



Azalea City Church of Christ

“A Place for Families, A Place for You”

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Spiritual Enrichment Lectureship

February 21-24, 2010

Theme: “The Church: Walking Together in the Riches of Christ”

Host Congregation: Azalea City Church of Christ

This is a wonderful opportunity for us and for Christians throughout the Gulf Coast area from Mississippi, Florida, and in between, to come together to hear God’s word proclaimed and taught each day and each night during our Spiritual Enrichment series. It will be a great encouragement for all who attend to know that the church of our Lord is truly alive and well in this area.

This lectureship will give Christians the opportunity to get acquainted with brothers and sisters throughout this beautiful Gulf Coast area. Time and commitment to our individual congregations during the year may keep us apart, but this lectureship will bring us together, and it’s all because of our love for Christ and each other.

Perhaps one of the greatest benefits of this Spiritual Enrichment Lectureship each year (18th year) is to show to those in this area that God’s children can come together, worship, study, and be united in our belief that New Testament Christianity can be practiced and we are one in Jesus Christ. By having this lectureship we are showing the religious world that we believe what Jesus said in John 17:20-23. Before Christ died, He prayed for His followers to be one, as He and His Father are one (verse 21).

I hope that all of us at Azalea City will be in attendance tonight for the start of the lectureship and try to also attend the lectures during the day. This year, our lectureship speakers will be discussing the great book of Ephesians; you don’t want to miss this opportunity. Bring a friend with you each day, and let’s make this a wonderful lectureship as usual.

David

MISSION STATEMENT

We exist to **EXALT** Christ, **EVANGELIZE** the lost, **EDIFY** the saved, and be an **EXAMPLE** to our community.

2010 THEME:

FOCUS...WHAT COUNTS?

“Looking unto Jesus, the author and finisher of our faith...” *Hebrews 12:2*

YOUTH GROUP

Jason Killough - Youth Minister
(251) 455-6443- cell

UPCOMING EVENTS

Tonight through Wednesday Night- Spiritual Enrichment. Please make plans to be here if you can.

March 5-6- Jamboree at Faulkner University

March 12- Tween Movie Night

March 14- Teen Breakfast

March 17- Sing His Praises

BIBLE VERSE OF THE WEEK

What then shall we say to these things? If God is for us, who can be against us? He who did not spare his own Son but gave him up for us all, how will he not also with him graciously give us all things?

Romans 8:31-32

A NOTE FROM JASON

I hope school is going well for everybody. This seems to be a busy time of year for everyone. I want to challenge all of you to bring your Bibles to class on Sunday and Wednesday Nights. There are a lot of activities planned for the month of March, please figure out a way to be involved in everything that is going on. I hope yall have a great week!

YOUTH GROUP MISSION

To grow into one of the strongest, God fearing, neighbor loving, cross centered, Bible studying youth ministries in the world today.

THOSE PRIVILEGED TO SERVE

Announcements	Terry Cagle
Video Media	Robert Stephenson
Ushers	Jason Killough
	Aaron Myers
Song Leader	A.M. Steve May
	P.M. George Spurlock/Steve May
Scripture Reading	A.M. Caleb Cameron (Matt. 16:18-19)
	P.M. Spiritual Enrichment
Opening Prayer	A.M. Jason Killough
	P.M. Mike Eubanks
Closing Prayer	A.M. Todd Cagle
	P.M. Stan Holland
9th Man	Terry Cagle

Men to Serve the Lord's Table - February

Jim Wilkes	Michael Eubanks	David Kirby
Walter Brock	Theo Blankenship	Robert Oliver
Claude Thompson	Robert Cornelison	

