

## The Celebration of Worship

November 10, 2013

Call to Worship "Church in the Wildwood"  
and "How Firm a Foundation" Pitts/Sacred Harp  
(Please use this quiet time to sign and pass the Friendship Pads.)

Welcome and Announcements Rev. R. Len Walker, Jr.

Voluntary "Adagio" from CLARINET CONCERTO  
W. A. Mozart

Introit "Be Still My Soul" J. Sibelius  
*Bella Voce*

Invocation Hannah Regnier

\* Hymn 89 "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee" HYMN TO JOY

+ The Children's Message (10:30 am) Rev. Walker

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer Rev. Walker  
**Our Father, who art in Heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the Kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

Offertory "Lord of the Small" D. Forrest  
*Bella Voce*

\* Doxology OLD 100th

\* Offertory Prayer Rev. Walker

\* Hymn 98 "To God Be the Glory" TO GOD BE THE GLORY  
(Vs. 1 & 3)

\* Scripture: Samuel 30:1-6  
Minister: The Word of God for the people of God.  
**People: Thanks be to God.**

Sermon "Where Is God When It Hurts?" Rev. Walker

\* Hymn 377 "It Is Well with My Soul" VILLE DU HAVRE  
(Vs. 1 & 4)

\* Benediction Rev. Walker

\* Gloria Patri 71 GRETOREX

Postlude "Prelude No. 3" J. S. Bach

\* Please stand if you are able.

+ Children are invited to join Rev. Walker on the last verse of the hymn.

## Wednesday Fellowship, *Last dinner of the year*

November 13, 2013-dinner at 5:45pm

*Lasagna, tossed salad, garlic bread  
and dessert*

*All reservation must be in by noon on Tuesday. We cannot accept walk-ins. Make your reservations on-line (<http://bigcanochapel.org>) or through Touch-Point and WF e-blast that will arrive in your email on Sunday afternoons, or call the Chapel office, 706.268.3203.*

*Dinners are adults \$8, children \$5*

**Disciple Bible Study: 4:30 PM Vespers: 6:30 PM**

*Hosted by Endowment Committee*

### Report of Chapel Giving

	Actuals	Budget
October	\$93,939	\$75,000
Year-to-Date	\$884,209	\$846,000

### Anthem: Lord of the Small

Praise to the Lord of the small, broken things,  
who sees the poor sparrow that can not take wing.  
Who loves the lame child, and the wretch on the street,  
*who comforts their sorrows and washes their feet.*  
Praise to the Lord of the faint and afraid,  
who girds them with courage and lends them His aid.  
He pours out His spirit on vessels so weak..  
That the timid can serve and the silent can speak.  
Praise to the Lord of the frail and the ill.  
Who heals their afflictions,  
or carries them till they leave this tired frame  
and to paradise fly...  
to never be sick, and never to die.  
Praise Him, oh praise Him all ye who yet live,  
who've been given so much and can so little give.  
Our frail lisping praise, God will never despise.  
He sees His dear children through mercy filled eyes.

**TOH Auction** – April 26, 2014. Do you have an item that you would like to donate to the 2014 TOH Auction? For tax purposes, would you like to donate that item in 2013? With questions about the auction or to make a donation, please call Judith Persing (706.268.3940).



## Worship Services November 10, 2013

*"Lead me in your truth, and teach me, for you are the God of my salvation; for you I wait all the day long."*

Psalm 25:5

Rev. R. Len Walker, Jr.  
Senior Chaplain

Rev. V. Lamar Helms  
Associate Chaplain,  
Director of Music

Teri Sawyer  
Director of Children, Youth  
and Family Ministries

James Garner  
Chapel Organist

Dr. Jonathan Rodgers  
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Janet Larsen  
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## From the Senior Chaplain

This is an exciting and refreshing time of the year in the life of the church. We're living in the evidence of the grace and goodness of God and we're thankful. I trust you are growing in grace. In the immersion of our lives in the means of grace- -Bible reading, prayer, worship, fellowship and witness, we will continually be amazed in the fresh unfolding of the Father's revelation.

We continue with encouragement concerning Operation Christmas Child. What a great seed to sow in the life of a child! As we join our faith together, let's believe for a great harvest of eternal significance. God is drawing these children unto Himself. The Christmas season is a wonderful time to give of ourselves in thanksgiving to Jesus for the great gift of salvation.

