

# 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.

| SUNDAY  |          | ATTENDANCE LAST SUNDAY |          |
|---|----------|------------------------|----------|
| Bible Study                                       | 10:00 AM | Morning Worship        | 35       |
| Worship   | 11:00 AM | Evening Worship        | 14       |
| Evening   | 6:00 PM  | Wednesday              | 11       |
| WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY                             | 6:30 PM  | Contribution           | \$841.00 |
| Fellowship Meal<br>(Every 1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday) | 12:30 PM |                        |          |
| Men's Meeting<br>Last Sunday of every month)      | 5:00 PM  |                        |          |

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TO OUR FRIENDS:

## MESSENGER FOR CHRIST



### BRUNSWICK CHURCH OF CHRIST

March 30, 2014

Broken Things  
by Russ Lawson

Many of us are broken at one time or another. We are sometimes broken in spirit, sometimes broken in body, sometimes broken in relationships and sometimes broken by the death of a loved one or even the loss of a job. We often struggle to find a reason for this happening, but we just as often struggle for a reason to go on, to have some purpose in our lives. We want to cry out, "What's the use? Why should I even try? No one cares, no one sees me."

It may be that you are hurting, lonely, feeling dejected, useless or abandoned... broken. I understand how hard that is to deal with in your life, but remember that God always has a use for you and always has love for you, even when you feel unlovable and unloved.

I recently found a quote from "*Heart Held High*," that reminds us of some amazing things about God. The author wrote:

We are now his broken things. But remember how he used broken things. The broken pitcher of Gideon's little army. The broken roof, through which the crippled man was lowered, and the broken alabaster box, which shed its fragrance over the broken body of our Savior.

Have you recently been broken? It is not the "end of life as you know it." God does have more for you to do and be, for him.

*For God, who said, "Let there be light in the darkness," has made this light shine in our hearts so we could know the glory of God that is seen in the face of Jesus Christ. We now have this light shining in our hearts, but we ourselves are like fragile clay jars containing this great treasure. This makes it clear that our great power is from God, not from ourselves (2 Corinthians 4:6-7 NLT).*

*ViaHeartlight.Org*

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

**Gospel Meeting**  
**Whiteville Church of Christ**  
**April 6-10th**  
**Speaker: Dwight Fuqua from the**  
**Findlay Church of Christ**  
**Sparta, TN**

Check the bulletin board for details.

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**Men's Meeting**

The men's meeting will be held today at 5:00 pm. You are encouraged to attend.




**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 Chronological Study of the Life of Jesus  
 Bible study starts at 6:30 PM.



We will have our fellowship meal next Sunday. At that time we will celebrate the April birthdays and anniversaries. Bring you favorite food dish and invite a friend.



**ENLIGHTENED PERSPECTIVE**  
**Andy Rooney**

I've learned .... That one should keep his words both soft and tender, because tomorrow he may have to eat them.

**Opportunities to Serve**

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| Welcome<br>Song Leader<br>Opening Prayer<br>Communion<br><br>Scripture Reading<br>Speaker<br>Closing Prayer<br>Evening<br>Nursery | Today<br>John Lloyd<br>John Bowling<br>Charlie Gamble<br>*John Lloyd<br>Dick Phillips<br>Bill Bartlow<br>Don Lockey<br>Rick Massey<br>Albert Sturdivant<br>Willie Gore<br>BJ Lockey/Gabriel Connolly | 04/06/14<br>John Lloyd<br>Willie Gore<br>Dick Phillips<br>*John Bowling<br>Lynn Means<br>Bill Bartlow<br>Albert Sturdivant<br>Rick Massey<br>Kurt Crytzer<br>Devotion<br>Carolyn Bowling |
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The Nursery will be open to receive children following the Communion.

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

**HEALTH**  
 Leland Stephenson                      Welton Hatcher  
 Lonnie Jones

**GENERAL**  
 Christians in Ukraine                      Mudslide victims  
 Flight 370 Victims

**TRAVELING**  
 Ladies to Myrtle Beach                      Williams Family

**DEATHS**  
 Aleyah Muhammad Family

The complete prayer list is on the bulletin board.

**Ladies Bible Study**

The ladies bible study will be held Tuesday, at 10:00 am in the fellowship room. Our study is about "God's Promises". Our time together will include prayer and songs of praise. You are welcome to join us.

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**Sea Notes Choral Society**

Spring Concert 2014  
 The Best of The Best  
 Grammys, Tonys, and #1 Hit Songs  
 Sunday March 30 - 3:00 pm

See the bulletin board for details.