

Visitors' Luncheon

We welcome all visitors to our services today. We are thankful for your presence. Usually, our visitors are invited to join us for lunch in the Fellowship Hall immediately after services. However, we will not have a luncheon for the next two weeks during the holidays. Please visit us again in the new year and plan to stay for lunch!



Office Closed
Office will be closed all day
Monday & Tuesday
December 28 & 29

The bulletin will be printed on Thursday, Dec. 31. Please turn in items for the bulletin by Tuesday afternoon!



Monday Night for the Master
Meeting Cancelled

We will not meet on Dec. 28. We will resume on January 4.

Special Devotional Service

Wednesday, December 30
7:30 pm
Auditorium

No classes will meet.

Birthday Lists

A list of members' birthdays for January, February and March is available on the credenza in the foyer. Pick up your copy today!

New Year's Eve Get-together/Game Night

Everyone is invited to a New Year's Eve Get-together and Game Night, 7:30 - midnight, in the fellowship hall. Bring games and snack foods and drinks. All ages are invited. Come and bring in the new year with your Christian brothers and sisters. See Larry or Kathy Crawford for more information.

Junior Leaders

Sunday, January 3, 2010
4 pm, room 205

Over 20 children attended the first meeting of the new Lads to Leaders program for ages K-5th graders. They were very enthusiastic about visiting our shut-ins to sing carols and participating in a Bible study and other activities. Mark your calendars for the next meeting.

Lads to Leaders

Convention Registration
January 10, 2010

Anyone planning to attend the convention must register by this date. Sign up on the bulletin board for an appointment time. See Don or Tammy Williams for more information.

Clothing Closet News

The clothing closet is open to all of our own members. You do not need supervision, just help yourself to what you need at any time.

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.



Pantry Items of the Week

Canned Meats
Instant Mashed Potatoes



Thank you so much for the care package. Not only did my eyes widen when the package arrived, but so did all the eyes of my fellow Soldiers and airmen.

I hope that your congregation has a wonderful Holiday Season and that you continue to impact the lives of many as you have mine.

Jon Holland
(brother-in-law of Debbie Braun)

The family of Millie Jones Burke acknowledges with grateful appreciation your kind expression of sympathy.

God bless you,
Doris Manning

Benevolence News

Thank you to all who have responded so generously to the appeal for food for the food pantry. You have really helped to meet our needs. A big thank you also for all the gifts for our Christmas Kids! You made many children happy.

Tom Markham, Deacon

New Members
Placed Membership
12/20/09



Steve & Rita Brandt
Kaylee, Kara, Quinn & Cole
Care Zone 2.1

New Brother in Christ



Baptized 12/20/09
Michael Allen
Zone 2.4

Finding a Bone Marrow Match for Margaret Mason

See our webpage at:

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.

Due to the emails that have already been sent, we know that churches are planning "Be the Match" drives in their communities. Churches are contacting us about members they have who are on the bone marrow donor waiting list. Just like Margaret, they need a match also.

We need everyone in our congregation to become involved today. We challenge ourselves to each send out at least 100 emails on Margaret's behalf before January 1, 2010.

Sign up today with Christine Aguirre. She will provide you with lists of churches and Christians throughout the United States. Also, she will provide you with a sample letter to use to create your emails.

OUR LOVE EXPRESSED

BibleStudy.....	154
WorshipAM.....	295
WorshipPM.....	169
Hispanic (a.m. worship).....	18
Wed. Night Bible Study.....	N/A
Contribution.....	\$12,390
Budget.....	\$9,200
Difference.....	+\$3,190

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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 Henry Schmid
Jennifer Chambers Wanda Grant
Howard Guy Brian Chambers
the unemployed of our congregation

FRIENDS AND RELATIVES

Dewey Stephens, father of Benny Stephens
Norman Harnage, uncle of Ray Cates
Mark Ybarra, sister
Eva Price, Day School student
Carnelle MacKenzie, mother-in-law of Connie MacKenzie
Christine Davis, mother of Connie MacKenzie
Tom Dykes, co-worker of Stan Dmytrowitz
William Martin, father of David Cravy's co-worker
Ron Payne, brother of Barry Payne
Marilyn Fenter, stepmother of Maureen Hinkelmann
Brian & Kristy Gray, friends of Stacey Frederick
Helga Davenport, grandmother of Johnny Spillman
Bobbie Fish, in Woodstock Nursing Home

