

**The Celebration of Worship
The Third Sunday of Eastertide
May 11, 2014**

Call to Worship "Church in the Wildwood" Pitts

(Please use this quiet time to sign and pass the Friendship Pads.)

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

Voluntary "Abide, Dearest Jesus" Sigfrid Karg-Elert

Psalm 148 (The Hymnal, p. 861-2) Rev. V. Lamar Helms

Invocation Rev. Walker

* 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. Helms

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 "Take My Life and Let It Be Consecrated" M. Hayes
Lamar Helms, solo

* Doxology OLD 100th

* Offertory Prayer Rev. Walker

* Hymn 314 "In the Garden" GARDEN

* Scripture: 1 Samuel 1:21-28
Minister: The Word of God for the people of God.
People: Thanks be to God.

Sermon "The Person Of Influence" Rev. Walker

Hymn "In This Very Room" IN THIS VERY ROOM
(Verses 2 and 3 on back of bulletin)

* Benediction Rev. Walker

* Benediction Response (593, refrain) HERE I AM, LORD
"Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord? I have heard you calling in the night. I will go, Lord, if you lead me. I will hold your people in my heart."

Postlude "Fugue in E Minor" J. S. Bach

* Please stand if you are able.

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


**Musica Variata
Presents**

Celtic Fire

with Nella Rigell, John Mashinot, Anna Johnson, and guest harpist Chris Drescher-Jones

Sunday, May 11, 2014, at 7:00 PM



Experience all things Celtic as our artists entertain us with harps, folk instruments, and dance. And after the concert, meet our artists.

**Cardboard Testimonies
Worship Celebration**

Saturday May 17th 7:00 PM



Be Inspired. Be Filled. Be Here.

In This Very Room

In this very room there's quite enough love for all of us,
And in this very room there's quite enough joy for all of us.
And there's quite enough hope, and quite enough power,
To chase away any gloom,
For Jesus, Lord Jesus, is in this very room.

**In this very room there's quite enough love for all the world,
And in this very room there's quite enough joy for all the world.
And there's quite enough hope, and quite enough power,
To chase away any gloom,
For Jesus, Lord Jesus, is in this very room.**

Ron and Carol Harris



**Worship Services
May 11, 2014**

"Let God complete what God has begun."

1 Samuel 1:23b

Rev. R. Len Walker, Jr.
Senior Chaplain

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

Teri Sawyer
Director of Children, Youth
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From the Senior Chaplain

In the spring Wednesday Night Bible study, we used a resource entitled, Our Powerful Helper by Marshall Shelley. The sub-title of the study was, “Relying on God’s Strength.” One week we discussed the value of hidden gifts. Sometimes the hidden gifts of God are not the ones we expected or wanted until we saw their true value. The following prayer came from an unknown Confederate soldier during the Civil War.

I asked God for strength that I might achieve. I was made weak that I might learn humbly to obey. I asked God for health that I might do great things. I was given infirmity that I might do better things. I asked for riches that I might be happy. I was given poverty that I might be wise. I asked for power that I might have the praise of men. I was given weakness that I might see the need of God. I asked for all things that I might enjoy life. I was given life that I might enjoy all things. I got nothing that I asked for but everything I had hoped for. Almost despite myself my unspoken prayers were answered. I am among all men most richly blessed.

To experience God’s strength we must be given eyes to see what we had been unable to see before. God, give us such eyes everyday.

Grace and peace,

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-Chapel
10:00 AM	Chapel Stand-Around-Cousins Hall
10:30 AM	Seekers SS Class-McCormick Hall
10:30 AM	Grace Walk SS Class-Broyles 102
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-Chapel
7:00 PM	<i>Musica Variata</i> Presents Celtic Fire

Serving Today at the Chapel...

