

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

MAY 9

Zone 6/7 Meeting

Zone 6/7 will meet and fellowship on Saturday, May 9 from 10 a.m. to 12 noon at the church in the red brick annex building. All members should park in the gravel parking lot between the annex and the blue house. For further details, please contact Kevin Ferrari at 770-312-0750. Please contact Schyla Jackson for food items needed at 404-286-1279.

MAY 16

Annual West End Ladies Day Seminar

All ladies are invited to this year's seminar featuring guest speaker Sharon Hamilton from Martinez, GA. In addition, our own Robin Knox will speak. The theme this year is "I Can Do All Things Through Christ Which Strenghtens Me."

JUNE 7-10

Youth Gospel Meeting

West End's Youth in Action (YIA) youth ministry is hosting a Youth Gospel Meeting at West End from Sunday, June 7 through Wednesday, June 10. The guest speaker is Jimmy Whaley from the Park Street CoFC in Columbia, SC. The meeting will kick off with an off-site youth picnic on Saturday, June 6 at the home of William and Gayron Johnson. Make plans now to be in attendance.

Congratulations to Our Graduates!

The following West Enders will be honored at a recognition celebration at West End in the coming weeks:

Kateria Brisbon – Laurus Tech
Sunni Williams – University of Phoenix
Leonard Walton – B.T. Washington HS
Devan Law – Campbell HS
Kanita Key – Clayton State U.
LaShana Brown – Redan HS
Brittany Houston – Georgia State U.
Creola Davis – Clayton State U.
Janelle Gaines – Valdosta State U.
Tamika Sruggs – Georgia Career Inst.
Marilyn Green – University of Phoenix

Skylar Babino – Pebblebrook HS
Tamika Oaks – AIU Grad School
Amari Clements – Mount Zion HS
Genetta Reeves – Jonesboro HS
Chris Eddins – Douglas County HS
Reginald McKinney – Douglass HS
Kalina Harrison – Grady HS

If your name is missing, see David Bishop today!

PRAYER LIST

If you have a desire for prayer, or know someone who does, please forward your request to dhmor30331@yahoo.com, or call Doris Morgan at 404-346-1372. You can also contact Esther Brown at 404-696-3941, Angela Dillard (midnite626@yahoo.com), Nettie Fanning at 404-696-9104, or Tonya Sykes at 678-469-9105 (tmsykes2003@yahoo.com). In order to avoid duplication, names that are currently listed on the Sick and Shut-In list will not be added to the Prayer List.

Ayana & Shomari Mack
Johnny & Peggy Ross
CW Daniels & Family
Ruth Moneke & Family
The Bates Family

The Thomas Family
The Royals Family
Randolph McKinney, Jr.
& Family
Ester Brown

Susan Gamble
Betty Hayes & Family
Clark & Clemmie Brown
& Family

WEST END ACTIVITIES & INFO

The Golden Voices will rehearse TODAY.

AGAPE Golf Marathon Deadline – This is the final weekend to sign up for the West End Golf Team that will be participating in the AGAPE 2009 Annual Golf Marathon. This fund raising event will be held on May 18. Please contact Bill Moore (404-593-3381) or Gerald Duncan (678-794-4491). This will be a great day of golf is, but this event is primarily for raising funds for the children and families served through AGAPE.

Registration for the 2009 West End **Financial Empowerment Class** is now underway. Learn how to better manage your finances and budget. Get tips on how to secure your retirement investments in today's tough economy. We'll discuss all this and more on Saturdays beginning in this month. Sign up in the foyer, or contact Avery Pitts (404-328-9090) or Reggie Rowell with any questions.

Mammogram Screenings – All Ladies interested in mammogram screenings that will take place on Saturday, May 16 during our annual Ladies Day are asked to please contact Robin Knox as soon as possible. We will need approximately 20 ladies to participate. Insurance information will be needed and/or a co-pay will apply if you do not have insurance. Contact Robin at 404-484-4528 or at Peachy9x@netscape.net.

Fine-tune your Bible skills by attending West End's one-hour weekly seminar "**How to Study the Bible**". It is held EVERY TUESDAY from 7-8 p.m., and is specifically designed to improve your Bible knowledge through hands on, instructor-led, proven techniques. Orpheus Heyward conducts the class.

YOUTH AND SINGLES

Church of Christ Annual Basketball League – Any 6-12 graders (boys and girls) wishing to play in the basketball league this season should see Jabari Sykes or David Bishop NOW! \$6 per person is required for team uniform t-shirts.

West End's Co-ed Youth Basketball team will play its first game on Friday, May 15 at 9 p.m. against the Hillcrest CofC. Please arrive at 8 p.m. at Paul D. West Middle School. Coaches are Chris Brown and Jeff Fletcher. Asst Coach is Jabari Sykes.

AREA EVENTS

Please join **Schaffer Rd. CofC** today through Thursday evening for their **Gospel Meeting**, featuring Dr. Tony Roach of God's Love Bank. Tony is from the Minda Street CofC.

