

SUNDAY SERVICE TIMES 9 A.M. / FB LIVE 9:05 A.M.
BIBLE CLASS 10 A.M. /SUNDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY 6 P.M.
& SMALL GROUPS/WEDNESDAY EVENING CLASS 6:30 P.M.

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Sam Alexander	Harold Johnson	Scott Miller
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David Bell	David Presley
Beau Bennett	Travis Prewitt
Winston Bruce	Chris Quattlebaum
Brian Calvert	Rick Quattlebaum
William Clark	
Sawyer Deakins	

OFFICE
HOURS:
MON-FRI
8AM-3PM

SERVICE & WORSHIP HELPERS FOR NOVEMBER 27

Sunday Service 9 a.m. / Bible class 10 a.m. & 6 p.m.

SERMON: Steve Powers

PRESIDE & PRAY: Stan Bridgman

SCRIPTURE: Joseph Jenkins

CLOSING PRAYER: Evan Welch

SUNDAY & WED. USHERS: Lee Campbell & Robert Williams

SERVER: Marty Burlsworth, Lucas Collins, David Glenn, Spencer Johnson, Kiley Keener, Pete Papa, Jacob Prewitt, Bill Youngblood

SERVICE FOR COUNTRYSIDE ASSISTED LIVING 1:00 pm

Cub Scott & Roger Paul

TECH BOOTH: Clint Howard **BROADCAST:** Nathanael Smith

SONGLEADER: 9 a.m. David Bell **6 p.m. & Wednesday:** Jason Hart

NURSERY: Rosie Campbell, & Cris Williams

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 30

SCRIPTURE & PRAYER: Richie Poe

ANNOUNCEMENTS: Cub Scott

ATTENDANCE: WED. 11/16-125- **SUN.** 11/20- **9 a.m.** 239

BC: 175 **p.m.:** 149 **Contribution** 11/20-?

COMMUNION & BUILDING: Daniel Lance

OCTOBER WORSHIP LEADER: Travis Prewitt

ELDER OF THE MONTH: Larry Keener

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SUFFERING

1 Peter 4:19 So then, those who suffer according to God's will should commit themselves to their faithful Creator and continue to do good.

When I see the suffering of impoverished peoples throughout the world, I wonder why it is that I was born to such comfort and plenty. Had I been born in their stead, would I spend days in hunger or homelessness or in flight from creditors or unscrupulous governments? [It is estimated that 9.2 percent of the world's population lives in abject poverty, on less than \$1.90 per day, lacking food, clean water and adequate shelter.]

When I see the suffering of persecuted Christians throughout the world, I wonder why it is that I was born to a place of protected religious freedom. Had I been born in their stead, would I be pursued for being a Christian? Would professing Christ result in loss of safety, loss of employment or loss of life? [It is estimated that 250 million professing Christians live in regions where (extreme) hostility towards them is a daily threat. That is 3.5% of the entire world population. North Korea has been at the top of the list, representing extreme danger for Christians, for 18 consecutive years.]

We all experience forms of suffering. Suffering connected with loss. Suffering connected with illness. Suffering connected with stress, depression, abandonment, abuse, misfortune. Suffering is a part of the human experience.

As Christians we look to the pages of scripture for guidance to cope with suffering. And the Bible does not disappoint : we find in God's Word the help we need.

Peter has much to say about suffering. He makes it clear that those who profess Christ will suffer. And that those who do suffer for Christ, should consider themselves blessed to do so. But how do we practically respond to persecution and suffering? How is the Christian to act and to behave in the face of suffering?

1 Peter 4:19 offers an answer : "commit to a faithful Creator and continue to do good". When I suffer I don't often feel like doing good. Sometimes I want to retaliate, to give an eye for an eye, or to give up. Peter offers a different behavior, a better behavior : to lean upon the Lord and keep on doing the right thing.

Every day. All day. Just continue to do good and trust in God to handle the rest.

Stephen

Family News

Happy Thanksgiving

"In happy moments, **PRAISE GOD**. In difficult moments, **SEEK GOD**. In quiet moments, **WORSHIP GOD**. In painful moments, **TRUST GOD**. Every moment, **THANK GOD**." – Rick Warren



Happy Anniversary
Jerry & Bettye
Honey

If you would like to send a card their address is :
918
Meadowhaven
Harrison,
Arkansas

65
years on 11.28.22

There will be NO Bible classes Wednesday, November 23. We will all meet together for a short devo in the Main Auditorium.

