

Those Who Serve

	September 29	October 6
Opening Prayer	Evan Hall	Joe Holloway
Song Leader	Joe Burnsed	Evan Hall
Communion	Joe Holloway	Charles Hall
Assist	Mike Reinitz	Wade White
Assist	Wade White	Joe Burnsed
Dismiss Services	Olan Bacon	Joe Burnsed



Prayer List

Bob Emsweller – at home recuperating. Has asked for our prayers. Doing much better
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.

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 – health problems

Charles Stevens – recuperating at home in AR

Edith Cox – at home – former member of Ellabell

Roscoe Frisby – Raytown, cancer patient

Elma Jean Roberson – at home recuperating

Scott Reinitz – Mike's brother – Health problems

Ralph Denny – uncle of Paula Reinitz, cancer patient

The Evans Family of Raytown

William Webb – Cancer patient, 3 years old Neuro Blastoma

John – suffering from cancer and had been declared terminal

Announcements

Calendar for October – on back table

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

Bookmark our Facebook page. And add 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/>

Meetings – This evening after worship services.

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

Ellabell Church of Christ



Here is how those in Cameroon attend worship. Abasiasia mentions it in his report. How big a number would our attendance be if these conditions were here?

Service Times:

Sunday

Bible Study

10:00am

Worship

11:00am

6:30pm

Wednesday

7:00pm

Philippians 4:13

I can do all things through Him who strengthens me.

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

September 29, 2013



CAMEROON REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST 2013

Dear brethren in Christ, greetings to you all in the name of the Lord. I am very glad to come your way again with the update of Cameroon missions. The ministry of the word of God in Cameroon is taking a new dimension. This new dimension is visible in terms of the increasing strength of our fellowship and the continued monthly addition to our number, a trend that seems unstoppable.



We thank God for His grace upon our congregation, and for his mercy on my life and family. We gladly bear the burden of soul-winning despite the daunting challenges associated with it. This burden is a blessing because it has led many to righteousness. Take for example this military officer whose life has been renovated by means of our collective effort at evangelism. The

effort is cooperative because you are deeply involved in the struggle that we are engaged in to awaken the conscience of men to seek God. In my earlier

reports, I included the baptism photos of brother Emmanuel Yari Pipwoh. He is a lieutenant, serving the Cameroon government in a special military unit referred to as B.I.R, a French acronym translated as **Battalion Intervention Rapid** (Rapid Intervention Battalion). Emmanuel became a member of the Church of Christ the same day a former disciple of Michael Jackson was immersed into Christ. They both have been acting like the Ethiopian eunuch since their conversion: rejoicing in the faith and fellowship. Again, this is a sign of victory occasioned by letting God have His way in our joint evangelistic operations. Thank you for uniting with us to bring the joy of salvation to several souls who might otherwise have remained in their state of condemnation.

Apart from the blessing of new converts continuing in the cause of Christ, the blessing of ever increasing number of conversions is worthy of note. Normally the month of August is blessed with an



almost incessant heavy downpour. This year was no exception. In fact the rain was heavier than the previous August. Notwithstanding, we still worked tirelessly in the vineyard of the Lord and He blessed us with a soul. His name is Allen



Derrick. We preached to him. He obeyed Christ. He is now saved and in the church. Indeed, the gospel has unimaginable power in the blood to save those who put their faith in the One and Only Savior.

The burden we bear and the sorrow we share in Cameroon missions is a blessing because the congregation that serves as the base of operation is moving ahead in a number of perspectives. First of all, the



spiritual growth of the church is astronomical. This spiritual growth is



evidenced by the unity that surrounds the brethren of the Washing Point. The unity in turn has aided the church in its work of external evangelism and internal edification. Here is the Washing Point Church of Christ in corporate worship.

The physical building of our congregation has stop growing since the rains started. As I usually say, our building battle is the most engaging challenge the struggling church has been facing since we took the bull by the horn to leave the school premises where we were in captivity of rental

fees and exploitation by the landlord from year 2002 to December 2012. By God's grace, we have been set free from rental fee. Nevertheless, we have not yet arrived at a stage where we can relax our effort. A look at the building will show the level at which we are in the project. To be candid, the sketchy appearance of this structure has scared many people away from us. According to the unbelieving public who listen to our preaching on radio, "our preaching is powerful but our place of worship is weak". Conversely, we are very proud of our building. Why? Because we know how much effort and sacrifice we have made to arrive at where we are today in the project.



Our overall joy toward the building is visible in our attitude of gratitude for what God has accomplished through us. The partial shelter it provides for the worshippers is particularly important at this time. We are not only grateful that at least and at last we have somewhere to commune with Christ, but also

a place for the Washing Point Christians to fulfill Hebrews 10.25. Many people around us, in far away or nearby



villages, do not have the privileges we enjoy in our makeshift place of worship. I experienced this when



travelled in the month of August to the village where I officially started my preaching career. I was serving two congregations simultaneously before my departure to Cameroon in 2007. The church there is growing rapidly but there I found some children who are eager to be told Bible



stories but have no one to train them up in the way they ought to go. They are destitute of what children's life demands. They have no shelter and no food. These precious children lack clothes to wear to church. They live in the bush and barely survive without medical care. A number of these children are orphans and vulnerable. I have ten of these children that need the assistance of anyone who cares.



Let me now use this time to thank all of our sponsors.

We thank you so much, for you have been a body of helpful partners with us in the spread of the same gospel that first century people received. Thank you for assisting us in Cameroon to obey the great commission. God bless you all. Abasiana and Blessing