Family Matters

September 13, 2026

rossville CHURCH OF CHRIST — ONE BODY LOVING GOD MAKING DISCIPLES

Prayers Needed: Faye Thomison responded to the Lord's invitation last Sunday, September 6th. Please remember Faye in your prayers and give her encouragement.

Mark These Dates

September 14 - Food Pantry - Closed for the Holiday
September 15 - Men's Prayer Mtg. - 9:00am
September 15 - Tuesday Bible Class - 10:00am
September 16 - Wednesday Evening Bible Class - 6:30pm

Summer Series

September 16 - Eric Garner
East Ridge Church of Christ
Let Not Your Hearts Be Troubled
John 14:1-31

Online Giving QR code

Men's Quarterly Dinner
This Tuesday, September 15th - 6:30pm
Please sign the list on the bulletin board if you plan to attend.

Nursery for Today: Gena & Kenzie Hughes
Nursery for 9/20/26: Missy & Maddie Henson

Ladies Ministry

Ladies Retreat - February 5-7

The dates will be February 5-7. The cost of the trip this year will be $150 per person and all of the money needs to be collected by November 15.

Payment Schedule
September 15 - $50
October 15 - $50
November 15 - $50

REMEMBER THE FIRST PAYMENT IS DUE THIS TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15TH!

UPCOMING YOUTH EVENTS

Youth group events are offered to students in grades 6-12! Contact Alan if you have any questions (423-326-5646 or alan@rossvillecoc.org).

Youth Calendar!

Teen Singing: TODAY - 12-6pm
After the Lads to Leaders Kickoff and meal we will travel to Ooltewah for Teen Singing!
Recess: Sun, Sept.27 12-6pm
Lunch out together (bring money), then return to the church building for games. If the weather is good, we will spend some of the afternoon outside!
Kid-Fam Devo: Sun, Sept.27 7-8:30pm
Families with children 5th grade and below are encouraged to join us following evening service for food and singing! Bring a dessert if you can. We'll eat and play, then close out with a short devotional around 8pm.

Lads to Leaders - Kickoff TODAY
Immediately following our morning worship service in the MPR.
Everyone planning on participating, please plan to stay.
We will be having a pot luck lunch.

Birthdays

September 16 - Ali Davis
September 18 - Charlie Turner
September 19 - Micky Weldon
September 19 - Hudson Dixon

Encouragement from God's Word

"The Discipline of the Lord"
Hebrews 12:5-6

"And have you forgotten the exhortation that addresses you as sons? "My son, do not regard lightly the discipline of the Lord, nor be weary when reproved by him. For the Lord disciplines the one he loves and chastises every son whom he receives." (Hebrews 12:5-6)

One reason we sometimes get discouraged in the Christian life is because of our expectations. We forget that it is not supposed to be easy. There is suffering, struggle, and a call to endure. But this is not cruelty from the Lord nor a burden that we are unable to bear. His discipline is for our good. His fatherly love disciplines us, chastises us, and allows growing pains not because he has rejected us but because he has received us. So let us receive the struggles of life as sons and daughters of a loving father and look for his gentle hand leading us forward into trust and love.

Welcome To Rossville!!
Your presence has helped to make this a very special day.
It is our prayer that you will be uplifted and encouraged as you come to worship with us.

Worship Order

2 **"We Praise Thee, O God"**
155 **"Highest Place"**
Prayer
144 **"O Worship the King"**
359 **"I Love the Lord"**
Communion
123 **"The Steadfast Love of the Lord"**
Contribution
Scripture Reading: Psalm 90:8-12
712 **"Jesus Is Coming Soon"**

Series: Growing in Godliness
Sermon: Desiring God's Wisdom

Scripture: **Psalm 90:8-12**

Song **"There's a Great Day Coming"**
Prayer
Announcements
957 **"This World Is Not My Home"**

Elder on Call:
Mark Crowder

Preaching Schedule
September 13
Alan Pitchford
September 20
Adam Miller

Paul Cranfield - successful hip surgery
Sam Long - undergoing tests
Sherry Welsh - undergoing treatment
Susan Newman - successful hip surgery
Caleb & Charlie McDonald - COVID
Kristy James - COVID
Jack James - COVID
Wil Davis - health issues
Barbara Roy - health issues
Thomas Baskowsky - health issues
Jessica Ball - requesting prayer
Derran Patecell - congestive heart failure - Morning Pointe - Rossville
Lacey Meredith - health issues
Candy Britton - health issues
Lauren Cabrera - health issues
Reita Mills - continuing health issues
Gwen Crane - health issues
Joy Koger - health issues

O'Henry Porter, Jenny Johnson, JoAnn Ritchie, Nancy Johnson, Genice Long, Denise Crowder, Faye Thomison, Maggie Waldrep, Steve Downs, Roselynn Stephens, Wilma Patecell, Mitch James, Leola Campbell, Grace Catlett, Kim McBryar

The family of Cody & Megan Sawyers - Megan has cancer - friend of Dale & Connie Smith's family
Mike Johnson - recent surgery
Sue Miracle - last stage of life - Christel Schrader
Skip Gosnell - health issues - father of Amanda Kent
Ronnie West - recently diagnosed with Pulmonary fibrosis - nephew of Larry Gordy
Tyler Crawford - health issues - brother of Morgan Grace
Bennet McJunkin - infant that recently had open heart surgery - relative of Candace Farmer
The Ohuegbe Family - health issues - this family has visited numerous times recently
Jill Wallace - cancer - friend/coworker of Gena Hughes

Jim Blevins - worsening health issues - brother in law of Genice Long
Corey McDonald - serious fireworks injury to the eye. - friend of Sam & Genice Long
Joy Johnson - health issues - Jeff Poston's grandmother
Doug Gates - cancer - uncle of Kati Morgan
Breylon Byers -biking accident -friend of Deacon Crawford
Barbara Sentell - fell - is at home - mother of Lynn Dye

Tim Stephens, Linda Huey, Linda Randolph, Rob Farmer, Mark Petty, Megan Hill, McCoy Locke, Vivien Young, Karen Petty, Jess Cobb, Angie Hill, Jack Hansard, Lena Webb, Kim Davis, Michael Farmer, Elizabeth Cook, Helen Hatfield, Margie Elliott, Kim Crosslin, Ellison Reece

Adult Bible Fellowship Classes

September

Sundays @ 9:30 am

Called Out: Lessons from Exodus and Leviticus

Adult Classes
Auditorium - Jack James
Room 1 - Ray Johnson

Families Class
Fellowship Room - Adam Miller

College and Young Professionals Class
Room 11 - Andy Baumberger

Sundays at 6:00 pm
Colossians
Auditorium
Jack James & Andy Baumberger

Tuesdays @ 10:00 a.m.
1st Peter
Fellowship Room - Jack James

Wednesdays @ 6:30 p.m.
Summer Series: Jesus Looks at the Heart

Children's Teaching Schedule

August 30 - September 16
Group I
Rotation 16
Commission of Joshua, Moses' Death, Rahab and Jericho

September 20 - October 7
Group II
Rotation 17
Judges

This Week's Special Shut-In:
Phyliss Roberts
1300 McFarland Avenue
Apt. 201A
Rossville, GA 30741

Record For September 6, 2026

Attendance For Sunday BF	133
Attendance For A.M. Worship	197
Attendance For P.M. Worship	75
Attendance For Wed. BF	96
Budget	$9,028.00
Contribution	$11,061.00