

Important Days/Dates to Remember

Each Sunday:

9:30 a.m. *Light Breakfast Fellowship*
9:45-10:30 a.m. *Sunday Schools (for all ages)*
11:00 a.m. *Worship Service*

Each Tuesday:

8:00 p.m. *Chapel Service at Andrew College*

Each Wednesday:

5:00-6:00 p.m. *Bible Study & Prayer Ministry*
6:00 p.m. *Adult Choir Rehearsal*

September 7, 2009 – Monday:

Labor Day

September 9, 2009 – Wednesday:

6:00 p.m. – *Light Supper*
6:30 p.m. – *Charge Conference*

Charge Conference Agenda

1. 2010 Pastoral Compensation
2. Vote on purchase of Church Street property
3. Election of 2010 Church Leadership List
4. Bible Study from our District Superintendent

Are you a member of the Cuthbert United Methodist Church? If not, would you like to become a member? Scott Tucker, our pastor, would love to speak to you personally about becoming a member. He can be reached by calling his:

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Jimmy Brownlee, Business Administrator

(11:00 a.m. Sunday services televised Mondays at 6:00 p.m., Channel 17)

Early in the twentieth century, the British author G. K. Chesterton was as well-known for his physical size as for his writing. He stood six foot, four inches tall, and weighed almost 300 pounds.

His sense of humor allowed him the grace to poke fun at himself.

During World War I, a lady in London asked why he wasn't "out at the Front." Chesterton replied, "If you will go around to the side, you will see that I am."

On another occasion, he remarked to his thinner friend George Bernard Shaw, "To look at you, anyone would think there was a famine in England." Shaw replied, "To look at you, anyone would think you caused it."

Chesterton also allowed the truth of the Bible to speak to the real problems of human nature, his and ours.

When the Times of London invited eminent authors to write essays on the theme *What's Wrong with the World?*, Chesterton responded with the following letter:

Dear Sirs,
I am.
Sincerely yours,
G. K. Chesterton

Many of us are quick to point our finger toward others, while refusing to admit that we ourselves are part of the problem.

So may God bless us with a sense of humor, a sense of our need for Christ, and a sense of our commitment to Him.

With joy,

Scott

THE LORD'S DAY
Sunday, September 6, 2009
(Kingdomtide XIV)

PRELUDE *Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence (Moultrie)*
WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Scott Tucker
CHIMING OF THE HOUR
LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES
THE CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP Chancel Choir
On Eagle's Wings (Joncas/Brownlee)
***THE RESPONSIVE READING** Annette Nichols
Psalm 13 **no. 746**
***HYMN OF PRAISE** **no. 64**
Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty
***THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** (*The Apostles' Creed*) **no. 881**
***THE GLORIA PATRI** **no. 70**
PRAYER OF CONFESSION (*p. 12*) Scott Tucker
*THE PEACE
CHILDREN'S MOMENTS Bennie Mattox
HYMN OF PREPARATION **no. 262**
Heal Me, Hands of Jesus
MORNING PRAYER Scott Tucker
OFFERTORY *Be Still, My Soul (Schlegel/Sibelius)*
*DOXOLOGY **no. 95**
SPECIAL MUSIC Chancel Choir
Come to the Table (Popham/Webb/Hill)
SCRIPTURE LESSON: **John 5:1-18** (*NT p. 90*)
SERMON Scott Tucker
"The Healing Beyond the Healing"
HOLY COMMUNION (*p. 13*)
THE LORD'S PRAYER (*Back inside cover of hymnal*)
***CLOSING HYMN** **no. 365**
Grace Greater than Our Sin
***PASTORAL BENEDICTION**
***CONGREGATIONAL BENEDICTION**
*May the love of God be with us as we go our separate ways,
Serving God by serving others; finding hope and joy each day.*
POSTLUDE

*(Those who are able, please stand.)

≈≈ **GIFTS RECEIVED** ≈≈

from Sara T. Curry	in honor of:	Patricia Goodman
from Bill Daniel	in memory of:	Barbara Hixon

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

September 4	Louise Hester
September 5	G. W. White, Jr. †
September 7	Clay Barnett
	Nelson & Martha Ann Coffin ♥
September 8	Brandon Fulford

COMMUNITY PRAYERFUL CONCERNS

*Our friends and Members in nursing homes
and assisted living facilities:*

Elizabeth Brownlee, Louise Hester,
Irma Patrick, Ruth Rainey, Sara Roberts,
Dr. Marjorie Swanson, Elizabeth Wiggins
Servicemen Abroad: *MSgt Jason Hester (in Iraq)*
Other Prayer Concerns:
Frank Bridges, Bill Daniel, Brian Elkins, Evelyn Hester,
Mary Hester, Katie Hoyle, Houston Jackson, Cheryl Koep,
Jordan Mathews, Darrell Nielsen, Allene Nelson, Evelyn Peak,
Barbara Sealy, Nevaeh Sloan, Jimmie Stanford,
Lucy Wall, Grayson Ward

*Sympathy to the family of Barbara Hixon
Sympathy to the family of Tommy McCollum
Sympathy to the family of Ethel Mims
Sympathy to the family of Mary E. Nunnally
(mother of Sally Hoover)*

Woodman of the World Lodge 187 will hold a special community ceremony to honor and remember the heroes and victims of September 11, 2001, and those who serve and protect us daily. The ceremony is called In Honor and Remembrance – Woodman of the World Salutes American Heroes.

The ceremony begins at 6:00 p.m. on September 11, 2009 at the Benevolence Volunteer Fire Station adjacent to the Benevolence Baptist Church. The public is invited to attend.

THOSE SERVING
SUNDAY:

Breakfast
Patty Tucker
The Greeter
Patricia Bradley
Ushers
Jimmy Bradley
Walter McCrary
Acolyte
Lizzy Stanford
Worship Leader
Annette Nichols
Children's Moments
Bennie Mattox
The Offering Stewards
Jimmy Brownlee
Ann Wood
The Communion Stewards
Elements – Patty Childress
Bread – Ruth Nell Goodman

Worship Attendance
August 30th: 58

A RECORD OF
OUR STEWARDSHIP
as of August 30th:

GENERAL FUND

Contributions, 8/30:
\$1,018.25
Needed to date (budget):
\$84,970.21
Collected YTD:
\$69,849.85

CURRENT BALANCES:
(not part of GENERAL FUND)

Choir Fund: \$1,085.85
Faithful Stewards: \$1,026.14
Fillingame Fund: \$1,057.66
Mission Fund: \$1,572.51
Organ Fund: \$ 1.00
Parsonage Fund: \$ 250.67
PathFinders: \$ 330.48
Youth Fund: \$ 467.00

Three Ways to
Welcome Andrew College Students
(and Other Visitors!)

1. Don't overwhelm visitors, but do greet them and make them feel welcome when they arrive. (Research tells us that visitors form an impression of a church in the first seven minutes they are on our property. Make those first minutes count!)
2. Invite them to sit with you during breakfast, Sunday school, or worship, so they don't sit alone.
3. Ask students to join you for lunch after church. Give them the chance to bring a friend. Even a quick trip to Subway tastes good after a week of dining hall food.