

# Ellabell Church of Christ

	<b>October 11, 2015</b>	<b>October 18, 2015</b>
<b>Opening Prayer</b>	Joe Holloway	Evan Hall
<b>Song Leader</b>	Evan Hall	Jeff Torney
<b>Communion</b>	Jeff Torney	Jim Wadsworth
<b>Assist</b>	Alex Torney	Wade White
<b>Assist</b>	Charles Hall	Alex Torney
<b>Dismiss Services</b>	Jim Wadsworth	Joe Burnsed

**Prayer List**

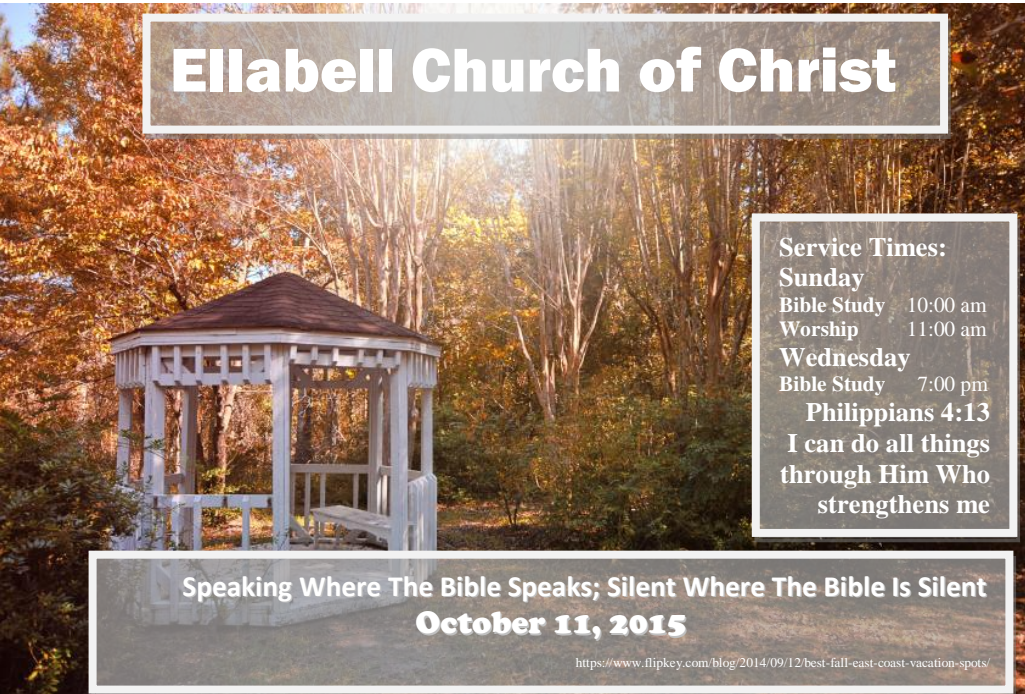


**Bob Emsweller** – at home about to be 96  
**Darlene Monreal** – Mike Powell’s daughter. health problems  
**Gregory Dozier** – family problems  
**Lorianne Broussard** – Sister in law of Nick & Lisa Barratta; son Jacob Olivier has been missing for several months.  
**Sandy Parker** – at home with her parents.  
**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  
**Donna Holloway**- in need of prayers  
**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  
**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  
**Ashley Becker-Leukemia**-daughter of Clarisse’s coworker  
**Patricia Kramer-Sue’s sister**-fall and rehab in Florida  
**Joe Holloway Sr.** – Hospital then home then hospital then home  
**Sue Holloway** – home recuperating  
**Lisa Barratta**  
**Mike Pranschke**-husband of PaulaReinitz’s coworker- possible kidney transplant  
**Betty Ingram**-at home with her daughter under Hospice care

**Announcements**

**Calendar for October**– on back table  
**SOCIAL – this Wednesday. Finger foods, coffee, and your brethren**  
**3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday @5 – next week – CANDY!!!!!!**  
**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



