

Our Welcome

We welcome all visiting with us today; we sincerely hope that you will be drawn to God through each other, and we hope too that you will worship with us at every opportunity you may have. If you would, please fill out a visitor's card and drop it in the collection plate as it is passed.

Sunday School – 9:00 AM

Song Leader	Steven McGhee
Scripture Reading	Jonathan Partlow
Prayer	Bobby Parmley

Sunday Morning Worship – 10:00 AM

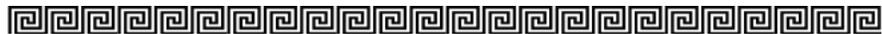
Welcome	Dr. Jon Partlow
Opening Prayer	Larry Ross
Preside Lord's Supper	Lilburn Rager & Billy Fowler
Serve Lord's Supper	Doug Boley & Dewayne Alder
Sermon	Dr. Jon Partlow
Announcements	TBA
Closing Prayer	Tony Deason

Sunday Evening Worship – 5:30 PM

Song Leader	Jacky Moore
Opening Prayer	Billy Fowler

Wednesday Evening Bible Study – 7:00 PM

Song Leader	Jacky Moore
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Leadership

Elders

Billy McGhee ... 265-5414
Danny Bruce McGhee ... 265-5690
Bobby Parmley ... 265-2739

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Doug Boley ... 265-9870
Lilburn Rager ... 265-5766
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THE WEST SIDE STORY

*A BULLETIN FOR THE WEST
SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST*

MARCH 18, 2012



Developments

by Jon Partlow

Two developments emerged from the Elders/Deacons/Ministers meeting last week that I wish to share with you. The first is that on May 6 will be West Side's Friends, Family, and Neighbor Day. We encourage everyone to invite someone to our worship services that day.

An invitation to church can be one of the hardest questions you may ask someone. But then again, it may be one of the most natural. For most of us, our lives revolved around church. We worship together. Our best friends go to church. Our families attend together. We stand side-by-side as we grill fish, serve turkey meals, and sit with each other during surgeries at the hospital. An invitation to church is a natural expression of who we are as a people, and of the relationship we want with our "unchurched" friend.

Look for people who are not attending a church, who you believe might be interested in attending West Side. In a community and church of our size, the chances that inviting someone to church means they probably know people in our church. Chances are, if you invite someone to church, they will feel like it is home because they'll know people at West Side. It should make the invitation an easier task.

Keep your eyes open and be prayerful about your invitation. God will open an opportunity for you to invite someone to church.

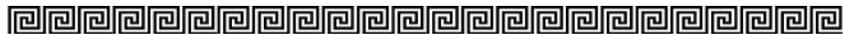
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Dates, Prayers, & Events

May 6 Friends, Family, & Neighbor Day 10:00 am

Remember in Prayer . . . *Glendolene Alder* (undergoing radiation treatment this month); **Doug Boley** (waiting for bone marrow results); **Jane Camp** (Hearthstone 223); **Eva England** (doctors increasing her chemo because of the growth of the cancer); **Pam Alder Morris**; **Billy McGhee** (has ultra sound on leg March 19); **Wendell Langham** (who preached Wilmon's funeral, has terminal throat cancer and will be suspending all treatment); **Ruth Holland**; **Ronnie Grace** (Stacey Boley's uncle has leukemia); **Tommy Moore** (treatment for meycitic anemia and reoccurring problems); **Chuck Miller** (undergoing chemotherapy); **Bobby Miller** (triglycerides dangerously high); **Lawrence Killebrew** (suffering from dementia); **Dewayne Alder** (wearing a back brace for injured vertebrae, and will be exploring surgical options); **Bernard McPherson** (will begin chemotherapy for the next five weeks); **Beth Latham Casey** (no sign of cancer in her pathology report); **Carol Moberly** (recovering at home from a fall on Thursday); **Cady Alder** (underwent a colonoscopy on Friday); **Larry Camp** (recovering from gastritis); **Robin Christmas** (**Doug Boley's** stepsister, improving complications of severe diabetes and is in Western Baptist Hospital); **Cady Alder** (colonoscopy on Friday); **Wayne Addison** (suffering from hepatitis).

Happenings . . . Remember our 7 seniors who will be graduating this May (**Cady Alder, Connor Coffman, Michael Driver, Brittany Fowler, Stephanie Moore, Taylor Partlow, and Michael Rager**). Their gift boxes are in the foyer . . . A survey has been placed on the table in the foyer for all the men to fill out and mark which way they are willing to lead in the worship. Please return the surveys to **Jon Partlow, Mark Smith**, or one of the Elders . . . Easter Egg Hunt will be April 7 . . . VBS will be July 1-4 . . . Friends, Family & Neighbor Day will be May 6. Be thinking about asking someone to worship with us that day.



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(“**Developments**” cont.) The second development emerging from the Elders/Deacons/Ministers was to implement a new Sunday evening fellowship. The first Sunday of the month, we'll take about 30 minutes to sing songs. We'll sing some of our favorite songs, learn some new songs, and develop some more song leaders. We'll follow the singing with a time of fellowship. By taking advantage of the spring/summertime weather, we'll move outdoors for volleyball, horseshoes, corn-hole toss, and many other games. We'll talk, we'll share, and we'll eat together. We'll build relationships each other that need building and will strengthen the ones that have weakened.

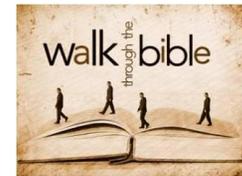
One of the worst commentaries, and certainly an indictment against any congregation, is when visitors believe the congregation is cold and unfriendly. I am convinced that West Side is neither cold nor unfriendly, and visitors I have talked to have confirmed my perception. However, since we're people of habit, we tend to sit in the same pew every week and talk to the same people before and after services. These Sunday evening singing/fellowship will allow us to reach deeper and wider in our relationships with each other.

I am excited about the possibilities that are presenting themselves to West Side, and I believe that good days lie ahead. May we live with God's blessings.
Solo Deo Gloria!



Sermons for Today

AM: Forsaken Faithfulness (1 Chronicles 9:1-2)



PM: *A Walk through the Bible: James*



"The Woods would be a very silent if no birds sang there except those that sang the best"
Henry David Thoreau