9:00 AM

10:30 AM

Ushers: Dave and Melinda Wesseling Neal and Millann Funk
Parish and Melissa Lowrie Gary and Katherine Cherry

Greeters: Gary and Marsha Rhodus Brian Rash
Bettye Jo Isherwood

Cart Driver: Timothy Bader

Stand-Around: Jim and Diane Hollister
Joe and Louise Dodd

Acolytes: Charley Vick

Audiovisual Technician: Mike Twiss

This Week at the Chapel

Mon. 5/12	Sally Williams Memorial Service-Chapel	1:00PM
Mon. 5/12	Committee on Committees-Room 107	2:30PM
Mon. 5/12	Handbells Rehearsal-Cousins Hall	4:30PM
Tues. 5/13	<i>Bella Voce</i> -McCormick Hall	9:00AM
Tues. 5/13	iPhone/Pad Meeting-McCormick Hall	12:00PM
Tues. 5/13	Finance Committee-Board Room	2:00PM
Tues. 5/13	Technology Meeting-Room 107	3:00PM
Wed. 5/14	Ladies Prayer Time-Chapel	9:00AM
Wed. 5/14	Creative Stitchery-Room 101	1:00PM
Wed. 5/14	Stephen Ministry-Room 102	6:30PM
Thurs. 5/15	Chapel Choir Rehearsal	7:00PM
Sat. 5/17	AA Meeting-Teen Room	9:00AM
Sat. 5/17	HOA Propane Consortium-Chapel	10:00AM
Sat. 5/17	Being Together on Purpose Retreat	10:00AM
Sat. 5/17	Cardboard Testimonies Worship-Chapel	7:00PM
Sun. 5/18	Chapel Choir sings both services	9:00AM
Sun. 5/18	Hinton Mini Mission Meeting-Board Room	11:30AM
Sun. 5/18	Men’s Fellowship Annual Fish Fry	5:00PM

Report of Chapel Giving

	Actuals	Budget
April	\$ 88,947	\$102,400
Year-to-Date	\$356,368	\$383,000

Chapel Announcements

Vacation Bible School is June 9-13. Come to Wilderness Escape, and become part of the journey as Moses and the Israelites watch God guide and provide. VBS representatives will be available at Stand-Around with brochures and registration forms. Brochures are also available in the Information Center outside the Chapel office and on the website at www.bigcanoechapel.org.

Blood Pressure Screening in the Library today 10:00-10:30am

Needed Recycled Items—Our Chapel Art Studio is almost ready for the grand opening gala in June! As we stock the shelves with supplies, we are in need of some recycled materials. Thank you ahead of time for helping with this wonderful new ministry.

Items needed:

Magazines/newspaper, Styrofoam trays, Old blender, Craft supplies/ribbon/buttons, scrap booking, paper/beads, fabric scraps, cardboard/Cardboard tubes, Wood scraps, Matt board/frames, Paint/brushes, Egg cartons, yogurt containers and wrapping paper.

Hinton Rural Life Mini Mission Trip for Families

July 10 - 14th at the Hinton Rural Life Mission Retreat Center

Informational Meeting for Parents or Grandparents that would like to attend will be directly following the 10:30 worship service on May 18th. Cost is \$125 per person which includes meals and lodging. This is a great opportunity to show our kids the hands and feet of Christ.

Sympathy

The Chapel family extends its sympathy to Suzanne Abbott, Lex Williams and their families for the loss of their mother, Sally Williams, who passed away May 4th.

From the Big Canoe Chapel Women’s Guild

The flowers today are given in recognition of, and honoring all of the women of Big Canoe who support their families, their church, and their community throughout the year. Special appreciation to the 2014 Tour of Homes committee chairs and volunteers who continued the legacy of caring for the 26th year.

Chapel Member Prayer List

Chapel Scholarship Program: Pray for our high school graduates as they go off to college.

At Home: Phyllis Deane, Jobeth Yarbrough, Frank Garner, Becky Pickett, Louise Morgan (daughter’s home), Lea Brueckner (daughter of Pat and Lynda Bodelson), Ed Delaney, Dan Guidice, Stevens Kinney.

Hospital: Bettye Hinson (Houston)

In Assisted Care: Betty Laughlin, Arbor Terraces, Decatur; Martha-Akins, Gold City Personal Care, Dahlonaga; 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, Chambrel, Roswell; Ben Johnson, Mt. Vernon Village, 475 Mt. Vernon Rd., A201, Sandy Springs, GA 30338; Dot Bourke, Dogwood Forest Asst. Living Comm., Gainesville; Frances Smith, Hallmark at Phipps, Atlanta; Fred Hill, 762 N. Main St., Alpharetta, GA 30004; Mike Giles,