

**MEETING TIMES**

**Bible Study.....9:30 AM**  
**Morning Worship.....10:30 AM**  
**Evening Worship ..... 6:00 PM**  
**Wednesday.....7:00 PM**

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# *Ooltewah Church of Christ*



**May 7, 2023**

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**ELDERS**

**Winston Stringfield**  
**J.J. Winston**  
**Larry Judd**  
**Jason Parscale**  
**Dan Garey**  
**Steve Edwards**

**DEACONS**

**Steve Jackson - Missions**  
**Chris Martin - Security**  
**James McGhee - Benevolence**  
**Ken Parker - Worship**  
**Josh Rider - Education**  
**Matt Rider - Youth**  
**David Sessions - Fellowship**  
**David Wheeler - Technology**

**PREACHERS**

**Denny Howell**  
**Eric Garner**

**TREASURER**

**Ty McGee**

**Supported Mission Work**

World Bible School  
Philippines / Casa Esperanza  
Cusco/Peru - Ryan Davis  
Good News Today  
Louis Rushmore  
Gospel Broadcasting Network  
In Search of the Lord's Way  
Ronald McDonald House  
International Gospel Hour  
Greater Chattanooga Christian Services  
Ethical Media

## **God's Plan for Man's Salvation**

**The Gospel Must Be Heard**

Romans 10:17      John 8:32

**The Gospel Must Be Believed**

John 8:24      Mark 16:16

**Sins Must Be Repented Of**

Luke 13:3, 5      Acts 2:38

**Christ Must Be Confessed**

Matthew 10:32-33      Romans 10:10

**Baptism For Remission of Sins**

Acts 2:38      I Peter 3:21

*Live faithful until death Revelation 2:10*

**SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES**

**A.M.**

Announcements.....Ken Parker  
Opening Prayer.....Dan Garey  
Lead Singing.....Steve Edwards  
Lord's Supper (preside).....James McGhee  
Serving...Manny Crochet Kaden Crochet Daniel Ramsey  
Serving.....Tim Oldham David Sessions Chris Martin  
Scripture Reading.....Ty McGee  
Sermon.....Eric Garner  
Closing Prayer.....Josh Rider

**P.M.**

Announcements.....Ken Parker  
Opening Prayer.....Leonard Brown  
Lead Singing.....Steve Edwards  
Scripture Reading.....Kenneth Hooton  
Sermon.....Denny Howell  
Lord's Supper.....Conner Bell  
Closing Prayer.....Winston Stringfield

**Wednesday**

Announcements.....Ken Parker  
Opening Prayer.....Steve Jackson  
Lead Singing.....Steve Edwards  
Invitation.....Jason Parscale  
Closing Prayer.....David Crownover

Usher/Security.....J.J. Winston and Jim Sauls

# Prayer Requests

**Judi Cagle** - continues to recovering from surgery  
**Deanna McNabb** - at home recovering from surgery  
**Larry Miller** - awaiting test results  
**Lynn Petty** - recovering from gall bladder surgery  
**Caroline Staton** - 1st grader to undergo kidney removal and chemo.

**Laura Crawley** - health issues, she is now back home  
**Barbara Mathis Robertson** - serious health issues  
**Mary Stewart** - undergoing chemotherapy treatments  
**Jane Dougherty** - struggling with health issues  
**Frank Caruthers** - long term health issues  
**Rita McDonald** - health issues



## Martin Boyd Christian Home

The Ooltewah congregation will be responsible for conducting the worship service on Sundays at 3:00 p.m. and Wednesdays at 2:00 p.m. during the month of May. Everyone is invited to come out and worship with the brethren at Martin Boyd. Men, please consider helping with the various service opportunities so that we can make this an uplifting and meaningful time of worship for the residents. Please see Ken Parker if you need more information.

## Gospel Meeting

East Side Church of Christ  
May 7th - 10th  
Speaker: Westley Hazel  
more info posted on the bulletin board

## Ladies Night Out

May 8th at 6:00 p.m.  
at the home of Kim Garey  
address:  
510 Lower Bunkerhill Road  
Birchwood, TN  
Please bring an appetizer or a dessert

## Middlers Dinner & Game Night

Saturday, May 20th at 5:00 p.m.  
At the home of Ken and Martha Parker  
We're asking that those attending please bring a dessert or a side that goes with BBQ pork. Please contact Martha Parker if you have any questions or need directions.

There are many things I do that annoys my wife. But the one thing that makes her mad the quickest is if I keep hitting the snooze button in the morning. A lot of us probably do it thinking that we can "sneak" a few more minutes of sleep in but let's be honest the sleep is that good as much as we think it is and we would have been better off setting the alarm at the right time and got up like a responsible person.

But this example got me thinking, how often do we push the snooze button on God? I am thankful that our God is longsuffering merciful and loving, but how often does He give us the opportunity to get our life right with Him, or put opportunities out in front of us to show others Christ? We would all be ashamed if we knew just how many.

Over in Luke 10:38-42, we see the story of Mary and Martha. Here Jesus came to visit, and the scene unfolds to show Mary listening to Jesus while Martha was busy making sure the house was in order. Recall what Jesus tells Martha after she gets mad at Mary for not helping with the house, "Martha, you are worried and upset about many things, but one thing is necessary. Mary has chosen the good portion, which will not be taken away from her." Mary didn't hit the snooze button on Jesus but chose to put Him first. Another example is the disciples in the garden (Matt. 26:36-43). They should have been praying with Jesus but instead hit the snooze button and took a nap.

Quit hitting the snooze button on your walk with Christ. WAKE up and chose Him first!

Denny Howell

## Teen Singing

May 21st at 2:30 p.m.  
Brown's Ferry Rd. Church of Christ

## VBS 2023

June 4th - 7th  
There are many opportunities for you to be a part of VBS this year. Sign up sheets are on the table in the foyer.

## Ladies Class

Saturday, June 10th at 10:00 a.m.  
Class being taught by Anne McGhee



4/30 & 5/3

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