

# Calendar Events

Aug 3 - Group 1 Compassion cards are in the office.

Aug 1 - August 8 - Fellowship Hall will be undergoing repairs. If you can help see one of the elders.

August 3 - Ladies' Meeting in room 121 after AM Worship



August 15– 21—Polishing the Pulpit. in Sevierville, Tn.

August 24 - 4th Sunday Meal /Singing. Theme: Easy Summer foods, Ice Cream Desserts with fixings. Compassion group 4 set up and 1 clean up.



Please join Zeke Poskevich and Carla Condemarin for their

# Wedding Shower

09/21/2025 at 2:00 p.m.  
FCOC Fellowship Hall

This is a co-ed celebration - all are welcome!



Amazon registry &  
The Knot Cash fund



## Area Wide Events

*Tuesday Night, August 5,12,19 & 26 at 7pm - Lithia Springs CoC 2025 Summer Series, Built for Victory*

*August 9, 8:30 – noon - Lithia Springs Church of Christ Annual Ladies' Day, 'A Passion for God', Guest Speakers: Kayla Ware, Villa Rica CoC, Amy Clevenger, Macland Road CoC & Precious Olojede, Lithia Springs CoC*

*August 17, Sunday - Buford Church of Christ Youth Area Wide ILLUMINATE!*

*September 20 , 8:30 - noon—Tara church of Christ Ladies' Day, 'A Woman's Power', Speaker: Caryn McCarver. Please RSVP by September 5th.*

*October 11, 10am - Hillcrest COC 29th Annual Ladies' Inspiration Day*



# Help Needed

We are looking for someone to oversee the routine maintenance and upkeep of the church van. If you can help fill this role, please see one of the elders.

## WELCOME, VISITORS!

We consider it a privilege to have you worship with us today. Please stay for a few minutes after worship so we can get acquainted with you, and you with us. **Please complete an Attendance Card**, located on the back of the pew in front of you and hand it to a member of the congregation. We have an attended nursery and a training/cry room available.

### Keep in Prayer

Charles Nash – Is dealing with high blood pressure and will follow up with his cardiologist.

David & Sue Riley – Hospice nurse is helping David at home with his recovery.

Sadie Moreland - Her overall health and well-being. Keep Sadie her daughter Carmelita, Don her son-in-law and Nathan her grandson in your prayers.

Tom, Christie & Elizabeth - The family are asking for prayers.

Peyton Nash - Requesting prayers for his friend, Reece, that is going to college in August and his friends.

Kristie Anderson - Friend of Samantha Phillips's husband passed away last week. Keep Kristie and her son AJ, in your prayers.

Carol Waites - Connie Kelly's sister is home recovering from a stroke.

Nancy Neff - Amy Nash's mother has been moved to Arbor Terrace Peachtree City, 201 Crosstown Drive, Room 2030, Peachtree City, GA 30269

Jackie Couch - Has been moved to the Hope Center Memory Care. Keep Jackie & Ginny in your prayers.

### Members Who Need Prayers

Sally Wallace, Sue Riley, Mack & Sharon Ezell, Ashley Glakas, Tiffany Durden Ray, Tom & Christie Belk, Arnie & Maggie Miller, Tom, Christie & Elizabeth Belk, Dennis & Marlene Etheridge, Jack & Carla Sorrell, Jim & Susan Pelfrey, Catherine Kelly, Kathy Noble, Greg & Amy Nash, Denny Graham, Theresa Green, Margie Fields, Emmett Libby, Curtis & Jo Hurt, Andrew Williams, Paul & Decieta Lyons, Linda Armstrong, Ray & Tina Russell, Clay & Susan Posey, Hugh & Connie Kelly, Rick & RuPearl Sharpe, and Brian Harris

