

Scheduled to Serve, February 2, 2020

If unable to serve, call: Chuck Thomas 577-9672

Please meet in the copy room 10 minutes before worship begins.

Lord's Table

Preside

Stan Bridgeman

Serve

Charles Greenhaw

Jerry Honey

Spencer Johnson

Tim Pulliam

Raymond Stills

David Tomlinson

Robert Williams

John Wray

Alternates

Richie Poe

David Presley

Prayers

AM Open: Jerry Peters

AM Close: TJ Pulliam

PM Close: Chris Quattlebaum

Wed Close: Bob Seesongood

Scripture Reading

Scott Tennyson

Song Leader

P.M./Wed: Lucas Collins

Wed Announcements

2/05: David Keown

Wed Devo

2/05: Heath Gipson

Technology Booth

Audio Visual: Daniel Hart

Power Point: Michael Tomlinson

PM Nursery Helpers

The Middleton family

Worship Attendance

Sunday: 10:00 a.m. – 336

6:00 p.m. –

Classes: 9:00 a.m. – 180

Wed.: 6:30 p.m. -

Contribution

1/26: \$10,511.03

Golden Years Class

meets each Tuesday at 10:30 a.m. in the Activity Building.

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Margarito Bautista

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Sam Alexander

Ken Collins

Harold Johnson

Larry Keener

Scott Miller

Richie Poe

Deacons:

David Bell

Shannon Brownfield

Brian Calvert

William Clark

Sawyer Deakins

Clint Howard

David Kernodle

Chris Middleton

David Presley

Travis Prewitt

T.J. Pulliam

Cub Scott

Rick Quattlebaum

Chuck Thomas

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Bury the Hatchet

Wolf, bear, turtle, sandpiper, deer, beaver, heron, hawk, eagle.... just a list of North American animals and birds? Yes, but also Native American clan names, specifically from the Iroquois. These Native Americans lived up by the Great Lakes, partly in modern-day USA, partly in Canada. The Iroquois, also called the Haudenosaunee, (their own preferred name), were (and still are) a politically powerful league of indigenous people, living close to nature, and in harmony with lakes, forests and mountains but not always at peace with their immediate neighbors. Various different nations were famous for their intense bravery (or cruelty - depending on viewpoint). We have all read the stories of hand-to-hand battles of unimaginable violence, ending at times in scalping, slavery, domination, and torture.

When the time came to make peace with previous enemies, then part of the ceremony would be the burying of a small axe, or tomahawk, to represent the death of hostilities and the birth of harmonious life.

Standing ready to “bury the hatchet” (forgive) is both the obligation and the privilege of being a Christian: An obligation because we have been forgiven so much. A privilege because to forgive is to be like God (who forgives us).

In the Parable of the Unmerciful Servant, the Master admonished the unforgiving servant, “I canceled all that debt of yours because you begged me to. Shouldn’t you have had mercy on your fellow servant just as I had on you” (Matthew 18:32-33)? We as Christians, because of how much God has forgiven us, are obliged to offer forgiveness to others.

As we experience the forgiving nature of God, we find growing within ourselves the joy of forgiving others. More than an obligation, forgiving becomes an act of self-cleansing, of unconditional pardon, of mirroring the nature of God.

Let’s learn to “bury the hatchet” more often.

Stephen Powers

FAMILY NEWS & EVENTS

THANKS

- Northside Family, we thank you for all the prayers, calls, cards & the out pouring of love for us during our sickness. We love all of you very much! Bill & Gwen Youngblood
- Dear Northside – All we can say is Wow! The calls, texts, and prayers were a true blessing during our recent family emergency. It was a scary situation for us but some how knowing our Northside family was with us brought peace and comfort. We will forever be grateful for your support. Jody & Karla Dotson
- To whomever wrote me the beautiful message in the card I received last week I was truly blessed. Thank you so much, Mary L. Gibson P.S. I had company and I passed your card around so everyone could read it!
- WE EXTEND OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY TO:**
 - Angie Calvert over the loss of her grandmother, Edna Hannaford. Her service was Jan. 25 in Gainsville, MO
 - Adam, Lilly, Avery and Ivy Hulsey and their family over the loss of Heather. Services will be Sat. February 1, at Northside
 - Eloise Williams, her brother, George Chester Cavaness passed away, his service was Jan. 25 in Batesville, Ar.

