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June 20, 2019

ELDERS:

Tim Bagents
Paul Clements
Alan Kaye
Roy Mulkey
Mike Norman
Ted Norton

DEACONS:

Billy Bush
Allen Clements
Lamon Dees
Ryan Gotkiewicz
Tim Gotkiewicz
Tim Hatch
Steve Housley
Andrew Long
Jimmy Mathews
Danny Moore
Dean Norton
Randy Porterfield
Steve Sewell
Jeff Simpson

MINISTERS:

Tim Gotkiewicz, Youth
& College
David Hester, Educa-
tion & Involvement
Steve Housley, Pulpit

SCHEDULE:

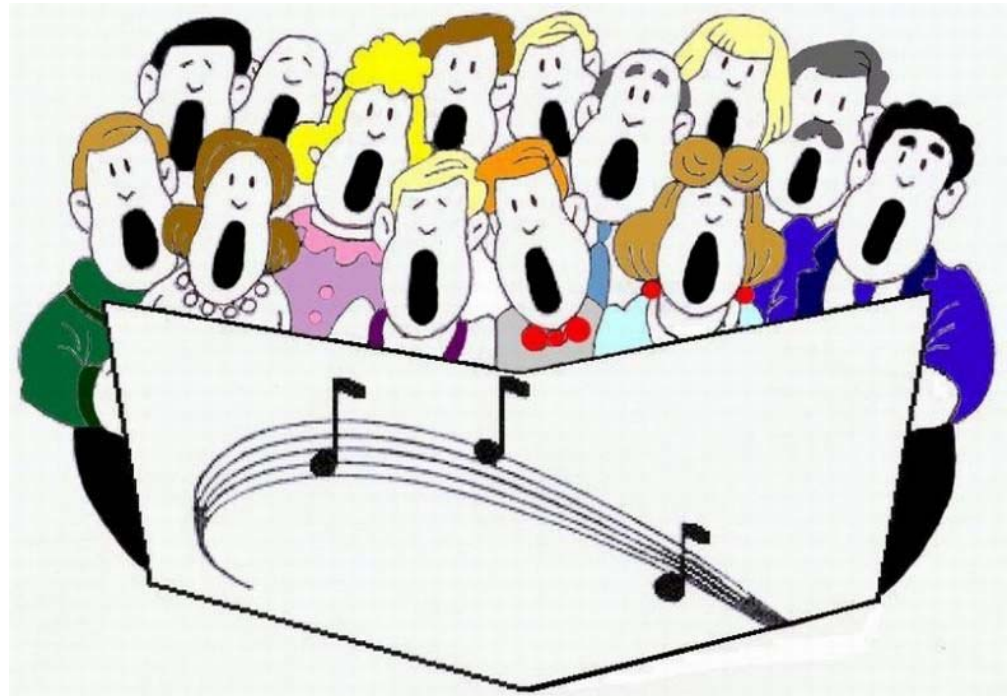
Sunday:

9:00 a.m. Bible Class
10:00 a.m. Worship
5:00 p.m. Worship

Wednesday:

6:30 p.m. Bible Study

WELCOME!



SINGING SCHOOL

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, & Friday

July 15, 16, 18, & 19

from 6:30 p.m. until 8:15 p.m.

SONG LEADER CLINIC

Saturday, *July 20* from 9 a.m. - Noon

Teacher: Allen Clements

For more information: go to [facebook.com/easternmeadowschurchofchrist](https://www.facebook.com/easternmeadowschurchofchrist)

FROM THE MINISTER – STEVE HOUSLEY:

Great News Sunday. AIDEN FUTRELL was baptized into Christ. Aiden is 12 years old and is the son of Nathan and Kallie Futrell and the grandson of Mike and Barbara Norman. Aiden will be in the 7th grade at Wetumpka Middle School. He enjoys Flag Football, Kickball, Fishing and Hunting. His favorite memory was being baptized this past Sunday. Aiden is the big brother to Nolan, Lawson and Leena. We welcome Aiden into the Family of God!



