

<b>Opening Prayer</b>	<b>June 7, 2015</b>	<b>June 14, 2015</b>
<b>Song Leader</b>	Jeff Torney	Jim Wadsworth
<b>Communion</b>	Evan Hall	Jeff Toerney
<b>Assist</b>	Jim Wadsworth	Joe Burnsed
<b>Assist</b>	Mike Reinitz	Kenneth Jenks
<b>Dismiss Services</b>	Wade White	Alex Torney
	Joe Burnsed	Charles Hall

**Prayer List**



**Bob Emsweller** – at home but in serious condition  
**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.  
**Wanda Pledge** – recovering from a stroke at home.

**Jay Williams** – Health problems  
**Mark & Teresa Callaway** – health problems  
**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  
**Nancy Nubren** – Cancer patient  
**Linda Wilson** – Cancer patient.  
**Jeremy Cotham** – cancer patient and double amputee submitted by Sister Edith Cox  
**Donna Holloway**- improving  
**Scott Dyer** – in need of prayer  
**Ruby Carter** – Stroke Patient  
**Dorothy B Smith**  
**Nick & Lisa Barratta** – ongoing health problems  
**Jerry Emsweller** – cancer patient  
**Amanda** –Clarisse Wadsworth’s granddaughter – Cancer Patient  
**LeeAnne** – health problems  
**Juanita Fortner** – Cardiac Problems, Donna’s aunt  
**Ally Monroid** – almost 3 months old – health problems  
**Mike Powell**-back trouble  
**Shirley Avant** – Kim Burnsed’s Mother. In St Joseph’s-possible seizure  
**Mary Bacon** – Tough decisions. Health Concerns  
**Kitty Myers** – Brain Cancer  
**Ruby Carter** – Home  
**Mickey Barratta**  
**Lauren Carter**  
**Jacob Brian** – Cancer Patient  
**Brenda Kelly** – in Hospice  
**Claudie Lyons** –Joe Burnsed’s boss  
**Wade White** – home from Memorial – Ulcers  
**Ashley Becker**-Leukemia-daughter of Clarisse’s coworker  
**Patricia Kramer** – Sue’s sister. Recent surgery and far from home  
**Family of Mary Lee White** – Wade’s aunt

**Announcements**

**Calendar for June- on back table**  
**SOCIAL** – not this Wednesday but the following Wednesday, the 10th  
**Meetings- this evening after 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/>

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# Ellabell Church of Christ

**Service Times:**

**Sunday**  
**Bible Study** 10:00 am  
**Worship** 11:00 am

**Wednesday**  
**Bible Study** 7:00 pm  
**Philippians 4:13**  
**I can do all things through Him Who strengthens me**



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

**June 7, 2015**

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**REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF MAY 2015 (TOM EK POTJR)**

My very dear brethren, greetings to you, your family members and your loved one. We remain grateful to God for His divine love, care and protection over us. We came through this moment by the grace of God, as the month presented several hurdles we needed to cross. At every turn, God was with us to His glory. I equally thank all of you for constant prayers for us. Everybody around the globe hears of the danger in the Northern Nigeria. Everything works for good for those called according to God’s. Nothing comes the way of the children of God without our Father having a better plan for us.

The news about insecurity in the northern Nigeria is no longer a new issue. But sometimes the events occur to us new and shocking, even though news that goes out is sometimes blown beyond proportion, and sometimes the details are not captured properly. Some three Sundays ago the village of Foron was besieged by some gunmen while we were in worship. Well, to the glory of God they were in one part of the village while we gathered in another part. We finished worship and left without anyone of us hurt. That did not deter anybody as we were full in our number the next week for worship.

Brethren, keep praying for us and those in the far North East part of Nigeria, for I tell you that God is with us. Foron is small congregation located in the village of Plateau State, in one of areas that the Islamic Militants are attacking people on regular basis. All the members of this congregation are women, except one brother whom we restored. He is not strong in faith yet. Hence, I have to go there every Sunday or send someone. At any rate, the women are very consistent in Church attendance.

During this year's lectureship that ended on the 15<sup>th</sup>



May, some brethren who fled the massacre of Christians in the North East came lamenting of their deplorable situation. We all cried together, and resolved to be of help in any way we can. Many of these brethren are in

bush, out of 16 congregations that existed in this area, 11 have been burnt down, and the members killed and some escaped into the bush. Their farms and farm produce were equally burnt. Life is very difficult with them as they are no hospitals for the sick, markets to buy things, and schools for their children. They need our prayers.

The month of May 2015 was a busy one for us in Jos, even though not like the previous years. We were unable to go for our yearly 9 days door knocking because of insecurity challenges that engulf the Northern Nigeria. We were afraid of



exposing our students to the attacks. However, we had our three days Gospel lectureship successfully held. It was well attended despite the gas



challenges and other issues. We had an average of 300 people in attendance daily. I place a picture of the cross section of the audience during one of the classes. We equally had our 24<sup>th</sup> graduation ceremony of the School of Biblical

Studies, Jos. This year, we had a total of 35 graduates in different programs of study. They have all promised to fight the fight of faith until death. I have attached pictures of some of a cross section of our lectureship class and graduating students. You can see some old men and women among the group. We had one retired justice of the High court among the graduates.

At Mazah congregation, we are on with our weekly evangelism. One good thing here is the congregation's resolution to extend the gospel news of salvation to the entire neighborhood, until every household hears the gospel. For this reason, every second Saturday of a month is set as our evangelism outreach day. We have equally decided to raise the church building that was brought now the other year. As small a congregation located in the village, it is not easy to raise fund for such project. But we have all determined to do it by the grace of God. Our weekly classes at Mazah congregations are going on well. Thank you all for being there for us. The work sometimes is not moving as we thought, but we believe God is directing us and we will continue to move where He leads. Thank you for your prayers.



**I've learned....  
That just one person  
saying to me, "You've  
made my day!" makes  
my day.**