

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

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Elders:

Sam Alexander	Harold Johnson	Scott Miller
Ken Collins	Larry Keener	Cub Scott

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David Bell	David Glenn	Chris Middleton
Beau Bennett	Clint Howard	David Presley
Winston Bruce	Joseph Jenkins	Travis Prewitt
Brian Calvert	David Kernodle	Chris Quattlebaum
William Clark	Daniel Lance	Rick Quattlebaum
Sawyer Deakins	Ron Lenderman	

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Mon – Fri
8 a.m. – 3 p.m.**

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Edgar Garary &
Margarito Bautista

SERVICE & WORSHIP HELPERS November 9

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

SERMON: Steve Powers

PRESIDE OFFERING PRAYER: Heath Gipson

SCRIPTURE: Owen Fouraker

CLOSING PRAYER: Larry Keener

SUNDAY & WED. USHERS: Lynn Keener, David Kernodle

SERVERS: Robin Haller, Ron Lenderman, Chris Middleton, Pete Papa,
Roger Patton, Robert Williams, Lynn Keener, David Kernodle

GREETERS: Ron & Brenda Lenderman,
Kathryn Myers & Levi Hursh

COUNTRYSIDE ASSITED LIVING WORSHIP SERVICES 1 p.m.

David Presley, Rick Quattlebaum

SONG LEADER 9 a.m. David Bell

TECH BOOTH: Clint Howard **STREAMING AV:** Makayla Howard

NURSERY: Middleton Ladies

WEDNESDAY, November 12

SCRIPTURE & PRAYER: Daniel Lance (Daniel 2:23-45)

ANNOUNCEMENTS: David Glenn

SONG LEADER: Steve Powers

Attendance

WED: 10/29 134 SUN 11/2 a.m. 334 BC p.m. 147

CONTRIBUTION 11/2: \$17,505.00

COMMUNION AND BUILDING: Rick Quattlebaum/Chris Quattlebaum

WORSHIP COORDINATOR: Travis Prewitt

ELDER OF THE MONTH: Larry Keener

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PARABLE of The SOWER N° 2: ROCKY GROUND

Most of Jesus' parables come without explanation – allowing the listener to draw his own spiritual application. The Parable of the Sower is different. Jesus reveals its deeper meaning. For this, we are blessed. Last time, we considered the seed sown on the path. Today, the seed sown among the rocks.

In this beautiful and easy-to-grasp parable, the second type of soil allows the grains to germinate quickly. The idea is that the soil, under which lies the inevitable rock characteristic of Mediterranean terrain, is warm and easily penetrable. Seed flourishes quickly thanks to the warmth of the soil. But, when the sun of midday starts to beat down on it, the soil cannot sustain the little plant's growth. The rocky layer prevents the establishment of firm roots, and deprived of water and sustenance, the young grain is instantly burnt by the power of the sun's rays and dies. In spiritual terms this translates as follows: a person hears the Word of God and is very enthusiastic about it; it may seem as if the Word is flourishing more quickly than the seed which fell on good ground. The thin soil above the rocky layer is warm and welcoming to the seed, but as soon as the heat of worldly concerns starts beating on the new Christian, the lack of root means he is instantly distracted and lead astray; the newly planted Word dies from lack of foundational roots and it is all in vain.

Some have suggested that the Parable of the Sower reveals the four unique ways that a person responds to the gospel: 1 - hard heart, unreceptive, 2 - shallow heart, fleetingly receptive, 3 - crowded heart, receptive but busy, and 4 - good heart, fully receptive and responsive. These four soils (hearts) raise awareness in the minds of seed-sowing disciples. It also helps the disciple keep watch over his own heart, maintaining its goodness. The rocky

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**Adult Bible Classes Schedule
November 2nd - January 28th**

Sunday - *The Major Prophets*

Auditorium: Ken Collins & David Bell

Upstairs: Steve Powers & Ted Howard

Activity Building: Cub Scott & Beau Bennett

Wednesday Night Adult Classes:

Auditorium: Larry Keener: *Light of the World*,
WBS video series

Upstairs: Steve Powers: Favorite Bible Stories

Family News

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ground reminds us of the power of persecution and discouragement to wilt a young and growing faith. Deep roots are necessary to overcome the discouragement which inevitably comes when the new Christian tries to follow the Word in an increasingly antagonistic society.

