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STIR UP ONE ANOTHER TO LOVE & GOOD WORKS
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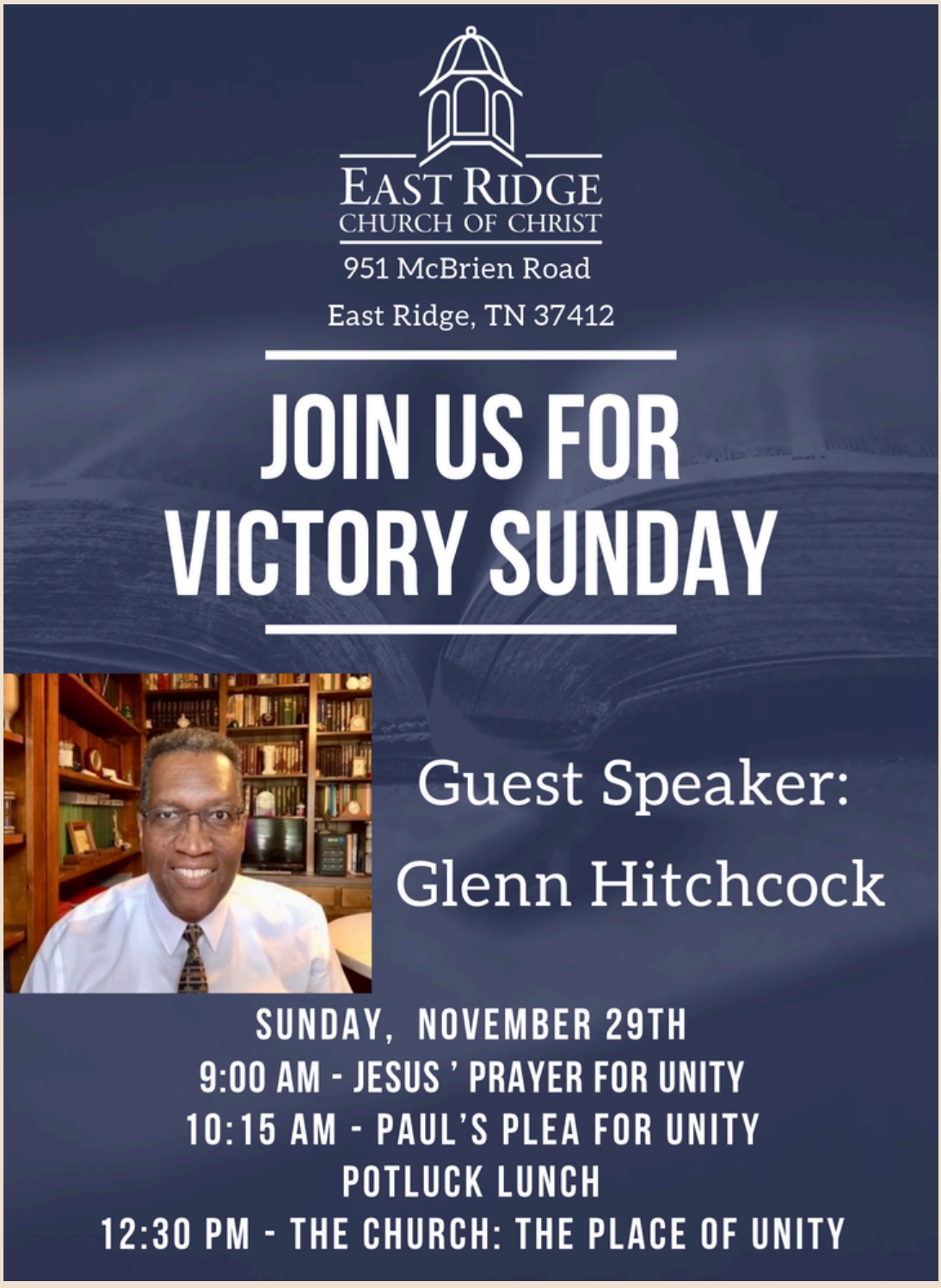

HEART TO HEART

We continue our thoughts about things for which we may be grateful. In this "Thanksgiving Season" consider the following:

"GRATEFUL

I'm thankful for all loveliness,
Which I have seen or known,
And thankful too for barren fields
Where stormy winds have blown.
I could not know the difference now
If all had been content,
And so I think Thee, O God, today
For all that Thou hast sent.
I'm thanking Thee for mercies given
To these, my loved and me,
Our spirits bow to Thee, my God,
In all Thy majesty.
We thank Thee for Thy presence here
Our unseen guest to be;
Lord fill our hearts with holiness,
With thankfulness, and Thee.
We're thankful for this still clear light
That has above us shone,
Shall give us strength to venture on
Through paths by us unknown.
We've learned to know Thy mercies, Lord,
Through ways by us unsought.
And so we Thank you, God, today
For all the years have brought."