Today begins a five week training session on sharing one's faith. It is held at 10:30am in the board room and is open to anyone who is interested. Ted Sprague is the leader and the class is in response to many requests received in the "Growing in Grace" survey. Its foundational principle is, "compelled by love, not by duty." The training focuses upon listening to the expressed needs of others and sharing the good news of the gospel as directed by the Holy Spirit. Pray for this class as they learn and share.

As we draw closer to Thanksgiving, we will be distributing some very nice invitations to the Christmas season events at Big Canoe Chapel. The invitations are designed to be personally given to friends and neighbors in the community. It is a wonderful and comfortable way for all of us to invite to the chapel someone who might not have a church home. I'm so thankful for Louise Prescott for helping us put all this together.

Marty Anderson shared a powerful testimony last Sunday. This morning we continue with the subject. "Where Is God When It Hurts?" The Lord is present with us today. He is here to heal, encourage, inspire and impart the reality of His grace. And we sing with joy!

God bless,

Len

### Welcome Guests!

*Big Canoe Chapel is a multi-denominational congregation united in our faith in Jesus Christ as Lord. We're dedicated to showing His love through worship, fellowship, outreach, and welcoming guests or those new to the community. For more information, please contact one of our chaplains or Stephen Ministers after the service, or call the Chapel office at 706.268.3203.*

Please note:

- Hearing devices are available from an usher.
- The Nursery is available downstairs during the 9:00 & 10:30 am services.
- Remember to turn your cell phones back on at the end of the service!

## Today at the Chapel

8:30 AM	Prayer with Senior Chaplain-Chapel 109
8:45 AM	Fellowship Class Coffee-McCormick Hall
9:00 AM	Fellowship SS Class-McCormick Hall
9:00 AM	Worship Service
10:00 AM	Chapel Stand-Around
10:30 AM	Seekers SS Class-McCormick Hall
10:30 AM	Grace Walk SS Class-Broyles 102
10:30 AM	Compelled by Love, Sharing Your Faith-Board Room
10:30 AM	Youth Breakfast Club-Teen Room
10:30 AM	Children K-5-Chapel 107
10:30 AM	Children 3's & 4's-Chapel 106
10:30 AM	Nursery-Chapel 101
10:30 AM	Worship Service
4:00 PM	Cherub Choir
5:00 PM	Youth/Families Dinner

## Serving Today at the Chapel...

9:00 AM

10:30 AM

<b>Ushers:</b>	Duane and Peggy Sichveland Clayton and Lynn Burns	Pat Tipton Ellen Finley Marilynn Walker Verna Rauschenberg
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<b>Greeters:</b>	Marsha Rhodus Brian Rash	Weldon and Liz Wintter
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**Cart Driver:** Brad Herren

**Stand-Around:** Ed and Sandy Bingham  
Ellis and Polly Mills

**Acolytes:** Obie Belins  
Will Dodson

## This Week at the Chapel

Mon.	11/11	Leadership Big Canoe-Board Room	2:00PM
Mon.	11/11	Chapel Bells Rehearsal-Cousins Hall	4:30PM
Tues.	11/12	<b>Bella Voce</b> - Chapel	9:00AM
Tues.	11/12	Finance Committee-Board Room	2:00PM
Tues.	11/12	Technology Committee-Room 107	2:45PM
Tues.	11/12	Chapel Bells Rehearsal-Cousins Hall	6:00PM
Tues.	11/12	BCERT-McCormick Hall	7:00PM
Wed.	11/13	<b>Men's Journey Group</b> -Room 101	8:00AM
Wed.	11/13	<b>Women's Bible Study</b> -McCormick Hall	9:30AM
Wed.	11/13	<b>Women's Guild Collectors Corner</b> -C. Hall	11:00AM
Wed.	11/13	Creative Stitchery-Room 101	1:00PM
Wed.	11/13	Disciple Bible Study w/Len Walker	4:30PM
Wed.	11/13	Wednesday Fellowship Dinner	5:45PM
Wed.	11/13	Stephen Ministry-Rooms 101 & 102	6:30PM
Wed.	11/13	Vesper Service-Chapel	6:30PM
Thurs.	11/14	Guild Meeting-Cousins Hall	10:00AM
Thurs.	11/14	Chapel Bells Rehearsal-Cousins Hall	4:30PM
Thurs.	11/14	Ensemble Rehearsal-McCormick Hall	6:00PM
Thurs.	11/14	Chapel Choir Rehearsal-McCormick Hall	7:00PM
Fri.	11/15	Blood Drive-McCormick Hall	9:00AM
Fri.	11/15	Flu Shots-Cousins Hall	9:00AM
Fri.	11/15	Davis/Fish Wedding Rehearsal-Chapel	4:00PM
Sat.	11/16	<b>Men's Fellowship Breakfast</b> -Cousins Hall	7:00AM
Sat.	11/16	AA Meeting-Teen Room	9:00AM
Sat.	11/16	Davis/Fish Wedding-Chapel	5:00PM
Sat.	11/16	Family Movie Night-McCormick Hall	6:30PM
Sun.	11/17	Chapel Choir Sings	9:00AM

