

Welcome to Our Service:

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES:

Sunday School	9:45AM
Sunday Morning Worship	11:00AM
Sunday Evening Training	6:15PM
Sunday Evening Worship	7:00PM
Wednesday Evening Service	7:00PM
Thursday Visitation	6:30PM

LAST WEEK:

Bus	23
Sunday School	67
Sunday AM	90
Sunday PM	27
Wednesday PM	58
Visitors	16
Thursday Visitation	8

Decisions:

Salvation	0
Membership	0
Baptism	0
Other	2

January R.I.D.	\$1,145.75
February R.I.D.	\$1,340.08
Tithes & Offerings	\$1,289.00

TODAY'S MINISTRY WORKERS:

Children's Church:

Ashley & Brittani Elias

Ushers:

John Hall | Otis Holland
Johnny Elias | Jimmy Ivey

Nursery:

AM: Izumi & Erika Parker
PM: Virginia Stafford
Wed. PM: Brittani Elias

SPECIAL MUSIC:

Grace that is Greater than all our Sin
Adult Choir

Voices of Victory

"Who is this King of glory? The LORD of hosts, he is the King of glory." March 6, 2011

NEWS & NOTES OF INTEREST

SPRING FLOWERS

Help beautify the church with colorful spring flowers.

TODAY (2 PM) - HERITAGE HILLS

TONIGHT (6:15 PM) - DISCIPLESHIP CLASS

R. I. D. CAMPAIGN

Give to the reduction of our building debt.

MONDAY (7 PM) - LADIES BIBLE STUDY

MON. & TUES., (7 - 9 PM) - VBI

SAT., MARCH 12 (9 AM) - LADIES MISSIONS MEETING

Ladies, please see Mrs. Diana Jones for items to bring for the monthly meeting.

SAT., MARCH 12 - SPRING FORWARD

Don't forget to set your clocks up one hour before you retire.

FRI. & SAT., MARCH 18 & 19 - LADIES CONFERENCE

It's not too late to receive the \$40 price. See Mrs. Parker to sign up for a true blessing with the Hutson Sisters @ Oakside Baptist Church, LaGrange.

WEDS.-SAT., MARCH 23-26, SOUL WINNING CONFERENCE

We're praying this conference will be a blessing as we strive to become fruitful in our evangelism efforts. Bro. Ed Klein of the Rock of Ages Prison Ministry will teach us the basics of winning souls!
All teachers are required to attend each night.

MON. & TUES., MARCH 28 & 29 - GEORGIA INDEPENDENT BAPTIST FELLOWSHIP

Corinth Baptist Church in Logansville, GA will host this fellowship. Support this meeting with your prayers and presence.
You will be blessed.

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OPPORTUNITIES FOR "REASONABLE" SERVICE:



Heritage Hills
SUNDAY 2 PM



Choir Practice
Sunday 5:15 PM

Voices of Victory
6:00 PM

Children's Choir
6:30 PM



Church Prayer Time

Saturday 7 PM



See Mrs. Susan Parker



Church Visitation
Thursday 6:30 PM



Bus Ministry

Saturday 11 AM



Youth Detention Center

3rd Sunday (3PM)
5th Sunday (1 PM)



See Pastor for Sign up sheet



PRAYERS & PRAISES:

