

We welcome you to the

Albany Gospel Chapel

January 4, 2009

2556 North Slappy Blvd. Albany, GA 31705
Chapel Phone: 229-435-3546
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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.....John Moore

Sunday Evening

Men and Women's Prayer Groups.....5:30—6:00 pm
Bible Study.....6:00—7:00 pm
Moderator.....Thomas Amos
Moderator next week.....Caleb Amos

Wednesday

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

Saturday Evening

Teen & Young Adult Fellowship.....6:30—9:00 pm
The Youth and Young Adult Fellowship will resume Sat. Jan 10th

For Information or Spiritual Guidance Contact:

Bobby Marshall.....229-432-0436 Clay Miller.....229-883-2350
David Tyson.....229-883-5345 Joel Wilkerson.....229-436-8905

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



New Schedule! The January - February - March 1st quarter schedule is available. Copies are on the table in the chapel entrance foyer.

Birthday Greetings to:

Mabel Berry.....January 4
Carl Gentry.....January 5
Jade Amos, Ann Tennison.....January 9



The **local area outreach** will resume this Saturday, January the 10th. Those with a desire to participate in this **essential ministry** should meet in the chapel recreational building at 9:30am.

Mark Twain said, "Twenty years from now you will be more disappointed by the things that you didn't do than by the ones you did do. So throw off the bowlines. Sail away from the safe harbor. Catch the trade winds in your sails. Explore. Dream. Discover." This quote appears on a Web site intended to help people discover what they are passionate about so they can live with greater significance. The apostle

He died for all, that those who live should live no longer for themselves, but for Him who died for them and rose again.

2 Corinthians 5:15

Paul's passion in life was largely driven by concern for the eternal destiny of others. In 2 Corinthians 5, he names three things that fueled his passion. First, he recognized that he was accountable to Christ for his service and wanted to give a good accounting at the judgment seat of Christ (vv.9-10). Second, Paul was driven by Christ's love and a desire that others would know the love that he had

experienced. In verse 14 he wrote, "For the love of Christ compels us." Finally, he understood that a lost and dying world needs the Savior (v.20). What are you passionate about? Paul's passion for people was fueled by the love of Christ—and ours should be as well. Let's apply Twain's words of challenge to our efforts in outreach: "Sail away from the safe harbor." Share the love of Christ with someone today. — Bill Crowder

*Set us afire, Lord, stir us we pray! While the world perishes, we go our way
Purposeless, passionless, day after day; Set us afire, Lord, stir us we pray!* -Cushman

Calendar of Upcoming events

Women's Missionary Workshop January 13 & 27, 9:30-11:30 am
Local Outreach January 10, 17, 24, & 31
John Moore January 11
Tommy Hoffman February 1