Lord's Table PM: Ray Kemp

Communion to Shut-Ins: Kevin Crowell

Greeters for February

Front: Scott & Michelle Jayroe **Side:** Mike Eubanks

Information Booth: Margaret Istre

Nursery Attendants

A.M. Tanya Eubanks **P.M.** Jane Campbell

Toddler Training Room: Candi White

Children's Bible Hour: Spiritual Enrichment

Men to Serve Wednesday, February 24th

Song Leader: Eddy Stephens **Prayer:** Marshall Underwood

Lock up Building for month of February: Bill Pierce

Prepare Communion: Tanya Eubanks

Coordinate Meals for Sick & Bereaved: Tanya Eubanks

ELDERS

Kevin Crowell Mike Eubanks
Stan Holland

STAFF

David Myers Pulpit Minister

Terry Cagle Associate Minister **Jason Killough** Youth Minister

Carra Deck Secretary **Glenda Carpenter** Secretary

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Sunday Morning Bible Study	9:30 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship	10:30 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Evening Bible Study	7:00 p.m.

THE RECORD YOU HELPED MAKE

Bible Study	135
Morning Worship	244
Evening Worship	102
Wednesday Bible Study	126
Contribution (Regular)	\$6,893.25
Weekly Contribution Need	\$8,096.56

UPCOMING EVENTS

TODAY - WEDNESDAY: SPIRITUAL ENRICHMENT

Mar 4th - FOOD DISTRIBUTION 9-11

Mar 6th - ACCS/MCS ALL YOU CAN EAT FISH FRY 1130-2

Mar 27th - LADIES' DAY

Mar 28th - MCS CHORUS PERFORMING PM service

Apr 1st-4th - LADS TO LEADERS CONVENTION Orlando

Apr 9th-10th - ACCS YARD SALE

SPIRITUAL ENRICHMENT

The 18th Annual Southeastern Bible Lectureship, Spiritual Enrichment 2010, will take place here at Azalea City beginning this evening and lasting through Wednesday. This year's theme is "The Church: Walking Together in the Riches of Christ", Studies in Ephesians. We will have Congregational Singing every night at 6:30 with our nightly speaker beginning at 7:10. We will have our daytime sessions Monday through Wednesday beginning at 9:00 a.m. and ending around noon. Complete schedules are in both foyers.

INNER CITY INTERNS

Inner City Ministry has 3 interns from Heritage Christian University working with them from late May until early August. The interns are raising all their own funds to work with inner city but they need a place to stay while they are here. If you can host one (or more) of these young people, please call Chuck Griffis at 583-0836. There is one female intern and two male interns, all in their early to mid 20's.

OPEN YOUR HEART, OPEN YOUR HOME

Did you know there are 513,000 American children in foster care? Nearly 7,000 of these children are in Alabama's foster care system; and approximately 605 foster children right here in Mobile County. These children and youth need stable, loving care until they can either safely reunite with their families or establish other lifelong relationships with a nurturing adult (through adoption, for instance).

No matter how much time you have to give, you have the power to do something positive that will change the life of a young person in foster care. Perhaps you can open your heart and open your home to a child in need. For more information, please visit www.dhr.alabama.gov. You can also call 1-866-4AL-KIDS; or Mobile Co. Dept of Human Resources at 450-9172 or 450-9171.

ADULT BIBLE CLASS DIRECTORY

Sun Aud. Bob Williams - Persecuted Christians in a Troubled World
Wed Aud. David Myers - How to Shepherd, Serve, & Steer God's Flock Effectively
Wed Fhall Ladies' Class - Various Topics

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CRAYONS FOR CHILDREN: We have placed bags of crayons and coloring sheets in the front foyer. If you have small children who want to draw, please have them draw on these instead of the attendance cards. Please return the crayons to the front foyer after church.

COMMUNION TO SHUT INS is available for anyone who might need it. If you need to have communion brought to you (or know someone who does), please contact the church office.

ACCS/MCS ALL YOU CAN EAT FISH FRY



The next Azalea City Christian School/Mobile Christian School all you can eat benefit fish fry will take place on Saturday, March 6th from 11:30-2:00. Tickets are \$9 for adults and \$5 for kids. Tickets purchased in advance are \$8. Please see any of the school staff to purchase your tickets. Please make plans to come out and enjoy some wonderful food and help support these two wonderful Christian schools.

