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## Today's News...This Morning

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Old Fashioned  
Downtown  
Christmas



Saturday, November 21st  
3-8 p.m.  
Local Shopping & Vendors  
Santa & His Reindeer

Friday, November 13, 2015

Athens, Tennessee

### State and Local News

#### ◆ WATTS BAR EMERGENCY DRILL ON NOV. 18

TVA will test the emergency preparedness, in the event of an emergency, at the Watts Bar Nuclear Plant next Wednesday, November 18th. Emergency responders from federal, state, and local agencies will participate. Residents may see increased vehicle traffic in the area near the plant and may hear both on-site and off-site sirens.

#### ◆ COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE

✓ Woodward Avenue Church of God in Athens will serve as a collection site for Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes. The annual Samaritan's Purse project helps spread joy to millions of children around the world by filling shoeboxes with such things as dolls, other fun toys, school supplies, hygiene items, and notes of encouragement. If you would like to fill a shoebox or two, you can take them to Woodward Avenue Church of God any day next week. The hours are 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday; 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Wednesday; 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Saturday; and 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. on Sunday. Since 1993, Operation Christmas Child has delivered gift-filled shoeboxes to more than 124 million children in over 150 counties.

### NATIONAL & WORLD NEWS

◆ The Obama administration is moving to designate the Islamic State's murderous attacks on the Yazidi in Iraq an act of "genocide." This is an extremely rare move intended to ratchet up international pressure against the terror organization.

◆ Vincent Asaro, an 80-year-old reputed mobster was cleared of murder, extortion and other crimes by a jury in Brooklyn federal court on Thursday. The "Goodfellas" movie was based on his life.

◆ Federal prosecutors recommended that former Subway sandwich spokesman Jared Fogle spend 12 and a half years in prison and be under lifetime supervision for child pornography and having sex with two minors. Fogle is scheduled to change his plea to guilty on Nov. 19 and be sentenced by a U.S. district judge in Indianapolis.

◆ Howard University in Washington tightened security on Thursday after an online death threat against the historically black college. The University's president said this was a reflection of heightened racial tensions on U.S. campuses.

**FOOTBALL:** It's Homecoming tomorrow in Knoxville. Tennessee will host North Texas. Kickoff is at 12 noon with TV coverage on the SEC Network.



**BLAIR'S**  
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Fri., Nov. 13 - 9a-6p  
Sat., Nov. 14 - 9a-4p  
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**SAVE THE DATES**

**MCMINN SENIOR ACTIVITY CENTER ANNUAL CHRISTMAS BAZAAR & CRAFT SHOW**  
Friday-Nov 20, 9-5 & Saturday-Nov 21, 9-3  
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**Annual Small Works Show & Sale**

Unique Hand Made Gifts  
Sat., Nov. 14, 2015 .10am-3:30am  
E.G. Fisher Library  
1289 Ingleside Ave. Athens  
In the Goldie Mayfield Gallery & Community Room

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**WEEKEND WEATHER FORECAST**  
**Friday** - Sunny & cooler. High-upper 50s to low 60s.  
**Friday night** - Clear and colder. Low in the low 30's.  
**Saturday** - Sunny & clear. High-lower to mid 50s.  
**Sunday** - Sunny & clear. High-upper 50s to low 60s.  
Zoom Radar at: [www.wyxi.com](http://www.wyxi.com)

Friday, November 13, 2015

Athens, Tennessee

### Church News and Events

- The Tennessee Wesleyan College Band will present a concert at First Baptist Church of Etowah this Sunday at 6 p.m. The music will include concert band selections, sacred hymn arrangements, and Christmas favorites. The public is invited to attend this free concert.
- Voice of Deliverance Ministry's Young Adult Ministry presents **HolinessisSTILLright**, a praise and deliverance service this Sunday at 4 p.m. The church is located at 520 Old Riceville Road, Athens,.
- Glorybound Church in Madisonville will feature music by Cross Connection from Knoxville in the morning service on Sunday, November 22nd, at 10:30 a.m.
- Cedar Springs United Methodist Church will present its Fall Festival on Saturday, November 21st, from 7 a.m. to 12 noon. Breakfast will be served and baked goods, canned goods, fried apple pies, jams, jellies, yard sale items, and crafts will be sold. The church is located at 1326 County Road 700 at the Athens city limits.
- Boyd Memorial Church of God at 1130 N. Congress Parkway will host a Community Thanksgiving Dinner on Saturday, November 21st, from 4 to 6:30 p.m. Everyone is invited.
- *Journey Home*, a local bluegrass gospel group, will be singing at Nonaburg House of Prayer tomorrow at 7 p.m. The church is located on Highway 39 East of Englewood.

### Obituaries

- **Susan McDowell**, age 53, of Athens, passed away on Tuesday. Funeral arrangements will be announced later by Companion Funeral Home of Cleveland.
- **Lorene Axley**, age 84, of Sweetwater, passed away on Tuesday at her home. She was retired from Athens Products. Funeral services were held Thursday at Biereley-Hale Funeral Home.

**THURSDAY'S MARKET REPORT:** The Dow Jones Industrial Average was down 254.15 at 17,448.07. The Standard & Poor's 500 Index was down 29.03 at 2,045.97, and the NASDAQ Composite Index was down 61.94 at 5,005.08.

### THE CHURCH WALLS ARE UP!

A year and seven months after the Grace Missionary Baptist Church on Highway 58 in Meigs County was destroyed by fire during a thunderstorm, the walls and sides are now up on their new building. (Photo by Edna Andrew)



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### National Parent Involvement Day Celebration

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Parents, Grandparents, and Guardians

Cookies for Kids



Pies for Parents

Spotlight: **KC Art Gallery and Musical**  
•Tips on Helping Children with Homework  
•Healthy Tips and Recipes for Families  
•Information on TNReady



Tuesday, November 17<sup>th</sup>  
6:30-7:30 p.m.  
Athens City Middle School  
Cafeteria and Auditorium