

The Emerald Beach Christian

The Incomparable Christ

He came from the bosom of the Father to the bosom of a woman.
 He became the Son of man that we might become the sons of God.
 He put on humanity that we might go from earth to Heaven
 He left the region where the rivers never freeze, winds never blow, frost never bites, flowers never fade. In Heaven no doctors are needed, because no one is ever sick; there are no undertakers, for death never comes.
 He was born contrary to the laws of nature, was reared in obscurity, and lived in poverty. Only once did he ever cross the boundaries of his own small country, except immediately following his birth. He had no wealth or influence, training or education, and his parents knew nothing of the niceties of social tradition.
 In infancy, he startled a king; in boyhood he puzzled the wise; in manhood, he ruled the course of nature.
 He healed the multitudes without medicine, and made no charge for his services. He never wrote a book, yet all the libraries of the world could not contain all the books that could be written about him. He never wrote a song, and yet has provided the themes for more songs than all earthly writers combined.
 He never founded a college, yet all the schools of earth have not had the number of students that sit at his feet.
 He never practiced medicine, yet he has healed more broken hearts than the world has every taken note of.
 He never marshaled an army, never drafted a soldier, never fired a gun, yet no leader has ever had the volunteers, who, under his orders, made rebels stack arms and surrender to his command, never firing a shot.
 He is the Star of astronomy, the Rock of geology, the Lamb and the Lion of zoology, the Harmonizer of all discards, and the Healer of all diseases.
 Great men have come and gone; he lives on.
 Herod could not kill him; Satan could not seduce him; death could not destroy him; and the grave could not hold him.
 He laid aside his purple robe for a peasant's gown.
 He was rich, but for our sakes became poor, that we might be rich.
 How poor? Ask Mary! Ask the wise men!
 He slept in another's manager; he rode another's ass; he was buried in another's tomb.
 All others have failed; he never.
 The ever perfect one, the chief among ten thousand; the one altogether lovely.

—Author Unknown

In Christian Love,
Louie 12/20/09



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Minister
Louie Consoli

The Bible teaches that there is one body (Eph. 4:4) , and since the body is the Church (Col. 1:18, Eph. 1:-22-23), there is but one Church. Jesus built this Church ((Matt. 16:18) and purchased it with His own blood (Acts 20:28). We believe that one must be in the Lord's Church to be saved, since the Lord adds to the Church those that are saved (Acts 2:47), and since the Bible declares Christ to be the Savior of the body, or Church (Ephesians 5:23).

Worship Times

Sunday	Sunday	Wednesday
Bible Study	Worship	Bible Study
9:00am	10:00am & 6:00pm	6:30pm

December 20, 2009

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Due to the holidays and the fact that most of our church members are out of town there will be no Wednesday night services on December 23rd. Regular services will resume on Sunday morning.

We have several people who are basically shut-ins that would enjoy receiving cards from us. With the holiday season upon us please think about these people and brighten their day.

Jean Nichols-Sharon's mom-PO Box 82188, Phoenix, Az 85069-1288

Alice Heath-Betty's mother-Room 416, NHC Healthcare Center, 812 North Charlotte St. Dickson, Tn 37055.

William Jordan-Marie's father-Lisenby Retirement Ctr, 1400 W. 11th St. Room 307, Panama City, Fl. 32401

John Akers-John's uncle-477 Woodland Creek Dr, McMinnville, Tn 37110.

Jo Nesbitt-1637 N Valencia Dr, Albany, Ga. 31707-3745.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Local Members

Betty Brown-Knee replacement surgery last week. Now at home.

Clint and Ann Byars-Health problems.

Charlie Hernandez-Please remember Charlie in your prayers and with cards and letters.

Extended Prayer List

Joe Cottrell-Frequent visitor having back problems, may have to have surgery.

Larry Stephens-Brother-in-law of Pat Montgomery diagnosed with cancer.

William Jordan-Father of Marie Patterson.

Tristan Hernandez-Life difficulties.

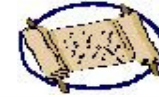
Jean Nichols-Mother of Sharon Stockton.

Alice Heath-Mother of Betty Brown.

Shirley McCalister

Batting Cancer

Jo Nesbitt, David Oyler, Danny Young, Benny Thomley, Tony Adkison, Brenda Moore, Joe Eidson, Jo Ann Fairbanks, John Akers, Elaine Mundy,



December Birthdays

Cameron Miles 4
Buddy Goode 10
Marie Patterson 17
Betty Asbell 20
Lucy Younger 31

December Anniversaries

Chisolm 5
Goode 7
Brown 30

Family Record

Sunday 12/13//09

Bible Study 22

Worship Service 40

Sunday PM 23

Wednesday 17

Contributions

\$694.50



Preparing Communion for Dec.

Gail Casteel

Locking the Building for Dec.

Fred Casteel

December Greeter

Pat Montgomery

Today's Nursery Attendant

Marie Patterson

Please remember our Food Pantry!!

If anyone has needs please contact the following:

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David Chisolm-596-8727(cell)
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Larry Nave-234-5675

JUST A REMINDER

Emerald Beach Church of Christ is still in need of financial support. Any monetary help will be appreciated as we are a small but growing congregation that is doing the work of the Lord here on the Beach of spreading the Good News of the Gospel.

ATTENTION: NEW PROGRAM

We now are able to offer a free Bible Correspondence course. If you or anyone that you know would be interested in receiving these series of lessons, please let the church office know or send an email notification to us. The phone number is 235-7992 and the email address is emeraldbeachchurch@yahoo.com.

Hear Billy Lambert on Direct TV on Ch. 367, 6:30pm on Sun., Ch 377, Mon-Fri at 9:30PM Central. Bro. Billy Lambert can be seen on "Know Your Bible" on Dir. TV.

VISITORS! You are our welcomed Guests.