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Schedule of Services

Sunday

Morning Worship
9:00 a.m.

Bible Classes
10:15 a.m.

Evening Worship
5:30 p.m.

Monday Night For
The Master
(T.B.A.)

Wednesday

Ladies' Bible Class
10:00a.m.
(Sept. - May)

Step It Up 3:15

Devotional
6:30 p.m.

Bible Classes
6:45 p.m.

2011 Theme
*"Do all in the name
of the Lord"*

How I See It. By: Brian Gregory

This past Sunday marked an important milestone for us here at Eastside. During our second annual "Fall Bring A Friend Day" we officially broke ground on the site where our new building will soon be built. The elders thought it was best for the children of our congregation to do this. The builders (who were also present) provided plastic hard hats and kid sized shovels for this occasion. The elders envision this building being an investment in the spiritual future of these children. How wonderful it is to know (Lord willing) fifty years from now some of these same children will be serving as elders, deacons, preachers, Bible class teachers, etc. . . at that same location and others. As has been carefully and aptly stated many times, our main purpose behind this building project is to bring glory to God. A new building will only serve as a tool to assist us. The real effort has to come from each of us as members of this congregation and the Lord's body as a whole.

To further comment upon the day, the two sermons we heard from Bro. John and Bro. Joe were aptly suited for the occasion. Joe challenged us to teach our children important facts and lessons about life that will serve them well into the future as adults. John challenged us to think about the foundations of our spiritual lives, building upon the ideas of Matthew 7:24-27. He reminded us when we turn over dirt for virtually any purpose (planting or building) we must remove the rocks from it to make it most usable. Otherwise they will hinder our progress and productivity. For us to truly bring glory to God and build our lives upon the foundation of Jesus the Christ, we too must remove the rocks. We all need to remove the obstacles (rocks) keeping us being who we know we need to be. Maybe it is the rock of **indifference**: "I do not really care either way or enough to get more involved." The rock of **greed**: "I refuse to give any more than I am already giving of myself or my money." The rock of **grumbling**: "I will complain about everything that comes along and support little of it in any meaningful way." The rock of **ignorance**: "I do not know nearly as much as I should or could therefore I am not very grounded or strong in my faith." The rock of **unfruitfulness**: "I always intended to get more involved or do something but I never followed through." There are many other "rocks" we could list. The point is all of us have them to remove. The question is what is keeping you from doing so? There will be a lot of enthusiasm and excitement when we build our new building. It must be harnessed by each of us individually and translated into meaningful and lasting changes for Christ. So, how many rocks will you remove and what will be the results?

October 16, 2011

A.M. "So The Next Generation Will Know Them" (Psalm 78:1-7) Joe Macer, Speaker
P.M. "False Teachers Among You" (2 Peter 2:1-3) Brian Gregory, Speaker

KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Recovering from surgeries/procedures: **Retha Jett**

(stent); **Jamie Anthony "Tony" Harris** (Jan Thomason's brother); **Larry Derryberry** (Libby Moss' brother & Lisa Kelley's uncle) carotid artery 10/3; **J.D. Davis** (knee); **Sharon Davis** (wrist); **Charline Gossett** (knee replacement)

Various illnesses/health/personal problems:

Martha Wilson; **Randy Jones** (back injury from fall at shelter); **Danny Johnson** (gout); **Darlene Church** (back at NHC-Hillview); **Albert Scribner, Sr.**, grandfather of Byran Farris; **Sherry Rogers**, aunt of Byran Farris; **Ainsley Hooper** (Lisa Kelley's co-worker's 6 month old daughter)-HOME!; **Eddie & Mary Rogers**; **Patsy Long Rieves** (Sarah Churchwell's niece) hospice; **Rebecca Greenfield** (back); **JoAnn Anderson** (Katherine Nicholson's mother); **Sue Ayers** (Linda Lasater's mother); **Tom Johnson** (multiple myeloma cancer); **Randy Wood** (jaw & neck cancer) **Boyd's** brother; **Ila Goodman** NHC-Columbia 156-A; **Marsha Lunn**; **Sandy Humphrey** (terminal cancer); **Linda Bell** treatments for bone cancer (Clyde Farris' sister); **Coleen Pilkinton** (undergoing cancer treatments); **Betty Allen** (Mary Chumbley's daughter); Shut-in & those in nursing homes.

In The Hospital: **Jimmy Griner** (Judy Barber's cousin) Vanderbilt Stallworth; **Robert Norman** MRMC Rm 396



Pray for our Servicemen & their families:

Kevin Mick (Afghanistan)

Kevin.eric.mick@us.army.mil

CPT MICK, KEVIN

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APO AE 09355

Brad A. Morgan, (3rd time to Iraq)

Nell Hood's grandson

Maj. Brad A. Morgan,

HHC, 326 ENG.BN.,

A.P.O. AE 09391

Clay Morgan, (2 trips to Iraq now in Afghanistan)

Nell Hood's grandson

Maj. Clay Morgan,

HHC, 25TB 2/4 ID., FOB SARAH,

A.P.O. AE 09382

Brandon Hubbard

(Clayton & Myrna Jett's grandson)

Steven Kuykendall (Afghanistan)

(Ray's son)

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MARK YOUR CALENDARS



Oct. 19th - Ladies' Bible Class 10:00 a.m. in annex. Followed by potluck lunch. Men invited to lunch!

