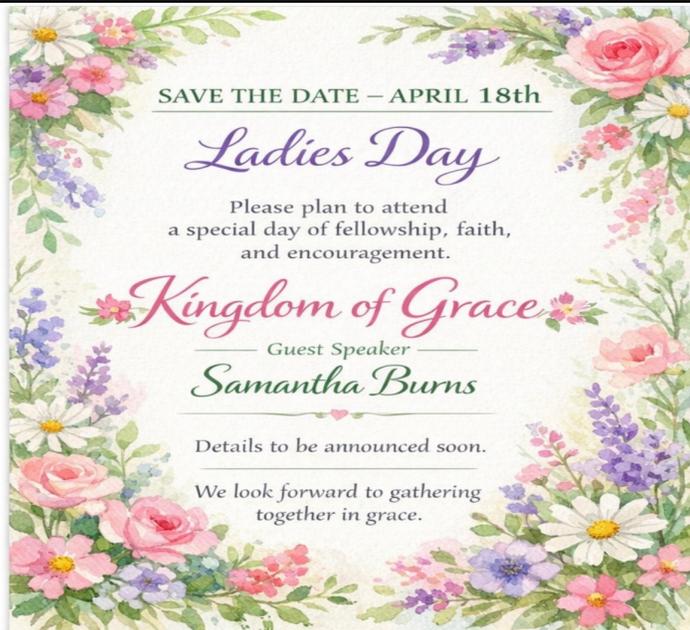


### Mark These Dates

- March 2** - Food Pantry - 4:00pm - 6:00pm
- March 3** - Men's Prayer Mtg. - 9:00am
- March 3** - Tuesday Bible Class - 10:00am
- March 4** - Wednesday Evening Bible Class - 6:30pm



**Nursery for Today:** Gail Farmer & Becky Crawford  
**Nursery for 3/8/26:** Lisa Crowder & Abby Dunigan

**LADS2  
LEADERS**

### *Lads to Leaders Schedules*

- TODAY - Marathon Day - 12:00-6:00pm**  
*All participants, please plan to stay.*
- March 8th - Bible Bowl Test**  
*immediately following lunch.*

*Please meet in the Fellowship Room following worship.*

*If you would like to make a special contribution to assist the children/families in attending the Lads to Leaders convention, please give to David Best & mark for Lads to Leaders.*



### *Birthdays*

- March 1 - Avrie Scott
- March 3 - Sam Long
- March 4 - Franny Miller
- March 4 - Bradley Dedmon
- March 7 - Jeff Griffith



### *Anniversaries*

March 5 - Chad & Renee' Payne



### 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](mailto:alan@rossvillecoc.org)).

### Youth Calendar!

**L2L Marathon Day:** Sun, Mar.1 12-6pm  
Volunteers needed to help provide lunch. See Gina Miller if you can assist.  
**Lunch & L2L Bible Bowl Test:** Sun, Mar.8 12-?pm  
Meet in the Fellowship Room following worship.

### **Encouragement from God's Word** *“Desiring a Better Country* **Hebrews 11:15-16**

*If they had been thinking of that land from which they had gone out, they would have had opportunity to return. But as it is, they desire a better country, that is, a heavenly one. Therefore God is not ashamed to be called their God, for he has prepared for them a city. (Hebrews 11:15-16)*

People of faith desire and long for a city and a country far better than what is here. This does not leave God's people in resignation or render them useless here below in this world. But it does mean that people of faith do not seek their comfort or their joy in what is here and now. There is a better place and a better promised prepared for us by God. Is that reflected in our lives? Are we trying to live for now or are we happy, sober-minded sojourners anticipating God's better promises?

**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

- 779 "I Love You, Lord"  
 96 "I Stand in Awe"  
 97 "I Sing Praises"  
**Prayer**  
 382 "Why Did My Savior Come to Earth?"  
**Communion**  
 474 "Thank You, Lord"  
**Contribution**  
 Scripture Reading: 1 Timothy 2:1-7  
 412 "Jesus, Hold My Hand"  
 Series: Desiring God's Heart  
*Sermon: The Savior's Passion and the Mission of the Church*  
 Scripture: 1 Timothy 2:1-7  
 922 "Jesus Paid It All"  
**Prayer**  
 699 "I'll Be a Friend to Jesus"  
**Announcements**



