

We are having services at the church Sunday's @ 10 am
If you would prefer, we are still doing the online stream of the
service @ 10 am and a Bible study @ 11am.
Our Wednesday service will start back August 19 @ 6:30 p.m.

Worshipping Together

Northside will meet at 10 am Sunday mornings. We will stream the service live on FB and Steve will do a Bible study afterward at 11 am. Wednesday's service will remain online.

"Due to the present health crisis. If you plan to attend, we ask you to read the Arkansas State Health Dept. guidelines at <https://www.healthy.arkansas.gov/programs-services/topics/covid-19-guidance-for-faith-based-organizations> and do your best to comply with these guidelines."

There will be only two doorways for entry and exit. These will be the main doorway facing Walnut Street and the breezeway door that accesses the lower parking lot. The doorway at the front of the auditorium will be for emergency exiting only. No childcare will be provided at this time and we ask that you do not enter the educational wing of the building. Please strive to maintain 6 feet distancing between family groups as you enter and exit the building. Due to the physical distancing guidelines, you may be asked to sit away from your usual area of the auditorium so that there is room for everyone. If there is a need for overflow seating, this will be provided in the fellowship building with a livestream of our worship there. There will be elders and deacons to assist you with entry, seating and exiting worship.

Individual communion packets can be picked up in the foyer as you enter the building. Offering plates will be available for giving in the foyer as you exit.

If you have existing health problems or are over 65 years of age, then group worship may put your health at risk. If you have questions about this, please consult with your healthcare provider to see if attendance is safe for you at this time. We will continue to live stream our worship service for those who need to remain at home for now.

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Elders:	Deacons:	
Sam Alexander	David Bell	Chris Middleton
Ken Collins	Shannon Brownfield	David Presley
Harold Johnson	Brian Calvert	Travis Prewitt
Larry Keener	William Clark	T.J. Pulliam
Scott Miller	Sawyer Deakins	Cub Scott
Richie Poe	Clint Howard	Rick Quattlebaum
	David Kernodle	Chuck Thomas

Presiding and Closing Prayer

8/23- Heath Gipson

AV/PT 8/23- Josh Wilson & Michael Tomlinson

Contribution 8/16- \$6,019 Attendance 8/16- 133

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WILL WE
SEIZE THE
DAY?

In our modern world, motoring or flying across the country is both fast and affordable. We barely give a thought to whizzing down the interstate at 70 miles per hour and arriving at far-west locations in a day or two. It is hard for us to imagine that as recently as 150 years ago, travel to the western United States took months of difficult and menacing horse-drawn travel. The route was fraught with danger, disease and detours. Uncrossable rivers and mountains, wild animals, and inclement weather were very real barriers to westward travel. All of this changed with the construction of the Transcontinental Railroad.

From the start the Eastern part of the US, east of the Missouri river, was well provided with railroad tracks. America's first steam locomotive began its life in 1830, and many cities on the eastern coast were linked. Crossing to the Pacific coast, including passing the Sierra Nevada mountains and the desert in order to get to the gold mines of California, was a very dangerous, time-consuming and costly endeavor: the journey cost over \$1000 and took months. After the completion of the railroad on 10th May 1869, journey time was cut to a week, and the cost to a mere \$100.

Two separate companies were set up to build the tracks west of the Missouri: The Union Pacific (which was charged with building westwards near the Iowa-Nebraska border); and the Central Pacific (whose job was to build eastwards from Sacramento, across the Sierra Nevada). The two companies were to meet in the middle, and after a lot of competition and racing, this was eventually accomplished at Promontory Summit, north of the Great Salt Lake - 690 miles east of Sacramento and 1,086 from Omaha. The Central Pacific had had to construct the tracks across the Sierra Nevada, which took far longer than building in the plains.

Connecting the two American coasts changed the United States forever -- it would never be the same. The railroad facilitated westward expansion; its construction was considered to be one of the greatest American technological feats of the 19th century. Known as the "Pacific Railroad" when it opened, it served as a vital link for trade, commerce,

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Family News

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and travel and opened up vast regions of the North American heartland for settlement.

