WOODLAWN FORREST CHURCH OF CHRIST 1515 N. Barack Obama Blvd P.O. Box 1651 Valdosta, GA 31603-1651

Ministering Evangelist: Leroy Butler, Jr.

Elders:

Alfonso Breeden Leroy Butler, Jr. Steve A. Myers, Sr. James C. Shearry, Sr.

Deacons:

Charlie Black Willie C. Ferrebee Harry L. Howell, Sr. Marcus J. Pride

Associate Minister & Minister of Maturity:
Andre R. Norwood

Ladies Ministry: Gloria A. Butler

SUNDAY SERVICES

7:30am Radio Program *WHLJ 97.5 FM*

11:00am Live Worship

4:00pm Sunday School (Virtual)

WEDNESDAY

6:30pm...Wednesday Night Live (Youth Bible Study)

7:00pm Live Bible Study

SERVICES OFFERED:

- In-Home Bible Studies
- Private Open Bible Studies at the church building
- Bible Correspondence Courses
- Transportation to and from the services.
- Counseling (marital and personal)

THE HERALD

Theme: "Flourishing and Fruitful.
We are PLANTED LIKE A TREE in 2023"



West Adair / Woodlawn Forrest, 1960—2023

ANNUAL EMPOWERMENT CONFERENCE

and 93rd Annual Homecoming

AUGUST 23 ~ 27, 2023

THEME: "STILL STANDING ON THE PROMISES OF GOD"!
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SERVICE TIMES

LIVE & VIRTUAL

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday 7:00 PM

SUNDAY HOMECOMING DAY

9:30 AM

BRO. MARCUS T. WATKINS
SIMPSON STREET
CHURCH OF CHRIST
ATLANTA, GA

11:00 AM & 3:00 PM BRO. DAVID E. WILSON



† MEMBERS IN HOSPITAL/NURSING HOMES **†**

S/Dorothy Hamilton , Nursing Home, Valdosta	BLG #5
S/Rosa Jones , Nursing Home, Valdosta	BLG #2
S/Betty Newberry , Nursing Home, Valdosta	BLG #2
B/Calvin Strickland , Care Home, Tuscaloosa, AL	BLG #1
S/Betty Yearby , Nursing Home, Valdosta	BLG #1

† ♥ SICK OR ELDERLY MEMBERS AT HOME † ₱

S/Louise Battle	BLG #1
B/Samuel Battle Jr.	BLG #1
B/James E. Bell, Jr. (with his daughter)	BLG #2
S/Lucinda Brown .	BLG #4
S/Marjorie Bythwood .	BLG #4
S/Marjorie Collier .	BLG #1
S/Glorice Ferrell .	BLG #4
S/Daisy Fiveash (with her daughter)	BLG #4
S/Bettie Ford .	BLG #1
B/Robert Gervin, Jr.	BLG #1
S/Louise Harden .	BLG #1
S/Robbie Hester .	BLG #2
B/Harry Howell , Sr.	BLG #1
S/Josie B. Jackson (with her daughter)	BLG #5
S/Barbara H. Jones .	BLG #2
S/Marjorie Jones .	BLG #2
S/Mary McKinnon .	BLG #1
B/Bennie Morris .	BLG #2
S/Jeniece Myers .	BLG #1
B/Solomon Sanders .	BLG #2
S/Rosa & S/Benita Settles .	BLG #2
S/Betty Vann (with her son).	BLG #1
B/Anthony Washington .	BLG #5
S/Mary S. Williams.	BLG #4

Members, for the Addresses and Phone
Numbers of the members listed, please check
your Directory or inquire at the Church Office. \$\P\$

WOODLAWN FORREST COUNSELING SERVICE

Dorothy Dye, Ph.D., Christian Clinical Counselor

For Appointment call 229-561-3808.

MATURE DISCIPLE AWARD

The L640 Ministry reminds you to work toward achieving this year's MDA.



The criteria for qualifying for the L640 Award are quite comprehensive and cover three key areas: being constant and *consistent* in loving God through worship and service to Him, being *compassionate* in loving other Christians through frequent fellowship and service, being *concerned* about the lost through acts of kindness and evangelistic outreach.

