

Prayer Requests

Recently Added or Updated:

Students and Teachers (back to school)
Cindy Buell (Lois Smith's daughter, health concerns)
Family of Dorothy Flynn (Mike Flynn's mother passed away)
Scott Logan (John's friend, salvation, cancer)
Raymond Moody (health concerns, home dialysis)
Keith Roberts (recovering from surgery)
Jennifer Taylor and Family (loss of daughter)

Emily Baldwin (Henderson's daughter, health concerns)
Phyllis Campbell (health concerns)
Carolyn Davis (Henry Osman's aunt, broken hip, 5 hr surgery)
Sue Davis (health concerns, released from hospital)
Brent Gee (Hunter's friend, health concerns)
Harry & CH Graves (cancer diagnoses)
Phil Guynn (health concerns, Donald's uncle)
Victor Hess (Michelle Coome's dad, health concerns)
John Hubbard (Susie Brown's brother, health concerns)
Donald & James Hunter (Wayne Hunter's sons, health concerns)
Tonja Hunter (Health Concerns)
Jimmy Jacobs (cancer)
Mary Kay Johnston (Jane Osman's sister, health concerns)
Beverly Jones (Betty's sister in law, heart condition)
Bob Lopes (BIL to Henry Osman, stomach issues)
Charlie Miracle (health concerns)
Randall Osborne (Lois Smith's cousin, health concerns)
George Owens (Prostate cancer, Mary Anne's brother)
Gwynevere Faye Palmer (preemie, friends of Hunters)
Tonya Portwood (Heart surgery, friend of Lynn)
Stephanie (friend of Jackie's, health concerns)
Scott Ramsey (Tonja Hunter's son, health concerns)
George Roberts (health concerns)
Gloria Sanner (Mike Sanner's mom)
Lisa Sidler (cancer)
Holly Taylor (cancer)
Joanna Weaver (health concerns)
Burton Wright (Steve Brown's friend, cancer in hospice care)

Stewardship Update

Week of August 16, 2026

Worship Attendance: 82
Offering: \$3,490.00
Giving YTD: \$96,697.33
Weekly Budget: \$2,816.00
2026 Budget YTD: \$92,928.00
Building Fund: \$16,863.68
Dollar Club Balance: \$328.00

Think On This...

I Am The Church
The Great Creator drew the plans for me
within His heart of love;
The Great Architect gave His dearest
possession that I might be erected.
My one and only foundation is His Son,
whose body was nailed on a cross!
My Chief Corner Stone, the stone which
the builders rejected;
My walls, placed without a hammer's
sound are built by the martyrs of the ages;
My steeple points ever toward the Great
Architect-Builder.
My door swings open to all of every nation
on earth bidding them welcome;
In my sanctuary, there is Peace for the
minds, Rest for the weary bodies,
compassion for suffering humanity,
Forgiveness of repentant sinners,
Communion for saints; Christ for all who
seek Him!
I AM THE CHURCH!
All the Love of God, the Great Architect,
All the Sacrifice of Christ, the Great
Builder,
All the Faith of hopeful pioneers,
All the Hope of countless millions,
All the Joy of conquering Christians are
enclosed within my walls!
Love me, support me, give yourself for me
- even as Christ loves me and gave
Himself for me.
-Copied

Christians, WE ARE THE CHURCH and
we have the Living Active Word of God
that the world needs. We were made for
such a time as this to share the hope of
Christ with all we meet. Let us now go out
and BE THE CHURCH THAT CHRIST
INTENDED US TO BE!
Pastor John



Athens
Christian Church
Love God
Love Others

Order of Service

August 23, 2026

Call To Worship:

Genesis 2:18

Worship With Praise:

I Will Sing Of My Redeemer
Since Jesus Came Into My Heart
Lord Reign In Me
Step By Step

Communion Hymn:

At The Cross Medley

Communion Meditation

Communion

Special Music:

Leslie Wise & Erin Litteral

Morning Message:

Doing Life Together

Invitation Hymn:

