



# Announcements!

“Seek ye first the Kingdom of God”. You are invited to begin your day with members of the church family on a phone teleconference each **Monday through Friday, 6:30 – 6:40** morning for prayer and meditation. Simply dial 1.712.432.1212, follow the instructions and enter 505-087-623 as the meeting ID. Please call in by 6:28 a.m.

## WAR ROOM BIBLE STUDY

War Room: A spiritual enrichment series on Prayer. Become victorious through strategic prayer! The series will be **Tuesdays, April 11<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup> and May 9<sup>th</sup>** from **6:00—7:15 p.m.** in the fellowship hall. Please come prepared to take notes.

The Mothers Board Ministry of Hill Chapel Baptist Church cordially invites you to our Spring Fellowship Program and Luncheon **Saturday, April 15, 2017 at 12 noon** in the fellowship hall. The program speaker will be Sister Martha Gilree of New Dorsey Baptist Church. Please R.S.V.P. to 706-548-3394 by **April 10<sup>th</sup>**.

Hill Chapel Baptist Church presents the play “Challenge of the Cross” Resurrection **Sunday, April 16 at 10:00 a.m.**



The Children's Church Ministry invites all children ages 3-12 to our Resurrection Day egg hunt on **Easter Sunday, April 16** immediately after morning worship. Join us for fun, prizes, candy, and eggs as we celebrate, “Jesus lives and gives new life”. Please bring your baskets or bags.

For the month of April, Children's Church will worship together on **Sunday, April 30<sup>th</sup>**. On third Sunday, we will worship in the sanctuary worshipping with the rest of our family. Fifth Sunday's message will be "God's Gift of the Holy Spirit."

Members, please mark your calendars for our upcoming Family Meeting **Friday, April 21<sup>st</sup>, at 7:00 p.m.** in the sanctuary. Church leaders are asked to submit written reports by **Monday, April 17<sup>th</sup>**. Thank you.

Good morning! If you are between the ages 18-35, you should join the Identity Choir! We consist of young adults in the Athens area who enjoy singing praises to God. It is not a requirement to have special musical talents, however just a heart to worship and praise God. We will rehearse **April 12<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> at 7:15 p.m.** and **April 20<sup>th</sup>, at 6:30 p.m.** See you there!



The nursery needs additional volunteers. Please contact Natalie Lett at 706-546-8813 or [lettstalk1@bellsouth.net](mailto:lettstalk1@bellsouth.net). The commitment should involve no more than one Sunday per month, hopefully.

**THE HCBC NURSERY IS OPEN!** Caretakers will be available to receive children, infant to age 5 from 10:45 – 11:30. If no children have arrived by 11:30, nursery workers will come to the sanctuary for service. Parents must have and leave a cell phone number with nursery workers and are asked to keep the phone on vibrate during the worship service. The Nursery will contact parents in the case of an emergency. Please bring any supplies (snacks, diapers, bibs, etc.) your child will need. Children are to be picked up immediately after service. The nursery caretakers look forward to having your little ones with us!

The Maggie R. Johnson Give Back to the Community Ministry is accepting spring and summer clothing. Please contact Sister Susan Thomas at 706-351-9670.



**Need a ride? To request transportation for Sunday service, please contact the church office before noon on Fridays.**

Dance classes are offered here at Hill Chapel Baptist Church Tuesday nights in the fellowship hall. **Line Dance Class: 6:00 — 7:00 p.m.; Ballroom Dance Class: 7:15 — 8:15 p.m.** Classes are \$5 per person. For information, see Minister Charlie Maddox.

Southern Broadway Drama presents the play “I Was Born To Die” **Friday, April 14, at 7:30 p.m.**, at The Classic Center Theatre. Tickets are available at a cost of \$25. If paying by check, please make your check payable to Charlie Maddox. Tickets are available through the church office Monday through Thursday, 11:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m.

If you would like an announcement printed with the weekly church announcements, please complete an Announcement Request Form (available in the file holder in the hallway outside the church office). Please leave completed form(s) in the folder designated for the church secretary in the file holder on the church office door. The deadline is Wednesday prior to the Sunday they are to appear in the program. You can also e-mail the information to [hillchapelathens@att.net](mailto:hillchapelathens@att.net). Please indicate “Church Announcement” on the Subject Line. Thank you!



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| April 9                    | Palm Sunday  |
| April 10, 6:30 p.m.        | Adult Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)                                       |
| April 11, 6:00 p.m.        | War Room Bible Study (Fellowship Hall)                                   |
| April 12, 10:00—11:30 a.m. | Bread of Heaven (Fellowship Hall)  |
| April 13, 6:30 p.m.        | Adult Choir and Challenge of the Cross Rehearsals (Choir Room/Sanctuary) |
| April 14                   | Good Friday—Office Closed  |
| April 15, 9:00 a.m.        | Challenge of the Cross Dress Rehearsal (Sanctuary)                       |
| April 15, 12:00 p.m.       | Mothers' Luncheon (Fellowship Hall)                                      |
| April 16, 7:00 a.m.        | Resurrection Sunrise Worship   |
| April 16                   | No Sunday School   |
| April 16, 10:00 a.m.       | Resurrection Sunday Worship  |
| April 16, 10:00 a.m.       | Baby Dedication: Anna Grace Chappell                                     |



Please join us

**Sundays**  
**Sunday School — 9:30 a.m.**  
**Morning Worship — 11:00 a.m.**

**Mondays**  
**Prayer Meeting — 5:30 p.m.**

**Wednesdays**  
**Noonday Bible Study**  
**Family Bible Study — 6 p.m.**

# Hill Chapel Baptist Church

“Making all people agents of healing and wholeness as Disciples of Jesus Christ”

