WELCOME VISITORS

We truly appreciate you being with us!

If you have any questions about the Bible class or worship service, we would be delighted to help provide you with a Bible answer.

Please know you are welcome to any of the services or activities here at the Evans Church of Christ.

Thank You for being here today!

Hearing Assistance Units are available—please see the Usher

STREAMING BROADCAST
www.evansgachurchofchrist.org

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

"The LORD is near to all who call upon Him, To all who call upon Him in truth."

Our Church Family

- ◊ **Richard Hughey:** is home from the hospital, but still not feeling very well
- ◊ **Darla Rosinski:** is recovering at home following surgery
- ◊ **Betty Douglas:** is in need of prayers
- ◊ **Tristan Horton:** is in need of prayers
- ◊ **Louis and Jean Stewart:** are in failing health and in need of prayers
- ◊ **Pauline Hicks:** is in need of prayers
- ◊ **Carol Chitwood:** is in need of prayers
- ◊ **Wenona Carter:** is living at Hall Personal Care Home
- ◊ **Louise Dorris:** is living at Brookdale Place—Apartment 307
- ◊ **Rebecca Hatchel:** is living at Waverly Gardens of Evans—Room 1
- ◊ **Rosetta Pippin:** is living at Kentwood—Room 151-A

Friends and Family

- ◊ **Betty Sisson's sister, Bonnie Hastings:** has cancer
- ◊ **Shari Parris' cousin, Bennett Pendergrass:** has cancer

JUST A REMINDER...
Please turn cell phones OFF!
Thank You!

TODAY

Elders & Deacons Meeting at 4:30 P.M.

and

Focus Group #2 is meeting after Evening Worship Service

SATURDAY, JANUARY 14th

Men's Breakfast at 8:00 A.M.
There is a Sign-Up Sheet on the table in the foyer

SUNDAY, JANUARY 15th

Focus Group #3 meeting after Evening Worship Service

SUNDAY, JANUARY 22nd

Fellowship Meal following Morning Worship Service

and

Focus Group #4 is meeting after Evening Worship Service

Sunny Hutto	January 15th
Jarrett Johnson	January 15th

Making Use of Time

TIME gives a sinner a chance to repent or to fill up the full measure of his guilt. Time gives the righteous person a period to exercise his faith, develop patience and persevere.

What are you doing with your time? Let us not squander that which can never be retrieved...

Be Kind to One Another

By Patrick Hogan

On an internet message board I frequent, one of the members includes the following comment in his signature: "Be kinder than necessary, because everyone you meet is fighting some kind of battle." Every time I read this statement it makes me think about how true it is. Some people hide their struggles more effectively than others, so it is sometimes very easy to forget that everyone we meet is fighting his or her own battle.

To one who is struggling, a kind word or a kind deed can make a tremendous difference. Many of us have been there. We have faced discouraging situations and didn't quite know what to do. At just the right moment someone either sent us a note of encouragement or performed some other kind gesture that lifted our spirits and enabled us to continue with renewed determination. Jesus' admonition, "Therefore, whatever you want men to do to you, do also to them" (Matthew 7:12) can find real application in our daily lives. It can make a real difference in the lives of others when we put it into practice.

Something else that comes to mind when I think about the statement "Be kinder than necessary ..." is the fact that I shouldn't limit myself to looking for people who are struggling in order to show kindness. I should make it my goal to be kind to everyone I meet. After all, they are struggling with some battle and my kindness toward them can make a difference.

As we go about our daily lives, coping with our own battles, let's remember that others may be facing difficulties that we cannot really comprehend. they may never tell anyone and they may never show any indication that they are struggling. However, if we are kinder than necessary, we can affect

"Sometimes remaining silent is the best response."

PRIVILEGED	TO	SERVE
SUNDAY MORNING	**TODAY** **January 8**	**NEXT WEEK** **January 15**
Announcements	Trent Mercer	Trent Mercer
Song Leader	Jason Johnson	Art Greer
Opening Prayer	Dayn Romine	Skip Cole
Officiate Lord's Supper	Billy Waters	Bob Hester
Table Attendant	Joe Fitzpatrick	Roger Smith
	William Walker	Buck Parris
	Jim Hill	Brandon Johnikin
Scripture Reading	Skip Cole	Donny Moore
Closing Prayer	Tommy Hamilton	Billy Waters
Count A.M. Contribution	Billy Waters	Bob Hester
	Jim Hill	Roger Smith
SUNDAY EVENING	**TODAY** **January 8**	**NEXT WEEK** **January 15**
Announcements	Trent Mercer	Trent Mercer
Song Leader	Jason Johnson	Art Greer
Opening Prayer	Gary Parrish	Dale Sylvester
Officiate Lord's Supper (select A.M. attendant to help)	Billy Waters	Bob Hester
Closing Prayer	Brandon Johnikin	Tommy Hamilton
WEDNESDAY EVENING	**THIS WEEK** **January 11**	**NEXT WEEK** **January 18**
Song Leader	Joe Fitzpatrick	Buck Parris
Opening Prayer	Billy Waters	Shawn Leonard
Devotional	Donny Moore	Billy Waters
Closing Prayer	Roger Smith	Brandon Johnikin

"And it shall come to pass, if ye shall hearken diligently unto my commandments which I command you this day, to love the LORD your God, and to serve him with all your heart and with all your soul."

SERMON TOPICS

Sunday Morning

"Repentance"

Scripture Reading

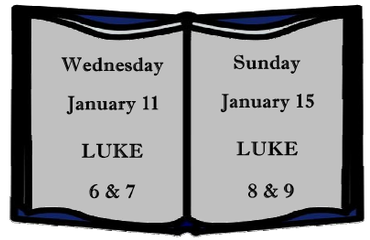
2 Corinthians 7:8-11

Sunday Evening

"Examine Yourself Spiritually"

Adult Bible Class

READING ASSIGNMENTS



Communion Preparation

Please see the list on the bulletin board in the foyer to sign-up for the month you would like to prepare communion for 2012.

ATTENDANCE & CONTRIBUTION

DATE	SUNDAY A.M.	SUNDAY P.M.	CONTRIBUTION
12/18/11	81	60	$2,091.00
12/25/11	82	39	$1,935.00
1/1/12	69	52	$4,163.00

WEEKLY BUDGET FOR 2012
$2,544.00

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JANUARY 8, 2012

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Sunday Morning Bible Study
9:00 A.M.

Sunday Morning Worship
10:00 A.M.

Sunday Evening Worship
6:00 P.M.

Wednesday Evening Bible Study
7:15 P.M.

ELDERS

Donny Moore
706-814-7376

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706-836-0644

DEACONS

Jason Johnson
Fellowship
706-228-1732

Buck Parris
Worship
706-863-2251

Trent Mercer
Youth Education/Benevolence
706-339-0944

Walter Sisson
Facilities
706-399-3700

Billy Waters
Finance
706-863-3443