

## WEEKLY TOTALS

08/04 & 08/07

Bible Study	52
AM Worship	78
PM Worship	50
Mid-Week	42

## OFFERING 08/04

\$5027.00

## STAY INFORMED

Are you on the email list for weekly updates, urgent notifications, prayer requests, and the digital version of the bulletin?  
If not please email Amy at:  
[amy30655@yahoo.com](mailto:amy30655@yahoo.com)

## HEARING DEVICES

If you need a hearing device please let John Newham know!

## SECRET SISTER

Please remember your sister once a month. Let her know you are thinking of her!

## MEALS FOR MEMBERS

There is a sign up sheet in the foyer for meals. Several members have recently had surgery or are just in need of a little extra help. Please help out!

## TIM WEST TRANSPORT

There is a sign up sheet in the foyer for transportation for Tim West. If you are able to help please pick a time and help Tim! Thank you for the help! Brenda and Tim GREATLY appreciate it.



**THE WEBSITE HAS BEEN UPDATED  
GO CHECK IT OUT!**



Missing Wednesday evening means that you missed a great lesson. Bobby Gatton came from Cartersville to be with us for our Summer Series. This week Sean O'Brien will be here with a lesson on LOVE. It would be great to have you here. Please plan to be here if you can. Its a great mid-week boost!

*Jewel Taylor has a new address...*

*180 Woodrow Wilson Way, Apt A 103, Rome, GA 30165*

*Steve Buckner presented a new program "Reach Out".*

*See Steve if you are interested in this effort.*

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# WELCOME to the Monroe church of Christ

We are so glad you decided to join us today!

AUGUST 11, 2019

## WELCOME

You are truly our honored guests! We hope that you find our Bible Study and Worship Service beneficial to you. We seek only to worship God in the same manner as done by Christians when the church began in Acts 2.

## CONNECTION CARDS

Please fill out a Connections Card in the pew in front of you. Pass it to the end of your row to be collected.

## PRAYERS Do you need prayers? Whether it's health, personal, or for others we will pray for you!

Tim West, Kathy Hughes, Timmy Thomas, Karon Sims, Reba Wood, Julian Pressley, Vicki Angel Gerald Porter, Charles Wilson, Gregory Campbell, Sue Shultz, Buddy Allen, Jewel Taylor, Carole Wolaver, Clinton Branch, Charles Mercer, Lucious Branch, Donna White, Everette Eldridge, Mary Alice Wise, Gloria Ansley, James Ellis, Teena Cheek, Pat Thomas, Larry Eldridge, Mark Johnson, Sharon Berrong, Pat Gibson, Mary Barczak

## UPCOMING DATES AND EVENTS

*Mens Weekly Breakfast:*

*Wednesdays 9AM at the Pot Luck Cafe*

*Ladies Monthly Bible Study:*

*Second Monday of the Month*

*Team A-1st Sunday of the Month*

*Team B-3rd Sunday of the Month*

**August 14 •**

**SEAN O'BRIEN**

**August 18 •**

**TEAM 2 LUNCH**

**August 21 •**

**MIKE GIFFORD**

## FEEDING THE FLOCK

**CANNED SALMON • DRY BEANS • APPLESAUCE • TOOTHPASTE**

**Assembly Times:**

**Sunday**

Bible Study-9:30 am

Worship-10:30 am

PM Worship-5:00 pm

**Wednesday**

Bible Study

Morning-10:30 am

Evening-7:00 pm

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RON BERRONG

JOHN HUGHES

DWAYNE MCCANNON

JOHN NEWHAM

TOM TITTLE

## PLAN OF SALVATION

Hear	Believe	Repent	Confess	Baptized	Live Faithfully
Romans 10:17	John 8:24	Acts 17:30	Romans 10:9-10	Acts 22:16	Matthew 7:21

*Taking Flight*  
By Glen Elliott

How do eagles soar so effortlessly to such amazing heights? Without so much as a flap of the wing, they glide on and on in wide circles across the sky. Through God's creative design, they are specially equipped to take advantage of updrafts or thermal currents created by differences in air temperature between the surface and higher elevations. Their ability to use these invisible forces enables them to cross over even the highest of mountains. For, as they draw near, the upward force grows stronger and stronger until the mountain is no longer an obstacle, but an adventure.

We need greater awareness of the unseen forces which can work within us. Too often, we grow tired because we have not garnered the power of God's presence in our lives. Other times, we have chosen, instead, to ride the downdraft of negative thinking so eagerly provided by the world. Direction is a spiritual mindset. God says, "Set your mind on the things above, not on the things that are on earth" (Col. 3:2). With practice, we can learn to adjust the tilt of our wings and lean into the power of God "who is able to do far more abundantly beyond all that we ask or think, according to the power that works within us..." (Eph. 3:20). The power to rise above even the highest obstacle is available if we are willing to trust and set our course in His direction.

God "gives strength to the weary, And to him who lacks might He increases power. Though youths grow weary and tired, And vigorous young men stumble badly, Yet those who wait for the LORD Will gain new strength; They will mount up with wings like eagles, They will run and not get tired, They will walk and not become weary" (Isaiah 40:29-31).

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*Ladies Bible Class date change...they will meet on September 9th*

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*If you would like to speak to the Elders, they will be available from 6:15 pm - 7 pm on August 11 after evening worship to answer any questions you may have.*

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*New Directories are available in the lobby, Binders are available if needed.*

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**5th Sunday  
CHANGES**

**After our congregational meals on the 5th Sunday we will come back in the auditorium for a congregational singing. There won't be an evening service at 5.**

## WATCH OR LISTEN ONLINE

*If you are unable to attend services you can watch them online. Both audio and video footage is available. Soon live streaming will be available as well! [churchofchristmonroega.org](http://churchofchristmonroega.org)*

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