

Church Activities Calendar

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| Early Morning Worship..... | 8:00 a.m. |
| Bible Study | 10:00 a.m. |
| Late Morning Worship..... | 11:00 a.m. |
| Evening Worship..... | 6:00 p.m. |
| Mass Worship / Small Group Fellowship | 8:00 a.m. |
| Brother's Training Class | 4:00 p.m. |
| Small Group Meetings..... | 7:00 p.m. |

Weekly, Bi-Weekly & Monthly Activities

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| Monday: Zone Care/Visitation..... | 7:00 p.m. |
| Tuesday: Singing Groups Rehearsal..... | 6:00-9:00 p.m. |
| Wednesday: Bible Study | (all ages) 10:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m. |
| Thursday: Bowling Fellowship | (Sept. - May) 7:00 p.m. |
| Ladies Bible Class | 7:00 p.m. |
| (Singles) Adult Ministry Meeting..... | (1st & 3rd Friday) 7:00 p.m. |
| (Youth) Fantastic Friday..... | (2nd & 4th Friday) 6:30 p.m. |
| New Man Ministry | 7:00 a.m. |
| Teachers' Meeting.....(See Church Calendar) | 10:00 a.m. |
| New Man Ministry Mentoring (Boys) | TBA. |
| Sister to Sister.....(4th Sunday)..... | 11:00 a.m. |
| Young Families/Youth/Zone 7/Zone Care....(See Church Calendar) | TBA |

Church Ministries and Leaders

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|--|---------------------------------------|
| Education/Evangelism/Media Ministry | Charlie McClendon, Sr. Minister/Elder |
| Zone Care/Visitation/Zone 5/Sick/Bereaved | Bobby Gibson, Elder |
| Finance/Building Planning/Zone 4/Benevolence | Genovis Peterson, Elder |
| Small Group/Zone 3/Zone Care | Willie Temple, Elder |
| Hospitality/Building Maintenance/Zone 1 & 2 | Amon Palamore, Elder |
| Young Families/Youth//Zone 7/Zone Care | Al Jackson, Minister |
| Prison/Transportation/Mission/Zone 6 | Charlie McClendon, Elder |

All of the Deacons and Ministry Workers listed on the front of the Focus assist the Ministers and Elders in carrying out their area of responsibilities.

What Must I Do To Be Saved?

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| Hear the Gospel..... | Acts 15:7 |
| Believe the Gospel..... | Acts 16:31 |
| Repent of Your Sins..... | Luke 13:3 |
| Confess Christ..... | Mt. 10:32 |
| Be Baptized for forgiveness of Sins.... | Acts 2:38 Acts 22:16 |
| Be Faithful to Jesus Until Death..... | Rv. 2:10 |



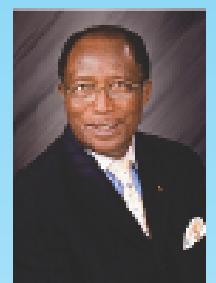
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ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE

Administrative Assistant - Tisha Rock
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Our Mission:

We are in the business of
"Saving Souls and Keeping Souls Saved"

Our Vision:

"Go into all the world, and preach the gospel
to every creature"

Watch Our TV Program
"Let the Bible Speak" Every Sunday
on Fox 30 (cable 10) @ 6:00am

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From the Minister's Office...

What Is Love?

With Valentine's Day, a man made celebration, just around the corner, let's talk about the definition of love. Everyone seems to believe that love is a good thing. However, not all agree on the definition of love. Is love that warm touchy-feely feeling a person has when he is with a familiar person? According to the Bible, love is caring in action. Love isn't what we feel, but what we do.

