

ELDERS:

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MINISTERS:

	Youth & Family:
Kyle Rye	207-0089

A VIEW FROM THE
CHURCH OF
CHRIST
AT SCENIC HILLS

DEACONS:

Jerry Caine	968-5680
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G.R.O.W. in 2009**Godliness - Relationships - Outreach - Wisdom****212° Christianity Series**

At 211° water is hot. At 212° it boils.
 One degree makes all the difference.

"212° Perseverance"

James 1:2-4

In Romans 5, we learn that perseverance produces character. In 2 Peter 1, perseverance is listed among the qualities that will prevent us from being unfruitful or unproductive. And, in James 1, we discover that perseverance (i.e. patience) is the product of our faith being tested. These scriptures reveal the importance of perseverance, but through what do we need to persevere?

1. 212° Perseverance _____
(Romans 12:2)
2. 212° Perseverance _____
(1 Peter 5:8-9)
3. 212° Perseverance _____
(Romans 8-28-39)

Sunday Night Sermon:

Tonight's Lesson is the 7th in a Series of Lessons
 from the Book of Acts.

"Acts 8: Change We Can Believe In!"
 Acts 8:9-13, 18-24

New Prayer Requests

Ashley Dodd will have surgery tomorrow to repair a broken collar bone.

Gerry Cook, Billy Cook's sister-in-law, will have surgery in Mobile on Tuesday, April 28th.

Hunter Holland (6 months) was to have his halo removed and a collar placed this week. He has a shunt and feeding tube and continues to improve. He is the grandson of Larry and Dianne White, who are members of the Flomaton Church of Christ.

Tom Whitson, Jeff's dad, is in the hospital in Tuscaloosa with pneumonia and injuries from a previous fall.

Continue to Remember in Prayer**Our Members**

Fletcher Hinote, Dale Hobbs, Elmer Jensen,
 Beau Kelley, Steve King, Al Sheffield,
 Brooks & Maxine Ward,
 and George & Charlie Bell Williams

Our Shut-Ins

Ava Bullard, Norman King, Myrtle Potter,
 Fred Strasser and Tommy Tomkinson

Friends and Family

Helen Arthur (former member)
 Jessie Criswell (mother-in-law of Tammie)
 Doris Emmons
 Mr. Goodson (Kevin's father)
 Nicole Horne (Colette Glass' sister)
 Bobby Jobe (Betty Graves' brother)
 Emmett Phillips (Betty Brown's brother-in-law)
 Eugene Springer (Paul's father)
 Frances Zorn (Betty Brown's sister-in-law)

Week at a Glance

Sunday

Bible Classes.....9:00 AM
 Morning Worship.....10:00 AM
 Evening Worship.....6:00 PM

Ladies Bible Class

Tuesday.....10:00 AM

Wednesday

Bible Classes.....7:00 PM

Working Women Walking With God

1st Thursday of each month.....6:30 PM
 At the home of Suzie Waldroup

Last Week's Attendance

Sunday Morning Bible Class.....116
 Sunday Morning Worship.....166
 Sunday Evening Worship.....110
 Ladies Bible Class.....10
 Wednesday Bible Classes.....148

**The Next Fifth Sunday Collection
 Will be Sunday
 May 31, 2009**

Pantry Item for This Week



Canned Fruit,
 Jell-O & Juice Drinks

Matthew 23:3

'for I was hungry and you gave Me food; I was
 thirsty and you gave Me drink; I was a
 stranger and out took Me in;

Order of Worship

Welcome & Announcements

Song
Song
Scripture Reading & Opening Prayer James 1:2-4
Song
Lord's Supper & Offering
Song
Sermon - "212° Perseverance"
Invitation Song
Closing Song
Closing Prayer

Privileged to Serve April 26, 2009

Morning

Welcome & Announcements.....Paul Springer
 Song Leader.....John Loanzon
 Scripture Reading/Opening Prayer.....Mike Brown
 Communion Leader.....Paul Springer
 Communion Servers
 Left Outside.....Larry Brown
 Left Middle.....Eddie Rhodes
 Left Inside.....Harry Cagle
 Right Inside.....John Brown
 Right Middle.....Andy Hinote
 Right Outside.....Rusty Smith
 Alternate.....Wayne Born
 Closing Prayer.....Larry Thompson
 Sound/Computer.....Corky Berry/Rich Dodd
 Greeters.....Betty Graves/Beverly Springer
 Communion to Tommy Tomkinson.....Paul Brown
 Nursery Attendants.....Lu-La Clark & Beverly Springer

Evening

Song Leaders.....Eddie Scull
 Scripture Reading/Prayer.....Steve King
 Closing Prayer.....Corky Berry
 Communion:
 Bread & Offering (left).....T.B.A.
 Cup (right).....T.B.A.
 Sound/Computer.....Corky Berry/Rich Dodd

Wednesday – April 29

Song Leader.....Paul Springer
 Closing Prayer.....T.B.A.

Sunday – May 3

Prepare Communion Trays.....Karen Kilpatrick

College Students

Michael Andry - University of Florida
Kristi Kilpatrick - Auburn University
Kayla Springer - Harding University

Pray for Military Personnel Who Are Deployed

James Edward Johns.....grandson of Ed McFarland
Jason Whitson.....Okinawa

Missions Supported

Franklin County Florida (James Lee)
Gulf Coast Bible Camp (Lucedale, Mississippi)
Miami Spanish for Christ (Luis Estrada)
Pacific Islands Mission Work (Randy English)
Thailand Mission Work (Kim Voraritskul)

Know Your Bible

The program, 'Know Your Bible', is shown on Sunday evenings at 8:00 p.m. on WHBR-TV. Please check your provider schedule for the correct channel.

