

## THINGS PARENTS CAN'T DO.

I gave you life but cannot live it for you.

I can teach you but cannot make you learn. I can show you the way but cannot force you.

I can allow you freedom but cannot account for it. I can take you to church services but cannot make you worship.

I can teach you discretion but cannot decide for you. I can offer you advice but cannot accept it for you.

I can love you but cannot force you to love Me. I can teach you friendship but cannot make you a friend.

I can teach you to share but cannot make you unselfish. I can advise you about friends but cannot choose them for you. I can teach you about purity but cannot keep you pure.

I can warn you about sins but cannot make your morals. I love you as a daughter or son but, without your obedience, I cannot place you in my spiritual family, the church. —Author Unknown

One thing is for sure that each one of us must make our own decisions. It would be easy if a parent could just ask God to make their child a part of His Son Jesus. However, as we know that is not how it works. Every person must make the choice to be baptized into Christ and then continue to follow Him through a continual obedience. Let us teach our children and pray that they look to God and His great Word.

Ernie

*"For each one shall bear his own load"* (Galatians 6:5).

### EZRA CHAPTER ONE

T U O B A S H A M E T H E Y O G	ABOUT	KINGDOM
G N A T A S P T H O H H T O N N	AMONG	LEVITES
R U E Y A R N H F A D N I I T O	BASONS	NUMBER
B E I V I N C G D E E G T N O M	BEASTS	PERSIA
P N V E A Y O U R W I I N I G A	BROUGHT	PLACE
G E S L R E J O T E R H A I R S	BUILD	PRIESTS
S T R U I T H R O W A N C I K E	CHARGED	ROSE
S I S S P S I B D E G R A H C I	CHIEF	SAYING
R S E T I V E L S A S H T F I S	CYRUS	SILVER
E S T A T A B A R B O P O H L O	EARTH	SPIRIT
B D T A P E D E E B A R I E I L	FATHERS	STIRRED
M L O I A P E S H O T S S R E D	FORTH	THINGS
U O P S R C H O T H I S O A I R	GOLD	TWENTY
N G T E A R S H A P E S R N U T	HEAVEN	VESSELS
A S H L O P E W F V I S I T S P	ISRAEL	WHOSE
H O P E S O R D D L I U B A C K	JUDAH	WRITING

### 😊 Special Days 😊

#### Happy Birthday, March!

Kinzie Neal	7	Avery Neal	7
Troy Crayton	7	Becky Klein	10
Alwilda Merritt	12	Sonny Wirt	12
Jessica Endy	23	Robert Spiess	26
Ernie Maiwald	29		



## WOODBIDGE CHURCH OF CHRIST



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### March 4, 2018

#### Services

Sunday Morning Bible Study	9:30 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship	10:30 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study	7:00 p.m.

#### Elders

Eric Anthony    Ernie Maiwald  
Michael Neal    Lee Porter  
Tim Wertz

#### Deacons

Perry Comeaux    Jason Cottoner  
Keith George    Dan Medina  
Niles Wedge

#### Minister

Ernie Maiwald

#### Associate Minister

Keith George

*The Woodbridge elders recommend the following Bible translations for our public worship and study:  
New King James Version, King James Version and American Standard Version, 1901*

**Welcome, Visitors!**

Thank you for coming to worship with us today. You are our honored guests. We are a Bible church with Bible aims relying on God's word as our only authority. We invite you to join us in worshipping through:

- o singing (Eph 5:19)
- o praying (I Tim 2:1-2)
- o studying (II Tim 4:2)
- o giving (I Cor 16:2)
- o remembering our Lord's sacrifice through communion (Acts 20:7).

We want to have a record of your visit. Please complete the visitor's card that is in the pew before you and place it in the collection basket or hand it to one of our members.

If we can be of service to you, in any way, please let us know. And please visit with us again soon. We look forward to seeing you.

