

Welcome Visitors!

It is a delight and a pleasure to welcome you into our fellowship today. We fervently pray that the Spirit of the Lord will so envelope you during this service that your burdens will be lifted and your spirit will be so refreshed that you will say...

"It was good for me to be here!"

Whether you are looking for a church home, have questions about the plan of salvation, or just need a kind ear, we're here for you! Please feel free to come to the altar, speak to a minister, or call the Church during office hours.

Remember: You are always welcome at

God's House Church.

We trust that you will also attend our weekly services listed on the back of this bulletin.

*Bishop & First Lady Michael Shelby
and the entire GHC Family*

Week at a Glance

Sunday

Intercessory Prayer	9:00 a.m.
Christian Education Classes	9:30 a.m.
New Life Class	10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.
Children's Church	11:00 a.m.

Monday

Tuesday

Morning Prayer	6:00 a.m.
Bible Class	11:00 a.m.
Pastor's Aide Meeting	6:00 p.m.

Wednesday

Octoberfest Meeting	6:30 p.m.
Prayer	6:30 p.m.
Bible Class	7:30 p.m.

Thursday

Adult Choir Rehearsal	7:30 p.m.
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Friday

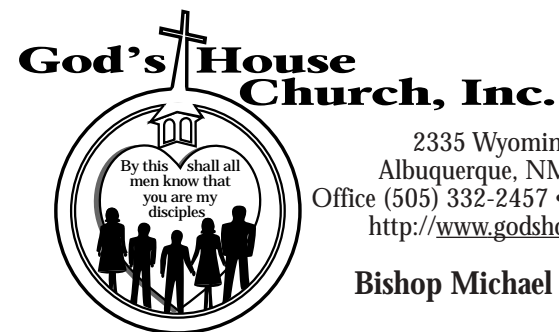
Saturday

Intercessory Prayer	9:00 a.m.
Jehovah's Chosen Rehearsal	6:00 p.m.

(See announcements for details on special events.)

Office Hours

10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Tuesday - Friday



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Welcome!

*If it had not been the Lord who was on our side...
Psalms 124:1*

SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT

*The art of being wise is the art
of knowing what to overlook!*

Proverb 6:11



America The Beautiful

America the Beautiful, or so you used to be.
Land of the Pilgrims' pride; I'm glad they'll never see.

Babies piled in dumpsters. Abortion on demand,
Oh, sweet land of liberty, your house is on the sand.

Our Children wander aimlessly poisoned by cocaine.
Choosing to indulge their lusts, when God had said abstain.

From sea to shining sea, our Nation turns away
From the teaching of God's love and a need to always pray.

So many worldly preachers tell lies about our Rock.
Saying God is going broke so they can fleece the flock.
We've kept God in our temples, how callous we have grown.
When earth is but His footstool, and Heaven is His throne.

We've voted in a government that's rotting at the core,
Appointing Godless judges who throw reason out the door.

Too soft to place a killer in a well-deserved tomb,
But brave enough to kill a baby before he leaves the womb.

You think that God's not angry, that our land's a moral slum?

How much longer will He wait before His judgment comes?

How are we to face our God, from Whom we cannot hide?
What then is left for us to do, but stem this evil tide?

If we who are His children will humbly turn and pray;
Seek His holy face and mend our evil way:

Then God will hear from Heaven and forgive us of our sins,

He'll heal our sickly land and those who live within.

But, America the Beautiful, if you don't then you will see,

A say but Holy God withdraw His hand from Thee.

*Judge Roy Moore, Chief justice
Supreme Court of Alabama*



Responsive Scripture Reading

I Corinthians 15:49-58

AND as we have borne the image of the earthy, we shall also bear the image of the heavenly.

50 Now this I say, brethren, that flesh and blood cannot inherit the kingdom of God; neither doth corruption inherit incorruption.

51 Behold, I show you a mystery; We shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed,

52 In a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trump: for the trumpet shall sound, and the dead shall be raised incorruptible, and we shall be changed.

53 For this corruptible must put on incorruption, and this mortal must put on immortality.

54 So when this corruptible shall have put on incorruption, and this mortal shall have put on immortality, then shall be brought to pass the saying that is written, Death is swallowed up in victory.

55 O death, where is thy sting? O grave, where is thy victory?

56 The sting of death is sin; and the strength of sin is the law.

57 But thanks be to God, which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

58 Therefore, my beloved brethren, be ye steadfast, unmoveable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, forasmuch as ye know that your labour is not in vain in the Lord.

Sermon Notes



Speaker _____

Subject _____

Bible Text _____



ANNOUNCEMENTS

All Pastor's Aide members and anyone wanting to work with the Pastor's Aide on the Anniversary must attend the meeting on **Tuesday, October 8th at 6 p.m.** For further information see *Evang. Senora Smith.*

There will be a meeting on **Wednesday, October 9th at 6:30 p.m.** for all volunteers who signed up or who want to be a volunteer for Octoberfest. We are in need of donations for bag(s) of candy for this event. See *Sis. Sherril Godbolt* or *Deaconess Valerie Jones* for more information.

CHANGE OF DATE: "THE Basic Life Saving Skills Class that is scheduled to be here at GHC has been changed to **Saturday, October 19th at 10:00 a.m.** The class will be taught by an American Red Cross Certified Teacher. The cost is free and open to all members. There is a 20 seat limit. *Anyone desiring to sign up for the class please see Sis. Lisa Broome,* or you can call the church and leave a message, or leave a message in the Kids for Christ box with your name and phone number.

The Pastor's Aide will be having a Bake Sale on **Sunday, October 13th** immediately after morning service in the Fellowship Hall.

Registration is now in progress for the fall semester of **THE WORD OF LIFE BIBLE INSTITUTE.** The following courses will be offered beginning **Monday, October 21st.** • **Systematic Theology 2 & Biblical Hermeneutics 1.** Sign up sheets with course descriptions and class times are posted on the bulletin board.

Strong Christians and Strong Marriages make a Strong Church! Join the Marriage Seminar on **Friday, October 25th at 7 p.m.** The presenters are Bishop and First Lady Shelby.

There will be a mandatory Ministry Head Leadership meeting on **Saturday, October 26th at 10 a.m.** ALL Ministry Heads are asked to bring their nominations for new officers. Also each ministry is asked to have the dates of their events ready to be placed on the master calendar. If you have any questions see *Sis. Sherril Godbolt.*

The **GHC Bookstore** is now open for business and is selling books, snacks, as well as tapes of **today's** service, immediately after service in the foyer.

ATTENTION ALL MINISTRIES HEADS: All ministry meetings and or activities **must** be scheduled through the church office, whether the meeting, or activity is held here at church or another location This **must** be done at least two weeks in advance.

Octoberfest fun for the whole family is coming on **Thursday, October 31st from 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.** We will have food, games, face painting, candy bags and prizes plus great fellowship. There will be a costume contest for infants to adults. Biblical costumes are encouraged. **NO** witches, goblins, ghost, scary, bloody, gory, masks or etc. costumes will be allowed.