Children's Homes Supported

Childhaven - Cullman, Alabama
Christian Home & Bible School - Mount Dora, Florida
Potter Children's Home - Bowling Green, Kentucky
Rainbow Omega - Eastaboga, Alabama

Birthdays This Week



Fletcher Hinote (4-26)
Vincent Andry (4-27)
Michael Andry (4-28)
Ty Smith (4-28)
Maxine Ward (4-29)
Bobbie Hinote (4-30)
Tim Rigby (5-1)

Anniversaries This Week



Dale & Barbara Hobbs (4-28)

Thought for the Day

Where there is no vision, the people perish.
Proverbs 29:18

What Must I Do To Become A Christian?

The plan of salvation is given to us in the New Testament. We must:

Hear.....Romans 10:17
Believe.....Mark 16:15-16
Repent.....Acts 17:30
Confess.....Matthew 10:32-33
Be Baptized.....Acts 2:38
Live a Christian Life..... 2 Peter 1:4-11, 2:20-22

Forever Young Luncheon

Due to Mother's Day falling on the second Sunday in May, the Forever Young Luncheon will move up a week to May 3rd. In June, it will go back to the second Sunday (June 14th).

From the Elders Desk



The door is always open to speak with the elders at any

time. We currently meet each Thursday night at about 6:30 p.m. If you would like to meet with us at that time, just let us know ahead of time so that if there are schedule changes or preparations needed, they can be done before the meeting.

As announced last Sunday morning, we are seeking nominees for additional elders and deacons. Please submit, in writing, to the elders by Sunday, May 3rd, the names of qualified men you have contacted about serving.

The elders will then speak with each one and put those who are ready and qualified to serve before the congregation on Sunday, May 24th. If no biblical objection is then presented, the new elders and deacons will begin serving on Sunday, June 7th.

In Christ,
Joe, Johnny, Larry and Paul

Scenic Hills Softball

Men's Softball will have two make-up (rained out) games on Tuesday at NEP at 6:00 and 7:00 p.m.

There will be two teams this summer, another men's team and a co-ed team. We will have additional information on game dates and times later.

If you would like to order a softball shirt or cap, there is a sign-up list in the foyer. Shirts are \$10.00 and caps are \$15.00. Shirt sizes range from YM to 3XXX. Please see Beau or Lori Kelley for payment.

Education Department

We are now seeking teachers for the Summer Quarter. If you are willing to teach any of our children's classes please sign up on the lobby table.

Summer Series

The Summer Series will begin on Wednesday, June 3rd. We are continuing with the meals before the evening service begins.

We had great response last week for signing up to host a meal! Thanks to everyone! The sheet is still in the foyer. Please take a look at the remaining three dates and consider taking one.

Kyle has most of the speaker's lined up and (so far) four of them will be new to us.

Thank You Notes

There are so many things to thank you for, I don't know where to start, so I'll just say, "you're really special and thanks with all my heart!" In God's grace and the nice cards I have received. Thank you all!

Charlotte Quinn

Thank you for your recent gift made in memory of Sue Himelrick. This is a wonderful way to pay tribute to Ms. Himelrick because the gift will ensure that 80 adults continue to receive quality services in a Christian environment. I appreciate your continued support,

Sincerely,

Stentson Carpenter

Director Rainbow Omega

(Sue Himelrick is Charlotte Quinn's daughter)

There's a thank you letter posted on the board from the Manuelito Navajo Children's Home in Gallup, NM. This is the school where Eric Taylor is employed and for which Juanita is collecting Campbell Soup labels.

Other Happenings

25th Anniversary Celebration

Abby Avery wishes to invite you to the 25th anniversary celebration of her parents

Mark and Penny Avery

Saturday, May 2, 2009 at 2:00 p.m.

Blue Angel Navy Recreational Park

2100 Bronson Rd

This will be followed by a cook-out at 2:30 p.m.

R.S.V.P. 944-6508 or 324-5377

Youth Ministry

Middle School Bible Study: The middle school Bible study group meets on Thursday nights at 7:00 p.m. at the building.

High School Bible Study: A high school Bible Study is held every Thursday at Kyle & Sara's from 7:00-8:30pm.

High School Graduates Reception: Mark your calendars for our annual Graduate's Reception on Sunday, May 17 following our evening worship service.

Senior pictures need to be turned in to Sara by Sunday, May 3 for the senior slide show.

SNAC: Our next youth group Devo will be on May 3 at the home of Savannah Morris.

Bible Camp: Registration forms for Gulf Coast Bible Camp are in and available to be picked up in my office. In addition, you can go to www.gcbc.us, select "Applications," and download a registration form. Senior Week for students currently in 9th-12th grade will be June 14-20 and Middle School Week for students currently in 6th-8th grade will be June 26-July 3. The application cost is \$125.00 as long as your registration form is received at least 2 weeks prior to the start of the session for which you are registering. A \$20.00 late fee will be added to any registration that is not received in this time frame.

Palmetto Bible Camp's 3rd Session is June 21-27 and registration forms are available at www.palmettobiblecamp.org

Lads to Leaders

Recognition Day: Our annual Lads to Leaders recognition day will take place on Sunday, May 31 following our 1:00pm worship service. Lads to Leaders participants are asked to bring their awards, artwork, etc., to display for the congregation to see. In addition, all puppet teams will present their show for the congregation.

Barbie Hinote Award: Nominations for the Barbie Hinote award should be submitted to Johnny, Suzie, or Jack Waldroup by Sunday, May 17. The Barbie Hinote award is given to an adult volunteer who goes above and beyond in his or her efforts to serve the children of this congregation in the Lads to Leaders program. It is requested that all nominations include an explanation of why the nominee deserves this award and the signature of the one who nominates them.