

This Week at the 'Forest'

October 19 - October 24, 2009

Monday, October 19

6:30pm Fitness Walk
Nutrition Class
Public Relations
7:00pm Brotherhood Choir
Prayer Ministry

Tuesday, October 20

12:00noon Keenagers Fellowship
6:30pm Fitness Walk
7:00pm Drama Ministry
Dance Ministry
Public Speaking
Alpha Toastmasters
7:30pm Voices of Inspiration Choir Rehearsal

Wednesday, October 21

12:00noon Bible Study
6:15pm FH Leadership Training
7:30pm Bible Study & Discipleship
Singles Ministry Bible Study
Men's Bible Study
Young Adult Bible Study
Koinonia II (Deaf Bible Study)

Thursday, October 22

6:30pm Fitness Walk
7:00pm Food Addicts Anonymous
Celestial Choir Rehearsal
7:30pm Voices of Inspiration Choir Rehearsal

Friday, October 23

6:30pm Fitness Walk
Line Dancing
Phoenix Rising Toastmaster
7:00pm Happy Hour Prayer Meeting

Saturday, October 24 (2nd 4th Saturday)

8:30am Feed the Homeless
Evangelism Blitz
Veterans Meeting
9:00am Brotherhood Choir Rehearsal
Bulletin Assembly
10:00am SS Benefits Seminar
10:30am Celestial Choir Rehearsal
2:00pm Baptism Class
4:30pm Voice of Inspiration Rehearsal

Sunday, October 25 (4th Sunday)

"Heb 10:25 "Get Back In Step:

High Attendance Celebration"

7:45am 1st Worship Service
9:30am Fulfillment Hour
New Member Orientation
10:45am Mid-Morning Worship Service
12:30pm God's Crew Dance Ministry

Worship 7:45am

*Standing Firm on the Word
Staying Focused on the Mission
As we continue our Journey to Wellness in 2009*

THIRD SUNDAY † OCTOBER 18, 2009

ORDER OF WORSHIP

DEVOTION*Deacons*

GREETING OF GUESTS & VISITORS.....
Deacon Dexter Mosley Family Ministry

VIDEO ANNOUNCEMENTS

GET BACK IN STEP TESTIMONY.....*Sis. Vershelle Riley*

PRAISE "*Mighty God*"

WORSHIP..... "*I Will Sing Hallelujah*"

CORPORATE PRAYER

CONTINUING WORSHIP..... "*I Will Sing Hallelujah*"

TITHES & OFFERING

Offertory Prayer

Choir Selection....."*The Best Is Yet To Come*"

SERMON*Rev. Wanda Holder*

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

(In consideration of others and our compelling desire to reach others for Christ, please do not leave during this serious time of commitment).

CLOSING HYMN

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

CONTINUE WORSHIP~

THROUGH MINISTRY OF SERVICE

Worship 10:45am

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

CALL TO WORSHIP & INVOCATION

GREETING OF GUESTS & VISITORS.....
Deacon Dexter Mosley Family Ministry

CHILDREN'S CHAPEL CHOIR
"Everywhere I Go There's God"

VIDEO ANNOUNCEMENTS

GET BACK IN STEP TESTIMONY..... *Ongelique Sherman*

PRAISE "*Presence of the Lord*"

WORSHIP "*It Ain't Over Until God Says It's Over*"

CORPORATE PRAYER

CONTINUING WORSHIP..... "*I Lift My Hands*"

TITHES & OFFERING

Offertory Prayer

Choir Selection..... "*I Know Who I Am*"

SERMON*Rev. Demarcus Preyer*

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AT THE 'FOREST'

COUNTDOWN IS ON TO 10:25!

"Heb. 10:25 Get Back In Step High Attendance Celebration"

October 25, 2009 will be a great day at the 'Forest' as we celebrate High Attendance Sunday. Hebrews 10:25 (NIV) says *"Let us not give up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but let us encourage one another...and all the more as you see the day approaching"*. All members are encouraged to reach out to members you've been missing and encourage them to celebrate with us. It will be a powerful worship experience as we reconnect as one family in Christ.

Deacon Family Ministry Meetings/Fellowship Immediately after 2nd Worship Service Today

Deacon Samuel Watts Room12

Deacon James Brinson Chapel

Deacon W. Weatherly WMU Room 4/6

October 25, 2009

Deacon Fred Mizzelle Bldg 3 Cafeteria

The **Children's Chapel** will host a Parent Meeting on Sunday, October 25th immediately following 10:45 worship service in the Genesis Room. We look forward to seeing you there!

