Calendar Events

- * Nov. 23 ThanksSinging 2:00 pm 4:30 pm No 4th Sunday meal after am services this day. Bring your cookies & bottled water.
- * **Nov. 25** **Thanksgiving *Mid-Week Service Date Change* from Wednesday to Tuesday evening.
- * **Nov. 25** Purchase your ticket for the Holiday dinner by this date. \$10/person
- * Nov. 26-28 The office will be closed
- * **Dec. 5** Fayetteville Family Holiday Dinner at 6:30 pm. The meal will be catered and the costs is \$10/person. Purchase by 11/25 in the office.
- * **Dec. 10** Christmas cards due to the office. These will be ready for pick up beginning Dec. 17.
- * **Dec. 14** Ladies Ornament Exchange 6:00 pm at Melanie Boelsterli's house.
- * **Jan. 10**—We will go to downtown Atlanta for our annual Feed the Homeless drive. See Sally Wallace for details.

Youth Events/Activities

- * **Dec.** 7 KidSing 5:00 pm
- * **Dec. 14** KidSing 5:00 pm
- * **Dec. 21** Young Men Lead Worship





FAYETTEVILLE FAMILY HOLIDAY DINNER





The White Elephant is taking the year off from the gift exchange, but don't worry, there will be plenty of fun to be had!









Christmas Cards

If you would like to send Christmas cards to the church family, bring the completed cards to the church office by December 10. It would be a great help if the cards were in alphabetical order by last name. Bags will be ready for pick-up beginning December 17.

Lightpost

Members, download the Lightpost app to gain access to member information. If you are having difficulty accessing the app or you need any changes, let the office know.

Save the Date: January 10th

We will go downtown for our Feed the Homeless Drive

November Items Needed

Peanut butter/cheese crackers Granola bars/breakfast bars

December Items Needed

Hats, gloves, sweat pants, sweat shirts, coats, jackets, warm socks - Anything warm to wear

WELCOME VISITORS!

We consider it a privilege to have you worship with us today. Please stay for a few minutes after worship so we can get acquainted with you, and you with us. Please complete an Attendance Card, located on the back of the pew in front of you and hand it to a member of the congregation or use the QR code in this bulletin to let us know you are here. We have an attended nursery and a training/cry room available if needed.

Prayer Request

- Sue Riley is still having health problems and is under Hope Cancer Center's care.
- Arnie Miller had a pacemaker inserted Wednesday.

Members Who Need Prayers

Tracey Gear, Margie Fields, Emmett Libby, Clay & Susan Posey, Denise Greene, Curtis & Jo Hurt, Anthony & Toni Stinson, David & Sue Riley, Ginny & Jackie Couch, Sadie Moreland, Sally Wallace, Mack & Sharon Ezell, Jack & Carla Sorrell, Jim & Susan Pelfrey, Catherine Kelly, Kathy Noble, Greg & Amy Nash, Denny & Susie Graham, Theresa Green, Andrew Williams, Paul & Decieta Lyons, Linda Armstrong, Ray & Tina Russell, Hugh & Connie Kelly, Rick & RuPearl Sharpe, and Brian Harris

Continue Prayers for:

Yvonne Bettis - 108 Red Maple Drive, Peachtree City, GA 30269

Doris Buckner – Doris Buckner, 519 Perkins Road, Unit #137, Palmetto, GA 30268

Burma Chapman – Hope Center Memory Care, 355 Brandywine Blvd, Sunny Suite #10, Fayetteville, GA 30214

Estell Higginbotham - Hope Center Memory Care, 355 Brandywine Blvd, Safe Harbor-Room 5, Fayetteville, GA 30214

Harry & Mattie Williams - 1483 Hampstead Place, Riverdale, GA 30296

Ivan Gonzalez & Maria Liciaga – 403 Chase Marion Way, McDonough, GA 30252

Jeanelle McNease – 3969 Camellia Trail, Conley, GA. 30288

Others With Health Problems:

Tim Lindsey (Jim Lindsey's brother), Ashley Johnson (Andy & Linda Johnson's daughter-inlaw), Katherine Rincon, (Hugh Kelly's sister), Steve Vice, David Johnson (Andy Johnson's brother), Kennedy Russell, Ann Hutson, Tim Lindsey, Nancy Neff (Amy Nash's mother), Kristie Anderson (Friend of Samantha Phillips), Carol Waites (Connie Kelly's sister), Michael Armstrong (Linda's son), Patsy Carriker, Juanita Steward (Christie Belk's mother), Len Gower (Holley Dalman's father), Earl & Peggy Hopkins (David's parents), Roger Parker, Peggy Dablum (friend of Janis Libby), Lucy Allen (Jodi Burdette's mother), Louise Dennis (Kiska Gear's mother), Candace Butts (Connie Elder's daughter), Irving & Cornelia Rose (Larry's parents)



Dear brothers and sisters,

The thoughtfulness you have shown us over the past weeks as we have dealt with health issues is much appreciated. The get-wellcards, sympathy cards at the passing of my sister, the phone calls, the food, the basket of goodies and especially your prayers have encouraged us. We thank you from the bottom of our hearts.