BE SURE TO WELCOME

Darian Guy, who was baptized on Wednesday, February 10th
William Waller, who placed membership with us on Wednesday, February 17th

LOCAL EVENT

Crowley's Ridge College Chorus from Paragould, AR, will perform an a cappella concert at Spanish Fort Church of Christ on Friday, February 26th at 7:00 p.m.

FROM THE MAILBOX

To our forever family,

We would like to thank you so much for all your kindness shown to us during my brother's passing. All the calls, cards, food, visits to the hospital, and your presence at the funeral, especially the prayers on our behalf helped a very difficult time easier to bear. We are so blessed to be a part of such loving and caring Forever Family. We love all of you. In Christian Love, the King family, Moss family, Cordrey family

Thanks so very much for all the visits, cards, prayers, and phone calls made to me during my recent surgery. It means so much to have a loving forever family like you.

In Christian Love, Robert Cornelison

REMEMBER IN PRAYER (members)

PLEASE LET THE OFFICE KNOW OF ANY CHANGES IN THE PRAYER LIST

Gerald King - Shingles
Dorothy Taylor - Home from hospital, doing well after surgery
Ruby Allsup
Robert Cornelison - Doing well after surgery
Jean Fogle - Having tests to determine if she'll need surgery
Dean Simmons - Home, recovering well from bypass surgery
Rainie Mclinvale - Home from hospital, able to walk with assistance
Esther Bell - Home
Brad Tart - 3rd degree burns on hand, home, had last treatment, doing well
Violet Tart - Progressing well, home
Betty Graham - Health issues, not feeling well
Deborah Moody
Myra Blizzard - Back pain
Brenda Odom
Billy Allsup - Back problems, deteriorated discs
Nita Mae Eubanks
Bill & Eunice Day - Health problems
James Bell - Lung infection, on antibiotics
Paul & Debora Merrell
Linda Lockler - having to resume treatments for blood problem

DEEPEST SYMPATHY

To William Waller and his family in the passing of his father. His funeral was February 11th.

EXPECTANT MOTHERS

Lori Holland (boy - Caleb Mitchell - June 2010)

OUR MILITARY

Josh Henebry - Marines, Afghanistan (Rick & Kathy's nephew)
Jason Odom - Iraq (Phillip & Tammy's nephew)
Chris Campbell - Navy
Randy Pierce - Marines, Afghanistan (Rudy & Nita's grandson)
Kenneth Andrews - In Iraq (Terry & Sue's son)
Aaron Allsup - Stationed in Italy (John & Ruby Allsup's grandson)
Jacob Pierce - Leaving 12/1 for Iraq
Matthew Geroux - Back in the states, home (Phillip & Tammy's son-in-law)
Keith Moss - Marines, in Afghanistan (Skip Garner's son-in-law)
Dewayne Nix - Navy, stationed in Corpus Christi, TX
Manuel Baldwin - Iraq (Natasha Polk's member at Univ COC-fiancee)
Michael L. Burroughs - Navy, back in the states (Irene King's son)
Layne Ortiz - London & **Ryan Ortiz** (Beverly Hall's niece and her husband)
Shaun Christian - Home (Phillip & Tammy Odom's nephew)
Sammie Girod - Qatar (church member in Vancleave, MS, friend of Libby Phillips)
Charles Lowery, Jr. - Army, stationed in Baghdad (friend of Carpenters)

BIRTHDAYS/ANNIVERSARIES

Today - Lamar Harrison, Bob & Belinda Moss

Monday - Tammy Miller

Tuesday - Paige Overbey

Wednesday - Alyson Davidson

Thursday - Skip Garner, Jacob Nelson

Saturday - Judy Cagle, Rachel Myers



REMEMBER IN PRAYER (friends & family)