The Greek language (the language of the New Testament) uses two different words to describe and define love. The most commonly used Greek word translated "love" in the New Testament is "agape." This love is represented by God's love for us. It is a non-partial, sacrificial love probably best exemplified by God's provision for our rebellion (John 3:16). This kind of love is extended through the spirit and gives expecting nothing in return. It is best described in I Corinthians 13:1-13. In contrast, our love is usually conditional and based upon how others behave toward us. The Greek word "phileo" defines this kind of love, often translated "brotherly love." The Christian life should not be restricted to just moral excellence, but, above all else, should include both phileo and agape love (2 Pet. 1:5-7). (Reference: www.godandscience.org)

Welcome

It is an honor to have you join us in worship at the Northside Church of Christ! Our mission is to save souls and to help souls stay saved. We extend our sincere love towards you and we encourage you to take advantage of the opportunity to have a bible study with members who are eager to study with you. If you do not share our like faith, this bible study, as well as your visit today, offers a two way opportunity: (1) We have the chance to share with you the gospel of Jesus Christ and the essential steps to salvation. (2) You have the chance to hear, believe, repent, confess, and be baptized whereby being added to the Church of Christ. We welcome you to investigate what you hear and see today. You will be able to ask your biblical questions and receive biblical answers that will guide you to make an informed, life changing decision. Thank you for being our special guest! Please come again.

Communications Ministry



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or
Wednesday nights**
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Chester Orr - 904-764-0436
or 904-566-2822
Barbara Carter - 904-354-5932



February

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|----|---|
| 11 | Morning Worship @ 8a/11a Bible School @ 10a Evening Worship @ 6p Small Group Meeting |
| 12 | Visitation Meeting @ 7p Northside Bible Institute Class @ 7:30p |
| 14 | Bible Study @ 10a/7p |
| 15 | Bowling Ministry @ 7p |
| 16 | Single Adults Ministry @ 7p Health Ministry Vegan Workshop @ 8a |
| 17 | Teacher's Meeting @ 10a Family Movie Outing @ 11a Ladies Lectureship Rehearsal @ 11a Marriage Enrichment Sweetheart Banquet @ 6p |
| 18 | Mass Worship @ 8a Congregational Training Meeting @ 10a Zone Care Fellowship @ 12:30p Area Fellowship @ 3p |
| 19 | Evening Worship @ 6p Black History Program @ 7p |
| 21 | Bible Study @ 10a/7p |
| 22 | Bowling Ministry @ 7p Ladies Bible Class @ 7p |
| 23 | Floetry Poetry Night @ 6:30p |
| 24 | Work Day @ 8a House to House Door Knocking @ 9a Sister to Sister @ 12p Youth Sunday |
| 25 | Morning Worship @ 8a/11a Prime Achievers @ 10a Evening Worship @ 6p Small Group |



Congratulations to Spencer Rasberry who has earned academic honor with his name appearing on the Honor Roll at Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University (FAMU).

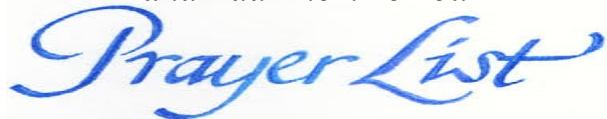
Congratulations to Diamond-Renee Fisher and Lakel White who were both selected to be apart of the University of North Florida's National Society of Leadership and success of Spring 2018 due to their academic accomplishments and leadership potential.

Northside Community Involvement, Inc. is asking for donations of toothpaste, toothbrushes, mouthwash and deodorant for men and women to help the community. These donations may be placed in the box outside of the NCI office in the Education Building or at the NCI Resource Center (Mon.-Thurs.) from 10a-2p. For more information, contact Patricia Brown (765-2134), Rhynett Chatman (660-2157) or Beverly Ravnell (302-4151).

Kandice Jacobs Creations will host its 2nd Annual Life Planning Conference on Sat., Feb. 24th, 2018 from 9a-5p at the Legends Center. Industry professionals will provided comprehensive education through workshops and a panel discuss concerning caregiving, estate planning, long-term care, life insurance, funeral service and cemetery pre-planning. Please see Kandice each Sun. in the Fellowship Hall to register for this free event.

Listen to the Prayer Requests

and Add Them To Your



Minister:

Scripture:

Subject:

Ladies

At Work Ministry

Northside Church of Christ presents the 40th Annual Ladies Inspiration Day on Sat., May 5, 2018, from 8a-2p. Registration for visitors is free, ages 10-17 is \$12, ages 18 & older is \$25. Vendor tables are available for \$35. Members of Northside ONLY who pay their registration may purchase a vendor table for \$10 if interested.

Ladies who are attending the National Ladies Lectureship, there will be rehearsal on Sat., Feb. 17th at 11a. Please plan to attend.