31 Days of Prayer Continues...

Continue to beseech God in daily prayer for our "Get Back in Step" effort-September 25th - October 25th. Copies of the prayer calendar (for adults and children) may be obtained in the church office

The Word of God reminds us to:

Devote yourselves to prayer, being watchful and thankful.
Colossians 4:2 NIV.

COMING SOON

Sponsors Needed for "Youth2Christ" Retreat

We are very excited about our upcoming Youth2Christ conference which will be held October 24-25, 2009. It is our desire that all youth from 6th-12 grade are able to participate in this life changing event. Therefore, we are soliciting donors to help sponsor students to attend the Youth2Christ Conference. The cost is \$75 but we'll accept any amount. Payments can be dropped off at the church office. Thank you for investing in our children!

Keenagers

On Tuesday, October 20, 2009 at 12:00 noon in the ELC Genesis Room, Judge Jeryl Rosh, Dekalb County Probate Judge, will be the guest speaker at the Keenagers meeting. Her topic will be "How to Protect Your Funds or Your Estate While Living and After Death". The meeting is presented by the Mizzell/Outlaw Family Ministries on behalf of the Keenagers. All are welcome!

Social Security Seminar

A Social Security Benefits Seminar will be held on Saturday, October 24, 2009, 10:00am to 1:00pm in Building 3. Mr. Paul Barnes, Regional Commissioner of the Social Security Administration, will be the presenter. The focus will be on what you need to know about the types of benefits paid by Social Security. EVERYONE is encouraged to attend this seminar sponsored by the Outlaw Family Ministry.

Health Task Force/Cancer Support

Please join the Health Task Force and Cancer Support Ministry as we celebrate a weekend of awareness, survivorship and support of breast cancer. The weekend will start with the 5K Making Strides Walk for Breast Cancer at Atlantic Station which begins at 9am on October 24th. Bus transportation will be provided from the church. Please stop by the sign-up table in back of the church today.

MORE ANNOUNCEMENTS

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED at the annual **HARVEST CARNIVAL** which will take place on Saturday, October 31st. It will be hosted outside on the main church parking lot. Food and beverage items will be available at the concession stand in the gym. There will be a variety of activities including: "Trunk or Treat" (very much like trick or treat; however the candy will be received from church members who will be giving away candy from their trunks), a hay ride, art stations-face painting, crafts and caricatures, storytelling and other activities. Volunteers are needed for Trunk or Treat hosts; Candy donators; Caricature artist; Face painters; Hay Ride Chaperones; Concession Stand hosts; and General Help Volunteers. **If you will not be available to be a trunk or treat host, please drop off candy donations in the church office.** For information and volunteer contact information, pick up a flyer in the church office.

Attention all college students and parents of college students...

In an effort to "Get Back in Step" with our college students, we are asking our college students and parents to help us obtain updated contact information for all our members in college. Specifically, we are asking you to provide us: student's name, college, year in school, e-mail address and cell phone (optional). Please send all information to: Minister Lawrence Moore lawrencemoore7@gmail.com and debra.coleman@greenforest.org.

Sisters on Mission presents their 2009 Youth and Adult Summit on Saturday, Oct 24, 2009 at Zion Baptist Church in Marietta, GA. Join us one and all for summit tracks on Worship, Fellowship, Youth, Children and hands on Mission sessions. There will be a number of seminars addressing prison ministries, shoe box ministries, the power of a praying family, intentional community evangelism and much, much more! Registration includes admission to a pre-conference concert, session materials, and lunch. For more information or to register, please contact Sis. Kathryn Cole at 404 583-7698.

PLEASE NOTE

FELLOWSHIP MEAL FOR Wednesday, October 21, 2009

Meatloaf
Mashed Potatoes
Sweet Peas
Garden Salad
Lemonade,
Cookies

Calling all GCBC Artists

If you are an artist and would like an opportunity to display your work, please contact Sis. Debra Coleman at debra.coleman@greenforest.org or 404 486-6740.

The Forest @ Columbia Technology Center is looking for ministry volunteers to help with the production of a new television program called "Click This.... We are looking for actors, camera people, writers, set designers, anyone willing to serve in this new ministry. No experience is required. If you are interested, please email Sis. Revenda Bannerman at learn@msrevenda.com



Prayers are extended to the following families in their time of bereavement:

The family of Bro. Carl Hill whose father, Nipton Nelson Hill, was funeralized on Wednesday, October 14th in Atlanta.

The family of Min. Phenik Basket, and Nakia and Jamarcus Fowler, whose uncle, Eugene Jones, was funeralized last week in Thompson, GA.

Thank you notes were received from the following members:

Deacon Harvey Johnson and family wishes to thank the Greenforest family for your prayers, calls, and visits during his hospitalization.