The Bond Of Love

Announcements & Closing Prayer

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Service Schedule

9:30 AM Coffee and Donut Time
Donuts, coffee, & fellowship: Ministry Building

10:00 AM Bible School
Nursery (Infants and Toddlers): Ministry Building Nursery
Preschool: Old Main Children’s Sunday School Room
K-1st: Ministry Building
2nd-5th: Ministry Building
Middle School & High School: Old Main Youth Room
College Age: Old Main
Young Adults: Ministry Building
Adults: Old Main Adult Sunday School Room

11:00 AM Morning Worship
Nursery (infant-3 years): Ministry Building Nursery
Junior Church: Old Main

6:00 PM Wednesday Fellowship
Meal at 6 PM, Meal and programs for children and adults.

Visitors:

Please fill out a visitor card found in the back of each seat and place in the offering plate at the back of the sanctuary on your way out this morning.

Communion: Every believer in Jesus Christ is welcomed by Christ to partake of the Lord’s Supper as the emblems are passed. You may partake as the emblems are passed or hold the emblems and partake after you meditate and pray.

Offering: Guests are not obligated to participate in the morning offering unless you are so moved and prepared. Every believer should “give what he has decided in his heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.” Offering plate is beside exit door.

Invitation: If you desire to be baptized (immersed) into Christ, place your membership as previously immersed Christian, or have a special need for prayer, please come forward to be greeted by our ministry team.

Assisted Listening System: Available for those who have hearing disabilities. Please ask greeters for assistance.

Restrooms: located through the exit door to the right of the stage or in the fellowship hall.

Calendar of Events & Announcements

Wednesday Night

8/26
Homemade ice cream.
Please bring sandwiches and chips to share.

Celebrations:

Birthdays:
Lynn Young 8/25
Chuck McLendon 8/28

Sermon Series:

Our new message series continues next week:
“You Asked For It”
Each week we will look at some of the topics you all asked for earlier this year.

Youth Sunday

8/30

Dorcas Circle Meeting
8/31 at 7:00
Hostess: Lois Smith
240 Avawam Drive
Devotions: Lisa Kendrick

New curriculum info:

God's KIDS
by RIGHTNOW MEDIA
STARTING SEPTEMBER 6TH!
A brand-new way for our kids to know, love, and follow Jesus!
God's Kids is a fun, engaging, Bible-centered curriculum created especially for preschool and elementary kids.
BIBLE STORIES
Kids learn God's Word in a way they can understand.
FAITH IN ACTION
Lessons help kids apply their faith to everyday life.
MADE FOR KIDS
Age-appropriate teaching, videos, and activities they'll love!
PARENTS! DOWNLOAD THE GOD'S KIDS APP
Scan the QR code to download the app and explore at home!
Come check it out! We can't wait to get started!

Serving Schedule

NEXT WEEK: August 23, 2026

Communion Meditation: Cameron Kendrick
Sunday School Nursery: Jocie Westerman
3yr– PreK SS: Leela Von Behren
K-5th SS: Susie Brown
Middle School SS: Shelby Marletta and Julia Brown
High SS: Julia Brown, Lynn Young & Susan Warren
Worship Nursery: Susie Brown
K - 5th Church: Julia Brown
Middle School: Lois Smith and Susan Warren
A/V Team: Todd Von Behren, Jake Slaughter, Wayne & Donald Hunter
Greeters: Wayne Hunter & Raymond Moody
Communion Preparation: Wayne Hunter

NEXT WEEK: August 30, 2026

Communion Meditation: Lee Warren
Sunday School Nursery: Jocie Westerman
3yr– PreK SS: Leela Von Behren
K-5th SS: Susie Brown
Middle School SS: Shelby Marletta and Julia Brown
High SS: Julia Brown, Lynn Young & Susan Warren
Worship Nursery: Lisa Kendrick
K - 5th Church: Youth Sunday
Middle School: Youth Sunday
A/V Team: Todd Von Behren, Jake Slaughter, Wayne & Donald Hunter
Greeters: Wayne Hunter & Raymond Moody
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