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- 8:25 a.m. **Coming to Church vs. Coming to Worship** (Part 4) O. Heyward
- 10:25 a.m. **Coming to Church vs. Coming to Worship** (Part 4 cont.) O. Heyward
- 6:00 p.m. **When God Hates My Worship** (Part 5) O. Heyward

■ Sunday

- 8:25 a.m. Early morning worship
- 9:45 a.m. Bible classes for all ages
- 10:45 a.m. Mid-morning worship
- 6:00 p.m. Evening worship

■ Wednesday

- 10:00 a.m. Adult class in educational building
- 7:30 p.m. Bible classes for all ages

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Bringing Everybody
Into the Same Body
by the Gospel of Jesus Christ
Ephesians 3:6

From the Minister's Desk



Orpheus Heyward

The Difference Between Coming to Church and Coming to Worship

We have come to the end of our series The Difference Between Coming to Church and Coming to Worship. It is my sincere prayer that the lessons have been a blessing to the extent that we will take our worship to a deeper level of sincerity where God is exalted each time we come together in the assembly.

In these last lessons concerning the assembly and its activities, The king (Lord Jesus Christ) has a message for his subjects on the subject of giving in the assembly. Giving has become - in many churches - a belittled aspect of the assembly in which giving is often an afterthought rather than a purposed process. It has also become a devalued concept because of the misconception that the giving is for the preacher, the leadership, or perhaps some other ill-willed motive.

The unscriptural "prosperity movement" that proclaims an unscriptural "prosperity gospel" has caused paranoia and skepticism as it relates to financial contributions in the worship and to church work in the Kingdom of God. Prosperity gospel preaching overemphasizes financial wealth as part of the gospel message. In spite of this dark cloud currently resting over the biblical concept of giving, God has placed giving in the assembly, which makes it a part of the worship experience. One of the foundational principles upon which Christianity is established is giving. God gave his Son. His son gave His life. The shed blood gave us remission of sins. The Holy Spirit gave the word. The apostles gave us the written New Testament and their lives for the cause of Christ. The church as a whole gave of their financial means to further the ministry throughout the known world. You cannot speak about Christianity without having some dialog about giving.

Many questions have risen as it relates to giving, of which the bible provides answers. Here is what we seek to answer if it be the Lord's will:

- What is the purpose of giving?
- What is the underlying motive that compels the Christian to give?
- How much should we give?
- Are Christians under the tithing system?

These questions and others will be addressed in today's preaching. Come with us now into the assembly, and let's get a word from the King!

P R A Y E R L I S T

Joseph Alexander	Susan Gamble	David Mitchell	Pam Ray
Anita Banks	Alicia Green	Sidney Mitchell	Phyllis Shanks
The Brooker Family	Anthony Grogan	Lorie Moore	Chantelle Swift
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The Douse Family	Kathy Jackson	Tammie Nixon	Barbara Whitfield
Gloria Drake	Lora Jackson	Milton Perry	James Whitfield
Elsa Earlington	Michael Jenkins	Jean Peters	Terry & Chiba Wilson
Barbara Edgerton	Andre & Mona Johnson	Carvella Pettie	
The Farley Family	The Lesitore Family	Akilah Petty	
The Fishback Family	Randolph McKinney, Jr.	The Phillips Family	

To have your name removed from the bulletin prayer list, please contact Doris Morgan 404-346-1372 or e-mail her at dhmor30331@yahoo.com. To preserve space in the bulletin from time to time, names appearing for three consecutive weeks will be removed. You can resubmit the names again if you wish to do so.

T There will be a **song leaders practice** today at 4 p.m. All song leaders are encouraged to attend. Please see Tommy Grogan or Spencer Iverson for details or if you have any questions.

A **baby shower** for Marion and Tina Clark's baby boy, Marion Keith, III will be held on Saturday, April 7, at 3 p.m. at the Scruggs/McKinney home located at 4200 Flakes Mill Manor Lane in Ellenwood, GA. Please RSVP to Rhonda McKinney at 404-797-6529. The Baby Registry is at Target and Babies-R-Us.

Good Food, Great Fellowship! – Ladies: Please mark your calendar and share this information with others. Beginning this Saturday, April 7, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. and every first Saturday of each month thereafter, the sisters of West End are invited to get together at the Silver Skillet Restaurant, 200 14th Street in Midtown Atlanta, for breakfast and fellowship. Make plans to attend and bring a friend!

West End's Ladies Retreat Information – West End's Annual Ladies Retreat will take place in Hiawassee, GA, August 17-18. All Ladies are encouraged to attend. There will be horseback riding, a picnic on the lake, games and fun. A \$25 deposit is due by April 15. Please see Deborah Degree or Barbara Hall for payments or for more information.

Take part in the **Walter McCroskey Benefit Golf Tournament** sponsored by Church of Christ at Bouldercrest, April 20-21 at Arbor Springs Golf & Resort in Newnan, Georgia. You will have the opportunity to share in this endeavor as we create a scholarship that will benefit our young Christian brothers and sisters. Enter a team today by calling 404-622-4212. Tournament Format is 4-man, 18-hole (alternate shot), best ball play. The field will be divided into flights according to combined handicaps with a shotgun start.

