

## PARENT AND TEEN LUNCH AND WORKSHOP

*Next Sunday, October 7<sup>th</sup>*

Meat and drinks will be provided. Workshop will end by 2:30pm.

**A-K** Bring side dish and rolls **L-Z** Bring dessert

## BAPTISM

*Joey Romano* was baptized on Sunday, September 23.

*"...Repent and be baptized every one of you..."* Acts 2:38

## Upcoming Schedule:

**Sundays**     *10am Worship Service at ACOC*

**Sept. 30**     *Blood Drive TODAY at ACOC*

**Oct. 7**        *Parent/Teen Lunch & Workshop*

**Oct. 12-14**   *Teen Camping Trip*

**Oct. 20-21**   *Middle School Retreat*

**Oct. 20**       *Fall Festival*

**Nov. 2**        *Father Son Retreat*

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## SPECIAL SUNDAY SERVICES

**On Sunday, October the 6th at 10am** we will be having a devotional entitled, **HOW GREAT IS OUR GOD**. We will worship God in song, prayer, scripture reading, and contribution. Please prepare your heart as we come together to honor, worship, and adore our God.

**On Sunday, October the 13th at 10am** we will come together again to worship and adore Jesus. That devotional will be entitled, **THE MAGNIFICANT JESUS**. Our purpose will be to lift Jesus up in song, prayer, and scripture reading.

Both of these worship services should be a thrilling experience for us all. Please pray that God will bless us as we worship Him. It would be a great time for us to bring our friends.

## BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

*Chloe Jo McRee* was born on September 27 to Wes and Anne McRee weighing 8lbs. 14 oz. and 20.5 inches long. Congratulations to the proud parents, grandparents (Travis and Christa Newsome) and big brother David!

## "Fellowship In Training" – FIT

The Baine family group would like to invite everyone to train for a "5K God's Way." Our first meeting will be at Oconee Veterans Park at 9am October 13<sup>th</sup>. Angie Ruhlen will start us off with some quick nutrition tips, followed by a 5K walk/jog/run at your own pace. Course is fully paved so strollers and wheelchairs are welcome and encouraged. Deepen your fellowship while getting fit for God. If you want more info please email [FITACOC@gmail.com](mailto:FITACOC@gmail.com)

## Tabi's Food Pantry

For now, we will be collecting only canned/boxed/bagged of the following items:

### Canned\*

Beef  
Tuna  
Chicken  
Soups  
Peanut Butter  
Vegetables of any kind  
Fruit of any kind  
Tomato sauce  
Chili

### Boxed/Bagged:

Macaroni and Cheese  
Pasta  
Rice  
Dried Beans  
Cereal (only Cheerios, Rice  
Krispies  
or Raisin Bran)

\* No cans larger than 16 ounces and at least a 6 month shelf life.

### **PRAYER REQUESTS:**

**Danny Spohn's uncle, Danny Boothe**, has been diagnosed with liver cancer and starts treatment this week.

**Robert Goodwin's mother, Suzette Goodwin**, is recovering from surgery on a broken hip.

**Freda Sims' aunt, Mauline Seals**, passed away recently. Earl and Freda traveled last weekend to Lexington, MS to attend the funeral.

**Jack Brady** is recovering from amputation surgery on his left leg. He is doing well and was moved on Friday to Family Life Enrichment Center for rehabilitation.

**Michelle Simonovich (Jason Simonovich's mother)** is undergoing intensive chemotherapy.

**Betty Bloom** is recovering from a fractured vertebrae in her lower back and a pinched nerve. Address: 105 Oakwood Drive, Watkinsville, GA 30677.

**Sharon Brooks** has spinal stenosis and DJD (degenerative joint disease- also known as disc disease). For more information and specific prayer requests go to her blog: <http://brooksfamily.wordpress.com/>. Address: 1241 Alex Drive, Winder, GA 30680.

**Gwen Payton's brother, Curtis Middleton**, is ill and there are questions about his diagnosis. Please keep Curtis in your prayers.

