in the foyer. Pick up your copy today!

## Finding a Bone Marrow Match for Margaret Mason

See our webpage at: [www.woodstockchurchofchrist.org](http://www.woodstockchurchofchrist.org) for all the updated information about our efforts to help Margaret. There you will also find a direct link for marrow donor testing and for our Facebook group page. Help spread the word by sending notes to people you know telling them about this urgent need.



## With Sympathy

Our deepest sympathy is given to Andrew and Kelly Ashworth and family on the passing of Andrew's grandmother, Eileen Money. The funeral was yesterday in Alabama.

## New Address

Stacey Frederick



Dear Church Family:

Thank you for all the cards, calls and visits. I appreciate your kindness.

Ed Viera

Dear Christian Friends,

Thank you so much for the cards, visits, food and mostly for your prayers. Your thoughtfulness during my surgery was greatly appreciated.

In Christian Love,  
Willis Michael

A big thank you for all the contributions for the care packages for the service men and women and to all who helped packing the boxes and filling out the forms. We were able to send 16 boxes.

Thank you,  
Susan Garner

## OUR LOVE EXPRESSED

BibleStudy.....	181
WorshipAM.....	312
WorshipPM.....	180
Hispanic (area-wide worship).....	210
Wed. Night Bible Study.....	104
Contribution.....	\$8,649
Budget.....	\$9,200
Difference.....	[-\$551]

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## SHUT-INS

Virginia Choate	Margaret Mason
Carole Gunter	Scott Moody
Marie Hastings	Kenneth Payne
Eulene Howell	Eileen Skelton
Bill Kirby	Betty Tomlin

## OUR MEMBERS

Margaret Mason Brenda Queen  
Jennifer Chambers Marian Stroh  
Howard Guy Jackie Null  
the unemployed of our congregation

## FRIENDS AND RELATIVES

Anthony, friend of Terri Hall  
Brian & Kristy Gray, friends of Stacey Frederick  
Evelyn Powell, grandmother of Jeremy Powell  
Helga Davenport, grandmother of Johnny Spillman  
Bobbie Fish, in Woodstock Nursing Home  
Christine Davis  
Melvin Cargle  
Sam & Ann Payne, friends of Peggy Blackwell  
Aubrey Bowdon & family, friends of Pam Locker  
John Spence, family of Martha Slocumb  
Ed & Ruth Viera, parents of Chris Dotson  
Camden Ray

## SERVING IN FOREIGN LANDS

Andrew Hulsey - grandson-in-law of Jack & Shirley Lewis  
Stephanie Lewis - former member  
Jason Payne - son of Brenda Queen's friend  
Joel Dunnington - acquaintance of Susan Garner  
Dayna Nash - daughter of Shirley Lewis' co-worker  
Jason Hancock - nephew of Jean Franklin  
Sgt. Scott Carson  
Brian Burnett - nephew of Kristie Markham  
Kyle Hansard - Daffron's grandson  
Kevin West - former member  
Chris Burkhardt - friend of Grady family  
Wayne Leggett - brother of Susan Leavens  
Ken Tanner - cousin of Sylvia Little  
Stanley Pethel - contact of C.L. White  
Matt Callihan - nephew of Masons  
Jon Holland - brother-in-law of Debbie Braun  
Colton Thompson - nephew of Barbara Murphy  
Brailey Brooks - brother of Stenelle Brewer  
Ryan Franklin - son of Robin & Pam Franklin

This Week's Events		
Sunday	noon	Visitors' Luncheon
Sunday	12:45 pm	Day School Directors' Meeting
Sunday	2:30 pm	Junior Leaders Meeting
Sunday	4 pm	Wedding Shower for Ashley Ivanyisky
Monday	7 pm	Monday Night for the Master
Tuesday	11:30 am	Lunch & a Movie for Super Seniors
Thursday	7 pm	Woodstock Day School Christmas Program
Saturday	6 pm	Youth Group Photo Scavenger Hunt/Devo

Weekly Schedule		Ushers for Dec.
<u>Sunday</u>		Marshall Brown
Bible Study	9:30 am	Byron Dobbs
Worship	10:30 am	Mark Williams
	6:00 pm	Mark Wood
<u>Wednesday</u>		George Stroh
Bible Study	7:30 pm	

Elders	Deacons		
<small>elders@woodstockchurchofchrist.org</small>	Eric Aguirre	Rich Hogan	Tom Markham
David Cravy	Larry Crawford	Guy Hydrick	Barry Payne
Stan Dmytrowitz	Bob Crompton	Jack Kyle	David Stoker
Paul Dotson	Eric Dotson	Mark Kyle	George Stroh
John Hicks	Greg Garner	Rick Laukka	Don Williams
Joe Moody			
Rick Reynolds			