**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  
**October 11, 2015**  
<https://www.flipkey.com/blog/2014/09/12/best-fall-east-coast-vacation-spots/>

## SEPTEMBER 2015 REPORT FROM CAMEROON.....ABASIAMA JOHN

It was George Washington who is believed to have said, "To be prepared for war is one of the most effective means of preserving peace". That sounds like one of the paradoxical sayings of our own Prince of Peace who definitely said "Do not think that I came to bring peace on the earth; I did not come to bring peace, but a sword". The preaching of the Gospel in Cameroon is indeed a good fight. Ours is a nation torn apart by the fear of looming national disintegration on the one hand, and the growing disastrous ministries of pseudo prophets on the other. Cameroon is the only country in Africa with two official languages of French and English. The struggle for supremacy between the French-speaking ethnic groups and the English-speaking Cameroonians has never been more horrifying than it is today. This cold war in the country has rendered the average Cameroonian youth a potential "Bush faller", a colloquial term used designate a person who has traveled outside the country to foreign lands, especially Europe or America, for a peaceful and prosperous existence. Right now there are rumors spreading everywhere that international peace-keepers have constructed their base in some parts of the country in preparation for any catastrophe that the agitation for secession of the English-Cameroon may bring. We live in Cameroon with this apprehension coupled with woes of a very weak economy that has been the canker-worm responsible for the appalling condition of life in a semi-literate society. To make matters worse, our nation is so badly crippled by the shackles of religious denominationalism

ranging from Catholicism to Charismatic Pentecostalism. We carry out the Great Commission in Cameroon against the backdrop of these societal calamities that have befallen our nation. For instance, here you have to grapple with the question of how to desensitize your evangelism prospect from their mentality of "I need a miraculous cure for my sickness" to the proper scriptural desire that asks "what must I do to be saved". This is certainly an uphill task that we face here in Cameroon. People generally are more prone to earnestly seek a way out of the pervasive paralysis of economic poverty rather than commit the same amount of desire to the search for the truth of Jesus. Notwithstanding this prevailing social atmosphere of religious apathy, we are still passionately proclaiming the saving gospel to a lost population in both the English-speaking and French-speaking Cameroons. And by the grace of God, we are able to come home with a harvest of souls with which to greet the Savior.



In this regard, I want to present to you Sister Melanie whom we baptized earlier this month of



September. She is a young mother of one whom the Lord has convicted to



accept our preaching. Her baptism was one of the most challenging ones that I have ever done. Why? Because I was suffering a serious malaria attack with severe symptoms of headache, fever, dizziness and almost complete loss of appetite. I had no other alternative than to get into the water no matter how cold I felt. She is a blessing to us and her conversion is a pleasant surprise to all of us at Washing Point because we have tried to evangelize her for a long time now. Melanie was a Catholic before she came in contact with the Church of Christ. We thank God for her conversion.

We

also have another person whom the Lord has added to our number in September. Her name is



Winnifred. She is a married woman and was formerly a member of a church called Full Gospel. The pictures of her evangelism and baptism are herein



attached. Please join us to pray for these converts to grow in their faith and knowledge of Christ.

Now concerning the church to which these new disciples have been added, I am happy to tell you that the congregation is great by the grace of God. With one heart and mind, the brethren of the Washing Point congregation are united in the service of the Lord. With an ever-increasing

number of worshipers, the church is on a steady path of numerical and spiritual growth and development.

About the church building project, we are still struggling hard to work



on the building so as to take the auditorium to the next phase of construction. We can only succeed with the help of God and the co-operation of brethren and friends of Washing Point congregation and friends of Cameroon missions.

Thank you all for always taking the time out of you busy schedules to read our report. I thank all of you for your

supportive role in this productive evangelistic adventures in Cameroon. We collectively thank you all our financial supporters whose generous gesture is wonderful as it is making a very big difference in the lives of so many people here in Cameroon. God bless you all.

Abasiama John Archibong