## Lord's Day Worship and Praise



## Palm Sunday

**Sunday, April 9, 2017**  
**11:00 a.m.**

**Reverend Benjamin E.V. Lett, Pastor**  
**1692 West Hancock Avenue**  
**Athens, Georgia**  
**706-543-1377**

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## Order Worship

Preparation of Faith	Hill Chapel Baptist Church Media Ministry
Prelude	Hill Chapel Baptist Church Musicians
<b>**Devotion</b>	Hill Chapel Baptist Church Deacons Ministry
<b>*Call to Worship/Invocation</b>	
	Hill Chapel Baptist Church Youth Ministry
<b>**Morning Hymn</b>	All
	<i>At the Cross – Watts</i>
Welcome	Hill Chapel Baptist Church Youth Ministry
Pulpit Emphasis	Pastor Benjamin Lett
<b>**Praise / Worship</b>	
	Hill Chapel Baptist Church Children / Youth Choir
Altar Call	Minister Veronica Jones
<b>**Ministry of Music</b>	
	Hill Chapel Baptist Church Children / Youth Choir
<b>*Ministry of Sharing</b>	Hill Chapel Baptist Church Youth Ministry
	Scripture teaches us that God’s plan to fund the work of the church is through giving the tithe and offerings and we are committed to do so. <i>“Therefore do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will worry about itself. Each day has enough trouble of its own”</i> (Matthew 6:34 NIV).
<b>**Ministry of Music</b>	
	Hill Chapel Baptist Church Children / Youth Choir
<b>The Message</b>	Pastor Benjamin Lett
Invitation to Membership / Discipleship	Pastor Benjamin Lett
<b>Doxology</b>	All
Remarks/Benediction	Pastor Benjamin Lett

\*\*LATE WORSHIPPERS MAY ENTER

\*PLEASE STAND



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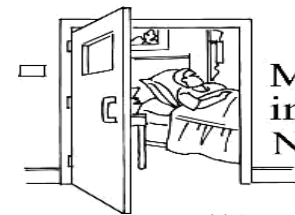
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Mattie Parrish  
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## Members in Nursing Homes

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University Nursing & Rehabilitation Center  
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180 Epps Bridge Road  
Athens, GA 30606  
706-549-5382

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Rm #402A  
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Mother Lucile Dowdy  
The Oaks of Athens  
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490 Kathwood Drive  
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(706)355-7400

Adam Fleming  
The Oaks of Athens  
Rm #606

## Hear Our Prayers



Bridgett Allen  
Curtis Bailey  
Ralph Barnett  
Richard Barnett  
Family of Jothan Barrow  
Jamie Bates  
Deacon Jerry Bell  
Kenneth Bell  
Robert Bell & Family  
Brenda Bishop  
Sara Bradford  
Joyce Bradley  
Bradford Brown  
Elycha Brown  
Pamela Brown  
Mother Elizabeth Bowers  
Karen Cates  
Ora Chambers  
Mamie Champion  
Vera S. Clark  
Geraldine Clarke  
Nancy Clarke  
Deacon Freddy and Ethel Cohen  
Ilene Collins  
Brian Cooper & Family  
Tara Cooper  
Carmen Cosby  
Diane Cox  
James J. Cox, III  
Crawford Family  
Barbra Daniel & Family  
Shelia Daniels  
Family of Carl Davis, Jr.  
Dorothy Davis & Family  
Joy Davis  
Wanda Foster Dorsey  
Brenda Dowdy & Family  
Celestine Dowdy  
Billy Dudley  
Jacqueline Elder & Family  
Susan Elder  
Alfonza Ellis  
Vivian Fanning & Family  
Monica Fladger & Family  
Emma Flemming  
Jeanie Ford  
Fannie Foster  
Shirley T. Grant

Courtney Hall  
Justin Hall  
Nikiyah Hall  
Ted Hawkins & Family  
Willie A. Hinez  
Deacon Homer Hector & Family  
James Holston  
Mother Joan Holt  
Gilda Hood  
Ida Hopkins  
Deborah Gatlin Howard & Family  
Patricia Huff  
Mary Hull & Family  
Ronnie B. Hull, III  
Roberta Hull  
Patricia Hunter  
James A. Jackson, Jr.  
Samuel E. Johnson  
Pastor James Kendrick  
Mother Elizabeth G. King  
Edwina Knowles  
Julia Lester  
Fasha Lewis  
Star Lewis  
Mother Louise Lofton  
Cynthia Luke  
Bertha Maxey  
Maxey-Hunter Family  
Deacon Frank McKinley & Family  
Willie E. McKinley  
Vickii & Tony Mills  
Moses Family  
Willese C. Moss  
Shelia Perkins  
Cecil Marie Pittman  
Victoria Pone  
Christopher Pope & Family  
Mary Ransom  
Alvin and Jerry Reid  
Joann Rittenberry  
Willie Jean Roach  
Jeanette Rucker  
Deacon Bryon Saunders  
Ella Scott & Family  
Jacqueline Simmons & Family  
J. Blake Smith & Family  
Kathy L. Smith

Lewis Smith  
Mudiwa Smith  
Marion Bernice Smith  
Valerie Smith & Family  
Donna Starks  
John Ranson Terzia  
Harriette Thomas  
Susan Thomas  
Yevetta Thomas  
Sherry Moses Thrasher  
Willie Thurman & Family  
Rosa Thurmond & Family  
Regina Turner & Family  
Frances Van Putten  
Cassandra Walker & Family  
Ivy Wallace  
The Wilkins Family  
Dorothy White  
Annie Williams  
Deacon Eddie Williams  
Mother Nancy B. Williams  
Robert Wise  
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