



## WELCOME VISITORS

The presence of Jesus in the gathering of His people is the sweetest blessing we enjoy when we meet.  
We pray that you will find peace, comfort, and power for living today.  
A visitor's card is provided in the book rack, to give us a record of your visit.

## MESSENGER FOR CHRIST



## BRUNSWICK CHURCH OF CHRIST

December 4, 2011

### SAD TIMES

*Charlie Gamble*

One of the saddest verses in the Bible is found at the conclusion of the book of Judges. *“In those days there was no king in Israel: every man did that which was right in his own eyes.”* (Judges 21:25) The chosen people of God no longer looked to Him. They had fallen a long way from the days of Joshua when they had committed to follow the LORD. (ref. Joshua 24:24). The determination of right and wrong would be made by each individual instead of the one God. How sad this was.

Can we not see the same attitude in religion today? People behave as if there is no king over His people. Each group does what is right in their own eyes. Some claim to be in the kingdom but reject the word of the king. Some are still looking for a kingdom. How sad this is. We need to return to the promise of Joshua: ...but as for me and my house we will serve the LORD. (Joshua 24:15b)

### SUNDAY

Bible Study	10:00 AM
Worship	11:00 AM
Evening	6:00 PM
WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY	6:30 PM
Fellowship Meal	12:30 PM
(Every 1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday)	
Men's Meeting	12:30 PM
(First Sunday of every month)	

### ATTENDANCE LAST SUNDAY

Morning Worship	34
Evening Worship	10
Wednesday	12
Contribution	\$697.00

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TO OUR FRIENDS:

**“...The Churches of Christ salute you.” Romans 16:16**



We will celebrate the December birthdays & anniversaries today at our fellowship meal. Please stay and enjoy the delicious meal that has been prepared.



There will be a men's meeting today following our morning worship service.



**Birthdays in December**

David Wilson	1 <sup>st</sup>
Elizabeth Hewett	10 <sup>th</sup>
Elaine Massey	23 <sup>rd</sup>
Bill Bartlow	24 <sup>th</sup>

**Anniversaries in December**

John & Carolyn Bowling	27 <sup>th</sup>
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**God's Plan for Man**  
**Hear God's Word**  
**Heb. 11:6; Rom. 10:17**  
**Believe in Jesus**  
**Jn. 8:24**  
**Repent of Sins**  
**Lk. 13:3; 2 Cor. 7:10**  
**Confess Jesus' Name**  
**Mt. 10:32-33; Rom. 10:9-10; Mt. 16:15-16**  
**Be Baptized**  
**Mk. 16:15-16; Mt. 28:18-19; Acts 2:38, 41;**  
**Acts 22:16; Rom. 6:3-4**  
**Live Faithful until Death**  
**Mt. 10:22; Rev. 2:10**

**The Bible study topic for Wednesday night: A Study of Romans**  
**Bible study starts at 6:30 PM.**



**“The Sounds of Christmas”**

**The Sea Notes Choral Society**  
**will perform their Christmas concerts on**  
**Friday, Dec. 9 at 7:30 p.m. and again on**  
**Sunday, Dec. 11 at 3 p.m. at Odell**  
**Williamson Auditorium.**

**Free Admission**  
**Donations Appreciated**

**Opportunities to Serve**

	<b>Today</b>	<b>12/11/11</b>
<b>Welcome</b>	John Bowling	Willie Gore
<b>Song Leader</b>	Willie Gore	John Bowling
<b>Opening Prayer</b>	Albert Sturdivant	Leslie Bell
<b>Communion</b>	*John Bowling	*Albert Sturdivant
	Spud Spencer	Dwight Hewett
	Lynn Means	Bill Bartlow
<b>Scripture Reading</b>	Albert Sturdivant	Leslie Bell
<b>Speaker</b>	Rick Massey	Rick Massey
<b>Closing Prayer</b>	John Bowling	Ed Williams
<b>Nursery</b>	Lelia Gore	Carolyn Bowling
<b>Evening</b>	Devotion	John Bowling



The ladies bible study will be held Tuesday, at 10:00 am in the fellowship room. Our topic will be “A Study of Religion”.

Please remember to pray for the sick, lonely, and especially anyone outside Christ.



**Health**

Nancy Spencer  
 Nichole Campbell  
 Damon Hicks  
 Will Bryant  
 Thomas Pinkston  
 Danielle Roden  
 Cornell Fuller  
 Nella Crittenden

**General**

Barbara Bartlow  
 Megan Godsey

**Traveling**

Williams Family

**Deaths**

Bob Gray Family