Ministers	
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<b>Office Hours</b>	Monday - Thursday 8:30 am - 3:30 pm Friday 8:30 am - 12:30 pm

Local TV Shows	
<i>In Search of the Lord's Way</i> with Mac Lyon, WATC-TV 57, Sunday 7:30 am	
<i>Preaching the Gospel</i> with James Watkins, WATC-TV 57 Saturday 7:30 am	
<i>Gospel Broadcasting Network</i> , Dishnet Sunday, 6-9 am Channel 9407	
<i>Good News Today</i> every day on Dish Net 9407 and DirectTV channel 225	
<i>(James Watkins is on Good News Today on Thursday and Sunday)</i>	

Ushers for Dec.: Marshall Brown, Byron Dobbs, Mark Williams, Mark Wood, George Stroh

Worship AM	December 13	December 20
Welcome	John Hicks	David Cravy
Reading: Psalm 18:1-3	Jody Dotson	Lance Leavens
Songleader	Benny Stephens	Guy Hydrick
Opening Prayer	Gary Kyle	Floyd Garner
Lord's Table	Monty Davis	Charles Little
1	Eric Dotson	Keith Martin
2	John Elliott	Cameron Ivanyisky
3	Verlon Grady	David Kennedy
4	John Hardin	Corey Lloyd
5	Richard Holdridge	Tom Markham
6	Don Slocumb	Harold Smith
Sermon	Bryan Collins	Bryan Collins
Closing Prayer	Reg Berry	Ron Dunnivant
Prepare Communion	Joe & Janice Moody	David & Laura Cravy
	Don & Tammy Williams	Jack & Shirley Walters
Greeters	Bob & Julie Crompton	Reg & Kathy Berry
	Scott & Lindsey Taylor	Byron & Tina Dobbs
Sound Room	Stan Dmytrowitz	Clint Hall
Security	Jerry Wallace	Eric Aguirre
Nursery	Melissa Dotson	Tanya Chapman
	Lauren & Madison Ivanyisky	Amy Shannon
Worship PM	December 13	December 20
Welcome	Johnny Mackey	Robert Howell
Reading: Psalm 9:1,2	Woody Woodyard	Richard Holdridge
Song Leader	Guy Hydrick	Jack Kyle
Opening Prayer	Eric Aguirre	Mark Howard
Sermon	Bryan Collins	Bryan Collins
Lord's Table	Mark Kyle	Jody Dotson
Assist at Lord's Table	Joe Stickels	Cody Dotson
Closing Prayer	William Goodwin	Rick Langosch
Nursery	Lara Kyle	Barbara Murphy
	Anna Kyle	Martha Slocumb
Wednesday	December 16	December 23
Song Leader	Jack Kyle	Robert Howell
Invitation	Bryan Collins	Bryan Collins
Closing Prayer	Guy Hydrick	Harold Null
Sound Room	Frank Cole	Jody Dotson
Security	George Stroh	Marshall Brown

Privileged to Serve if you are unable to serve, notify Larry Crawford

# Woodstock church of Christ

## W E E K L Y

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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. . . .* Would you like to live forever?

Ponce De Leon is said to have found the Florida coast while searching for the "Fountain of Youth" supposedly on the Island of Bimini. More recently in an attempt to live forever Ted Williams' family decided to have his body cryogenically frozen in case future generations learned how to bring people back to life. In an article dated August 12, 2003 one of Ted Williams' children said they'd all agreed along with their aged father to be cryogenically frozen so they could all be together. The article also stated that the price tag for this procedure was \$136k. Since that time a book has been written by the former CEO of the cryogenic facility about how the bodies were mistreated by the staff.

You don't have to pay hundreds of thousands of dollars and cause your family to suffer the embarrassment of mistreatment and mishandling in order to live forever. For centuries God's people have been privy to the secret of eternal life which is really no secret and it's free to all who will listen and obey. All one has to do is hear and obey the gospel or good news of Jesus Christ. Your physical body will pass away but your spirit, the eternal part of you, will return to the Lord to be with Him in comfort for eternity. This is all conditioned upon faithful obedience.

Today I want to share with you a message of hope and salvation. I want to share the gospel with you in its simplicity so that you have the opportunity to hear and obey this precious urgent message. I want you to have an opportunity to live forever with God instead of living forever apart from Him. It is a simple message yet with a powerful and eternal outcome.

Today's Sermon Topics	
<b>AM: The Gospel</b>	1 Corinthians 15:1-4
<b>PM: The Rich Man and Lazarus</b>	Luke 16:19-31