

# Tallapoosa church of Christ

*"And you shall know the truth and the truth shall make you free." John 8:32*

### Welcome Visitors

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We are blessed by your attendance and worshipping with us.

### Prayer Request

- .....
- Linzie Otwell
- Jason Rowell
- John Combs
- Daniel Lanier
- Sarah Stapler
- Troy Stapler
- Barbara McElroy
- Kimberly Payne
- Sharon Estvanko
- Kenny Laminack
- Katlyn Huddleston
- Inez Bush
- Deborah Finnell
- Teddy Cauthen
- Betty Boswell Family

### Birthdays & Anniversaries

- .....
- Inez Bush 1
- Steve Cole 16
- Jeremy & Candace Isabell 28
- Wayne & Diane Aldridge 29

## “Let the Lower Lights Be Burning”

“On a dark, stormy, night, when the waves rolled like mountains, and not a star was to be seen, a boat, rocking and plunging, neared the Cleveland harbor. “Are you sure this is Cleveland?” asked the captain, seeing only one light from the light-house. “Quite sure, sir,” replied the pilot. “Where are the lower lights?” “Gone out, sir.” “Can you make the harbor?” “We must, or perish, sir!”

And with a strong hand and a brave heart, the old pilot turned the wheel. But alas, in the dark- ness he missed the channel, and with a crash upon the rocks the boat was shivered, and many a life lost in a watery grave. The Master will take care of the great light-house: let us keep the lower lights burning!”  
-D. L. Moody.

Nautically speaking the "lower lights" are lights apart from the lighthouse that illumine the water line. They're the various lights from our windows, street lamps, and businesses that enable vessels to come into the harbor at night, through a narrow channel of the harbor's mouth.

Spiritually speaking the "lower lights" are lights from individual followers of Christ who allow the light of Christ to shine through them; their words, actions, and deeds. When we, as believers, allow the life changing message of Christ to wane in our lives or behave in a manner that does not glorify Him our flame flickers. If it goes completely unchecked our light can burn out. We don't want to bring disgrace or further the darkness but rather we want to honor the One "who has called us out of darkness into His marvelous light (Col. 1:13)."

Today the Almighty God of the universe has called us to let our light shine... to EVANGELIZE, and share the gospel of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ! May we do our part to see that

# TRUST IN THE LORD WITH ALL YOUR

{proverbs 3:5 }

## God's Plan of Salvation

1. Hearing the Word of God (Rom. 10:17; Acts 16:32)
2. Believe what is taught (Mark 16:16; Heb 11:6)
3. Repentance (Acts 2:38; Luke 13:3; Acts 17:30)
4. Confession (Acts 8:37; Rom. 10:9-10)
5. Baptism (1 Peter 3:2; Acts 2:38; Mark 16:16; Rom. 6:3-4)
6. After the above five steps, faithful Christian living (1 Peter 2:11-12; Rev. 2:10)

### This Week Leading Worship:

#### Sunday Morning:



Announcements	Kelly Cauthen
Song Leader	Harel Otwell
Opening Prayer	Alan Wilkerson
Table	Tony Hotalen
	Jeremy Isabell
Assisting	Troy Stapler
	Korbin Cauthen
Closing Prayer	Carlos Payne

#### Sunday Evening:

Announcements	Joe Mallory
Song Leader	Caden Mallory
Opening Prayer/Table	Kenny Laminack
Closing Prayer	Jeremy Isabell

### Next Week Leading Worship:

#### Sunday Morning:



Announcements	Harel Otwell
Song Leader	Cory Payne
Opening Prayer	Kelly Cauthen
Table	Cody Payne
	Kenny Laminack
Assisting	Brennan Mallory
	Caden Mallory
Closing Prayer	Tony Hotalen

#### Sunday Evening:

Announcements	Jeremy Isabell
Song Leader	Harel Otwell
Opening Prayer/Table	Joe Mallory
Closing Prayer	Carlos Payne

the "lower lights" burn brightly providing a lighted path for "some poor, fainting, struggling seaman, [that] we may rescue, we may save"!

Joe Mallory

## Notes:

### Reminders:

Check bulletin board in foyer

Widowhood Ministry VR, April 25, 11:30 AM

Area wide singing here, April 27, 7PM

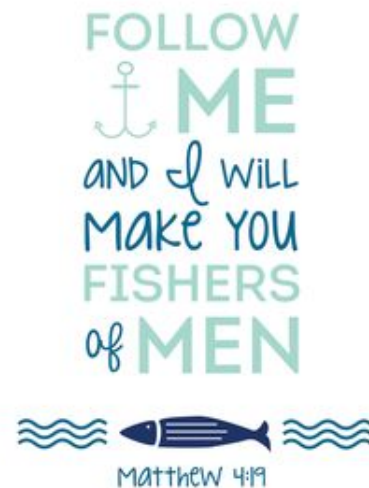
Oxford COC youth day May 5

Bremen COC Gospel Meeting 4/29-5/3

Bremen Youth Day May 12

Fellowship Day John Tanner May 12 5:30pm

VBS Fisher of Men June 15-16



Sunday Bible study: 10AM

Sunday Worship: 11AM

Sunday Evening Worship: 5PM

Wednesday Bible study: 7PM

Joe Mallory, Minister

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Cory Payne, Bulletin

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