

Worship Assignments
Sunday Morning Services

	April 22nd	April 29th
Announcements	Curtis Kingsley	Dick Young
Song Leading	Barry Kingsley	Barry Pritchett
Open Prayer	Ken White	Tim Hall
Close Prayer	Dennis Dove	Marvin Pritchett
Head Table	Tim Hall	Tom Hall
Minister	Butch Jones	Butch Jones

Assist	Tate McCoy Tom Hall Garry Hensley Mike Williams David Green Dennis Nicholson Carl Wilson Don Kerley	Jack Stanley Jackie Cochran Dow McEntyre David Green Donnie Bailey Daniel Funderburk Rob Burton Mark Wilson
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Usher	Dustin Holland Winston Pettit Matthew Bailey Eddy Mulkey A.Z. Hall Dow McEntyre	Mike Williams Koby Cork Reid Cochran Andrew Kingsley Ben Kingsley Michael Kingsley
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Sound Room	John Painter	Mike Holloway
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Greeters	M&R Pritchett Alice Crow Q&J Holloway	Phyllis Morrow K&J White V&J Gibbs
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Sunday Night Services

Announcements	Carl Wilson	Burt Hinton
Song Leading	Men	Mark Pettit
Open Prayer	Dick Young	Greg Burrell
Close Prayer	Donnie Bailey	Joby Ralston
Communion	Tim Hall	Tom Hall
Sound Room	John Painter	Mike Holloway

Month of April Month of May

Unlock Building	Garry Rittenberry	Ken White
Lock Building	Don McKee	David Green

Wednesday Night Services

	April 25th	May 2nd
Announcements	Butch Jones	Butch Jones
Song Leading	Mike Williams	Zach Pritchett
Prayer	Dennis Dove	Jay Hall
Sound Room	Andrew Kingsley	Benjamin Kingsley



Our week this year at Camp Wetoga will be June 10th - 15th. The director will be Mike Horn. Get your applications in early!



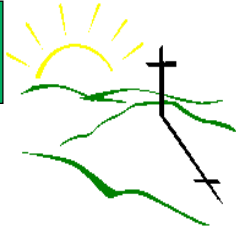
Vacation Bible School this year is June 17th - June 20th

GREAT JOB!

Congratulations to Nikki Stephens on being one of three winners of the Amicalola EMC 2007 Washington Youth Tour. Also included is a \$600 scholarship. Nikki starts University of Georgia in the fall. Great job, Nik- we're proud of you.

ELIJAY CHURCH OF CHRIST

Spreading the Good News
Sunday, April 22, 2007



Meeting Times
Sunday Morning

Class.....9:45am
Worship.....10:45am

Sunday Evening
Worship.....6pm

Wednesday Evening
Bible Study.....7:00 pm

- We have Bible classes for all ages -



Tucker Hall - 22nd
Mikayla Queen - 22nd
Ruby Kinser - 23rd
Juanita Bloodworth - 24
James Corson - 25th
Alexis Funderburk - 25th
Morgan Mullins - 25th
Jessica Rittenberry - 26th
Lynn Townsend - 27th
Tommie Stephens - 28th

Week of April 15th

Contribution.....\$6,881
Budget.....\$6,510
Under YTD.....\$2,839
Bible Study.....163
AM Worship.....229
PM Worship.....136
Wednesday Evening.....117

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**Come as a guest,
leave as a friend...**



Welcome to our Visitors!
You are our honored guest. We hope that you find our worship uplifting and meaningful. Please complete the visitors card so we will have a record of your visit. Please know that you are always welcome at all of our services. We hope you will stay after services and let us get to know you.





Tammy Bradley gave birth Wednesday morning to a baby boy. The baby had to be transferred to an Atlanta neonatal specialist and Tammy required emergency surgery late Wednesday evening.

Sarah Beth Mulkey will have surgery on her tear ducts on May 11th.

Larry Cantrell was scheduled to have a heart cath this past Friday.

Robert Plush, WillaMae's father, is in ICU at Fannin.

Garland Davis has been moved to a step down unit to receive several days of therapy.

Ida Mae Holloway will be having a procedure done regarding two aneurysms in the next several days.

