

We welcome you to the

Albany Gospel Chapel

April 6, 2008

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Sunday Morning

Breaking of Bread.....9:30—10:30 am
Fellowship & Refreshments.....10:30—11:00 am
Morning Message & Children's Sunday School.....11:00 am—12:00 pm
Speaker.....Clay Miller
Speaker next week.....Bobby Marshall

Sunday Evening

Men & Women's Prayer Groups.....5:30—6:00 pm
Bible Study (Numbers chapter 20).....6:00—7:00 pm
Moderator this week.....Carl Gentry
Moderator next week.....Mark Daniels

Wednesday

Prayer & Bible Study.....7:30—8:30 pm
This week.....Greg Drake
Next week.....Missionary Prayer Night

Saturday Evening

Teen & Young Adult Fellowship.....6:30—9:00 pm
The Youth and Young Adult Meeting will be meeting in the chapel recreational building.

For Information or Spiritual Guidance Contact:

Bobby Marshall.....432-0436 Clay Miller.....883-2350
David Tyson.....883-5345

The deacons invite anyone with transportation difficulties or physical needs or other hindrances to please contact them for assistance. Also, please inform them of any suggestions for maintenance and improvements to the buildings or grounds.

Mike Amos.....439-8332 Greg Drake.....888-3287
Mark Daniels.....883-3286 Kirt Shiver.....759-0332
Carl Gentry.....439-0559



Announcements

Birthday Greetings to:

Ethan Marshall.....April 6
Kaitlyn Kilgo, Joshua Marshall.....April 9
David Marshall, Lyna Bennett.....April 10
Hope Marshall.....April 11



The Ezekiel Project is in Augusta, GA for the Masters golf tournament. Last year 35,000 pieces of Gospel literature were distributed. This year they plan to pass out 50,000. Please pray for the staff, students, and the believers in the Augusta area assemblies as they go out daily this week to spread the Word.

It is precisely the "yearning" and the "fainting" for the return of Christ that has distinguished the personal hope from the theological one. Mere acquaintance with correct doctrine is a poor substitute for Christ, and familiarity with New Testament eschatology will never take the place of a love-inflamed desire to look on his face. If the tender yearning is gone from the advent hope today, there must be a reason for it; and I think I know what it

Looking for that blessed hope, and the glorious appearing of the great God and our Saviour Jesus Christ...

Titus 2:13

is, or what they are, for there are a number of them. One is simply that popular fundamentalist theology has emphasized the utility of the cross rather than the beauty of the one who died on it. The saved man's relation to Christ has been made contractual instead of personal.

The "work" of Christ has been stressed until it has eclipsed the person of Christ. Substitution has been allowed to supersede identification. What he did for me seems to be more important than what He is to me. Redemption is seen as an across-the-counter transaction which we "accept", and the whole thing lacks emotional content. We must love someone very much to stay awake and long for his coming, and that may explain the absence of power in the advent hope even among those who still believe in it.

Desire and the End of an Age - A. W. Tozer

Calendar of Upcoming events

Women's Missionary Workshop April 8 & 22, 9:30-11:30 am
Scott Leach April 20
Memorial Day May 26
Mark Hartley July 13

