

Church Calendar Events

- * **February 3** - Citadel Bible Class; 6-8:30 pm, Book of Revelation taught by Steve Vice. See Holden Cella for information.
- * **February 15 - Love Banquet** - Registration opens 2/1. It starts at 11:30 AM right after morning services. Register using the link in Lightpost, or you can talk to Matt directly after service or shoot him a text."
- * **February 22-26** - Progressive Gospel Meeting (See the schedule to the right)

Youth Events/Activities

- * **February 20-22** YES Weekend (Jr. & Sr. High). (Valdosta, GA): The deadline to sign up is Wednesday, February 4th. The event is the weekend of February 20th. Registration is \$25, which covers your shirt and a meal. We will calculate the hotel cost once we have a final headcount.
- * **March 14** - Youth Day at Snellville Church of Christ: It's a free event, but we need you to sign up by February 15th.
- * **March 20** - SOAR Weekend (Augusta, GA): The deadline for this is also February 15th. The event is the weekend of March 20th. Registration is \$35, and like the Valdosta trip, hotel costs will be determined after the deadline."

Chaperones & Information - Matt is looking for at least two chaperones per trip. If you would like to help out, please let him know. If you need more details or a full schedule, those will be available on the round table in the foyer.

Progressive Gospel Meeting 2026 Feb 22-26

Speaker: Ken Forrest (Booneville COC, MS)

Sun: Feb 22 - 4:00 pm

Shine Brighter (Forest Park COC)

Mon: Feb 23 - 7:00 pm

I Surrender All (Peachtree City COC)

Tues: Feb 24 - 10:00 am

Pass It On (Middle Fayette COC)
(Bible Study, lunch provided)

Tues: Feb 24 - 7:00 pm

The Power of Faith (East Point COC)

Wed: Feb 25 - 7:00 pm

Reaching Forward (Shannon COC)

Thurs: Feb 26 - 7:00 pm

Against Doubt God Give Us Courage
(Fayetteville COC)

Warrenton Church of Christ Vacation Bible School Mission July 12-15, 2026

January - Backpacks

We have provided a QR Code to order these from Amazon .



Ladies

If you are interested in going to either or both of these events, see Terri Durden.

- ◇ Southeastern Quilt & Textile Museum - Carrollton, Ga
- ◇ Original Sewing & Quilt Expo in Duluth - March (on a Friday)

We will take the church van.

CONTRIBUTION RECORDS FOR 2025

Your contribution record is available on the counter at the Welcome Center. Please let the office know if you have questions.

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 or use the QR code in this bulletin to let us know you are here. We have an attended nursery and a training/cry room available if needed.

Prayer Request

- Linda Johnson has requested prayers for her niece Lara Schmidt. She is pregnant and will have a high risk surgery on Tuesday.
- Yvonne Bettis is in Fayette Piedmont hospital. They have requested no visitors right now.
- Continue to pray for David and Sue Riley.
- Continue to pray for Susie as she heals.
- Pray for Arnie and Maggie Miller for the health problems they are experiencing.
- Sally and Denise have requested prayers for their neighbors, the Jordans who are awaiting a 3rd knee surgery.

Members Who Need Prayers

Arnie Miller, Maggie Miller, Tracey Gear, Margie Fields, Emmett Libby, Clay & Susan Posey, Denise Greene, Curtis & Jo Hurt, Anthony & Toni Stinson, David & Sue Riley, Ginny Couch, Sadie Moreland, Sally Wallace, Mack & Sharon Ezell, Jack & Carla Sorrell, Jim & Susan Pelfrey, Catherine Kelly, Kathy Noble, Greg & Amy Nash, Denny & Susie Graham, Theresa Green, Andrew Williams, Paul & Decieta Lyons, Linda Armstrong, Ray & Tina Russell, Hugh & Connie Kelly, Rick & RuPearl Sharpe, and Brian Harris

Continue Prayers for:

Yvonne Bettis - 108 Red Maple Drive, Peachtree City, GA 30269

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

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 Marion Way, McDonough, GA 30252

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

David Riley—Brightmore Nursing Center, Room 507B, 3235 Newnan Road, Griffin, GA 30223

Upcoming Birthdays

Chester Walding	Jan 29
Toni Stinson	Feb 02
Brody Pakiz	Feb 06
DJ Phillips	Feb 06
Tyler Burdette	Feb 07
David Poskevich	Feb 07

Fayetteville Church of Christ

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THE CHURCH = A FAMILY

1 Timothy 5:1-16

INTRODUCTION:

1. The Bible has much to say regarding a Christian's relationship with his fellow man.
2. The apostle Paul pleads with brethren to *"love one another"* (1 Thes. 4:9), prefer *"one another"* (Rom. 12:10), *"edify one another"* (14:19), and be *"forbearing and forgiving one to another"* (Col. 3:13).
3. Those who are worldly-minded and filled with pride often envy their fellow man (Gal. 5:26) and are content to *"bite and devour"* (v. 15) him to accomplish their own selfish objectives.
4. Such demeanor does not complement Christianity and will not promote goodwill toward the Lord's people.
5. As we contemplate the way we should treat others, let us remember the apostle Paul's plea to the Philippians to do *"Let nothing be done through selfish ambition or conceit, but in lowliness of mind let each esteem others better than himself. Let each of you look out not only for his own interests, but also for the interests of others."* (Phi. 2:3-4).

