## Our Week in Review: April 8

Attendance: 502

Contribution: \$21,693.

### <u>Baptism</u>

Jessica Williams was baptized on Wednesday evening. Jess is a junior at Oconee County High School.

So in Christ Jesus you are all children of God through faith, for all of you who were baptized into Christ have clothed yourselves with Christ. There is neither Jew nor Gentile, neither slave nor free, nor is there male and female, for you are all one in Christ Jesus. If you belong to Christ, then you are Abraham's seed, and heirs according to the promise. ~ Galatians 3:26-29

## **Upcoming Schedule:**

Every Sunday	10am Worship Service
April	Bible Classes
April 13-15	Mother Daughter Retreat
April 13-15	SE Campus Retreat at Lake Tugaloo
April 21	Teen Prom
April 22	Campus Lead Worship Service
April 28	4 <sup>th</sup> Annual Church-wide Yard Sale
May 2	Congregational Midweek
May 6	Generosity Sunday
July 5-8	<b>2012 World Discipleship Summit</b> Go to <b>www.icocconference.org</b>

# Athens Church of Christ

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# **Campus Parent's Weekend**

- April 21<sup>st</sup> at 11am Information session for all parents of campus students at the ACOC building. Parents of seniors in high school who will be staying in Athens in the fall are invited to attend. Lunch will be served after the meeting.
- April 22<sup>nd</sup> Campus Lead Worship Service

## 2012 Teen Prom – April 21st

Who: Open to grades 9-12

Where: Athens Church of Christ Building Cost: \$25 per couple, \$15 per single, PAY AT DOOR Dress: Formal (guys wear a coat and tie)

#### Details:

Professional Photographer Onsite Dance is from 8-11pm Followed by a lock-in from Midnight - 7am Communion Service at midnight



#### ESP SHARE AND CARE

The first Sunday of every month from 4-5PM, Extra Special People is implementing a new family program called "**Share and Care**" at the Athens Church of Christ building. Our goal is to provide parents and caregivers an opportunity to share in the joys, triumphs, and challenges of raising a child with special needs. ESP needs 10 volunteers each month so we can offer childcare for those interested in attending. The next meeting will be **Sunday, May 6.** Please contact Gayle Smotherman if you are able to serve. gayle@extraspecialpeople.com or 706-207-8863.

#### **BIBLE CLASSES THIS WEEK**

Women's Bible Study WEDNESDAYS AT 10AM (Childcare provided)
\* Studying the book: Gentle and Quiet Spirit starting this week.
Women of the Bible (Women's Class) WEDNESDAYS AT 7:15PM
Financial Peace (Men and Women) WEDNESDAYS AT 6:30PM
Worship Ministry (Men and Women) WEDNESDAYS AT 7:15PM
Going Deeper (Men and Women) THURSDAYS AT 7:15PM
Family Group Leaders (Men and Women) WED. OR THUR. AT 7:15PM

#### PRAYER REQUESTS:

**Ray McGinnis** passed away on Thursday after being taken off the ventilator. Please pray for Cathy and their daughters. Home Address: 211 Angie Way, Bethlehem, GA 30620/Phone: 678-613-3137.

*Glenda Thompson* is recovering from successful cervical spinal fusion and decompression surgery. Address: 6061 Fairway Park Lane, Jefferson, GA 30549.

*Gwen Payton's brother, Morris Middleton,* has been diagnosed with advanced stages of cancer and is being put in hospice care. Please pray that his son, Marcus, will draw near to God during this time. Also, please pray for Gwen Payton's mother and her family, The Middleton Family.

*Lucille Brady* is at Family Life Enrichment Center as she recovers and rehabilitates from a broken hip. Address: 3450 New High Shoals Rd., High Shoals, GA 30645.

**Thomasene Smith** is fighting Lymphoma and started a new Chemotherapy treatment that she is tolerating well. Please pray for a bone marrow match. Address: 440 Vincent Drive, Athens, GA 30607.

Clete Elliott continues chemo treatment. Address: 1511 Oconee Crossing Circle, Watkinsville, GA 30677.

Austin Taylor, Jillian Stanfield, Sierra Freeman, Camille Schuster, Brie Radl, Daniel Sharbol, James Tomol, Mikalyn Rush and possibly Amelia Rose will be going to India to serve with Rocky in the HOPE Worldwide HIV/AIDS orphanage. They could use the churches prayers as they embark on this summer adventure and until they all return safely home!

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**THANK YOU:** Dear Athens Church of Christ - I am sincerely thankful for the food, flowers, cards, calls, and prayers during my recovery from surgery. Your expressions of love have been very encouraging to me. ~ Glenda Thompson

**ONIONS FOR SALE:** Barbra Rose is taking orders for Vidalia Onions to benefit the W.R. Coile Middle School FFA. Bags are \$12 for 10 lbs. Delivery will be May 9th.

**LEGOS AND USED LAPTOPS** are being collected to take to India this summer for the kids at the HIV/AIDS orphanage. See *James Tomol* if you have a donation.

"COINS FOR KIDS": Keep filling those bottles with coins... we are making a difference in the lives of orphans!

**JOIN TEAM CLETE** - Tuberous Sclerosis Step Forward for a Cure is on May 12<sup>th</sup> in Roswell, GA. A table will be in the courtyard TODAY for donations.

**2012** World Discipleship Summit - Charter Bus Services from Atlanta, Georgia to San Antonio, TX are available for \$200. per person round trip. Contact Tami Goodwin at 678-754-3239.

SWAMP CAMP REGISTRATION: Go to www.campswamp.com

To place an ad or announcement in the bulletin, email chacons@gmail.com.

#### **Christian Classifieds:**

**Looking to earn money to return to Jamaica for Swampcorps:** Creighton Arrington is a high school senior in the teen ministry and is willing to do any type of work including but not limited to babysitting, tutoring, doing odd jobs around the house and more. He's free every Friday and through the weekend. If you are interested contact Creighton at **creightonarrington@yahoo.com** or call him at 706-296-9270 for more information.



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4th ANNUAL CHURCH-WIDE



YARD SALE APRIL 28<sup>th</sup>



8am~1pm

# Athens Church of Christ Parking Lot

The yard sale is a good opportunity for you to raise some funds for GENEROSITY SUNDAY. Friends, families, neighbors, co-workers, etc. may have "stuff" they do not need and are willing to part with it. You may ask them if they have any items they want to donate. "Someone's junk can be another person's treasure."

Sign up at the table in the lobby TODAY and please mention what you will be selling so we can put a description of items for sale in the newspaper.

Any questions, please see Ludlow Lawson.