David & Sue Riley



Be sure to fill out a contact card and place it in the office if you know of someone our compassion card groups can contact.

Contact Elder - November

Ray Russell

Sunday, November 23, 2025

Sermon - David Gulledge **Announcements** - Matt Olguin **Scripture Reading** – Peyton Nash **Lord's Supper** - Steve Hopkins **Song Leader** - Jimmy Garner

> **Opening Prayer** - Larry Rose **Closing Prayer** - Clay Posey

Ushers - Cliff Nash, Jim Lindsey Worship Coordinator—Jack Sorrell

Nursery

11/23 - Morgan Boelsterli 11/30 - Kyndal Garner

Visitors' Center

11/23 - Linda Johnson

11/30 - Theresa Green

Visitor Luncheon Team

Steve & Janine Esler Holden & Fairvon Cella Larry Rose Allene Scoma Barbara Edmonds

Care of Building

16-31 - Andy Johnson & Charles Nash

Media Center

Sound Board — DJ Phillips Streaming — Ethan Boelsterli Projector — Steve Esler

PM Service No PM Worship

Wednesday Devotionals

11/25 - Paul Lyons

Preacher David Gulledge

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Our Mission Works

Graham & Elizabeth McDonald, Scotland

> Victor & Esperanza González-Geronimo. Mexico

Raintree Village Children's Home

In SEARCH of the Lord's Wav With Phil Sanders

Sunday at 7:30am, Stations 69 or 45

Elders

Tom Durden (770) 652-7389 Greg Nash (404) 455-1546 Jim Pelfrey (615) 866-7827 Ray Russell (770) 363-2381

Deacons

Steve Esler **David Hopkins** Andy Johnson **Hugh Kelly** Stan Mitchell Charles Nash **David Poskevich** Jack Sorrell

Attendance QR Code Use your phone and add your family information



Assembly Schedule: Sunday

9:00 am Bible Classes 10:00 am Worship Service 5:00 pm Worship Service (no PM Service on 4th or 5th Sunday)

Tuesday Morning Bible Study

10:00 am

(Classes begins Sept 9 - May)

Wednesday Evening

Bible Classes at 7pm

Records You Made - November 16

Bible Classes 88-09 Units Online 10 am Worship 155-09 Units Online 5 pm Worship 68-04 Units Online \$7110.78 Wednesday Bible Study 40-10 Units Online

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THE DANGERS OF AN UNTHANKFUL HEART

Romans 1:21 - because, although they knew God, they did not glorify Him as God, nor were thankful, but became futile in their thoughts, and their foolish hearts were darkened

I.	UNTHANKFULNESS	OUR	OF	
	A. Scriptures:			
	B. When we stop giving thanks, we stop acknowledging God as the source of our blessings.			
	a. Ingratitude slowly erases God from our daily consciousness.			
	b. A heart that no longer thanks God drifts into a false sense of self-sufficiency.			
	c. The rich fool (Lk. 12:13-21); Nebuchadnezzar (Daniel 4).			
	C. Ungratefulness leads to other sins.			
	a. 2 Timothy 3:1-5			
	b. Unthankfulness is the first step toward idolatry (Rom. 1:21-23).			
	D. Illustration: The Israelites forgot God and His miracles and began worship idols.			
II.	UNTHANKFULNESS BREED	OS ,	_	, AND
	A. Scriptures:			
	B. A thankless heart easily becomes a complaining heart.			
	C. Comparison sets in — "Why them, Lord? Why not me?"			
	D. Bitterness begins when blessings are seen as rights instead of gifts.			
	E. The unthankful person can be surrounded by goodness but still feel empty.			
	F. Application: Stop daily to name what God has given; gratitude uproots bitterness before it			
	grows.			
III.	UNTHANKFULNESS	OUR		
	A. Scriptures:			
	B. Being unthankful makes us difficult to love and difficult to please.			
	a. People gravitate toward gratitude; they withdraw from entitlement.			
	b. "Gratitude is relational glue; ungratefulness is relational poison."			
	C. An ungrateful mindset can damage relationships with others by fostering an attitude of bein			
	a "taker" rather than a "giver,"			
IV.	UNTHANKFULNESS		AND	
	SPIRITUAL			
	A. Luke 17:11–19 (only one leper returned to give thanks)			
	B. Gratitude positions us to receive God's blessings; unthankfulness closes the heart.			
	a. Thanksgiving is connected to spiritual disciplines such as prayer and worship (Psali			
	100:4; 1 Thess. 5:16-18; Phil. 4:6-8).			
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- b. Thanksgiving is associated with the "peace of God" (Phil. 4:8; Col. 3:15-16).
- C. How can anything grow in a hardening heart?
- D. The thankful leper wasn't just healed—he was blessed by God.
- E. Unthankfulness keeps us spiritually stagnant, blind to what God is doing.

CONCLUSION:

DISCUSSION:

- 1. Choose gratitude before it's too late.
- 2. Ingratitude is subtle, dangerous, and spiritually corrosive.
- 3. But thanksgiving restores clarity, joy, and intimacy with God.