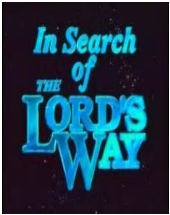


~ ~ ~ Those Privileged To Serve ~ ~ ~		
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<u>Sunday 2nd Service</u> Welcome ~ Announcements Scripture/ Prayer Song Leader Preside Communion Preaching Closing Prayer <u>Bible Study Evening 7:00 P.M.</u>	<u>February 9, 11:30 A.M.</u> Michael Hollis Michael Hollis Eugene Sherman Donnell Robison Alfred Barnes Dylan Madden <u>February 12, 7:00 P.M.</u>	<u>February 16, 11:30 A.M.</u> Michael Hollis Michael Hollis Randy Harp Donnell Robison Alfred Barnes Levi Madden <u>February 19, 7:00 P.M.</u>
Weekly Assembly Schedule 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM - Worship 10:30 AM - 11:15 AM - Bible Classes 11:30 AM - 12:15 PM - Worship Wednesday Bible Study - 7:00 PM (Some variation may be necessary)	 In Search Of The Lord's Way Sundays - Channel 57 - 7:30 AM 02/09/2025—"Healthy Christianity" 02/16/2025—"The Greatest Love" 02/23/2025—"Our Hearts"	

“ CHRIST ALIVE IN '25 ”

<u>What Must I Do To Be Saved?</u>		<u>Record of Attendance</u>	
Realize I am lost	Rom. 3:23	*	
Hear the Gospel	Acts 15:7	*	<u>02/02/2025</u>
Believe the Gospel	Mk. 16:15-16	*	<u>Total</u>
Repent of sins	Acts 17:30	*	Sun. 1st Worship
Confess Christ	Rom. 10:9-10	*	Sun. Bible Study
Baptized to remit sins	Acts 2:38	*	Sun. 2nd Worship
Remain faithful	2 Pet. 1:5-11	*	Wednesday Evening
		*	Contribution



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“The entrance of thy words giveth light; it giveth understanding unto the simple.” Psalm 119:130

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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

SUNDAY
1st Worship 9:00 am
Bible Class 10:30 am
2nd Worship 11:30 am

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Bible Study 7:00 pm

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CHRIST IN THE NEW TESTAMENT.
(Continued)

IN FIRST THESSALONIANS HE IS
THE RETURNING LORD (4:13-18)

IN II THESSALONIANS HE IS
THE WORLD'S JUDGE (1:7-9)

IN I TIMOTHY HE IS
OUR MEDIATOR (2:5)

IN II TIMOTHY HE IS THE
GIVER OF LIFE (1:10;4:8)

IN TITUS HE IS
OUR GREAT GOD AND SAVIOR (2:13)

IN PHILEMON HE IS
OUR EQUALIZER (v.16)

IN HEBREWS HE IS
OUR LAST SPEAKER (1:1,2)

IN JAMES HE IS
THE LORD OF GLORY (2:1)

IN I PETER HE IS
OUR REDEEMER (1:18,19)

IN II PETER HE IS
OUR LORD AND SAVIOR (1:1,2,8,11)

IN I JOHN HE IS
THE WORD OF LIFE (1:1)

IN II JOHN HE IS
THE SON OF THE FATHER (v. 3)

IN III JOHN HE IS THE
PERSONIFICATION OF TRUTH (vv. 1-4)

IN JUDE HE IS
THE BELIEVER'S HOPE (v 24)

IN REVELATION HE IS
THE VICTORIOUS LAMB (5:6)

PRAYER REQUEST

Hudson Lester— the grandson of Debbie Richards who is 5 years old, is in Atlanta Children's Hospital in ICU. He's been very sick with flu and pneumonia. He is off the ventilator and on nasal oxygen. He has had some bumps while adjusting to many changes with his health care. Please keep him and family in your prayers..

Mary Martin— sister of Dixie Harp, had melanoma surgery on her arm Tuesday, which went well. She has a follow up appointment in 2 weeks. Keep her in your prayers for good results. Also keep Mary's husband, Robert Martin, in prayers, as he is on a mission trip in Saipan.

Steve Pollard— has been very sick with a respiratory flu virus and possibly pneumonia. Keep him in your prayers for a speedy recovery.

Dylan, Levi Madden and Family—have been sick with sore throats and sinus problems. Keep them in your prayers.

Bush Denney—the brother of Jack Denney, has stage 4 pancreatic cancer. Keep him and his wife Tammy in prayers.

Bernice Harris—has problems with her immune system, and other health concerns from M.S.. Keeps her in your prayers.

Roslyn Cursean—had recent doctors appointments which revealed she will need surgery in the next couple months. Continue to keep her in prayers.

Alfred Barnes Sr—has improved and the meds are working for him. Keep him in your prayers.

Havanna Goebel—continues with pain, Ericka Lee, Havanna's daughter, continues to battle with cancer. Her father, Ervin Lee, also has cancer.