(- Ada E. Marvin)

Let's fill our hearts with positive thoughts of Thanksgiving to the Lord for all He gives us!

- Charlie

BENEVOLENCE ROOM INFO

Our Benevolence Room will be closed for the upcoming holidays on 11/12, 12/22 and 12/29.

FLOOD ASSISTANCE

The elders would like to report that we were able to send $2,615.00 in flood relief to the Ocoee church of Christ. Thanks to all who donated to help the flood victims in that area.

PRAYER LIST

GUS STONE is home following a trip to the ER. He will be consulting with a urologist.
DEWAYNE WALKER will undergo extensive foot surgery November 19.
RICHARD ROGERS is home after a hospital stay with pneumonia.
CHANDA BUSBY has a recurrence of cancer and she is undergoing treatments.
JANE HICKS continues to recuperate following a stay in the hospital due to a recent fall.
D.A. CLARK is in Life Care of Collegedale, rm. 108.
ELIZABETH COOK will undergo surgery November 19.
BEA JOHNSON is in NHC Ft. Oglethorpe for rehab following surgery for a broken hip. Please, no visits or calls at this time.

LONG TERM PRAYER REQUESTS

Margaret Brown, Chanda Busby, Charles Campbell, Lucien Claiborne, D.A. Clark, Gayla Collins, John Cooley, Lorraine Curtain, Katrina Edgecomb, Bea Elliott, Linda Griffin, Eudene Hannah, Don/Pam Hayes, Phillip Hill, Yvonne Griffith, Sally Jackson, Benita Lakey, Matt Lane, Asonia Martin, Wanda Mathews, Isabella Orman, Sara Rogers, Jim Tidmore, Nelda Twitchell, Elijah West, Glenn/Louellen Westbrook and Winston, Wilcox.

COMPASSION CARDS

Team 4 will meet in Classroom 6 Sunday, Nov. 22, one hour prior (4pm) to our evening worship service. If you would like to participate in writing encouragement cards, please join us!

If you have a local family member, neighbor, co-worker or friend that you would like to add to our Card Ministry list, go to: ercoc.com/cards

Sunday, November 22nd, is the annual Thanksgiving appeal for Greater Chattanooga Christian Services (GCCS). So far this year, God has allowed us to serve 160 clients through 783 faith-based counseling sessions and serve 6 families by conducting home studies ahead of the blessing of adoption. Every story is a testimony of hope and healing, and your generous support makes it all possible. Please prayerfully consider partnering with us by contributing November 22 in support of our mission and, as always, lifting us up before God with your prayers.

STUFF FROM STEVE

YOUNG AT HEART: Meets tomorrow (11/19) at 10:00 AM in the Connect Room and on Zoom. We will continue our study of the psalms of praise. Afterwards we will have lunch out together at the Epicurean Restaurant. We will not have class on 11/26 (Thanksgiving); 12/3 (I'll be out of town); 12/10 (Christmas Party at Debbie Riemke's). Our next class will be on 12/17 and that will be our final class for 2026.

SINGLE/SINGLE AGAIN:
I will be out of town on Tuesday, Dec. 1, so, the next Bible Study will be on Tuesday, December 15th. This will also be the final study of 2026. Someday, we'll finish our study of 1 Corinthians.

SENIOR MEMBERS TRIP: Friday, December 11 we'll depart the building at 3:00 PM for Granville, TN to attend a performance of the Christmas edition of their Mayberry Dinner Theater. This year they will be presenting "My Fair Ernest T." and "Deputy Otis." Approximate cost is $38.00 per person. This includes your meal. We should return to the building at approximately 11:00 PM. A sign-up sheet is on the table in the foyer. Sign up deadline is TONIGHT (11/18). *Till next time.....Steve*

CAN YOU HELP?

There is a need for someone to take over being in charge of the Teachers' Workroom. If you can do this, please contact someone in the office.

ANNUAL HOLIDAY DINNER FOR WIDOWS, WIDOWERS & CANCER SUPPORT GROUP

This annual event is Sun., Dec. 6. A tradition for the dinner is to provide gifts, gift baskets, baked goods, or gift cards for those attending. We need all of the above listed items by Sun., Nov. 29, given to Ginny Cochran, Tonya Lively or one of the elders' wives. Baked goods can be dropped off to the Fellowship Rm. on Sun., Dec. 6. There will be a sign-up sheet in the foyer. This is a special and joyous event. Let's all pitch in and make it memorable!