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 Burkhart - 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	
Mon.	Church Office Closed
Tues.	Church Office Closed
Wed.	7:30 pm Special Devotional Service-no classes
Thurs.	7:30 pm New Year's Eve Game Night

Weekly Schedule		Ushers for Jan.
Sunday		Marshall Brown
Bible Study	9:30 am	Ron Dunnivant
Worship	10:30 am	Don Slocumb
	6:00 pm	Gus Suarez
Wednesday		Keith Taylor
Bible Study	7:30 pm	

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

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Office Hours	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 27	January 3
Welcome	Paul Dotson	Joe Moody
Reading: Psalm 33:18-22	Scott Taylor	John Elliott
Songleader	Benny Stephens	Benny Stephens
Opening Prayer	Glen Rice	Don Williams
Lord's Table	William Goodwin	John Campbell
1	Gus Suarez	Lance Leavens
2	Eric Aguirre	Paul Dotson
3	Monty Davis	Robert Hinkelmann
4	Greg Hughes	Byron Dobbs
5	Carl Petty	David Cravy
6	Billy Wood	Bob Crompton
Sermon	Joe Moody	Bryan Collins
Closing Prayer	Robert Hinkelmann	Mark Kyle
Prepare Communion	Rick & Pam Reynolds	Barry, Ellen & Brooke Payne
	Mark & Paula Williams	Brenda Queen
Greeters	Carl & Betty Sticher	Robert & Nancy Phillips
	George & Marian Stroh	Charles & Sylvia Little
Sound Room	Frank Cole	Eric Dotson
Security	Rick Laukka	Jerry Wallace
Nursery	Julie Jones	Debbie Dotson
	Sylvia Little	Miranda Dotson
Worship PM	December 27	January 3
Welcome	Joe Webb	Michael House
Reading: Psalm 34:1-3, 8-9	Guy Hydrick	Marshall Brown
Song Leader	Mark Kyle	Stan Dmytrowitz
Opening Prayer	John Campbell	Richard Holdridge
Sermon	Monty Davis	Travis Harmon
Lord's Table	Bob Crompton	Rick Langosch
Assist at Lord's Table	Lansil Davis	Loran Hogg
Closing Prayer	Lance Leavens	Frank Ford
Nursery	Delinda Druzba	Lindsey Taylor
	Shirley Lewis	Kaela Wallace
Wednesday	December 30	January 6
Song Leader	Stan Dmytrowitz	George Stroh
Invitation	Don Williams	Bryan Collins
Closing Prayer	Jack Kyle	Johnny Spillman
Sound Room	Robert Howell	Stan Dmytrowitz
Security	Don Slocumb	Eric Aguirre

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

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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. . . . Looking Back

Looking back over this last year and what you have been able to accomplish is a good practice. As we wrap up one year and prepare for a New Year, what were the high points? What did you accomplish this year that gives you a sense of fulfillment? What do you hope to accomplish in 2010? It is time for us all to sit down and figure this out. It is time for us to "redeem the time", as we're encouraged to do in Ephesians 5:16 and Colossians 4:5, so that we can take everything we've learned and gained from every other year and pour it into 2010.

If you will do this little exercise with pencil and paper you'll be amazed at what comes out of it. If you simply sit down for 15 minutes and write down what you are most proud of among your accomplishments in 2009, and what you want to do in 2010, your mind will dwell on it for days. Your subconscious mind will go to work helping you clarify your goals for the coming year.

Think about what you want to accomplish on a personal level, on a professional level, and what you want to do spiritually this next year. When you commit to a few minutes you'll likely spend much more over the course of the next week and maybe add to your list into the first month of 2010. What you want to accomplish and what you are thankful for accomplishing do not have to be on a grand scale. It is the simple milestones and the simple accomplishments that make a great difference to us in this life.

As a congregation, we have met many challenges. You have risen to occasions you thought you'd never be faced with. I've watched some of you grow. I've seen progress in you and your spiritual life and I'm looking forward to another year as your minister. Thank you, Woodstock family, for all your generosity and all your appreciation. You make ministry a pleasure and I'm thankful for you all. May the Lord bless us all with a great New Year!

Today's Sermon Topics	
AM: Things GOD Cannot Do	Job 42:2
PM: John's Gospel	John 20:24-31