BLOOM 20/20 WOMEN'S CONFERENCE

Bloom Conference (formerly W.I.N.G.S.) will be at Harding University February 21-22. This year's theme is "Eyes Fixed on Jesus". For more information and for online registration go to: www.harding.edu/bloom

WINTER WEATHER REMINDER

Our building will be open at our regular meeting times for those who wish to worship and study together regardless of the weather conditions. Bible classes for all age groups will be held if teachers are available. However, we encourage members to use their own best judgment as to whether the local roads, as well as our sidewalks and parking lot, will allow safe attendance. The Elders

PRAYER LIST

CURRENT

William Clark and Whitney Pulliam & their families – *recovering from kidney transplant surgery*
Angie Calvert- *the loss of her grandmother*
Hulsey Family-*the loss of Heather*
Foy Horn- *recovering from auto accident*
Eloise Williams- *the loss of her brother*

AT HOME

Ann Cash	Mildred Oser
Rochelle Powers	Faye Kisner
Ruth Pratt	Frank Mangrum
Zella Montgomery	

RETIREMENT CENTER/ NURSING HOME/ASST. LIVING

Ella Dunlap
Charlotte Gregory
Shirley Jordan
Retha Keener
Johnny LeMay
Faye McLaughlin
Phil Powers
Nelda Young Smith

ONGOING

Atkins family
Jim Bennett – *cancer*
Bob Brown-*cancer*
Jason Boernson- *cancer*
Roy & Ricky Castellano – *cancer*
Priscilla Collier – *M.S.*
Marie Dumdey
Major Matt Eddings
Imogene & Wayne (*cancer*) Ellis
Danny Godfrey – *cancer*
Tom & Betty Grayson
Dawn Greer
Ronald & Mary Ann Greer
Karen Helms
Pat Long
Frank Mangrum
Carmen McCune
Brenda Patton
Ada Xiomara Perez
Ruth Pratt
Bud Walsh
Terry Whithead – *cancer*
Mary Jo Whiteside – *cancer*
Julie Willhite – *cancer*
Jeannie Wray

Visitation and Celebration of Life for Heather Hulsey
Will be this Sat. Feb. 1 @ Northside. Visitation will be @10am and service will be @11am. Burial will be at a later date.

We are attempting to keep the Ongoing Prayer list current. If you know that someone on the list is improved and may be removed, please contact the office.

FUNERAL DINNER COORDINATORS

February:

Glenda Curtis, Barb Kernodle, Sandra Johnson

NEWS & EVENTS

7th GRADE & UP

February 2: Super Bowl party @ Marty & Vickie Burlsworth's home 7:00-10pm. Guys bring Chips and dip, girls bring dessert.
Christeens: Deadline to sign up is Feb. 16. Christeens will be in Russellville Feb. 28-March 1.

6th GRADE & UP

Center stage: will be February 9 with Clint Howard leading.

FEEDING HARRISON BASKETBALL TEAM

Northside Youth Group and Congregation will be feeding the basketball team Feb. 3. We have a few more items and helper spots we need filled. If you can help please sign up on bulletin board.

SIGN UP ON THE BULLETIN BOARD

- Help with food for the dinner for the Hulsey family after Celebration of Life service on Feb. 1.
- Help with food pantry is still needed
- Help in the nursery on Sunday evenings is still needed

"Each of you should use what ever gift you have received to serve others, as a faithful steward of God's grace in its various forms" 1Peter 4:10

NEW TEACHING QUARTER

Starts Sunday Feb. 2- April 29

Sunday

Adult Classes: Matthew
Auditorium- Ken Collins & Rick Quattlebaum
*Upstairs Auditorium-*Clint Howard & Daniel Lance
Room 222 - David Presley & Steve Powers

Wednesday Evening Classes

*Auditorium-*Rick Quattlebaum & Steve Powers "The Great Gospel Passages"
Upstairs Auditorium- Ladies' Class, Sandra Johnson & Alicia Glenn "Women in the Frontline: Spiritual Warfare"
Activity Building- Men's Class, David Bell "Daring Faith"