Vacation Bible School. This has been an amazing week. The numbers have been excellent. This is one effort of Eastern Meadows that brings in more from outside Eastern Meadows than any other event, other than possibly the Area-Wide Singing. It is a week that requires work, much work and requires many people. I appreciate everything every person did to make VBS a success. There was the work in decoration (thank you Kallie Futrell and crew); there was the teaching; the games (Sally Gotkiewicz and crew); the crafts (Kallie Futrell and crew); the “Travellers,” the Registration Crew, the Refreshment Crew, and an many others. There is about 1 adult for every 3 children at VBS. Thank you all!

Upcoming Events. Somewhere in the bulletin is a list of upcoming events. This list is maintained to provide you with special events in the coming year, as they are planned. Yes, there may occasionally be something on the list that gets changed. However, it is a good way to know how you might plan your year and support Eastern Meadows. I grew up being a part of literally everything that happened at the church where my parents attended. We were there for every regular worship assembly and Bible class; for Gospel Meetings/ Revivals; Vacation Bible Schools; and etc. I never remember a vacation (there weren’t many) that conflicted with a church event. (All of this was one way my parents taught me the priority of Christ and His church!) I hope you will consider doing the same. I encourage you to plan your year “around” Eastern Meadows activities.

Sunday Nights Better

- * **June 23**, Teaching Others, Lesson 1, Part 1
- * **June 30**, Teaching Others, Lesson 1, Part 2

Sunday Night. This Sunday night will be out-of-the-ordinary. I have no doubt that some may like it and some may not (we are all different people with different opinions!). After a Sunday morning sermon on Evangelism, we will see how we might conduct a personal Bible Study on Sunday night. I am sure that one of the reasons more people do not conduct personal evangelistic Bible studies is that they think they do not know how. Many have never observed one. Many have never conducted one. This Sunday night you will be able to observe one method. By the way, there are many good “methods” that faithfully teach God’s word. The method is not as important as the doing it! I honestly do not remember the very first personal Bible study I conducted. I know it was in High School because I had several Bible studies with different ones while in High School. Then over the years I have used various methods. Sometimes the “method” is dependent on the person I am studying with. But again, the method is not as important as the doing it! This Sunday night we will be looking at part of the first lesson of the Back to the Bible by Bobby Bates.

FROM THE YOUTH/COLLEGE MINISTER – TIM GOTKIEWICZ:

I really appreciate all the hard work and energy being put into VBS this week! I’ll give a shout out to the teens who are helping in many ways. I love their willingness to do whatever needs to be done. They are

a great example to the younger kids (and some older folks too!).

TIM'S TRIVIA CORNER:

Last week's question: When Moses came down from Mount Sinai with the two tablets of the Testimony, Moses did not know that: Answer: The skin of his face shone

This week's question: : True or False: Luke was an Apostle.



ANNOUNCEMENTS 6/20/19

SICK: MELANIE BUSH is recovering from surgery. NICOLE TIMBES underwent a stress Monday, June 17. Sick at home Sunday: JIMMY ALLEN, PHYLLIS ALLEN, BILL EVANS, ANNEGENE DAVIS, MARCIA GRAVES, MARGARET GRAVES, ALICE HANDLANG, JOEL KELLY, SUZANNE MULKEY, and MARSHA SUTTON. Continue to remember our members listed on our Sunday-Evening-Evangelism Prayer List. Shut-ins: LANETTE TAYLOR, VIRGINIA EVANS, OPAL SULLIVAN, MARIAN SIKES, and MARGARET DAVIS. Battling Cancer: MIKE NORMAN, HOLLY THOMASSON, CHARLES HENDERSON, JAY ROBERTS, ALICE HANDLANG, and DON BRANNAN.