DISCUSSION:

I. TREAT ONE ANOTHER LIKE _____ (VV. 1-2)

A. Paul begins with a simple but powerful principle: treat people in the church like family.

- a. _____ men as _____.
- b. _____ men as _____.
- c. _____ women as _____.
- d. _____ women as _____, "in all purity"

B. This immediately sets the tone. The church is not a business, a social club, or a battlefield - it is a family.

C. Paul specifically warns _____, a younger leader, not to speak harshly to older men. Leadership does not give permission to be disrespectful.

D. **Application:** Before we speak, confront, or correct, we should ask: *Would I say this the same way to my own parent or sibling? A healthy church treats people with dignity, regardless of age or position.*

II. SHOW _____ THROUGH PRACTICAL _____ (VV. 3-16)

A. Paul then turns to the care of widows, who were among the most vulnerable in the early church. He says, *"Honor widows who are truly widows."* Here, honor means more than words - it includes tangible support.

B. But Paul also introduces _____. Not every situation is the same. If a widow has family who can care for her, that responsibility belongs first to the family. Paul even says that refusing to care for one's own family is a denial of the _____.

C. This teaches us that the church is not meant to replace personal _____ but to step in where real need exists.

D. **Application:** The church must be compassionate, but not careless. True love helps people without enabling irresponsibility. God is honored when families take responsibility and the church supports those who truly have no help.

III. PRACTICAL WAYS TO _____ FELLOW CHRISTIANS LIKE _____

- A. Move from " _____ " to _____.
- B. Share _____ beyond _____.
- C. Practice _____ instead of _____.
- D. Carry one another's _____.
- E. Create space for _____ and _____.
- F. Honor every _____.
- G. _____ together, not just attend together.
- H. Love _____, not _____.

Our Mission Works

Graham & Elizabeth McDonald,
Scotland

Victor & Esperanza
González-Geronimo.
Mexico

Raintree Village Children's Home

In SEARCH of the Lord's Way

With Phil Sanders

Sunday at 7:30am,
Stations 69 or 45

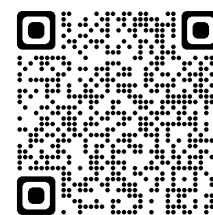
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Stan Mitchell
Charles Nash
David Poskevich
Jack Sorrell

Attendance QR Code
Use your phone and add your
family
information



Contact Elder - February

Jim Pelfrey

Sunday, February 1, 2026

Sermon - David Gulledge

Announcements - Greg Nash

Scripture Reading - Landon Hopkins

Lord's Supper - Cliff Nash

Song Leader - Charles Nash

Opening Prayer - David Poskevich

Closing Prayer - Tracey Gear

Ushers

Mitch Mitchell, Jack Sorrell

Worship Coordinator

Steve Hopkins

Nursery

2/1 - Sarah Olguin

Welcome Center

2/1 - Sandy Garner

Visitor Luncheon Team

Tom & Terri Durden
David & Joan Poskevich
Cliff & Tara Nash
Loretta Keith
Katie Miller
Linda Armstrong

Care of Building

Feb. 1-15 Hugh Kelly, Steve Esler

Media Center

Sound Board - DJ Phillips
Streaming - Ethan Boelsterli
Projector - Steve Esler

PM Service February 1, 2026

Digging Deeper
Announcements/Opening Prayer
David Gulledge
Closing Prayer - David Hopkins

Wednesday Mid-Week - 2/4

Song Leader - David Hopkins
Devotional - Jim Pelfrey

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Citadel Bible Institute

(Formerly called GSOP)

<http://gsoponline.org/gsop-fayetteville-campus>

Campus Director:

Holden Cella

Assembly Schedule:

Sunday

9:00 am Bible Classes
10:00 am Worship Service
5:00 pm Worship Service
(no PM Service on 4th or 5th Sunday)

Tuesday Morning Bible Study

10:00 am

(Classes begins Sept 9 - May)

Wednesday Evening

Bible Classes at 7pm

Records You Made - January 25

Incliment weather -No in-person service

Bible Classes Units Online

10 am Worship Units Online

5 pm Worship Units Online

Offering

Wednesday Bible Study Units Online