December
FOOD PANTRY

DECEMBER 2
10AM – 2PM
VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Thank You

Dear Northside family, with a grateful heart I want to say thank you for all the healing thoughts & prayers since I had my stroke. I am so blessed to be a part of such a wonderful church family. God bless you always. Love Lila Nettell

Dear Ruth's Northside Family, Dementia is hard! God sees our struggle. I believe one of the ways He comforts us is sending ya'll to visit & send cards to Ruth. We are blessed by your kindness. Thank you! Vickie, Bob & Lanita Linch

Prayer Request

CURRENT

Christene Doyle's dad, Harvey Adams, passed away early this morning on 11/23, Keep Christene and family in your prayers.

Mary Brown- broke her hip, she is in Hillcrest for rehab in room 111.

Family of Walker Deakins- Walker passed away 11/11.

Mary Gibson- is in Hillcrest Room # 103, with displaced ribs, caused by her fall.

Sandy Lair- has an appointment date of December 10th at UAMS and will know more after she sees them.

Ray Mathis- Undergoing cancer treatments.

Lila Nettell- will have an angiogram the 29th to see if she has any blood clots.

Jean Powell- Sister of Joyce Hankins and Carolyn Purdy, fell and broke a hip, she is in Hillcrest for rehab, room 107

TJ Pulliam- shingles

Connie Quattlebaum-Pray for continued healing.

Carolyn Seesengood's family- her nephew Kevin Beard passed away 11/21. Her brother GB, is in the hospital with tumors in his chest.

Von Sikes- Aletha Campbell's brother-in-law- is having a heart valve replacement on Nov. 23.

Jeannie Wray-is feeling a little better and is recovered from Covid.

ONGOING

Joan Drewery
Robin Haller
Bettye Honey
Johnny Matlock
Ray Mathis
T.J. & Whitney Pulliam
Mary Rogers
Dale & Charlene Thorne
Jeannie Wray

NURSING HOME

ASST. LIVING

Barbara Burlsworth
Sybil Gaskil
Charlotte Gregory
Mike Eckhart
Patty Hart
Retha Keener
Ruth Linch
Sue Mangrum
Faye McLaughlin
Toppy Parker
Ruth Pratt
Nelda Young Smith
Curt & Reba Shaddox
Dale Thorne

Dawn Greer would like to invite everyone to her 50th birthday party in the Activity Bld. on Nov. 26 @ 1 pm



Mary Brown
Herb & Barb Gipson
Shirley Jordan

Johnny Matlock
Jeannie Wray

November Funeral Dinner Coordinators

Jo Alexander, Brenda Clark & Emily Rhoads

Announcements

Ladies Ornament Exchange

DECEMBER 5
6 PM
(At) THE HOME OF MICHELLE CARROLL

COME FELLOWSHIP
BRING A FINGER FOOD AND AN ORNAMENT TO EXCHANGE

COME & GO
8-10AM

Winter Wonderland

BREAKFAST with SANTA
DECEMBER 10
NORTHSIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST

Please sign-up on the bulletin board for volunteers, food and if you plan on attending.

IT IS TIME FOR
LTC

SIGN-UP NOW
Deadline to sign-up is Sunday Nov. 27th.

Sign-up sheets will be posted in the Kids Wing with information about all events.

Looking for coaches to sign-up as well

LIFT
LADIES IN FELLOWSHIP TOGETHER

THE LADIES LIFT MEETING WILL BE SUNDAY, DECEMBER 11- IN THE ACTIVITY BUILDING @ 7:15

Right after evening service.
We will be playing minute to win it games!

Children's Home

Please bring gifts in by
THIS SUNDAY NOV. 27

Youth Banquet
7TH-12TH

Family Dinner Night
December 10
@ 6 p.m. in
The Activity Building

TEENS AND THEIR FAMILIES
COME JOIN US AS WE
DISCUSS ALL THE ACTIVITIES
WE ARE PLANNING FOR 2023

WE ARE COLLECTING
HATS & GLOVES
FOR THE HOME BOUND

Please drop off at the church by December 10.