### Continue Prayers

**Doris Buckner** – Doris Buckner, 519 Perkins Road, Unit #137, Palmetto, GA 30268.

**Burma Chapman** – Hope Center Memory Care, 355 Brandywine Blvd, Sunny Suite #10, Fayetteville, GA 30214.

**Dennis & Marlene Etheridge** -7616 Nicholson Road, Cummings, GA 30028.

**Estell Higginbotham** – Hope Center Memory Care, 355 Brandywine Blvd, Safe Harbor-Room 5, Fayetteville, GA 30214.

**Harry & Mattie Williams** – 1483 Hampstead Place, Riverdale, GA 30296.

**Ivan Gonzalez & Maria Liciaga** – 403 Chase Mari-on Way, McDonough, GA 30252.

**Jeanelle McNease** – 3969 Camellia Trail, Conley, GA. 30288

### Our Missionaries and their families:

Graham & Beth McDonald – Scotland

Victor & Esperanza González Geronimo – Mexico

### Others With Health Problems:

Michael Armstrong (Linda's son), Patsy Carriker, Juanita Steward (Christie Belk's mother), Len Gower (Holley Dalman's father), Earl & Peggy Hopkins (David's parents), Cecil Hester (Tina Russell's father), Roger Parker, Peggy Dablum (friend of Janis Libby), Mozelle Jones (Susan Findley's mother), Lucy Allen (Jodi Burdette's mother), Louise Dennis (Kiska Gear's mother), Candace Butts (Connie Elder's daughter), Irving & Cornelia Rose (Larry's parents), Katherine Rincon (Hugh Kelly's sister), Maryann Dalman, Michael Jones (Pelfreys' neighbor), Johnny Lawrence (Margie Fields' nephew), Rene Brock, Rhonda Sullens & Susan Little (Jenny Gwinn), Aukse Harris (Linda Armstrong), Matt Cauthen, Lisa Poskevich, Krish Pate, Jerry & Lynn Cauthen (Joan Poskevich family), Bridget Sharpe (Rick's sister), Patricia Walker (Mattie Williams); Frankie Griffin (RuPearl Sharpe's sister); Lamar Elder (Decieta Lyons & Connie Elder); Shirley Johnson (Andy's mother); Joe & Judy Hand (Allene Scoma)

## Homeless Drive Effort

We are collecting items each month for our Feed/Clothe the homeless effort. If you can donate an item each month—gently used, check goodwill, or donate new. If you have any questions see Gail & Michele Chapman