## Chapel Announcements

**Blood Pressure Screening** in the Library today 10:00-10:30AM.

**Big Canoe Chapel Women's Guild** invites all women of Big Canoe and the surrounding communities to the November 14<sup>th</sup> meeting at 10:00 a.m. in the Broyles Center. "Making a Joyful Noise in a Hurting World" is the title of the presentation by Alyson Ebaugh, daughter of Big Canoe's Jim and Bonnie Moore. Join us as we hear about this timely topic from Mrs. Ebaugh, Training Manager for Samaritan's Purse International Disaster Relief, whose life mission is to motivate, encourage and empower people to be their personal best through heightened self-awareness and the power of the Holy Spirit.

Tickets for the December 12<sup>th</sup> **Women's Guild Christmas Luncheon** (\$25 each) will go on sale at the November Guild meeting and at Stand Around, until all tickets are sold.

**SHOEBOXES** are available today at Stand-Around and after the second service. Operation Christmas Child is in its 20th year and has given over 100 million boxes, along with lessons about the gospel, to children all over the world. Boxes will be given out through November 17 and final collection will be on November 24.

**Men's Fellowship Thanksgiving Breakfast**, November 16th with Dr. Gilmer. Everyone is invited. Sign up at Stand-Around.

**TOH Collector's Corner** will be holding a sale of Christmas and seasonal decorative items in Cousins Hall during the Fellowship Dinner on Wednesday, Nov. 13, and at the Guild Meeting on Thursday, Nov. 14. Please join us for a fun shopping experience!

**Christmas Blessing Update** – The remaining shopper packets will be placed in shoppers' alpha boxes. Pickens County foster information is late and will be sent as soon as it is received.

### Thank you...

you beautiful people here in God's garden of Big Canoe have blessed me mightily with so many delicious meals, flowers, candy and cards (enough to paper a room). A deluge of prayers and love has surrounded me; in addition, the Prayer Blanket Ministry blanketed me in navy and white polka dots (to go with my navy and white polka dot pj's)! Thank you each and every one.

Much love and God bless,  
Barbara Richard

### Chapel Member Prayer List

**At Home:** Phyllis Deane, Anne Campbell, Jobeth Yarbrough, Frank Garner, Fred Hintze, Dave Reid, Becky Pickett, Nancy Ayres, Lloyd Larsen, Joy Bookhultz, Louise Morgan (daughter's home), Fred and Nancy Shaw (daughter's home), Wayne Molton, Martye Marsh, Barbara Richard, Nancy Collier, Mike Giles (in home hospice), Jane Wyeth, Pauline Hackney, Anne Campbell

**In Assisted Care:** Betty Laughlin, Arbor Terraces, Decatur; Martha-Akins, Gold City Personal Care, Dahlonga; Bill Almand, The Veranda, Roswell; Jean Payne, Grandview, Jasper; Chalmas Holmes, Sonshine Manor Personal Care, Jasper; Richard Krajec and Vivian Macdonald (JeanAnn Miller's mother), Rock Creek Manor, Jasper; Margie Hunter and Ben Johnson, Chambrel, Roswell; Dot Bourke, Dogwood Forest Asst. Living Comm; Frances Smith, Hallmark at Phipps, Atlanta; Kathy Duncan, St. Ives Memory Care, Alpharetta; Fred Hill, 762 N. Main St., Alpharetta, GA 30004; Betty Leslein, 4355 S. Lee St., Buford, GA 30518.