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**SOUTHEASTERN EVANGELISM CONFERENCE: "Immeasurably More"**  
March 29-31, 2013 in Raleigh, NC website: [www.secchurches.com](http://www.secchurches.com)

**SPANISH LANGUAGE SERVICE OCT. 21<sup>st</sup>** - Arturo Elizarrás is an evangelist and Bible Teacher for the Mexico City Church, and oversees teaching in all the churches in Mexico. Arturo will be visiting Atlanta on Sunday October 21<sup>st</sup>, and will lead an Atlanta-wide church service in Spanish for all who would like to come. The service is planned for 2:00-3:30 PM at the main auditorium of the North River Church of Christ, 320 Austin Avenue, Marietta, Georgia 30060. You can listen to his latest podcast, titled "*Under Fire: Lessons of Suffering from Mexico*" via the following link: <http://douglasjacoby.com/78-main-pages/9725-fdmtemp>

**Teen Raising \$\$ for South Africa trip:** If anyone has old phones please donate to Nick Rorabaugh: 706-818-2230 or [nrorabaugh14@athensacademy.org](mailto:nrorabaugh14@athensacademy.org).

**4<sup>th</sup> International Cooking Class on Saturday, October 6<sup>th</sup> from 5pm to 7pm.** (Indian Food by Rani 'Kmal) – Learn to make Rice Pilaf, Raita and Samosas. \$7.00 per person. Recipes and ingredients will be provided. Limited space - so reserve your spot soon. No children please. 1060 Diamond Way, Bogart, GA. Contact Heeyoung Rugh at 706-612-5270.

**Greenville Singles Weekend in Greenville, SC hosted by Atlanta Single Mingle October 12-14** Register at <http://greenvillesingles.eventbrite.com/>

**WEDNESDAY 10AM WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY** – Come join us this week as we study and learn more about the the Holy Spirit! Childcare is provided.

**THE BOOK TABLE IS BACK THROUGH OCTOBER 7TH**, before and after Sunday services featuring the latest titles from DPI and IPI. While supplies last, purchases of more than \$20 get a free music CD.

To place an ad or announcement, please email **Dana Chacon** at [chacons@gmail.com](mailto:chacons@gmail.com).



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## FALL CLASSES STARTING SOON!

### **WOMEN'S CLASS: Minor Prophets of the O.T. - Thursdays at 7:30pm**

Ladies, come join Carolyn Sessions and Mary Shapiro as they begin a study on the minor prophets of the Old Testament. This class will help you gain a better understanding of God's character. It will be filled with bible study and practical applications for our everyday lives. So bring your bible and come along as we dig deep into God's word together. We will begin on October 11 at 7:30 pm at the church building.

### **MEN AND WOMEN: Firebreathers - Thursdays at 7pm**

**WARNING:** This is not a class!! This is not another cool lesson. The firebreather's group is all about living the life and experiencing what can happen when you truly put God in the center of your life. We are following in the spirit of our brothers Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego, the original firebreathers, who said, "My relationship with God is a lot bigger and a lot stronger than my circumstances!! I really don't care if the world around me falls apart, I WILL FOLLOW GOD!!" The first Meeting will be October 11 at 7pm at the church building.

### **MEN'S CLASS: Men of Honor - Thursdays at 6:30pm**

There is something in a man that desires honor, yet honor comes not easily. Honor is earned by action, ruled by virtue, guided by truth. Honor can never be stripped, only surrendered. Among men it can be given, received, and cherished, but no greater honor can be bestowed than to hear the voice of the Father saying, 'Well done, good and faithful servant! You have been faithful with a few things; I will put you in charge of many things. Come and share your master's happiness!' Mt. 25:21.

Join us for a series exploring what it means to be Men of Honor. We will share a meal and fellowship together at 6:30pm on Thursdays to be followed by the class from 7-8pm. Topics will include:

Men of Honor	Honor the Lord
Pursuit of Honor	Giving Honor
Without Honor	Wisdom and Honor
Place of Honor	Worthy of Honor