**Daily Bible Readings**

		Morning	Evening
Epistles	March 4	I Peter 4 - 5	I Peter 4 - 5
The Law	March 5	Deut. 13 - 15	Deut. 13 - 15
History	March 6	Ezra 1 - 5	Ezra 1 - 5
Psalms	March 7	Psalms 131 - 135	Psalms 131 - 135
Poetry	March 8	Ecc 7 - 8	Ecc 7 - 8
Prophecy	March 9	Zechariah 1 - 7	Zechariah 1 - 7
Gospels	March 10	Acts 15 - 16	Acts 15 - 16

**Bible Class Schedule for the Week**

<b>Week of March 4</b>			
Sunday	Lesson 119	Acts 8	
Wednesday	Lesson 120	Review in Auditorium	
<b>Week of March 11</b>			
Sunday	Lesson 121	Genesis 10 and 11	
Wednesday	Lesson 122	Genesis 12	

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

All the Wednesday Bible classes will be meeting in the auditorium for our quarterly Review on Wednesday night. Put on your thinking caps and come enjoy a great time as we see how much we have learned.

**Assignments**

	4 March	11 March
Announcements	Comeaux	George
Song	Anthony	Pender
Prayer	Johnson	Kent
Preside @ Table	Dukes	Foxworth
Assisting	Medina	Wedge
Assisting	Porter	Z. Frazier
Assisting	Lake	Mike Ambrose
Prayer	Crayton	Chris Dollard
	4 March	11 March
Announcements	Comeaux	George
Song Leader	Anthony	Pender
Prayer	Chris Dollard	Comeaux
Communion/Prayer	Dukes	Foxworth
	7 March	14 March
Announcements	Comeaux	George
Song Leader	Anthony	Pender
Invitation	Neal	Wedge
Prayer	George	Porter

*Notes:*

1. *Please arrange for a substitute if you are unable to perform an assigned duty.*
2. *Notify Tim Wertz and Karla Anthony of any changes.*
3. **Transportation.** *If anyone would be willing to help with transportation to and from services on Sunday and Wednesday, please see Niles Wedge.*

	March	April	May
<b>Prepare Communion</b>	Cottoner	TBD	TBD
<b>Building Lockup</b>	Wertz	TBD	TBD

**REMINDERS**

<b>Mens Breakfast</b>	3/10/18	8:00am	OC Buffet
<b>EDP Meeting</b>	3/10/18	9:30am	Building

**Helpful Contact Addresses:**

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**For our Prayers**

**New**

➤ **Christine Liddell** will be having a procedure on March 6. Please keep her in your prayers.

**Assisted Living**

- **Gayle Swabb** (Whispering Pines - Luray)
- **Charles Swabb** (Betty's Place - Manassas)

**Continued Prayers for Family and Friends:**

- **Omer Goolsby** (Sue Bilbrey's brother) Cancer
- **Sandra Lauriano** (co-worker for Kennetha Marbury) cancer
- **Lucille Goolsby** (Sue Bilbrey's sister-in-law) Cancer
- **Lenny Skutnik** (Crohns)
- **OT Martin** (Ernie's dad) Alzheimer's
- **Vicky Smith** (Kennetha Marbury's cousin) kidney
- **Jesse Medina** (Dan's brother) pulmonary hypertension
- **Johnnie Thompson** (Perry Comeaux aunt) Long Term Care
- **Jan Dunlap** (Linda Skutnik's sister)
- **Jean Long** (Sue Bilbrey's sister) brain tumor
- **Angelica Garcia** (friend of Linda Skutnik) acute leukemia
- **Sammie Thompson** (Perry Comeaux's cousin) cancer
- **LaVetta Sterrett** (Babara Frazier's aunt) abdomen bleed
- **David Jackson** (friend of the Marbury's) lung cancer

**Continued prayers for our members**

Bobbie Girard	Alwilda Merritt	Colleen Wertz
Deb Neal	James Roberson	