All married couples – whether you have taken the Marriage Enrichment Course or not - are invited to sign up for and attend the upcoming Marriage Retreat August 23-26 at the Winshape Retreat Conference Center in Mt. Berry, GA, on the grounds of Berry College, near Rome, GA. The cost is \$430 per couple and includes all meals and lodging. Four scheduled payments of \$107.50 are due April 1 through July 1. Make all checks payable to "West End Church of Christ" and put "marriage retreat" in the memo. You don't want to miss this event. Couples participating last year had a great time. Join us as we celebrate our marriage blessings, and give thanks to God for them. Contact Robert and Stella Wilson at 404-766-0774 with any questions and to sign up or visit www.MarriagesMadeStronger.com.

The **Membership to Discipleship** group meets each Tuesday evening at 7 p.m. in the brick annex. See J.P. Collier, David Logan, or Dorothy Reed for more information.

■ YOUTH AND SINGLES ■

West End's youth and their parents are invited to an **open house** at elder William Johnson's home on Saturday, April 28 from 1–3 p.m. This is an opportunity for our young people to get to know one of the elders from our congregation on a one-to-one basis. The Johnson's can be reached at 404-344-1010, or sign up on the list in the foyer. Additional youth activities can be viewed in the March Youth Newsletter available on the greeter's table.

The Howard Hughes Summer Science Program, sponsored by the Spelman College Biology Department, is for rising female 12th graders interested in pursuing careers in biology, biochemistry and other biomedical-related fields. The program is a five-week residential program taking place June 17, - July 20, 2007. This program is designed to provide participants with an integrative science educational experience and to develop their interpersonal skills. Contact Tokiwa T. Smith at 404-270-5855.

■ AREA EVENTS ■

The **host hotel for the Crusade for Christ** as well as the alternate hotel is fully booked. A third hotel has been added, the Hyatt Regency, at a cost of \$109. The phone number is 1-800-233-1234. The event runs from June 24-28 in Tampa, FL. Contact Bouldercrest at 404-622-4212 for more information.

The CofC at Bouldercrest is chartering a 47-passenger **bus to the Crusade for Christ** in Tampa, FL. The cost is \$96.15 per person. The trip is five days and four nights. The departure date is Saturday, June 23, and the return date is Wednesday, June 27. Contact Dorothy Martin at 404-241-7924 to book a seat.

Nationally renowned acappella recording group, **Straight Company**, will be in concert Saturday, April 14 at 7:30 p.m. The concert will beheld at the Southside High School Auditorium at 801 Glenwood Ave. SE, Atlanta, GA 30316. Tickets are \$12. Only 500 tickets are available. See West End coordinators, Melvin Mitchell (404-304-8215) or Cynthia Mitchell (770-322-1072), to purchase tickets. Visit www.straightcompany.com for more information on the group.

Spring Gospel Evangelistic Revival April 22-26

West End's Spring Gospel Evangelistic Revival will be held April 22-26. More details will be communicated soon. The guest evangelist will be Gerald Lee, minister of the South Union Church of Christ in Houston, TX.

Early Worship Service Time Change

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**Beginning Sunday, May 6, 2007,
West End's early morning worship service
will begin 25 minutes earlier at 8:00 a.m.**

Attention All New Members & New Converts

All those individuals and families placing membership with West End, or getting baptized here, should attend our New Members/New Converts Orientation Class. The class is for two consecutive Sundays and Wednesdays (total of four class sessions) and led by members of West End's leadership. Contact elder, I. David Logan (404-755-1016) with any questions about the orientation class. The class is held in the red brick house located adjacent to the main building, and is held during regular Bible School class times. After taking the class, new converts will be directed to the New Converts Class; new members will be advised of the classes available for them and their families. Contact minister, Orpheus Heyward (678-592-3397), with any questions.

Baptisms

10-25 **Ania T. Phillip**
1650 Barnes Mill Rd., #2211
Marietta, GA 30062
404-819-1380 D.O.B. 10/1/86

10-25 **Rebecca V. Miller**
5297 Cattail Lane
College Park, GA 30349
404-761-5292 D.O.B. 1/ 5/40

10-25 **Patricia Ann Finn**
5297 Cattail Lane
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404-630-0310 D.O.B. 1/30/58

New Address

Percy and Brenda Bagby
45 Timberlake Terrence
Covington, GA 30016

April Calendar and Youth Newsletter Available

Pick up your copies of the April
2007 events calendar and the
Monthly Youth Newsletter from the
table in the foyer.

SICK & SHUT-IN

To be included or to have someone included or removed from this listing please contact Gayron Johnson at the church office.

Deborah Harding is in Emory Hospital. Katie Hendrix is home recuperating from eye surgery. Arthur Ware is home recuperating. 404-616-2907. Annie Glaze – A.G. Rhodes Home at Wesley Woods, Room 421, 1819 Clifton Rd., NE, Atl., GA 30329. Barbara Edgerton is at home ill. Robert Fuzell – 10413 Southhampton Ct., Jonesboro, GA 30238, 678-479-7942. Bro. Fuzell requests weekly visits on Sunday afternoons to his home. Tallulah Latham – 320 Fairburn Rd., Apt H-6, Atl., GA 30331, 404-505-1581. Willie Mae Morrow – 3060 Continental Colony Pkwy., Apt. 502, Atl., GA 30330. 404-344-9990. Elizabeth Perkins – 1392 Maynard Rd., NW, #31, Atl., GA 30331. 404-691-0268. Elnora Bethel – 3700 Potomac Dr., East Point, GA 30344. Daneka Vickers, daughter of Mack and Sandra Freeman. Annie McArthur – 751 Fairburn Rd., SW #2212, Atl., GA, 30331. 404-699-2939. Anreneka Johnson – 2025 Highpoint Trail, Atl., GA 30331. 404-344-1010.