

# Those Who Serve

**Opening Prayer**  
**Song Leader**  
**Communion**  
**Assist**  
**Assist**  
**Dismiss Services**

**August 17**  
 Jim Wadsworth  
 Evan Hall  
 John Story  
 Mike Reinitz  
 Wade White  
 Olan Bacon

**August 24**  
 Olan Bacon  
 Jeff Torney  
 Jim Wadsworth  
 John Story  
 Alex Torney  
 Joe Burnsed



**Prayer List**  
**Bob Emsweller** – at home recuperating. Has asked for our prayers.  
**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. Mom currently in St. Joseph's

**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  
**Elma Jean Roberson** – at home recuperating  
**Scott Reinitz** – Mike's brother – Health problems  
**John** – suffering from cancer and had been declared terminal  
**Bradford Stewart** – In Candler in serious condition  
**Kevin Stanley** – in Afghanistan  
**Nancy Nubren** – Cancer patient  
**Linda Wilson** – Cancer patient.  
**Jeremy Cotham** – cancer patient and double amputee submitted by Sister Edith Cox  
**Donna Holloway** – upcoming surgery or not according to her treatments .  
**Scott Dyer** – in need of prayer  
**Stella Nelson** – between home and Memorial Hospital  
**Sandra McNew** – Bryant, AR – Back Surgery  
**Ruby Carter** – Stroke Patient  
**Richard & Dorothy B Smith**  
**Nick & Lisa Barratta** – ongoing health problems  
**Jerry Emsweller** – cancer patient  
**Amanda** – Clarisse wadsworth's granddaughter – Cancer Patient

## Announcements

**Calendar for August** – on back table-  
**3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday @ 5 – TODAY!!!! at 5... FRIED STUFF**  
**SOCIAL** – Next Sunday after morning services  
**Meetings** – 2 weeks from today after evening services  
**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



Abasiama's Report from Cameroon

August 17, 2014

**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.

## Report For The Month Of July 2014 From Cameroon--- Abasiama John Archibong

Dear brethren,

It is nice to come to you again with another report. This time it is that of July 2014. We are indeed full of joy to tell you that the preaching work in Cameroon is gaining new heights every day. Our July evangelism brought wonderful results to the Kingdom. So many souls have become interested in studying the Bible with the Church of Christ in Limbe. A great many others have been positively



influenced, or better still, inspired to consider becoming members of the church. Hopefully soon, you will be blessed with more news of conversions of sinners to the Savior. Meanwhile, let's enjoy a recapitulation of our job in July.

A summary of the account of the work in the period under review will not ignore the wonderful opportunities we had to preach the gospel to so many. First and foremost, I like for to know that our radio preaching is really helping the cause of Christ in Cameroon. The gospel as we know it is no longer hidden from our people in

Limbe and other places. I nearly do not have time for myself because of preparations and presentations of radio preaching programs. The result is that we can now reach out to so many prospects whom we could never reach before the advent of this strategy of evangelism. It is worth the time, energy and financial resources expended on this program. We thank for such a discovery that has brought recovery of souls from darkness to light. But the process continues into edification as we have to teach and admonish those who have been baptized.

In this regard, we deem it necessary that we tell you what is happening with our new converts who came into Christianity from an



Islamic background. The newly organized Tuesday Bible class for these impressionably young ones in the faith is one of its kind in the history of our congregation. Brother Pascal, sister Clarene and sister Meven are in our intensive care unit of biblical discipleship

classes. I am glad to tell you that they are excited about the Bible classes and about their new found faith in Christ. They are Francophones (French-speaking Cameroonians), and the need some understanding of both French and the English Bible. Using Pidgin English at times, I am trying my best to teach these fine gentlemen and ladies the elementary but sound doctrines of Christ. It is not easy to have a smooth transition from the mosque to the church, and most especially the Church of Christ. These "little ones" who believe in Jesus still need our prayers because persecution has already begun from their extended Islamic family members who want them back in fellowship with the worshipers of Allah. The battle line is drawn and the good fight of faith is already air-borne. It is both a fight and a flight and we are determined to do our part in helping Sergeant Pascal not go back to religion of terrorism.

Apart from Pascal and his two daughters, we also told you of sister Linda, a young widow and a young convert whose husband died in an auto crash about a year or two ago. She is struggling to subdue the trauma and move on with her new life in Christ together with her five-year old son, Brian. She too, is undergoing a lot of

persecution, though of a different kind. Please do remember to lift Linda to God in prayer.

Another event worthy of note is my journey to Banga Bakundu still within the southwest region to attend the annual Youth Retreat. I



was billed to speak on "Becoming a Good Steward of God's Blessings". The program went well and many youths were richly blessed with the presentation. It is an annual summer event that assembles all the young believers from across the nation. This

program is carried out yearly and in addition to other programs intended to cultivate the youth to hold the church now and in the future.

As a missionary, my preoccupation is to ensure that that souls and congregations that we serve should grow to maturity. We know that this demands commitment. We also know that to be committed is not always easy. That is why we always appreciate commitment to a good cause wherever we see it. This Christ-like commitment can sometimes cause us pain. It is just like the Washing Point Church of Christ in Limbe has to grapple with the pain caused by brother Kervin Kelechi's commitment to the service of the Lord. Brother Kervin has been to me what Timothy was to Apostle Paul. A great companion in the great struggle of great commission for the past three to four years since in the days of our congregation at Mile One. This young man in his mid twenties has left me and the church at Washing Point because of Christ. He will now be in the studying at the feet of Mr. Tom Ekpot in the School of Biblical Studies, Jos. Apart from brother Ferdinand Vumomse, it will be difficult to find a fine young preacher like Kervin to assist me in this mission. Thank God he is already in the school. He will be there for the next four years preparing to serve the Lord better.

So, I thank you all also for your commitment in supporting us financially and prayerfully to win souls for Christ in Cameroon. May this report find all of you who support this mission work in God's blessings. Thank you.