**August — Storage**  
**Big Book Bags or Travel roller bags**  
**& Seasonal Clothing**

Contact Elder

August - Ray Russell

Worship Assignments

Announcements - Tom Durden

Scriptures - Tucker Hopkins

Song Leader - Jimmy Garner

Prayer - Holden Cella

Lord's Supper - Jim Pelfrey

Ushers - DJ Phillips

Ethan Boelsterli

Sermon - David Gulledge

Closing Prayer - Andy Johnson

PM Service - Digging Deeper

Announcements - Tom Durden

Song Leader - Jimmy Garner

Prayer -

Lord's Supper - Holden Cella

Sermon - David Gulledge

Closing Prayer - Keith Killingsworth

Nursery

Aug 3 Autumn Bucker, 10 Jennifer Pakiz

17 Fairyon Cella, 24 Terri Durden

31 Melanie Boelsterli

Visitors' Center

Aug 3 Connie Kelly/ Sandy Garner

10 Susie Graham/Linda Armstrong

17Janine Esler/Lisa Tittle

24 Sally Wallace/Sue Riley (Annette Bucker)

31 Sandy Garner/Barbara Edmonds

Visitor Luncheon Team

August

Tom & Terri Durden

David & Joan Poskevich

Cliff & Tara Nash

Loretta Keith, Katie Miller & Linda Armstrong

Care of Building

August 1-15 David Hopkins/Jack Sorrell

16-31 Dennis Graham/David Poskevich

Media Center

Aug 3

Sound Board — DJ Phillips

Streaming — Steve Esler

Projector — Ethan Boelsterli

Aug 10

Sound Board — Tucker Hopkins

Streaming — Holden Cella

Projector — Steve Esler

Aug 17

Sound Board — DJ Phillips

Streaming — Steve Esler

Projector — Ethan Boelsterli

Aug 24

Sound Board — Tucker Hopkins

Streaming — Holden Cella

Projector — Steve Esler

Aug 31

Sound Board — DJ Phillips

Streaming — Steve Esler

Projector — Ethan Boelsterli

Wednesday Devotionals

Aug 6 David Gulledge

13 Keith Killingsworth

20 Paul Lyons

27 Peyton Nash

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Holden Cella

Our Mission Works

Graham & Elizabeth McDonald,

Scotland

Victor & Esperanza

González-Geronimo.

Mexico

Raintree Village Children's

In SEARCH of the Lord's

Way

With Phil Sanders

Sunday at 7:30am,

Stations 69 or 45

Elders

Tom Durden (770) 652-7389

Greg Nash (404) 455-1546

Jim Pelfrey (615) 866-7827

Ray Russell (770) 363-2381

Deacons

Steve Esler

Dennis Graham

David Hopkins

Andy Johnson


Hugh Kelly

Stan Mitchell

Charles Nash

David Poskevich

Jack Sorrell



Attendance

QR Code

Use your phone

and add your

family

information

Records You Made – July 27

Bible Classes	91-8 Units Online
10 am Worship	116-13 Units Online
Worship	N/A Units Online
Offering	\$6,362.56
Wednesday Bible Study	72-9 Units Online



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Be the Church - The Joy of Moral Living

Galatians 5:22-23

INTRODUCTION:

1. I've titled this lesson, "The Joy of Moral Living" for the simple reason that there are people who think you've got to be bad to have a good time.

2. Let's define our terms:

a. By "\_\_\_\_\_ " I mean the rejoicing that we have in Christ (Phil. 4:4).

b. By "\_\_\_\_\_ " I mean that which is honorable, proper and right in the sight of God (1 Cor. 15:33).

c. By "\_\_\_\_\_ " I mean the state of existence that is ours from conception onward.

3. Two options are available to every accountable person:

a. Immoral living with all the \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ that sin can bring (Heb. 11:25).

b. Moral living with its \_\_\_\_\_ joys and blessings (Gal. 5:24-26).

DISCUSSION:

I. THERE IS THE JOY OF \_\_\_\_\_.

A. Right doing is righteousness – keeping of God's commands (Psa. 119:172).

a.

b.

B. There is an innate joy associated with doing right.

a.

b.

II. THERE IS THE JOY OF \_\_\_\_\_.

A. Conscience is a moral governor God has placed within each of us that approves what we believe to be right and disapproves what we believe to be wrong (Rom. 2:15).

a.

b.

B. The aim of every Christian ought to be to have a good conscience toward God and man (Acts 23:1; 1 Tim. 1:5).

a.

b.

III. THERE IS THE JOY OF \_\_\_\_\_.

A. Moral living includes both a good character and reputation:

a. \_\_\_\_\_ had both, but needed Christ (Acts 10:1-2).

b. \_\_\_\_\_ had both (Acts 11:24).

c. \_\_\_\_\_ had both (Acts 16:2).

B. How easy is it to gain a tainted reputation in something that every Christian should avoid:

a. How you dress says something about you (1 Tim. 2:9-10).

b. How you treat other people tells a lot about you (Eph. 4:29-32).

c. The language you use reveals your heart (Mt. 12:34).

IV. THERE IS THE JOY OF \_\_\_\_\_.

A. The world is not a very nice place [morally], and is getting worse (1 Jn. 5:19; 2 Tim. 3:13).

B. Righteousness is the only thing that can make a nation, and the world, a better place (Prov. 14:34).

C. The Christian is in a unique position to make the world a better place (Mt. 5:13-16).