



John 17:3

And this is eternal life, that they know you, the only true God, & Jesus Christ whom you have sent.

2 Peter 3:18

¹⁸ But grow in the grace & knowledge of our Lord & Savior Jesus Christ. To him be the glory both now & to the day of eternity. Amen.



Matthew 28:19-20

¹⁹ Go therefore & make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father & of the Son & of the Holy Spirit, ²⁰ teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you.



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Sunday School Attendance: 38
Worship Attendance: 88

ANNOUNCEMENTS

We wish a happy birthday this week to Chris Stone and Lori Marr. We wish a happy anniversary this week to Donny and Ciara Barnes.

Please join us on Wednesday evenings for Bible studies for all ages at 6:30 PM. There is a free meal for children and youth served at 6:00 PM.

SGBC will be hosting a Gingerbread Bash on Sunday December 7th (time TBD). Donations are being accepted to help construct the gingerbread stables. A list of needed items are available outside the church office. For more information, see Sherry Roberson.

SGBC will be partnering with Hope House by hosting Affordable Christmas on Saturday, December 13th. Affordable Christmas empowers low-income families with the opportunity to purchase gifts at an affordable price. If you would like to donate, shopping lists are available on the donation box located in the vestibule. For more information about donating and volunteering, please visit www.hopehouse.com/christmas.

Shoe boxes for Operation Christmas Child are due on Sunday, November 23rd.

We are seeing increased requests for food assistance. If you would like to help meet those needs, you can make a designated gift to the benevolence fund or give donations of non-perishable food items to SOKY Patriots.

Sunday November 9th, 2025



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The LORD your God is in
your midst, a mighty one
who will save; he will rejoice
over you with gladness;
he will quiet you by his love;

**HE WILL EXULT OVER
YOU WITH LOUD SINGING.**

Zephaniah 3:17

Call to Worship

Bless the Lord, O My Soul (Psalm 103)

Welcome & Announcements

Scriptural Call to Worship

Zephaniah 3:14-17

Worship through Song

Your Will Be Done

Great Are You, Lord

Prayer of Thanksgiving

How Great Is Our God

Worship through Giving

(After the offering, children 5th grade & under are dismissed to children’s church)

Worship through Proclamation

Zephaniah 1:1, 14-16; 2:1-3

Worship through Response

Spirit Rise

Benediction

Scripture Reading

Zephaniah 3:14–17 (ESV) 14 Sing aloud, O daughter of Zion; shout, O Israel! Rejoice and exult with all your heart, O daughter of Jerusalem! 15 The Lord has taken away the judgments against you; he has cleared away your enemies. The King of Israel, the Lord, is in your midst; you shall never again fear evil. 16 On that day it shall be said to Jerusalem: “Fear not, O Zion; let not your hands grow weak. 17 The Lord your God is in your midst, a mighty one who will save; he will rejoice over you with gladness; he will quiet you by his love; he will exult over you with loud singing.

Zephaniah 1:1 (ESV) 1 The word of the Lord that came to Zephaniah the son of Cushi, son of Gedaliah, son of Amariah, son of Hezekiah, in the days of Josiah the son of Amon, king of Judah.

Zephaniah 1:14–16 (ESV) 14 The great day of the Lord is near, near and hastening fast; the sound of the day of the Lord is bitter; the mighty man cries aloud there. 15 A day of wrath is that day, a day of distress and anguish, a day of ruin and devastation, a day of darkness and gloom, a day of clouds and thick darkness, 16 a day of trumpet blast and battle cry against the fortified cities and against the lofty battlements.

Zephaniah 2:1–3 (ESV) 1 Gather together, yes, gather, O shameless nation, 2 before the decree takes effect — before the day passes away like chaff— before there comes upon you the burning anger of the Lord, before there comes upon you the day of the anger of the Lord. 3 Seek the Lord, all you humble of the land, who do his just commands; seek righteousness; seek humility; perhaps you may be hidden on the day of the anger of the Lord.

.Sermon Notes

Zephaniah was likely a descendant of _____ Hezekiah, and he prophesied during the reign of _____.

An Overview of Zephaniah

God will _____ the whole earth (1:1-3:8)
God will _____ the whole earth (3:9-20)

Warning: the _____ of the Lord is coming

The Day of the Lord is a phrase used in the Bible to describe how God is at work in history to confront collective human evil, liberate his people from oppression, and assert his rule over all creation.—The Bible Project

1 Thessalonians 5:2 (ESV) For you yourselves are fully aware that the day of the Lord will come like a thief in the night.

Invitation: a call to _____

Acts 17:30–31 (ESV) 30 The times of ignorance God overlooked, but now he commands all people everywhere to repent, 31 because he has fixed a day on which he will judge the world in righteousness by a man whom he has appointed; and of this he has given assurance to all by raising him from the dead.

Comfort: _____ for the people of God

- God will _____ his people from the nations
- God will _____ his people
- God will _____ with his people
- God will _____ over his people