Oct. 26th - Ladies' Bible Class, 4th Wed. Prayer Service, Children's Bible Hour in annex.



Oct. 29th - Fall Family Get Together at the Jones'. 3:00

Games begin, Potluck Meal

around 5 p.m., costume presentation by children, bonfire, hay-



ride, and trunk or treat. Bring hot dogs, buns, chili, finger foods desserts, etc. Drinks will be furnished.

Oct. 30th - 5th Sunday Building Fund Contribution.

All Contributions go toward Building Fund.

Goal: \$21,000.00+

November 12th - Ladies' Day! Sign up sheet in foyer to help.

Sign up sheet in foyer for all that would like a copy of the Eastside Cookbook (one copy per family to start)



THE RECORD SPEAKS

October 9, 2011

Morning Worship.....	268
Afternoon Worship.....	122
Wednesday Evening.....	
Budget.....	\$7,000.00
Contribution.....	\$8,036.32

Building Fund Campaign

GOAL= \$600,000 August 31, 2011 - March 31, 2012

Kid's Count Campaign: Jug in lobby thru end of yr

Visit our website churchofchristateastside.com for the latest ground breaking photos!

Why are we building?.....

We must have a good location.

How are we building?.....

We must have a good foundation (Christ).

What are we building?.....

We are to be corner stones of God's temple.



Summits of the Psalms

By: Joe Macer

Psalm 92

92:5 How great are your works, O Lord, how profound your thoughts.

This is a Psalm written after the exiles had returned from the Babylonian captivity. There was a thrill due to the guidance, deliverance and mercy of God. They praised God and sang songs of worship to his name. In song, they declared "I sing for joy at the works of your hands." With their own eyes they had seen the wicked perish and with their ears they heard of the defeat of their enemies. It had seemed as if the wicked quickly sprung up and flourished but God had defeated them. Now that the wicked had been defeated, the righteous were flourishing. The righteous were compared to a palm tree and a cedar tree. These were symbols of strength and security. The righteous will flourish in the court of God and they will bear fruit even into old age. This caused the people to declare, "It is good to praise the Lord." Today, may we see the blessings of God in our own lives and praise him for his wonderful deeds in our lives. We have many reasons for which to give thanks to God. Think about and meditate upon these day by day.



Happy Birthday

Oct. 16th - John Churchwell, St.

Oct. 17th - Bernice Bratton

Oct. 19th - Byran Farris &
J.W. Rush

Oct. 21st. - Tim Hardison

Oct. 22nd - Jack Turner



Our deepest sympathy is extended to **Reba Jones** and her family in the death of her grandson, **Shane Cole**, whose funeral was Monday.

Our deepest sympathy is extended to **Ann Brady** in the death of her son in law, **T.B. Mencer** whose funeral was last week.

Youth News

by Jody Pritchett



Oct. 23rd - Teens dinner at Legends after evening service.

Oct. 30th - Miller's Haunted Woods after evening service.

Nov. 5th - BINGO at Morning Point at 2:00 p.m.

Please see Jody if you'd like to contribute to the Youth Scholarship Program

TWEENS

There is a sign-up sheet in the foyer for devotional hosts for 2011-2012 school year. If you can host a devotional in your home, please sign the sheet. Any questions see Mike Lyle.



October Theme: Child/Parent relationships
Goal: To make a special effort to improve the relationship between parent and child.



Dear Ladies of the Bible Class,

Thank you for your thoughtfulness of the blanket and especially the prayers. I know there was a lot of work that went into the making of it. It is beautiful and I really do appreciate it very much. I will enjoy the use of it.

Thank you, Linda Bell (Clyde Farris' sister)

5th Sunday

Building Fund

Oct. 30TH

GOAL \$21,000.00+

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John Kodatt	388-2569	John Thomas	490-1903
Mike Lyle	987-0234	Dennis Thomason	682-2384
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WORSHIP LEADER October 16, 2011

SUNDAY 9:00 A.M.

Welcome & Song Leader.....Greg Lusk
 Prayer.....Donnie Davis
 Lord's Supper: Presiding.....John Kodatt
 Serving:
 David Gray Jason Kelley
 William Warf Jim Anderson
 Jonathan Macer Danny Lasater
 Offering
 Read (Psalm 78:1-7).....Jim Pollard
 Sermon: "So The Next Generation Will Know Them"
 Speaker:.....Joe Macer
 Invitation
 Announcements/Closing Prayer.....Gary Boyd

Ushers: Bill Carroll, Ray Rummage, J.W. Gilliam
 Greeters: Charlie & Cecelia Willis
 Audio/Visual Room: Jason Snyder

SUNDAY 5:30 p.m.

Welcome/Song Leader.....Jerry Wilson
 Prayer.....Charlie Willis
 Read (II Peter 2:1-3).....Barry Cross
 Sermon "False Teachers Among You".....Brian Gregor y
 Lord's Supper Presiding (In Deacon Room).....Randy Jones
 Announcements/Closing Prayer.....Richard Farris



If you are unable to keep your appointment to serve, please call Ray Rummage (379-5560) or Joe Williams (388-9183).

NURSERY CARE

A.M.....Bernice Bratton
 Katherine Nicholson
 P.M.....Rachel Farris
 Jan Thomason

WEDNESDAY 10/19/2011

Song LeaderJoe Macer
 Prayer.....John Thomas
 Announcements/Speaker.....Brian Gregory