~ SEND A CARD ~ MAKE A CALL ~
ENCOURAGE ONE ANOTHER ~

Activities And Events

Today— 9:00 A.M. 1st morning Worship Service.

Today— Sunday Morning Bible Class 10:30A.M.

Today—11:30 A.M. 2nd Worship Service.

Wednesday night Bible Class— 7:00 P.M.

February 10th— Monday for the Master: First Principles Class @ 7 PM in the home of Henrietta Murphy Jones. See the directory for her address.

February 22--23—Buford Church of Christ invites you to REFINÉ WEEKEND, with Speaker: Dan Winkler. The theme is "For Those Of Us Who Care About Prayer." For information you can go online to bufordcoc.com.

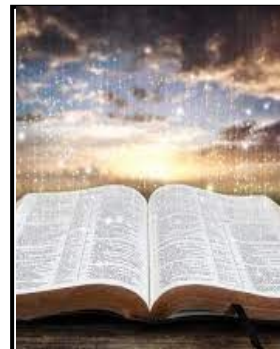
February 23-27—2025 Progressive Meeting on "Godly Living in an Ungodly World," with Speaker: Bro Eric Garner, of Ooltewah Church of Christ, Ooltewah, Tn.. He will be speaking at Tara on Tuesday at 7:00 PM. The schedule for the meeting is posted in the foyer. We encourage each of you to attend all of the meetings you can. We encourage you to bring your family and friends to Tara to attend this great series Bro. Garner will be speaking on.

Continued Prayer List: Loyial Williams Jr, Jerome Dukes, Eleanor English, Danny Barclay, Jack Denney, Brent Pollard, Vera Hannah, Jim and Maxine Howell, Veranetta Jones, Josiah, nephew of Maylene Lamy and her friends Pauline Noel and Leshon Cheely, Don Cheek, Donna Taylor, Doris Pate, Mozelle Jones, Quenton Hogan, Vera Pollard, Willie Mae Brown, Carla Robison's mother, Alfred and Lenora Barnes, parents of Alfred Barnes, Betty Manning, mother-in-law of Jack Denney, Lynette Sumner, Mother-in-law of Steve Pollard, James Pollard

Elders' Comments

How meaningful is your worship when you meet with the church on the Lord's day? Are you spiritually edified? Are you stronger in the faith? Having heard the gospel again and fellowshiped with others of like precious faith in singing, praying, and commemorating the Lord's death, are you more determined to be faithful in your Christian walk? Does it make you look forward to next Sunday so that you can worship again with your spiritual family? If not, why not? Congregational worship was designed to draw us to God and to one another. (Heb.10:21-25) When it doesn't, something is wrong that needs correcting.

The Elders



INSPIRATION OF THE BIBLE (VI)

Students of the Bible who take it for what it is, without prejudice, find its complete unity truly amazing. The only explanation is that it is simply the result of one supreme intelligence. Though it is composed of sixty six books, written over a period of about sixteen hundred years, by forty different writers in different geographical locations, its wonderful unity is without question to the open minded student. It is really one book in form, purpose, subject matter and development. Each writer made a distinct and fitting contribution to the whole. The Bible grew portion by portion, century by century, into a progressive record of God's dealings with man, climaxing with the redemptive work of the Son of God for man's eternal salvation.

Consider the men who wrote the Bible. They were from various backgrounds. They were herdsmen, kings, priests, prophets, judges, fishermen, preachers and various other vocations. Most of the authors had little or no writing skills with little or no formal education. Yet, the style of writing is generally similar and does not appear to have been produced by authors with limited ability. Neither do the writers contradict each other in the various accounts they give. These facts point to inspiration.

Consider the time element in the writings. The Old Testament, containing thirty-nine books that were written by over thirty men, took about twelve hundred years to complete. Though some few passages of both Testaments are very similar in content, most of the books carry the same overall theme but are worded entirely different. Later authors did not simply copy the former authors. Some have a similar message (Kings and Chronicles, the prophets and the four biographies of Christ), yet originality is evident, as well as repetition. Moses wrote about his own experiences, but also informs the reader of events which occurred centuries before his birth, including the creation. How could he have known these things? Inspiration is the only answer.

Consider the harmony of the writings. The Bible is in complete harmony from Genesis to Revelation. All parts of it complement the whole, and are not in opposition to any other part. Though some of the writers were contemporaries, most of them, living in different centuries, could not confer with one another. The twenty-seven books of the New Testament, written by eight men within about forty years, present a complete theme and purpose. Each one is in harmony with the others, and the whole is in harmony with the whole of the Old Testament. Numerous passages from the writings of Moses, the prophets and the Psalms are cited by Christ, as well as by the New Testament writers. There is never a disagreement or correction given in doing so. There is no other book like it in the world, and there never will be. In view of these few considerations and circumstances, it would have been impossible for such a library of books, which all together form the one complete book, the Bible, to come into being other than through divine inspiration.

Richard

Please remember to turn off your cell phone during Bible study and Worship!