In the early days of the gospel, the apostles faced similar travel barriers. The message of Christ was taken by disciples walking on foot to the far reaches of the earth. Bandits, storms, and month-long journeys served as very real barriers. As I reflect on the advancement of communication and travel, I marvel at the online presence that we have been able to utilize these past months. At the same time, I wonder if we have truly grasped the unique opportunity that God has given us in our modern age to think bigger and to reach further. After all, far is not so far anymore. The barriers are fewer. Will we seize the day? "Go into all the world and preach the gospel to all creation. Whoever believes and is baptized will be saved, but whoever does not believe will be condemned" (Mark 16:15-16).

Stephen Powers

Sympathy

Let's extend our sympathy to the Johnson family. Jim's father Wimp Johnson, passed away last Thursday. They had his burial service Tuesday.

Dale Thorne will get to come home Thursday. Charlene is in need of a transport wheel chair and a bedside Commode, contact Charlene if you have one you would be willing to loan her. 870-688-7466



Come & Go Shower

Wedding Shower honoring Logan Thomas & Summer Stackhouse, will be Saturday, Aug. 22, in the Activity Building from 10:30-12:30. If you prefer you may drop the gifts off at the church office. We will make sure they get them.

Prayer Request

CURRENT

Barbara Gipson- is recovering from back surgery she had last Wednesday.

Mary Gibson- is still in a lot of pain and appreciates continued prayers

Jim Johnson Family-over the passing of his father.

Cindy Johnson-is home now. They still need to figure out a course of action to give her relief from nerve damage. Continue to pray for Cindy.

Connie Kimmerly- aunt of Chris Middleton, found out she has multiple cancer tumors and is deteriorating quickly.

Hope Mosley- recovering from a shoulder replacement surgery she had on Tuesday.

Sally Nelson-Martha Picken's aunt, is having a procedure to fix a heart valve.

Dale Thorne-is now in rehab at Encompass health. They are hoping he can come home Thursday. Keep Dale & Charlene both in your prayers.

Kevin Weeks- family friend of Mary Gibson, has Covid & double-pneumonia.

AT HOME

Mary Brown
Ann Cash
Faye Kisner
Frank Mangrum

Richard & Ruth Poe
Rochelle Powers
Gene & Ruth Pratt

ONGOING

Atkins family

Jim Bennett – cancer

Bob Brown-cancer, he is home

Haley Carney- cancer

Ricky Castellano – cancer

William Clark & Whitney Pulliam

Priscilla Collier – M.S.

Marie Dumdey

Major Matt Eddings

Tom & Betty Grayson

Dawn Greer

Ronald & Mary Ann Greer

Linda Horton- cancer

Frank Mangrum

Brenda Patton

Ada Xiomara Perez

Bud Walsh

Julie Willhite – cancer

Jeannie Wray

**RETIREMENT CENTER/
NURSING HOME/ASST.**

LIVING

Ella Dunlap

Charlotte Gregory

Shirley Jordan

Retha Keener

Faye McLaughlin

Zella Montgomery (Hillcrest)

Mildred Oser

Phil Powers

Nelda Young Smith

The names on the current prayer list are kept on for a couple of weeks. If you know someone that needs to be kept on longer please let the office know. If there is anyone that needs prayers and has not been added, please let us know.

FUNERAL DINNER COORDINATORS

August

Marilyn Jarrett, Laura Ragland, Darcy Keener

Announcements

7th graders and Families

The Hart's are having a dinner for 7th graders and their families this Friday, August 21, @ 6pm It will be at Jason & Jennifer's home.

Truth for Today Commentary "James"

Available for purchase for \$27. If you would like one, please contact the office.

Drive-through Pantry

This Friday, August 21

10am-2pm



They could use some help. Let David Kernodle know if you are able.



We are looking forward to our fellowship together. Starting this Wednesday, August 19 @ 6:30 . We will start having a service back in the church. It is designed to engage everyone of all ages. The Wednesday online services will be discontinued.