~ Stephen Powers

10-22-2025
Dear Northside
Congregation!

Thank you for the calls,
cards and most of all your
prayers for my brother,
Butch Alumbaugh.

We covet your love and
concern.

In Christ,
Bettye & Jerry Honey

To My Loving Church Family,
Words cannot express how
loved I have felt since I have
been sick. Your loving cards,
calls and texts have kept my
eye on the Lord. Your prayers
have almost never stopped
and were definitely felt.

I praise God for you all
daily.

With all my love,
Joan Drewry

UPCOMING TEEN EVENTS

- **Nov. 5 - Teen Devo & Service project 5:30 @ the Activity Building (this is a weekly project)**
- **Nov. 9 - Teens & Family Meeting after Bible Class in the Activity Building Meal will be provided**
- **Nov. 14-15 - Deeper Conference in Fayetteville**

Prayer Requests

CURRENT

Sherria Honey Burk, Jerry & Bettye Honey's daughter, received good news from her last scans. **Dawn Greer** requests prayers. **Averyl Grinder's** surgery is scheduled for December 9th.

Jodi Harra is experiencing health problems. **Beverly Johnson**, Christine Ivaska's sister, is undergoing testing for several health issues. **Christy Lair** is home. Please pray for her to have the will to keep going & get a little stronger every day. **Allan McAnally**, Dawn Jones' brother, has Stage 4 colon cancer that has spread to his lymph nodes & liver. He is starting chemotherapy.

Twig McKinney had surgery Oct. 30th. He is recovering at home, and recovery is going much faster than after the last surgery.

Rusty McMillan - Please continue to keep Rusty & Alicia in your prayers.

Kay Mason would appreciate prayers.

Melina Moats surgery went well. Dependent upon a pathology result, there is a small chance of another surgery in two weeks.

Sharon Olmstead, Carolyn Seesengood's sister, has a mass on her pituitary gland. She will be going to Washington University for consultation December 2nd.

Ronnie Peters' cancer has spread to his liver and is aggressive.

Lester Sims is having issues with his diabetes.

ONGOING

Ken Avaritt
Jon Bussard
Joan Drewry
Marsha Garza
Dawn Greer
Bettye Honey
Spring Martin
Kay Mason
Barbara Mathis
Drew Morlen
Beatrice O'Neal
Malia Parkinson
Jerry Peters
Mary Rogers
Stephanie Taylor
Jillian Willis

NURSING HOME & ASSISTED LIVING

Sharon Ballard
Grace Brisco
Mary Brown
Ann Cash
Charlotte Gregory
Shirley Jordan
Margie Malone
Faye McLaughlin
Carol Murphy

At Home



Herb Gipson
Dawn Greer
Ralph Hill

Faye Kisner
Kathleen Mullen
Beatrice O'Neal

James Reddell

November Funeral Meal Coordinators:
Brenda Clark,
Emily Rhoads, Jo Alexander

Announcements

Food Pantry

Nov. 7 @ 10AM-Noon

Volunteers Are
Needed

Please arrive by 9:30



KFC

Fun on the Farm

15
Nov

3 PM

Deakins' Farm
1114 Mountain
Pine Dr.

HAYRIDE

HOT DOGS *S'MORES

SACK RACE

See Darcy or Jayme for more
information

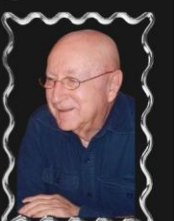
Happy 91st Birthday,
Jerry Honey!



November 16

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CHILDREN'S HOME CHRISTMAS

Please bring your
presents to the office by
Dec. 5th with the wish
list attached & a self-
addressed, stamped
envelope for a thank you
note attached.



*2 wish
lists are still
available

*Donations of gift wrap, bows, name
tags, etc. are appreciated.

Save the Date Sat. Dec. 6th
7:30 - 10 AM

All Aboard

The Polar Express
Northside's 5th Annual
Breakfast with Santa.