SINGLE ADULTS ministry

Single Adults Ministry Small Group Fellowship will be Fri., Feb. 16th at 6:30p in the Chapel. Topic of discussion: How to Overcome Various Temptations. Join us for an in depth study of I Cor. 10:13.

PRISON MINISTRY

The Prison Ministry meets the 1st Thurs. of each month at 6p. Please feel free to attend if you would like.

YOUTH MINISTRY

Each 4th Sunday is Youth Sunday. Please have your young men to the building by 7:30a & 5:30p to receive their worship assignments.

The Youth Ministry is preparing to host our Annual Youth Rally & Spring Olympics on Mar. 30th- Apr. 1st. The theme is "Soul Wars, May the Lord Be With You." Please register in the Fellowship Hall.

Floetry Poetry Night is scheduled for Friday, Feb. 23rd at 6pm. We are looking for participants who would like to showcase their talents in Christian poetry, reading, singing, etc. Please sign up at the reception desk.

new men's ministry

Better Men, Husbands, Fathers, and Leaders

All men are encouraged to attend the weekly discussion each Sat. at 7am.

The Young Men Mentoring Program meets each 1st Saturday at 9am. Bring your young men out for fellowship, mentorship, life skills and more!

Benevolence

This ministry's mission is from Acts 2:44-45, "All the believers were together and had everything in common. They sold property and possessions to give to anyone who had need."

Thank you for supporting our clothes pantry; however, our storage room is at capacity. Please do not donate anymore clothes until notified. Please do continue to donate non-perishable food items. Thank you!

Senior Adult Ministry

STARS

Seniors Taking Action in Reasonable Service

Our Annual STARS Dinner has been rescheduled to Sat., Mar. 17th at 4p in the Family Life Center. The theme is "An Evening in Paris; A Formal Affair."

STARS will tour Sally Robotics on Thurs., Mar. 8th at 11:30a. Please see Florence Patterson for information.

Special EVENTS

Our Black History Program is on Mon., Feb. 19th at 7p. This is a Mass Caring & Sharing event. Please come out for engaging fellowship, a phenomenal play by our Drama Ministry and refreshments.

Bowling League Ministry

February 8th Results

Team Handicap Series - 2484

Drop 10

Adrian Jackson

Michelle Banks

Al Jackson

Rayshan Reese

Greeters

please check the board for changes in scheduling.

Thank you for your service.



MUSIC Ministry

TPII will have rehearsal today, Sun., Feb. 11th, after Bible School in your usual meeting space.

Marriage ministry

All married and engaged couples, join us for fellowship, food and fun at our Annual Sweetheart Banquet on Sat., Feb. 17th at 6p, at Gigi's Restaurant. Unlimited snow crab legs, prime rib & seafood buffet only \$49/person. Come dressed to impress in your finest denim, diamonds and boots! Please register at the table in the Fellowship Hall.

Business Directory

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Taste of Tupperware
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Evangelism & DISCIPLESHIP

Did You Tell Someone About Jesus?

Matt. 28:19-20 is the great commission given to members of the body of Christ. As Christians, it is our responsibility to Tell, Talk and Teach others about Jesus. Telling someone about Christ will often open the door to Talk with them about Him. You can then Teach them or invite them to Church where they can be taught. We encourage each Christian to take advantage of such opportunities. If you know of a prospect, and for some reason cannot conduct a personal Bible study, please give their contact information to Bro. and/or Sis. Oliver or to one of our Leaders.

February

Baptism Committee

Workers

Sunday 8am & 6pm

Emma Lewis

Alexis Lewis

Priscilla Hinton

Niesha Cook

Sunday 11am & Wednesday 7pm

Kendra Jones

Clausell Smith

Terry Graves

Louise Turner

Welcome to the Family!!

