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**SCHEDULE OF SERVICES:**

**SUNDAY:**

Bible Classes ..... 9:30 AM  
AM Worship ..... 10:25 AM  
PM Worship ..... 6:00 PM

**WEDNESDAY:**

Bible Classes ..... 7:00 PM

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**BIBLE LESSON TEXT**  
Sunday, February 26  
**Joshua the New Leader**  
Joshua 1



Wednesday, March 1  
**Rahab and the Spies**  
Joshua 2

**OUR FAITH IN ACTION**

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 2017**

Bible Class-----	68
AM Worship-----	103
PM Worship-----	58
Contribution-----	\$2,864.25
Average to Date -----	\$3,115.81
Budget to Date-----	\$3,180.00
<b>Wednesday, Febr. 15-----</b>	<b>78</b>

**God's Salvation Plan**

**HEAR** the Gospel – Romans 10:17  
**BELIEVE** on the Lord & His Word – Mark 16:16;  
John 8:24  
**REPENT** of our sins – Luke 13:3,5; Acts 17:30  
**CONFESS** Christ – Matthew 10:32; Luke 12:8;  
Romans 10:9  
**BE BAPTIZED** for the remission of sins – Acts 2:38;  
Mark 16:16; Galatians 3:27; 1 Peter 3:21  
**LIVE** a faithful, dedicated life – Revelation 2:10;  
2 Peter:5-10

**Happenings in  
God's Family**

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**Jesus is the Head of the Church Me!**

"And He is the head of the body, the church, who is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, that in all things He may have the preeminence" (Colossians 1:18). What does it mean to us that Jesus is the head of the church? It is easy to apply this in some distanced way: to say that Jesus is the head, and not the Pope, or the Queen of England, or any person (not in our immediate vicinity) who would claim headship of any religious organization. This is a message some need to hear, no doubt. However, let's be clear and say further that the head of the church is not the eldership, nor any elder; it is not the deacons, nor any deacon. It is not the preacher or any preacher. The head of the church is not any member or group of members. Do we understand? Jesus is the head of each congregation; Jesus is the head of the elders, the deacons, the preacher, the members, and me! In 1 Corinthians 11:3, Paul writes, "But I want you to know that the head of every man is Christ." The word "head" means authority, leader, director, chief, ruler. As the church, we confess, "I am not the head of me; Jesus is." We can say "Jesus is the head of the church" all day long, but it will be meaningless for our lives if we are not following Him. Unfortunately, we compete with Jesus for the title "Head of the Church" every day when we seek control and insist on our own way.

"Let nothing be done through selfish ambition or conceit" (Phil.2:3). Let's insist on Jesus, not self.

God bless you, and I love you.

Kevin Cauley



**FEBRUARY 26, 2017 SERVANTS**

**AM PRAYERS**

Johnny Thomas  
Mike Raney

**PM PRAYERS**

John D. Thomas  
Blake Tyndell

**Announcements:** Dave Conley

**LORD'S TABLE:** Mike Raney, Austin Cauley, Jim Scarbrough & Monty Crawford

**Sunday PM Communion:** Jim Scarbrough

**VISITORS CARDS:** Maddox Tyndell

**MARCH 5, 2017 SERVANTS**

**AM PRAYERS**

Russell Tyndell  
Thomas McGee

**PM PRAYERS**

Jim Scarbrough  
John D. Thomas

**Announcements:** Jamey Thomas

**LORDS'S TABLE:** Scott Hobson, Jody Thomas, Blake Tyndell & Jimmy Smith

**Sunday PM Communion:** Scott Hobson

**VISITORS CARDS:** Gavin Cauley

*If you are unable to serve, please call Billy Johnson @ 903.628.5827*

**Calendar of Events**

**February 24**----Gospel Singing @ the DeKalb Church of Christ. 7 PM

**February 26**----Nursing Home @ 2 PM

**February 26**----Youth Devotion

**February 26--March 1**--Gospel Meeting @ Atlanta Church of Christ.



**Remember in Prayer**

Mary Hardage; Robin Upson; Enoies Curbow; Norman Hooten; Ricky Tribble (brother of Sandra Conley); Bea Williams; Charles Howard; Ricky Champion (brother of Teresa McGee); Jimmy Crawford; Roberta Watson; Barbara Tucker (grandmother of Amanda Erwin); Peyton Richardson (granddaughter of Janiece Richardson).

**Shut-ins:** Keith & Helen Clark; Joe Martin; Phil Williams, Faye Anderson , and J.D. & Thelma Johnson.

**A NOTE OF**



Dear Church Family, Thank you so much for the continued prayers, kind words and thoughtful cards you have provided me and my family over the last two years while my granddaughter, Peyton, has been battling leukemia. It has been a rough road, but through your prayers & the grace of God, she is doing well and back in school. If everything goes well she is expected to end her treatment by January 2018. So please keep those prayers coming.

In Christian Love, Janiece Richardson

The church family will host March Bible Bowl, sign-up to bring cookies or give a donation to Scott Overstreet for the pizza.

**"Be Still"**

"Cease striving and know that I am God; I will be exalted among the nations, I will be exalted in the earth. The LORD of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our stronghold. Selah" (Psalm 46:10, 11). Because of God's promises and His ability to keep them, His people are told to relax. God says, "Cease striving and know that I am God; I will be exalted among the nations, I will be exalted in the earth." These three truths should grip our hearts. "Cease striving." We can command our spirits to be calm and unafraid, using God's history and His present care as our reasons. "Know that I am God." No person, nation, or force can overthrow God. He is the great eternal God, the wholly Other One. "I will be exalted." Anyone who so chooses can see that God is the true and living God. The whole earth can observe that only God could have brought about what happened outside the walls of Jerusalem. So complete, so miraculous, and so decisive was this defense of Jerusalem that no one with an honest heart could fail to recognize the divine hand behind it. Anyone can see that there is no other God. The writer closes his psalm with the same refrain that he used in verse 7: "The Lord of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our stronghold." The greatest news of all is that "the LORD of hosts," the almighty One, is with us; and we His servants abide in Him.

Key Thought: The God of Israel, the true and living God, is with us in times of trouble. No enemy is too strong for Him to overcome, no disaster is too cataclysmic for Him to stop, and no danger is too vicious for Him to prevent. "The God of Jacob" has shown Himself to be stronger than the whole earth. The nations of the earth must learn that their strength cannot compare with His. God's people never need to fear when danger comes, for God is their refuge. The writer's "Selah" tells us to pause and really think about this.

TFT Daily Devotionals Using the Psalms of the Old Testament Selections and Applications by Eddie Cloer



**CALLING ALL YOUTH**

Sunday evening after worship Services you all come and join in our Youth Devotion. A great time for fellowship and to learn more about God. The Cauley family will provide for us some delicious BBQ sandwiches and side dishes will be provided.

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