

# Those Who Serve

	Dec 9	Dec 16
<b>Opening Prayer</b>	Rick Stocking	Olan Bacon
<b>Song Leader</b>	Evan Hall	Joe Burnsed
<b>Communion</b>	John Story	Rick Stocking
<b>Assist</b>	Joe Holloway	Mike Powell
<b>Assist</b>	Mike Powell	John Story
<b>Dismiss Services</b>	Charles Hall	Evan Hall



## Prayer List

Bob Emsweller – at home and feeling better  
 Olan Bacon – at home recuperating  
 Darlene Monreal – Mike Powell's daughter. health problems  
 Gregory Dozier – family problems

Lorianne Broussard – Sister in law of Nick & Lisa Barratta; son Jacob Olivier has been missing for several months.

Jessie Shuman – Health Problems

Sandy Parker – at home with her parents

Jason and Tracy Sheehy – upcoming adoption in Uganda

Wanda Pledge – recovering from a stroke at home.

Jay Williams – Health problems

Mark & Teresa Callaway – Mark in St. Joseph's

Nell Sewell – in AR; cancer patient

Charles Stevens – recuperating at home in AR

Elma Jean Robinson – home

Grace Murphy – sis in law of Donna Murphy – severe health problems

Roland Mohsen – home making health decisions

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Social** – this Wednesday following Bible Study, the 12th

**Calendar for December** – on back pew

**Save** – Labels, Food Pantry Items, Change Jar, Cans, Medicine Bottles, & OTC Medicines, peanut butter

**Bookmark our Facebook page.** And add [EllabellChurchofChrist@hotmail.com](mailto:EllabellChurchofChrist@hotmail.com) to your contact list. Brother Paul asks that you simply email him anything you want to appear on the Facebook page; pictures, announcements, etc.

**Call List** – There are forms on the back pew if you want to be added to our call list. If you want a call made, call me or text me and I will make the call and schedule it. 912-667-0519

**Prayer List** – There is a form on the back pew to add names to the prayer list.

**Worship Services Online** – Go to our website and there is a link at the bottom. Join us from anywhere in the world online. <http://ellabellchurchhome.org/>

If you enjoyed reading our bulletin, please pass or forward it to others interested in the Cause of Christ

# Ellabell Church of Christ



Truck from Raintree came last Monday

## SERVICE TIMES:

### Sunday

Bible Study

10:00am

Worship

11:00am

6:30pm

### Wednesday

7:00pm

## Speaking Where The Bible Speaks; Silent Where The Bible Is Silent

December 9, 2012

### REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 2012 (TOM EK POT JR).

Dearly beloved,

I on behalf of my family say greetings to you all in Jesus' name. It sounds strange that we almost at the end of another year. The year which just started has soon winded up, but several memories in the minds of different people. Well, we can't tell story yet until the next 30 days. We are hopeful that our good Lord will take us through despite all the challenges.

Beloved, when I read Acts 14.22, and the experiences of the early Christians, I know that we have not experienced much yet. Who know what is still on the way. But one I am always sure is that God is faithful, and He promised to be with us unto the end of the age. So it does not bother me much again the gimmicks the Devil is trying to set behind. Our Lord is on the throne. Truly, Christians in the northern Nigeria are facing one of the most times in history. Our buildings have become object of terrorist attack. People who come for worship just have to watch always through the window what car may be driving in. Brethren, the Lord has worked through your prayers that we are still alive. If it pleases the Lord to have us bombed, to Him be

the glory. We will never stop worshipping Him because of human threat.

The congregations in Toro and Mazah doing just fine. The population has not increased as one would have expected, but we can understand the cause. We pray those who are still in the Church will remained faithful to God. The congregations in Foron are equally doing fine, except the Church in Foron Mission whose majority of the members have relocated. We are trusting the Lord the situation will return to normalcy for our outreached to make meaning. Please, do keep us in prayers. I will be leaving the city of Jos for 14 days, for the extension program of the School of Biblical Studies. We are taking the training to meet some people in their locality who cannot afford to come to the School in Jos because of the peculiar nature of the jobs/businesses. I am set to leave on 8th of December and return on the 23rd of December. The School in Jos is vacating for Christmas Holiday on the 7th. Please, keep us in your prayers. We appreciate all that you are doing to keep the mission of Christ alive in Africa. During the month, I was able to buy a printer for my computer. I pray God will help me get a camera so that I can equally give you pictures of some the things we are doing here. May God keep you under His wing of protection.

Grace and Peace,

Tom

### **EMAIL FROM PARIS (DEC 4, 2012)**

Roland goes to throat specialist on the 7th and then will be told probably when to have the laser thanks for prayers. I bought some potholder loops and sent back this summer but need more...making Christmas gifts with the girls. –Rose

### **ABASIAMA'S NOVEMBER 2012 REPORT FROM CAMEROON**

When just one soul truly gives their heart to Him, angels are singing praise to the one who was, and is, and is to come. With fear and trembling we have been working to sing the song of redemption to the perishing. The Lord, as He promised to be with us in our missionary journeys, guided us to the receptive minds with which we shared His word. It was His will that by our evangelistic campaign in November, a lost soul should be brought to Christ.

The month under review was a fruitful one. We launched devastating attacks on the evil forces of captivity. As a result, a soul was set free from the captivity of sin. Bro William Ndeke, a very

young man, heard the voice of our loving Master through our air strike (radio preaching) and visited our worship assembly. He believed and was immersed. To God is the glory. We pray that William will remain faithful to the Lord in work and worship. We will continue to preach the blessed gospel to save our people in these perilous times.

When new converts come, so comes the need to nurture them to grow in the Lord. This takes a lot of time and effort just like in the case a new born baby. We have the scriptures, and we have the culture of searching the scripture but the big challenge still lingering is the place of worship where effective Bible studies could be conducted. In view of the need just mentioned, the Mile One Church intensifies its effort at putting a roof over the heads of those who come to worship. In November, the building work of the church took a different dimension by trying to roof a section of the building. The partial roofing when completed will shelter us from the trouble of the distractions which we have to endure at the moment.

As the year draws to an end, we want to say thank you to every one of you whose support has been helpful to do the preaching in Limbe and all over Cameroon. We thank God for you because you have a wonderful instrument of grace for the mission effort in Cameroon. We cannot thank you enough but we want you to know that we greatly appreciate what you have been doing to assist us in what we have been doing. From all of us—the Churches of Christ in Cameroon, the Church at Mile One, the orphans and my family—do have a great day everyday as 2013 longs to see us with a promise of a better West African Great Commission.