PRAYER REQUEST LIST: (Health Issues): CARSON DAVIS, WAYNE JOHNSTON, JOYCE BARRY, JONATHAN BEAN, DEXTER HART III, and PAM CARMICHAEL. (Battling Cancer): CAROL ANN WOODALL, CHRIS HETHCOX, DENNIS TURNER, TERESA LYNN NICHOLS, JR BRINT, CHANDRA JOHNSON, PATRICIA HARROD-WYROSDICK, MARY ALICE WILHELM, CINDY SCHAEFER, DONALD FUTRAL, JESSE BARRY, DAVID PEEL, DEREK MAY, GENE SULLIVAN, and WILL HICKS. (Other) The SPIRITUALLY ILL—weak and wayward members.

NEW PRAYER REQUEST: Prayers have been requested for ANNIE BELLE DUKE, mother of Susan Picken, (Susan is a long-time teacher at ACA), who is suffering complications following hip-replacement surgery.

BAPTISM: We rejoice to announce the baptism of AIDEN FUTRAL Sunday morning, June 16, by his father, Nathan Futral.

NURSERY ATTENDANTS - 6/23: AM—MIRANDA PORTERFIELD & MARY VANDER SEWELL; PM—CARRIE LONG, & GLORIA HARVEST

ATTENTION SPEEDERS:

- The speeders will tour the Hyundai plant to see how cars are made on July 10 at 9:30 AM. Very little walking, mostly riding on a tram. We have 14 spaces reserved on the tram. A sign up sheet is in the main foyer for the first 14 to sign up. This outing is free.
- **A trip is being planned in August for all in the congregation.** We will be going to the Bible History Center in La-Grange GA. More information will be forth coming as plans are developed. See life as it was and partake in a Jerusalem meal. There will be a cost for this trip. Look at their website at: <https://biblicalhistorycenter.com>

JULY CALENDAR: All events for the July calendar must be turned in by Sunday, June 23, to Wilma Berry.

JUNE STANDBY TEAM—1 (DEES)

ELDER OF THE MONTH / ON CALL: The Elder of the Month for June is **MIKE NORMAN**. Contact information: (334) 306-7583; mikenorman7583@yahoo.com.

SUNDAY, 6/16: Bible Class—157; AM Worship—202; PM Worship—100; EMB—\$132

June 23, 2019 / Leading the congregation in:

Scripture Reading:
A.M.: Lindsey Mulkey

Main Prayer:
A.M.: Tim Gotkiewicz
P.M.: Jeff Simpson

Closing Prayer:
A.M.: Tim Gotkiewicz
P.M.: Allen Clements

Singing:
A.M.: William Dill
P.M.: William Dill

Security (During Services) - Sunday AM: Randy Porterfield / Sunday PM & 6/26: Brad Jackson
Security (Building Lock-up After Services): Brooks Housley



2019 LadyBUGS

Ladies Being Useful in God's Service

TOGETHER

- ♦ **June 30:** A Time To Pray, 4:30 PM
- ♦ **July 2:** Dorcas Deeds, 10 AM-2 PM

“Every **ONE** to
his work”

(Neh. 4:15).

Upcoming Events:

2019

- **July 2:** Mid-Week Bible Study, 6:30 PM
- **July 15, 16, 18, & 19:** Singing School
- **July 20:** Song Leader Clinic
- **July 31:** LifeTouch Update
- **October 17-19:** Choosing That Good Part Ladies' Retreat
- **October 26:** Fall Festival & Trunk-Or-Treat, 3-7 PM
- **November 25:** Mid-Week Bible Study, 6:30 PM

- **December 14:** Annual Christmas Dinner, 2 PM
- **December 23:** Mid-Week Bible Study, 6:30 PM

2020:

- **February 15-16:** Marriage & Family Seminar (Dan & Grace Wheeler)
- **April 1:** Teaching Rocket Seminar with Michael Whitworth
- **May 3:** Homecoming/Goal Day

2019 VBS





