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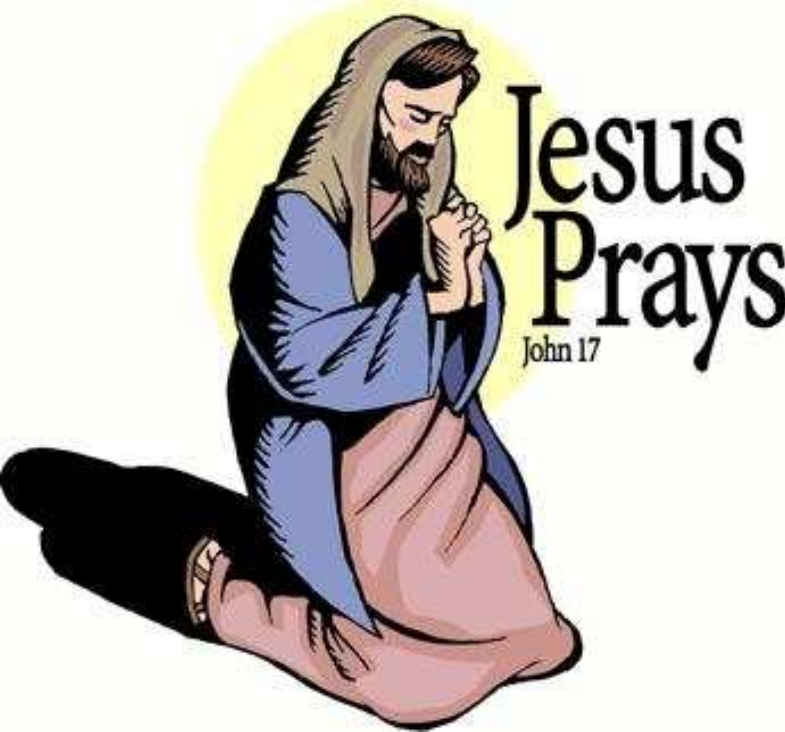
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November 5, 2017 – 11:00 a.m. Worship
Celebrating 15 Years of Faithful Mission and Ministry!



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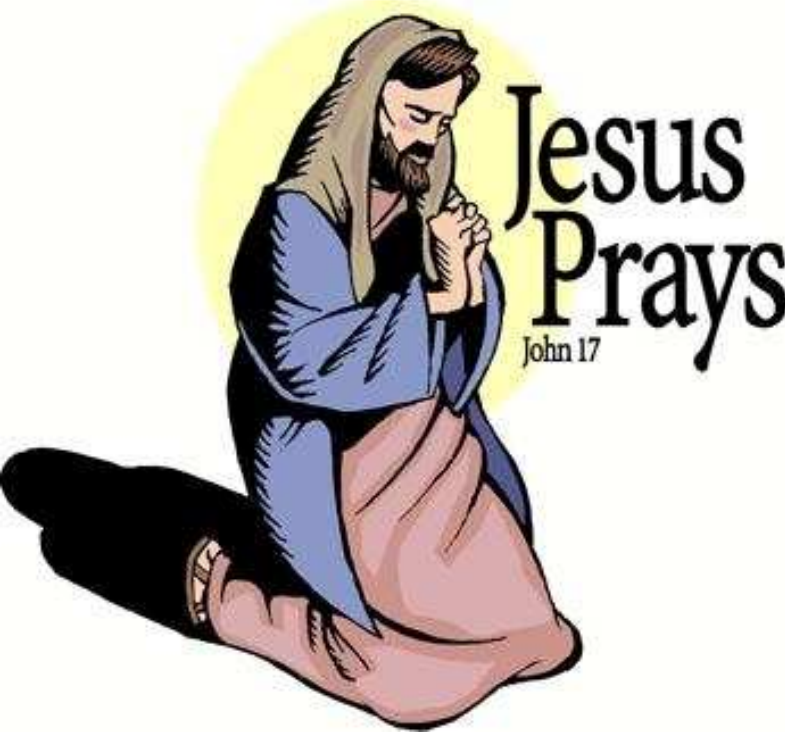
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