- Tisa Frizzell** - health issues  
**JoAnn Ritchie** - rehab at NHC/Fort Oglethorpe, Rm 204  
**O'Dell Denton** - health issues  
**Barbara Roy** - health issues  
**Reita Mills** - continuing health issues  
**Phylis Cranfield** - health issues  
**Gwen Crane** - health issues  
**Russell Meredith** - knee issues  
**Lacey Meredith** - recent procedure  
**Gail Farmer** - maintenance treatments  
**Joy Koger** - health issues
- Roselynn Stephens, Edith Atkins, Brenda Petty, Paula Cranfield-Clark, Sallie Smith, Faye Thomison, Steve Downs, Kristy James, Sherry Welsh, Wilma Patecell, Diane Fincher, Mitch James, Leola Campbell, Nancy Johnson, Lauren Cabrera, Grace Catlett, Denise Crowder, Kim McBryar**
- Lena Webb** - cancer - surgery this past Wednesday - cousin of Sherre Bales  
**Susan Rule** - health issues - daughter of Sandra Russell  
**Angie and Troy Reynolds in the loss of Troy's mother, Wanda Edds** - Angie is the daughter of Lebron & Faye Thomison  
**Caroline Tutton** - health issues - daughter of Will Tutton, a former member at Rossville  
**Jim Grant** - health issues - friend of Sherry Welsh  
**Kim Davis** - cancer - recent procedure - niece of Patsy Williams  
**Robert** at the Food Pantry has a friend in the hospital  
**Kennedy Baker** - cancer, stage 4 - friend of Ella Liebe  
**Phyllis Thompson** - open heart surgery this past Friday - daughter of Reita Mills.  
**Tom Liner** - eye surgery February 3rd - cousin of Genice Long  
**Larry Nance** - serious condition - son-in-law of Patsy Williams

- Andy McDonald** - cancer - father of Caleb McDonald  
**Mark McNabb** - cancer - friend of Jack James  
**Jackie Odum** - bad fall and pneumonia - cousin of Genice Long  
**Bruce Elrod** - health issues - brother of Elaine Parkerson  
**Sondra Voorhees** - health issues - daughter of Sandra Hooton & Phillip Hooton's sister  
**Elizabeth Cook** - cancer - recent surgery - sister in law of Leigh Cook

**Jillann Crawford, Kaden Crochet, Chris Brown, Helen Hatfield, Austin Ware & Family, Margie Elliott, Ellison Reece, Christy Burnett, Michael Farmer, Tim West**

## Children's Teaching Schedule

February 15 - March 4  
**Group III**

**Rotation 10**  
**Joseph, Part 2 Potiphar, Jail, Dreams Interpreted, Brothers Reunite, Israel to Egypt**

March 8 - March 25  
**Group I**

**Rotation 11**  
**Moses, Birth through the Burning Bush**

## This Week's Special Shut-In:

**Denise Crowder**  
 NHC Healthcare Rm. 423  
 2700 Parkwood Avenue  
 Chattanooga, TN 37404  
 (423) 580-9116



**God's Household:  
 The Savior's Passion and  
 the Mission of the Church  
 1 Timothy 2:1-7**

**Elder on Call:  
 Mark Crowder**

## Preaching Schedule

**March 1**  
 Andy Baumberger  
**March 8**  
 Andy Baumberger



## Adult Bible Fellowship Classes

### **March**

*Sundays @ 9:30 am*

*Desiring God's Heart  
 Adult Classes*

Auditorium - Jack James  
 Room 1 - Ray Johnson

### Families Class

Fellowship Room - Various Teachers

### College and Young Professionals Class

Room 11 - Andy Baumberger

*Sundays at 6:00 pm*

*Life of Elijah and Elisha  
 Auditorium*

*Jack James & Andy Baumberger*

*Tuesdays @ 10:00 a.m.*

### **1st Peter**

Fellowship Room - Jack James

*Wednesdays @ 6:30 p.m.*

### **1st and 2nd Thessalonians**

Room 1 - Jack James

### **Proverbs**

Fellowship Room - Adam Miller

## Record For February 22, 2026

Attendance For Sunday BF	131
Attendance For A.M. Worship	230
Attendance For P.M. Worship	72
Attendance For Wed. BF	93
Budget	\$9,028.00
Contribution	\$6,169.00