

# Those Who Serve

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

**February 9**  
Charles Hall  
Evan Hall  
Evan Hall  
Brent Dozier  
Mike Powell  
John Story

**February 16**  
Joe Holloway  
Joe Burnsed  
John Story  
Mike Reinitz  
Wade White  
Olan Bacon



## 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

**Micky Barratta** – Nick's father

**Ralph Denny**-uncle of Paula Reinitz, cancer patient

**William Webb** – Cancer patient, 3 years old Neuro Blastoma

**John** - suffering from cancer and had been declared terminal

**Bradford Stewart**-grandson of Bro and Sis Stewart of Statesboro – chronic Fatigue Syndrome

**Richard Myers**-Sue Holloway's nephew-cancer patient

**Kevin Stanley** – in Afghanistan

**Nancy Nubren** – Cancer patient

**Linda Wilson** – Cancer patient

**Joe Holloway Sr.** – Open heart bypass surgery Dec 13. Home as of Jan 30. Recuperating.

**Jeremy Cotham** – cancer patient and double amputee submitted by Sister Edith Cox

**Donna McFarland**- surgery soon.

## Announcements

**Calendar for February** – on back table-see corrections inside the bulletin

**Social** –this Wednesday, the 12<sup>th</sup>

**3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday @ 5** – Next Sunday at 5..ok that was obvious. This month – Sandwiches!. Put something between bread.

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

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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

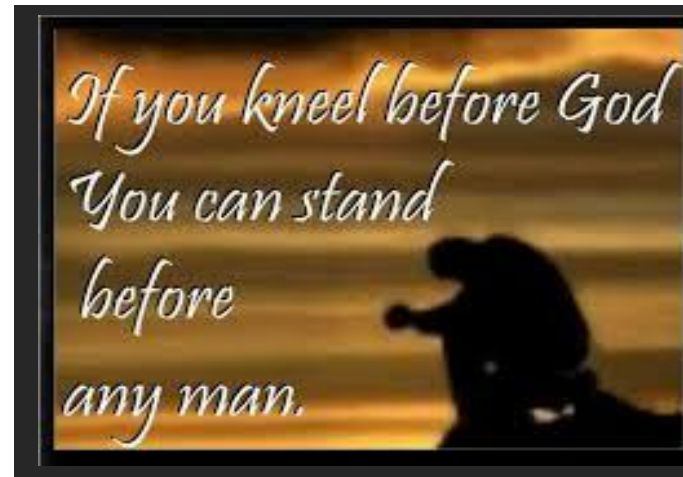
**Prayer List** –There is a form on the back pew to add names to the prayer list.

**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/>

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# Ellabell Church of Christ



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

February 9, 2014

### REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY 2014 (TOM EKPOT JR.)

My very dearly beloved in Christ, I greet you all with the love of God that brought salvation to mankind. I rejoice in the Grace of God that teaches us to say NO to ungodliness, living soberly, righteously, and godly in this present age. Brethren, thank you all for being part of the ongoing work in Africa. Sometimes, when we listen to news, the only thing we hear is war and killing. But believe you me God is doing many great things in the lives of some people in Africa through your devotion to God. May He continue to bless you all. The month of January has gone, and remember it is the beginning of the 2014, therefore our resolutions to be more committed to God should be renewed each month least we drift away by the cares of this life.

While trying to bring some into the fold, it is also necessary to keep the saved saved. This first quarter is devoted to strengthening the young people. At the Ring Road Church of

### 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.

Christ, I teach a class of the young people (15-30years old) each Sunday morning. I was skeptical of starting this class because of my involvement with these small congregations in the village of Toro, Foron, and Mazah. Well, I felt it necessary to help keep the young people in the Church for tomorrow. The class which started with just 15 people, has increased beyond 30 Sunday morning. The Topic of consideration is "Prophesies Concerning Apostasy." It has become necessary for the young people to know what the Bible teaches about the Church and the threats that face the Church. Pentecostalism and worldliness are evils that affect the Church. But more devastating is Christians failing to hold on to the teachings of Christ thereby, falling into the allurements of the Devil. This class has helped me see what some young people think about the Church. Brethren, believe you me, some young people who see the need of this lesson do invite their friends who are not Christians to come for the class. It is very interesting also to notice the zeal that is some young people for God. There is a particular young girl that comes over 30km for this class.

Thank you for taking time to pray for the people of Foron. I tell you that God is at work. The incessant attacks drastically reduced during these last two weeks. We do not know what the future holds anywhere. Everything is in the Hands of God. I only have mid-week classes with them for this quarter only as I continued my class with the young people. Last Saturday, we got security alert that our area is now being targeted. Announcement was made in the Church last Sunday that churches along our street are the main target. Well, we have nothing to do than to pray to God for His Divine Intervention. If it will please God to let us pass on, to His Name be the glory.

This last January, with all the troubles we have in Jos, I was surprised to see a Christian family running from South Sudan to take refuge in Jos. We therefore thank God for His blessing. That means the things we have and don't cherish are envied by others. The family of 5 put up with me for two weeks. Thank God that they have gotten a place to stay. Please, continue to pray for

them. They formally lived here in Jos when Sudan was not divided. After their independence, they returned to South Sudan, just two years ago. And now they have to run again. One good news about the whole thing is that, one of the young girls of this family got baptized two weeks ago.

at the School of Biblical Studies, we resumed for the second semester of 2013/14. Thanks to God because all of our students came back safely, and we have resumed our weekend evangelism program. Please, keep praying for us as we knock doors to tell people the good news of salvation. This semester is filled with programs: our campaign for Christ, graduation ceremony, and the 25 years anniversary of the School. With Christ, we can do all things as He strengthens us(Phil. 4.13).



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