## **Prayer Requests**

Family & Friends of Melanie Shepherd Family & Friends of Debbie Griswald Meaghan Hill – undergoing treatment for liver cancer Jason Judd – recovering from brain surgery Payton Rider – recovering from surgery Alisha Smith – babies are due soon Frank Caruthers – long term health issues Linda Porter – recovering from surgery on her ankle David Maduma – recovering from a snake bite Shelly Pickel – hospitalized with health issues Jane Wheeler – David's sister, recovering from surgery Wilma Wheeler – health issues, David's mom Ann Benefield – recovering from surgery / pacemaker

# **Upcoming Events**

Ladies Night Out

April 29<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 p.m. at the home of Susan Howell

Singing at the Ridge 30<sup>th</sup> Annual Area Wide Singing Friday, May 3<sup>rd</sup> 7:00 p.m. East Ridge Church of Christ ETPT Meeting April 28<sup>th</sup> at 4:30 p.m. Teacher Appreciation Dinner May 5<sup>th</sup> Sign up in the foyer

Men's Fellowship Breakfast May 4<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 a.m. Deacons will provide the food Gospel Meeting w/ Joe Wells East Side Church of Christ May 12<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup>

Ooltewah Ladies Class Due to graduations & VBS there will be no classes in May or June

Avondale's 8<sup>th</sup> Annual Men's Day May 18<sup>th</sup> 8:00 – 1:00 Theme: United in Christ Our very own Eric Garner will be one of the speakers

# **Upcoming Youth Events**

Teen Singing – May 19<sup>th</sup> at 2:30 p.m. at the Bethel Church of Christ Vacation Bible School – June  $2^{nd} - 5^{th}$  There is a sign-up sheet in the foyer

## Attendance 4/21 and 4/24

Sunday Bible School - 151<br/>Monday - 117Sunday AM Worship - 205<br/>Tuesday - 108Sunday PM Worship - 117<br/>Wednesday - 144

We plan to continue collecting individually wrapped snack items through the end of May. These snack items are for distribution at the Emma Wheeler Homes. A list of suggested snack items can be found on the bulletin board in the hallway. If you need more information, please reach out to Laura Cupp. Thanks!!

"Whose end is destruction, whose god is their belly, and whose glory is in their shame, who mind earthly things" (Phil 3:19).

If I told you that idolatry was a real thing in America and even more specifically in the Lord's church, you might chuckle a little. I mean, we don't bow down and worship cows, images, or nature (Rom 1:23). However, not all idolatry is image worship. The "belly" is the seat of man's desires and lusts. Covetousness is idolatry (Col 3:5). Whatever a person desires, to the extent that it dethrones King Jesus in their life, it has in fact become their "idol."

As God's people, let us caution against the conveniences, wealth, politics, and entitlement of this modern western culture. Remember that the Lord, He is our strength and our song (Ps 118:15).

Eric D. Garner

# Ooltewah Church of Christ



April 28, 2024

#### **MEETING TIMES**

Bible Study	9:30 A.M.
Morning Worship	10:30 A.M.
Evening Worship	6:00 P.M.
Wednesday	7:00 P.M.

### 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 Matt. 10:32-33 Romans 10:10
- Baptism For Remission Of Sins Acts 2:38 | Peter 3:21
- Live Faithful Until Death Revelation 2:10

## Elders

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

#### Deacons

Steve Jackson / MissionsJosh Rider / EducationTim Oldham/TechnologyMatthew Rider / YouthJames McGhee / BenevolenceKen Parker / WorshipDavid Sessions / FellowshipDaniel Ramsey / Security

Preachers / Denny Howell and Eric D. Garner

Treasurer / Ty McGee

#### **Supported Mission Work**

\*World Bible School
\*Cusco / Peru – Ryan Davis
\*Good News Today
\*Philippines / Casa Esperanza
\*Louis Rushmore
\*Gospel Broadcasting Network
\*In Search of the Lord's Way
\*Ethical Media
\*Ronald McDonald House
\*International Gospel Hour
\*Greater Chattanooga Christian Services
\*Southeast Institute of Biblical Studies
\*Dennis Bello

## Service Opportunities

#### A.M.

Announcements	Steve Edwards	
Opening Prayer	J.J. Winston	
Lead Singing	Matthew Rider	
Lord's Supper	Larry Judd	
Serving		
James Green	Larry Miller	
Steve Jackson	Chris Martin	
Dan Hames	Jason Reed	
Scripture ReadingDavid Crownover		
Sermon	Eric Garner	
Closing Prayer	Tim Arthur	
Usher / Security – all month		
Danny Warren		
Jim Sauls		

#### 6:00 P.M.

Announcements	Steve Edwards
Opening Prayer	John Fletcher
Lead Singing	Matthew Rider
Scripture Reading	Manny Crochet
Sermon	Denny Howell
Lord's Supper	Daniel Ramsey
Closing Prayer	Ken Parker

#### WEDNESDAY

AnnouncementsTy McGee
Opening PrayerLynn Carson
Lead SingingRoger Gilbert
InvitationSteve Edwards
Closing PrayerJames McGhee

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