Criteria for the MDA

The L640 MDA recipient will be the member who receives to most points using the criteria given to the Ministry Leaders.

1st Base - Loves God (Consistency in Worship)

- * Sunday School * Morning Worship
- 2nd Base- Loves Other Disciples (Compassionate Witness
- * Participation in your Body Life Group
- * Participation in Ministries you serve on
- * Includes paying your dues on each.

Personal visitation to other disciples who are sick, shutin, bereaved, etc. (All visitation must be logged in the church database system or they cannot be counted. Please complete a Visitation Card and submit to the Church Office when you visit)

3rd Base - Loves Your Neighbor (Concerned Work)

- * Participate in Outreach Activities
 - Registered Guests (unchurched/unsaved) who attend a worship service or other services.
- * Personal Bible Study (that you setup, do yourself or conducted by someone else. Complete Card on Publicity Wall beside The Herald).

Souls Converted (as a result of your personal efforts for setting up a study, or as a result of inviting them to a worship service where they are baptized)

Begin today working toward being the 2023 MDA Recipient or just a Mature Christian!



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I am a Vital Link in God's Love Connection,
Worshipping and Witnessing to show my Affection,
Working and Serving so that my Light will Shine,
Walking Circumspect so as to Redeem the Time,
I am a Vital Link in God's Love Connection.

AUGUST



Daily Bible Reading

Date Date	New Testament	Sold Testament
Tuesday, 08/01	Acts 25	Job 28-29
Wednesday, 08/02	Acts 26	Job 30-31
Thursday, 08/03	Acts 27:1-12	Job 32-33
Friday, 08/04	Acts 27:13-44	Job 34-36
Saturday, 08/05	Acts 28:1-15	Job 37-38
Sunday, 08/06 Monday, 08/07 Tuesday, 08/08 Wednesday, 08/09 Thursday, 08/10 Friday, 08/11 Saturday, 08/12	Acts 28:16-31 Romans 1:1-17 Romans 1:18-32 Romans 2 Romans 3 Romans 4 Romans 5	Job 39-40 Job 41-42 Psalms 1-6 Psalms 7-12 Psalms 13-17 Psalms 18-21 Psalms 22-24
Sunday, 08/13 Monday, 08/14 Tuesday, 08/15 Wednesday, 08/16 Thursday, 08/17 Friday, 08/18 Saturday, 08/19	Romans 6 Romans 7 Romans 8:1-17 Romans 8:18-39 Romans 9 Romans 10 Romans 11:1-21	Psalms 25-29 Psalms 30-33 Psalms 34-36 Psalms 37-38 Psalms 39-43 Psalms 44-47 Psalms 48-51
Sunday, 08/20	Romans 11:22-36	Psalms 52-56
Monday, 08/21	Romans 12	Psalms 57-61
Tuesday, 08/22	Romans 13	Psalms 62-66
Wednesday, 08/23	Romans 14	Psalms 67-69
Thursday, 08/24	Romans 15:1-21	Psalms 70-72
Friday, 08/25	Romans 15:22-33	Psalms 73-74
Saturday, 08/26	Romans 16	Psalms 75-77
Sunday, 08/27	1 Corinthians 1	Psalms 78-79
Monday, 08/28	1 Corinthians 2	Psalms 80-84
Tuesday, 08/29	1 Corinthians 3	Psalms 85-88
Wednesday, 08/30	1 Corinthians 4	Psalms 89-90
Thursday, 08/31	1 Corinthians 5	Psalms 91-94



OPPORTUNITIES TO LEARN & GROW

WORSHIP Sunday @ 11:00am

In Person & Facebook Live

BIBLE SCHOOL, Sunday @ 4:00pm

Zoom Meeting ID: 894-681-340

SOLID FOUNDATION CLASS, Sunday, 4:00pm

Zoom Meeting ID: 894-681-340

Adults Discovery BIBLE STUDY, 7:00pm

In Person & Zoom Meeting ID: 894 9058 9065

Wednesday Night Live, ages K-12th grades. ◆



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3rd - Jennifer Robinson

6th - Sarah Brawner

6th - Alfonso Breeden

6th - Victoria Joi Martin

8th - LaWanda Kitchen

9th - Katherine Anderson

9th - Lola Breeden

9th - Julius J. Norwood

10th - Mary S. Williams

11th - Candice M. Hill

11th - Jace Washington

13th - Rachel Bradley

13th - Rashad Tillman, Jr.