YOUTH

Reminders are posted on the Lightpost app. The Youth calendar and other events will be under the "Groups" tab which will take you to the "Youth" section. Also, all events such as PEP, Teen Singing, Recess, and other information pertaining to the Youth group, will be posted in this section on Lightpost.

- **SERVICE PROJECT** Tuesday, Tues. Nov. 24. Details will be posted on the Lightpost app.
- **PEP** Fri., Nov. 27 hosted by the Hueter's. We will have food and a devo at the Hueter's office (105 N. Market St., Unit 131, Chatt., 37405) then walk to the park to watch the holiday boat parade and fireworks.
- **RINGGOLD CHRISTMAS PARADE** Fri., Dec. 4 from 7-9pm
- **VISITATION/CAROLING** Thurs., Dec. 17 from 5:30-8pm

EXTRA LESSON OF THE WEEK

The shepherds want to encourage you to have an additional spiritual meal each week by finding the time to listen to a chosen lesson.

"Convince Me": Church Discipline Is Loving and Needs to Be Practiced

KYLE BUTT

LADS TO LEADERS/LEADERETTES

For the young men participating in Lads Song Leading and their parents: There is a sign up sheet located in the foyer for time slots to work with Kyle Moses or Josh Cozart on Song Leading for Convention. We are asking that you please sign up for 4 time slots, 2 this fall and 2 in the spring. Please see Kyle Moses or Josh Cozart if you have any questions.

L2L bulletin Boards due Sunday, December 26.

YOUNG ADULTS

November 21 - Friendsgiving at the Hueter's from 6:30-8:00pm
November 30 from 7-9pm - Better Monday

Dates for the Panama VBS campaign are May 28-June 5, 2027. There is limited space so sign up soon if you would like to participate! There is a sign-up sheet in the foyer on the mission table.

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Sunday Morning Worship.....9:00 AM
Sunday Bible Study.....10:15 AM
Sunday Evening Service.....5:00 PM
Wed. Night Bible Study.....7:00 PM

THE RECORD

Sunday Morning Worship.....372
(In person 268, YouTube 104)
Sunday Morning Bible Class.....N/A
(In person 203, YouTube N/A)
Sunday Evening Worship.....256
(In person 164, YouTube 92)
Wednesday Night Service.....273
(In person 170, YouTube 103)
Contribution.....$17,888

ONLINE GIVING

Scan the QR code to give. Follow the instructions to contribute by check/ card. Check option is preferred (avoids credit card fees).

RADIO AND TV

LIGHT FOR THE WAY (Speaker: Charles Cochran)
Sunday 10:30 A.M.
WFLI Channel 53–THECW or may also be seen at:
https://www.youtube.com/@LightfortheWay

Gospel Broadcasting Network
Website: www.gbntv.org
"Live Stream" available 24/7
EPB Channel 152

GOOD NEWS TODAY
WFLI Channel 53–Comcast 6 & EPB 6
Sunday 7:30 A.M.
EPB Channel 152, GBN
Saturday, 8:00 A.M., Sunday, 8:00 A.M. & 10 P.M.

INTERNATIONAL GOSPEL HOUR
WFLI Channel 53–Comcast 6 & EPB 6
Sunday 7:00 A.M., Hosted by Jeff Archey
WFLI 1450AM - Chatt. T1
Sun, 8:30 A.M. - M-F - 150 P.M. Sat. 3 P.M.
WFLM 1033FDM – Chatt. T1
Sun, 8:30 P.M. - M-F @ 7: 15 P.M. Sat. 3 P.M.

SEARCH
WDEF, Channel 12

WEEKLY EVENTS

Benevolence Room Tuesdays 8:00 AM - 2 PM

Ladies Bible Class - Tuesday at 6:00 PM in the Connect Room

Young At Heart Bible Study - Thursdays at 10 AM in the Connect Room

CONTACT ELDER OF THE MONTH

November - Charlie Cochran
423-505-4617

PRIVILEGED TO SERVE

Wednesday, November 18, 2026

Announcements.....Perry Hillis
Song Leader.....Joshua Cozart
Devotional.....Paul Baumberger
Closing Prayer.....Chris Ward

MISSIONS

FOREIGN:
Clinton Church of Christ (Australia)
Kenya
Nazareth Church of Christ (Israel)
Nicaragua
Panama
Sosnogorsk, Russia

STATESIDE:
Greater Chatt. Christian Services
House to House/Heart to Heart
International Gospel Hour
Memphis School of Preaching
In Search of the Lord's Way
Spiritual Sword
Gospel Journal