| ID# | Name | Zone | DOBapt. |
|---------|--------------------|-------|----------|
| 7732 | Precious Sheppard | 1 C-3 | 02/02/18 |
| 9639 | Nyja Carley | 5 C-3 | RD |
| 7704 | Whitney Williams | 5 C-3 | 01/14/18 |
| 7703 | Shayla Saunders | 1 C-3 | 01/10/18 |
| 3533 | Christopher McCray | 5 C-1 | 01/14/18 |
| 3307 | Travis Bell | 5 C-3 | 01/1/18 |
| 7702.03 | Joshua Gonsalves | OT | 01/07/18 |
| 7702.01 | Josiah Gonsalves | 7 C-2 | 01/07/18 |
| 7155 | Lousiana Williams | 5 C-2 | 01/06/18 |
| 5037.04 | Diamond Carter | 1 C-3 | 01/01/18 |
| 5037.03 | Cattirinna Carter | 1 C-3 | 01/01/18 |
| 7701 | Aja Arrindell | 7 C-2 | 12/29/17 |
| 7700 | Ruby Kirkland | 1 C-1 | 12/31/17 |
| 7699 | Antoinette Nelson | 6 C-1 | 12/24/17 |
| 7696.02 | Christy Sylva | 3 C-1 | 12/17/17 |
| 7696.01 | Joel Sylva | 3 C-1 | 12/17/17 |
| 7695.02 | Janie Jackson | 1 C-1 | 12/03/17 |
| 7695.01 | Phillip Jackson | 1 C-1 | 12/03/17 |

PM= Placed Membership | RD= Rededication | OT= Out of Town

MISSION REPORT



Northside Church of Christ Palatka, FL

Weekly Report

Please keep the Palatka Mission in your prayers. Thank you!

Eastside Church of Christ Jacksonville, FL

The Eastside Church of Christ is growing and strengthening with your help and God's guidance. We are looking to do great things for the cause of Christ at this congregation. If you are able, please attend the 11am worship held there each Sunday.

SICK AND SHUT-IN LIST

Please call or visit: Barbara Moore-Nichols; Felicia Thomas; Reva Stallings; Gwen Douglas; John Crawford

To make room for more recent sick/shut-in members, some of the long-term sick/shut-in members have been removed. Please continue to visit and pray for them. Let's not forget them just because they are not listed.

Beverly Arline -
Liz Billingslea -
Beatrice Brown -
Mary M. Brown -
Gerry Campbell -
Joan Carter -
John Crawford -
Mary Cromartie -
Gwen Douglas -
Peggy Dunlap -
Ola Mae Fields -
Geneva Ford -
Cheryl Holloman -
James Horne -
Robert & Hazel Jenkins -
Annie D. Jones -
David Lewis, Sr. -
Robert Lewis -
Josette Mitchell -
Barbara Moore-Nichols -
Gloria Moore -
Regina Owens -
Pat Peterson -
Irene Rogers -
Elizabeth Russell -
Reva Stallings -
Felicia Thomas -
Elijah Timmons -
James & Leona Tolbert -
Lucille Walker -
Belinda Warden -
Mildred Whitaker -
Geneva Williams -

Bereaved Families Send a Little Comfort Their Way

The family of Melvin Carter
Felicia Brooks & family - loss of a loved one
Kelvin & Robbin Bray - loss of his mother, Ophelia Bray
Richard & Del Turner - loss of her uncle, Cecil Jones
Stacy Higgs - loss of two family members
Natasha Jackson - loss of her cousin, Leon Searcey, Sr.
Velma Tuff - loss of her nephew

Special Occasions

Please notify the church office of your special day or occasion by Fax, Email or Phone. Thank You!

Wedding Anniversaries

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| Larry & Mary Clark - 44 yrs. | 02/02 |
| Richard & Delwyn Turner - 32 yrs. | 02/15 |
| Von & Marty Hill - 6 yrs. | 02/11 |
| Genovis, Jr. & Rebecca Peterson - 14 yrs. | 02/12 |
| Horace and Jacquelyn Clark - 52 yrs. | 02/19 |
| Derrick & Lillian Lee - 21 yrs. | 02/21 |