Attend the 2009 **Crusade for Christ Atlanta Rally** on May 17 at 3 p.m. at the CofC at Bouldercrest; 2727 Bouldercrest Rd., Atlanta, GA 30316. All congregations are invited to sing with the Georgia Chapter of the Crusade for Christ Chorus. Rehearsal will be held on Saturday, May 16 at 2 p.m. at Bouldercrest. The group will sing at on May 17 at the Rally. Everyone is invited to participate even if you will not attend the Crusade.

Reminder About First Wednesday Teacher Work Day

To All Parents and Guardians, The Education Ministry Team would like to thank you for allowing us to share the knowledge of Jesus Christ with your children during careful Bible study each Sunday and Wednesday. In order to continue to plan our lessons effectively, we utilize the first Wednesday of every month to collaborate and prepare materials for the upcoming weeks. On these workdays it is an expectation that students will remain with their parents, accompanying them during this time of family bonding and study. Occasionally, the high school classes will meet to discuss pertinent information in their classes; all other students are to stay with their parents. Please do not allow your child(ren) to roam the church grounds unattended during these evenings. We appreciate your cooperation in this matter.

Gospel Meeting CD Orders

You may order the full gospel meeting set with Leroy Butler in audio CD only for \$12. Fill out your order using the forms on the rear table in the foyer or online.

Walk-it-Out with West End

The Training & Development Committee would like to invite you to the May 9 "Progress Report/Walk" for the Toning Your Temple Weight Loss Challenge. Activities will be held from 8:45 to 11 a.m., beginning with the walk and followed with a workshop facilitated by Sherri Long. The just under three-mile walk will take us through the historic West End area and Beltline. Join us as we continue to glorify God through toning our bodies. Please contact Kanita Key via email at nitabane@yahoo.com or 770-987-0554 with any questions.



Baptisms

4/26 - **Devan Armstrong** (Ellenwood)
4/26 - **Parys Middelton** (Atlanta)
4/26 - **Klynton Rhodes** (Lithonia)
4/26 - **Kayla Rhodes** (Lithonia)

Placed Membership

KeEva Price (Atlanta)
Larry & Gloria Simmons (Fairburn)
Shawn S. Sealey (Decatur)
Adrienne Simmons (College Park)

New Address

Johnny & Peggy Ross
10107 Jefferson Square Court
Decatur, GA 30030

Ronald & Sheila Arrington
40 Kaithlin Ct., Covington, GA 30016
678-342-6144

Online Calendar

West End has implemented an online events calendar where West Enders can see upcoming events including dates, times, and location. Before scheduling an event, check this calendar first to avoid conflicts. To have an event added to the calendar, email Gayron Johnson at gjohnson@thewestender.com or call her at 404-753-6271 between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. To view the calendar, click the calendar image on the home page of West End's web site.

Got Baptized or Placed Membership from Another Church of Christ?

All individuals and families placing membership with West End from another Church of Christ, or those that have been baptized here should attend our New Converts class with Orpheus Heyward or the our Orientation Class respectively. Those placing membership are strongly urged to attend the Orientation class led by members of West End's leadership. Contact elder, I. David Logan (404-755-1016) with any questions about the Orientation Class. Both classes are held in the red brick house located adjacent to the main building during regular Bible School class times. Those placing membership will be advised of the classes available for them and their families. Contact minister Orpheus Heyward (678-592-3397) or any elder or deacon with any questions.

SICK & SHUT-IN

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

Larry Timberlake is in hospice care at 5401 Old National Hwy., #2108, College Park, GA. 30349; 404-914-1083. **Gunther Burnside. Ossie Porter** (mother of Bill Moore) – A.G. Rhodes Homes, 350 Boulevard, SE., A Wing, Room 102, Atl., GA 30312. **John White** – Reliable Health & Rehabilitation, 3301 Lakewood Ave., Room 115, Atl., GA 30310; 404-406-7427. **Jessie Davis** – Buckhead Health & Rehabilitation, 54 Peachtree Park Dr., NE, Room 407, Atl., GA 30309. **Joyce Mapp** – 3371 Hyland Dr., Decatur, GA 30032. **Cressie Lawson** – 450 Fairburn Rd, SW, #14, Atl., GA 30331. 404-696-2548. **Annie Glaze** – A.G. Rhodes Home at Wesley Woods, Room 421, 1819 Clifton Rd., NE, Atl., GA 30329. **Barbara Edgerton** – 2469 Baywood Dr., S, Atl., GA 30315; 404-438-6659. **Tallulah Latham** – 320 Fairburn Rd., Apt. H-6, Atl., GA 30331. 404-505-1581. **Willie Mae Marrow** – 3060 Continental Colony Pkwy., Apt. 502, Atl., GA 30330. 404-344-9990. **Elizabeth Perkins** – 2748 Donald Lee Hollowell Pkwy., Apt. 121, Atl., GA 30318. 404-792-9115. **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. **Anrenea Johnson**.

BEREAVEMENTS

Johnny and Peggy Ross mourn the loss of Johnny's sister last week. The funeral was held Friday in Atlanta. You can contact the Ross family at 404-508-9822.