Angela Gordon & family - loss of step father
Sherry Grantham & family - loss of mom
Bro. Daryl Beckmann - upcoming surgery
Yolanda Newton -
Bro. Henner Wagner - return to church/health
Betty Tatum - recovering @ home
Upcoming Soul Winning Conference
Bro. Dustin Erwin - in school
PRAISE: Roderick Williams, Summer & Jacob saved!
Garry Ledford - car accident/in rehab
John Curtis & Josh - car accident
Marrisa, Christopher, Cayla & Uhura - away in college
The Capps - health
Arlyn Sanchez's father - recovering at home
Pastor - knee problems/upcoming knee replacement
Bro. DeBerry - deployed
Bro. Noah Freeland - health
Susan Parker & Joan Folmar - health
Earl Mims - salvation/cancer/Irene - health
Discipleship of new converts/Home Bible studies
Chris Barrett - brain aneurysms/possible surgery
Debbie Morris - find a job/house/health
Cameron DeBerry - Lord's Will
Melinda Brooks - eye, shoulder & hip problems
Our High School seniors - God's Will & guidance
Bro. Ed Hall & family
Our President/leaders - wisdom
More ministry involvement/Evangelism
Our Nation - return to its Godly roots/Revival
Diana Jones - stroke recovery
O'Malleys - relocation to TN
Mrs. Hall - final stages of Alzheimer's
Angela Gordon - severe migraines
150 in SS/Full buses each week
Joan Folmar's nephews & niece - in Afghanistan
Salvation of lost loved ones
Daniel Jones - Lord's Will
Salvation of Tiny Norris' family
Families of soldiers killed in Iraq
Saturday night prayer time
Charles Hezekiah, Jr. - heart problems
Nancy Barrett's brother & sister - health
Lucy Sommers/Francis Ivey - health
Bro. Tolbert & family - strength
Bro. George Matthews
Victoria Murphy - Job Corps
Cindy Rafael - health/ankle
Pay off building/purchase adjacent land/pave the parking lot
Peggy Hezekiah - BP problems/RA/mom & husband - health
James Coaxum - salvation/health
Spanish Ministry growth
Church Finances/Tithing Families/Workers
Attendance at the YDC meetings
Pastor's sisters - salvation/health
Jimmy Ivey - recovery
Angela Gordon's mother - salvation
Mr. Marshal Place - Alzheimer's
Bro. Carl/Bro. Jimmy - health/diabetes
Thelma Spencer - health
Jonathan Grantham & family
Paul Parker family - spiritual needs
Our 40+ missionary works
Bro. Cedric Ford - lung disease

COMING EVENTS:

YDC Ministry
March 20 (3 PM)

Ladies Spring Conference
Bethlehem, GA
Sat., April 16
9 - 4 PM

MISSIONARIES OF THE MONTH:

Roloff Homes

John & Dixie Sasser
Jews

Pray for these daily!

MARCH CELEBRATIONS

Happy Birthday:
Tony Gordon 3/2
Aniaya Gordon 3/3
Trinity Thomas 3/12
Alex Grantham 3/17
Angela Gordon 3/18
Christopher Wagner 3/26
James Folmar 3/29
Clifford Folmar 3/29

CLASS OF THE MONTH

Teen Girls

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:

Praising the Lord in adversity changes burdens into blessings!

“HOW IS YOUR HEART?”

“For this people’s heart is waxed (become) gross, and their ears are dull of hearing, and their eyes they have closed; lest at any time they should see with their eyes, and hear with their ears, and should understand with their heart, and should be converted, and I should heal them.” (Matthew 13:15)

There is a very profound message in this one little verse. Jesus had begun to teach His disciples using parables. Simply put, a parable is “an earthly story with a heavenly meaning.” The Savior used the parabolic method for the purpose of revealing certain truths to certain people and concealing these truths from others, i.e. those who didn’t have the heart to understand because of unbelief. He answered and said unto them, “Because it is given unto you to know the mysteries of the kingdom of heaven, but to them is not given.” (Matthew 12:11) The profound thing I see in Matthew 13:15 is, the heart actually controls or influences just what the eyes see and what the ears hear.

Have you ever considered just why it is that some people have such difficulty in seeing clearly just what the Bible says? Does it concern you how certain people can hear the same Bible message as you and yet have no real understanding when it comes to the applying the messages to themselves in a personal way? On the other hand, you have both understanding and spiritual application in a personal sense. The obvious difference is the condition of the heart. Consider Paul’s word on the subject, “But as it is written, Eye hath not seen, nor ear heard, neither have entered into the heart of man, the things which God hath prepared for them that love him. But God hath revealed them unto us by His Spirit: for the Spirit searcheth all things, yea, the deep things of God.” (1 Corinthians 2:9,10) Can it be any clearer than that?

Jesus said, “For this people’s heart is waxed gross.” This is a reference to the nation of Israel and more especially to the religious leaders of that day. We have already pointed out that the word “waxed” means “become,” but the very next word Jesus uses to describe the heart is the word “gross.” This word means “thick, dense, fat, heavy,” which indicates an absence of sensitivity. Jesus is giving them a word from the prophet Isaiah who spoke similar words to a people who continually rebelled and rejected God’s Word to them. (cf Isaiah 6:9,10)

The condition of man’s heart differs very little, if any, today. Our hearts become insensitive, i.e. “thick, heavy” because we won’t receive what God has for us in His Word. Men are constantly forming opinions or trying to assume their intellect will take them where they need to be. No folks, it is the condition of the heart and only God can change it, because He is the only one who truly knows it. (Jeremiah 17:9,10)

Pastor H. Preston Parker