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HAITI EARTHQUAKE VICTIMS
OUR BRETHREN IN JOS NIGERIA (Steve & Dee Worley should be there)
Jan Adams - Had surgery Friday (David Kirby's sister)
Monica Dees - Had surgery on 2/18, She is in Providence Hospital. She lives in our area.
Naomi Woodard - Tumor & other health issues (Joyce's & Judy's aunt)
Chris Hayes - Multiple Sclerosis (friend of Crowells)
Eward Crabtree - Home
Jim Gordon - Cancer (cousin of Judy Cagle & Joyce Galloway)
Billy Ray Richards - Cancer, not doing well (Ken Murphy's brother-in-law)
Elizabeth Richards - ICU, several health issues (Ken Murphy's sister)
Mr. Montgomery - Contemplating knee replacement (friend of Joann Brown)
Vera Hill - Cancer, radiation treatments, not doing well (Dora Wright's sister)
Kristi Wright - Extremely sick, tests (Margie Busby's sister-in-law)
Billy Lambert - Home, recovering from knee surgery
Sebastian Radford - 1 yr old, needs heart transplant (friend of Margaret Istre)
Heath Davis - USA, critical, was in car accident (member at Rocky Creek)
Don Thomaston - Knee problems, having a biopsy
Betty Williams - Crowne Health Care 954 Navco Rd Mobile 36605 473-8684
Clara Williams - Home from hospital (Bob's mother)
Steve Stewart - Brain tumor (Randy Warren's cousin)
Kaylee Wilson - Has a rare disease, 8 yrs old
Avery Smith - Leukemia, 1 yr old (relative of Justin & Jennifer Crain)
Coach Leslie (MGM) - Melanoma
Mackenzie Fisher - USA Childrens, rare syndrome (3 mths, friend of Eubanks)
Elijah Lewis - Home from hospital (Don&Sara Andrews 6 wk old grandson)
Veola Colley - Sugar elevated (Carlotta Russell's sister)
Joan Rogers - Hole in intestines (friend of Deborah Moody's)
Cathy Finch - Renal failure, beginning stage (Rhoda Carpenter's mother)
Kathy Ferguson - Broke femur (Beverly Hall's daughter)
Loretta Vaught - Cancer has returned in her liver (Tricia Pierce's mother)
Lillie Pierce - Health problems (Kathy Henebry's mother)
Faye Smith - Had a bad fall (friend of Rachel Myers)
Michelle Batchelor Mills - cancer, had double mastectomy, in Atlanta
Chris Barrett - Cancer (friend of Lisa Marler's)
Madelyn Fetner - Neonatal diabetes, treating with insulin (Ben & Jennifer's baby - members at Univ. COC)
Frances Davidson - Been sick for long time, Drs don't know why (Jerry's wife)
Fred Roschen - Cancer, not taking any more treatments (Margaret Istre's friend)
Judy Lincoln - Needs liver transplant (former member)
Larry Williams - Complications from kidney transplant (Easter's son)
Amy Dominques - Cancer of lymph nodes (relative of Helen Jones)
DC Mosley - Bone & blood cancer (Quincy & Pat Woodard's neighbor)
Freddy Corina's father - Health issues
Toni Lucas - Lymes Disease (Perry & Donna's daughter-in-law)
Temple Anderson - Cancer (elder at Opelika Church)
Jessica Weller - Cancer free (friend of the Roberts family)
Mary-Kathryn Harrison - Has Gorlin's Syndrome
Pauline Russell - cancer (Tim's sister)
Donald Thrower - Various health issues (Glenda Wilkes' brother)
Breanna Moore - 18 mth old, incurable disease (friend of Blankenships)
Brynn Woods - Malignant Fibrous Histiocytoma (3½ yrs old)
J.T. Harrison - Back problems
Charlie Peterson - Cystic Fibrosis (child) (Mac & Jamie Goleman's friend)
Billy Jones - Mother is battling ovarian cancer (Kevin Crowell's friend)
Michael Hornbuckle - Head injury, another 6 months of recovery
Teddy Mears - Bone cancer
Ronin White - Cancer (Linda Lockler's 7 yr old nephew)
Pauline Russell - Cancer
Patricia Jones - Colon cancer
Greg Lewis - Cancer (friend of David & Sarah Myers)
Dylan Gibbon - Blood disorder (JoAnn Gibbon's young grandson in Calif.)
Elders, preachers, missionaries, college students
our Country & leaders