Please remember the family of Michael Davis in his passing away Saturday. Michael is Marvin & Rachel's nephew, and the son of Garland Davis, who has been on our prayer list after being in an accident several weeks ago.

Please remember our Cancer Patients

Juanita Green, Martha Rollins, Frances Martin Deep, Shirley Bailey, Willene Cody, Christa McArthur, Edith Hinds, Edd Hensley, Barbara Lassetter, John Waddell, Sandra Poole, Cliff Kearley, Ethan Jones, David McClure, Billy Stells, Emory Pankey, Larry Cantrell, Christy Heard, Wally Schmidt

Nursing Home Residents

Pauline Mullinax, Florence Stanley, Annette Fitch, Bonnie Conner, Ruth Mashburn, Mollie Woody



Congratulations to Paul and Tammy Bradley and their families on the birth of Davis Warren Bradley, born Wednesday, April 18th. He weighed 6lbs 4oz.

Others to Remember

Kathleen Sisson, Tina Messer, Kathleen Ballew, Richard Abernathy, Harold Neal, Vic Carswell, Ray Hammons, Barbara Hill, Pat Stells, June McEntyre, Shirley Hinton, Billie Wright, Vivian Young, Tom Miller, Trent Miller, Willie Clayton, Orene Underhill, George & Laura Huckabey, June Handte, Glenna Trenary, Earl Hyatt, Eva Nabors



•TODAY - FAMILY AND FRIENDS DAY. A special welcome to all our guests! We have a staffed nursery available for ages 4 and under. Also, please plan on joining us after services for lunch in the Fellowship Hall!

•TODAY - Elders Meeting, 5:00

•TONIGHT - 4th Sunday Night Singing

•April 22nd-26th Lectureship at McCaysville.

•April 23rd - **Riversing 2007**

•April 29th - We will be recognizing our Lads to Leaders and Leaderettes during Bible school. All classes will meet in the auditorium.

•May 5th - **Ladies Day** - Registration starts at 8:30 am. All ladies are welcome!

•May 6th - **Snak-N-Yak**. The baby shower for Brian and Brittney originally scheduled in conjunction with the meal has been rescheduled for the June Snak-N-Yak. Also, they are expecting a GIRL, and not a boy. Sorry for any inconvenience!

•May 28th - David Turner arrives to work with our youth and families as our Summer Intern.

"Friends Make a Difference"

When I was two years old I made a mistake that I have had to look at everyday since. My Grandmother was churning butter in her new electric churn. I was fascinated to watch as the soured milk became harder and harder. As I watched, I put my right index finger in the air hole of the electric motor. I did a number on that churn. My finger was caught and it locked the motor down. My Grandmother had to leave me and run next door to the closest neighbor's house for help. It was almost a quarter mile and I yelled while she ran for help.

I remember it taking lots longer than I had hoped for help to arrive. I didn't realize that they would have to actually take the motor apart to release my finger. It was pretty chewed up when we did get it out. Those were the days of turpentine bandages and time to heal. I wasn't taken to the emergency room or a doctor and eventually, my finger healed perfectly.

A few years past and I remember going into the first grade class at Morganton Elementary on my first day of school. There were tables and six chairs around the small wooden tables. As I sat there and had my hands folded in front of me, I looked across the table and there was a fellow that had an index finger that looked just like mine. I had never seen anyone that had a scar behind the nail and looked like mine but here in living flesh was one identical to mine. I asked if he had stuck his in a churn motor too and he replied that was exactly what he had done. Instantly we became bonded friends. His name was Randy Bailey and we were the best of friends all the way through our Elementary and High School days. If you ever run across a fellow with a right index finger that resembles mine, just ask if his name is "Randy."

On this "Family and Friends Day", I would like to thank all our friends that have come out to celebrate with us. All our scars might not match but from the bottom of my heart, I want to express appreciation and gratitude for your taking time and making the effort to be with us today. Our prayer and desire is that you will return often. If we can be of assistance, please feel free to call on us and just know that you will always be welcome at our home.

Let me close by reminding you of what the wise man had to say a long time ago as he was directed by the Holy Spirit. "To have friends, a man must show himself friendly...." Please enjoy your visit and come back often. I am sure there is much that we do share in common.