14th - Latesha Bradley

14th - Gloria Butler

14th - Brian McSwain

14th - Tiffany Stevens

16th - Alexandria Bolden

16th - Ja'hira Howell

16th - Frankie Shearry, Sr.

17th - Gloria Battle

18th - Samuel Battle, Ir.

18th - Tony Rozer

18th - Roniva Showell

19th - Jeremy Phillips

21st - Brkela Miller

21st - Ashuana Hamilton

22nd - Andre' Marshall

24th - Annie P. Motes

30th - Lamarian "Lovey" Marshall

30th - Wm. Brandon Pride



4th - William & Edwina Braswell, 36-years.

8th - Jimmy & Sharon Thomas, 25-years.

24th - Douglas & Louise Battle, 49-years.

Assigned To Serve In AUGUST:

BAPTISMAL: Renee' Darden & Lovie Marshall

KITCHEN: Alicia Norwood & Gwendolyn Emanuel.

BUILDING OPENING/CLOSING: Harry Howell, Sr.

Please call and give <u>48-hours</u> notice to get into the church building for meetings and activities. The building will not automatically be opened because an activity is on the Church Calendar.

"♥ FROM WELLNESS"



Remember to keep track of your steps and activities daily in your monthly logs!!



Logs are available in the red box on the counter at the Welcome Center in the foyer.



Logs are collected on the first Sunday of the following month at Blood Pressure Screening.

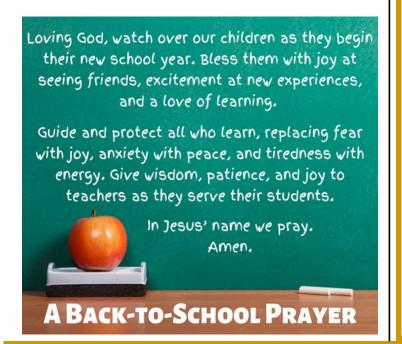
Please remember to browse our bulletin board in the hall near the kitchen ... August is "National Immunization Awareness Month".

Sis. Charlene Blache Wellness Ministry Chairperson *

Brotherhood & Community Events

- <> Sunday, August 6th, Shumate Church of Christ, Back-to-School **Prayer Vigil**, 6:00pm.
- <> September 20—24th, Northside Church of Christ, Jacksonville, FL celebrates their Minister and wife, Bro.Charlie E. & Sis.Ida McClendon for 50 years of dedicated service to their congregation!

AUGUST is Back to School Time!





Church Calendar

5th - BLG#1 Meeting, 1:00-2:30pm, for BLG #1 Assistants and their Ministry Chairpersons.

6th - Dollar Day\$ for our Youth Ministry.

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- 6th Baptismal Ministry Meeting after Worship.
- 6th Wellness Ministry host **Blood Pressure Screening** after Worship. See information and instructions on previous panel.
- 9th Hospitality Ministry Meeting 6:00pm.
- 12th Meals-On-Wheels Cancelled.
- 12th Clothes Closet Ministry Visitation.
- 19th Woodlawn Forrest Youth will host Senior Saturday, 11:00a-1:00pm.
- 19th Hospitality Ministry Fellowship, 1pm.
- 19th BLG#4 Meeting 2:00pm (Dining Hall).
- 19th Sunshine Ministry Visitation (*Team #3*)
- 20th BLG#5 Monthly Meeting after Worship.
- 20th Clothes Closet Ministry Meeting after Worship.
- 22nd L640 Ministry Meeting 6:00pm.
- 23rd WFYG Sweet Shop (possibly)
- 23rd ~27th Annual Empowerment Conference & Homecoming. 7:00pm Speaker: Bro. David Wilson. (see front page).
- 26th 8:00am to 1:00pm. Breakfast served.



26th – L640 Ministry Fellowship Activity.

- $30^{\mbox{\scriptsize th}}$ WFYG sponsors Birthday Social.
- 31st Leadership Team Meeting, 6:00pm. ■