

Scheduled to Serve: November 17, 2019 If unable to serve, call: Sawyer Deakins 321-6342 Please meet in the copy room 10 minutes before worship begins.		
Lord's Table Preside Jerry Peters	Prayers AM Open: David Presley AM Close: Raymond Stills PM Close: Bob Seesengood Wed Close: Chris Middleton	Technology Booth Audio Visual: Samuel Horne Power Point: Michael Tomlinson
Serve Josh Wilson David Presley Ron Lenderman Eric Jones Lynn Keener Daniel Lance Jim Johnson Shannon Brownfield	Scripture Reading Jerry Honey	PM Nursery Helpers Tammy Middleton Whitney Pulliam
Alternates Dale Thorne Lee Campbell	Song Leader P.M./Wed: 11/20 Travis Prewitt	Worship Attendance Sunday: 10:00 a.m. – 319 6:00 p.m. – Classes: 9:00 a.m. – 201 Wed.: 6:30 p.m. – 152
	Wed Announcements 11/20: Richie Poe	Contribution 11/10: \$ \$8,650.33
Usher Clyde Johnson David Kernodle Bill Cole David Glenn	Wed Devo 11/20: Chuck Thomas	Security – 11/17 & 11/20
	Greeters Roger & Charlene Cunningham Bill Youngblood	Maple Esplanade Communion 11/17 Ron Lenderman 11/24 Luke & Nikki Collins
Golden Years Class meets each Tuesday at 10:30 a.m. in the Activity Building.		

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GET READY

Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of compassion and the God of all comfort, who comforts us in all our troubles, so that we can comfort those in any trouble with the comfort we ourselves have received from God. For just as the sufferings of Christ flow over into our lives, so also through Christ our comfort overflows. 2 Corinthians 1:3-5

I recently went back through my records and found this article I wrote a few years ago.

Have you ever given serious thought to why our lives are at times filled with trouble and at other times seem to coast along without a worry or care? Given a choice, I certainly prefer the worry-free coasting! However, that may be when Satan has us "right where he wants us". Right where we don't feel the need for the comfort that God has for us, right where we don't have a personal appreciation for the sufferings of Christ, and right where we don't or can't sympathize with others in trouble.

The Lord's people at Northside are certainly not immune from the worry, trouble, and pain of this world. There are those who have unexpectedly lost parents, spouses, and children in death. Those who have and are experiencing failed businesses, bankruptcy, and legal trouble. Those who have and are daily fighting physical pain, illness, depression, and cancer. Those who have and are going through divorce in their family. Those who have and are struggling with addiction to alcohol, drugs, pornography, and sexual immorality. It seems Satan is using all of this life's heartache and temptation to try to distract us from "walking in the light".

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FAMILY NEWS & EVENTS

OPPORTUNITY TO GIVE:

If you would like to give money to the Clark and Pulliam families to help with initial medical and living costs during their surgery and recovery, a basket will be placed in the foyer this Sunday, November 17. Of course, you may share with them directly as well. The full extent of the need is not known at this time, so we may have another time of giving at a later date if necessary.

Thank you,
The Elders

GUEST SPEAKER:

Robert Chambers from Albuquerque, NM, will speak at our combined adult bible class and both the AM and PM services this Sunday, November 17. Bob's book [A Debt I Cannot Pay](#) and website [thetruthtransforms.com](#) are tools he uses to reach and teach others about Christ. We look forward to hearing his message about how we all can serve the Lord through evangelism.

GOLDEN YEARS:

Golden Years will hold its Thanksgiving celebration next Tuesday, November 19. There will be no meeting on November 26.

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

THANK YOU

To Our Northside Church Family:
Words just cannot express how much we appreciate and thank you for the prayers, calls, flowers, the wonderful food and, most of all, the great love you have shown us during these difficult days since losing our dear Pauline.
In Christian love, thank you.

Bill & Liz Wilcox

PRAYER LIST

CURRENT

- William Clark and Whitney Pulliam – Whitney is donating her kidney to William and surgery will be November 19
- Bonnie Paul – had open-heart surgery this week at Cox South in Springfield
- Sandra Johnson – shoulder surgery this week
- Lucille Fort is struggling with arthritis pain
- Frank Mangrum - undergoing cancer treatment in St. Louis

**RETIREMENT CENTER/
NURSING HOME/ASSISTED LIVING**

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

AT HOME

Ann Cash
Faye Kisner
Zella Montgomery
Rochelle Powers

*Names on the prayer list will generally appear for a few weeks.
Please call the office if you would like for names to appear longer.*

ONGOING

Atkins family
Jim Bennett – cancer
Roy & Ricky Castellano – cancer
Priscilla Collier – M.S.
Lisa Eastridge – cancer
Marie Dumdey
Major Matt Eddings
Imogene & Wayne (cancer)
Ellis
Sybil Gaskill
Danny Godfrey – cancer
Tom & Betty Grayson
Dawn Greer
Ronald & Mary Ann Greer
Micah Hart
Karen Helms
Frank Mangrum
Carmen McCune
Virginia Parker – cancer
Brenda Patton
Ada Xiomara Perez
Bud Walsh
Terry Whithead – cancer
Mary Jo Whiteside – cancer
Julie Willhite – cancer
Jeannie Wray

FUNERAL DINNER COORDINATORS

November:

Jo Alexander, Brenda Clark, Emily Rhoads

December:

Betty Presley, Janice Taylor, Janelle House, Vanessa Lance

YOUTH NEWS

7th Grade & Up

Teen Retreat Camp Galilee: Dec. 6-8. Sweatshirts are \$15 each.

CONGRATULATIONS!

Gene & Ruth Pratt will celebrate 73 years of marriage this Saturday, November 16. Congratulations Gene and Ruth! What a blessing!

Steve Powers has been working very hard on getting his counseling license for several years. He has spent many hours taking classes and counseling people of all ages. His passion is working with children. Steve just passed his oral interview with the state and has been granted the license of: "Licensed Associate Counselor". Congratulations, Steve! We are proud of you!

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If you have been through any of the things mentioned above, you now have a special gift, the gift to comfort, counsel, and pray with someone going through the same problem in a way that others cannot. If you are struggling now, read James 1:2-18, and then ask a brother or sister to help you. If you think your Elders haven't experienced some of these things – then you need to get to know us better. We are always available for prayer and, if you like, can put you in touch with someone who has been where you are. You are not alone.

If you have not been through any of the things above, then get ready. Get ready to need the comfort of God, appreciate the sufferings of Christ, and let that comfort overflow to others who need it, too.

Ken Collins
Elder