Birthdays

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|---|-------|
| Harold Andrews | 02/01 |
| Jaylynn Watkins | 02/01 |
| Jim Leroy Moore | 02/01 |
| Pamela Warren | 02/02 |
| Roxy Hall | 02/02 |
| Schantel Minton | 02/03 |
| Ronald Jones | 02/03 |
| Eugene Winters, III | 02/04 |
| John Jackson | 02/05 |
| Charlie Smith, Jr. (Chuck) | 02/05 |
| Lavonne Temple | 02/08 |
| Gloria Fleming | 02/08 |
| Evelyn Hunter | 02/08 |
| Linda Williams | 02/09 |
| James Horne | 02/10 |
| Jasmine Smith (Happy 6th b-day from G-ma!) | 02/10 |
| Wanda Evans | 02/11 |
| Flecia Green | 02/12 |
| Jaleesa Johnson | 02/12 |
| Sylvia Smith | 02/13 |
| Javaughn Turner | 02/14 |
| Essie Daniels | 02/14 |
| Linda Wade | 02/14 |
| Clanzel Brown | 02/15 |
| Courtney Copeland | 02/17 |
| Erdine Johnson | 02/18 |
| Tisha Rock | 02/20 |
| Drayton McGauley | 02/21 |
| Adam Brown, Sr. | 02/22 |
| Jackie Shootes | 02/23 |
| Breana Wiley | 02/23 |
| Victoria Spencer | 02/23 |
| Tracy Oliver | 02/24 |
| Standralyn Terry | 02/24 |
| Eddie Thomas | 02/25 |
| Demetrius Hobson | 02/25 |
| Mary Holloway | 02/25 |
| Marvette Andrews | 02/27 |
| Altamese Sykes | 02/27 |
| Clausell Smith (Happy 3 scores/70th b-day!) | 02/28 |
| Myla Queen | 02/29 |
| Erika White | 02/29 |

Worship MINISTRY

All Worship Workers should be in place 30 minutes prior to any service.

The Men's Worship Service Worker Training is held each Thurs., at 7p. All brothers are encouraged to attend. See Stanley Shootes for details.

Feb. 18th our schedule will be:
Morning Worship - 8a/11a; Congregational Training - 10a; Evening Worship - 6p

February Hospitality Colors

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| Feb. 4 - Burgundy |
| Feb. 11 - Red |
| Feb. 18 - Navy |
| Feb. 25 - Beige & Brown |
| Each 5th Sunday - Pink |



Family Movie Outing to see Black Panther on Sat., Feb. 17th at 11a. Please meet at the church building to ride the bus or carpool. RSVP with Al Jackson. To receive the \$8 discount, we must pay and enter the theater together as a group.

Health & Wellness Ministry

Meet Your Health Ministry
Cierra Walker

Cierra is a third year college student and the newest member of our Health Ministry. She graduated from high school with her Certified Nursing Assistant license. She has worked as a CAN in a nursing home for a year. Cierra is an aspiring pharmacist and currently works as a pharmacy technician at CVS. She enjoys helping people and reaching out to those who are in need. Cierra is currently attending FAMU.

February Health Ministry Workers:
 Feb. 4: Tansy Shootes/Michelle Andrews
 Feb. 11: Dana Carter/Gloria Scott
 Feb. 18: Pam Warren/Mattie Clayton
 Feb. 25: Rashell Sobers/April Chambers
 Alt: Catherine Griffin/Michelle Andrews

Zone care fellowship

Our congregation is grouped into Zones and Cells. This helps us to be accountable and dependable to one another and to our various spiritual needs. It is encouraged that you fellowship with your Zone/Cell each 3rd Sunday at the designated time and location. All Zone/Cell Leaders are asked to submit your meeting times and locations to the church office to be printed and announced. **Zone/Cell Leaders, please help the Administrative Office keep up with our sick, shut-in and bereaved members by notifying us of those members when you become aware.**

Area fellowship

Each 3rd Sunday

Area Fellowship is hosted at a participating area congregation each month at 3pm.

February 18

Eastside Church of Christ
 1038 A. Philip Randolph Blvd.
 Jacksonville, FL 32206



There will be a Vegan Workshop held on Sat., Feb. 17th, from 8a-12p in the Chapel. Please sign up and register \$5 per person in the Fellowship Hall with Tony and Jamila Nobles.

ONE YEAR BIBLE READING PLAN

FEBRUARY

| Date | Morning | Night |
|------|------------|----------------|
| 11 | Lev. 13 | Matt. 26:20-54 |
| 12 | Lev. 14 | Matt. 26:55-75 |
| 13 | Lev. 15-17 | Matt. 27:1-31 |
| 14 | Lev. 18,19 | Matt. 27:32-66 |
| 15 | Lev. 20,21 | Matthew 28 |
| 16 | Lev. 22,23 | Mark 1:1-22 |
| 17 | Lev. 24,25 | Mark 1:23-45 |