



MEMORIES OF CHRISTMAS

THE CELEBRATION CHOIR, SOLOISTS, DRAMA TEAM AND TECH MINISTRIES OF BELIEVERS WILL BE SHARING A MUSICAL OF REMEMBERING WHAT THE LORD HAS DONE, IS DOING, AND WILL CONTINUE TO DO THROUGH HIS CHURCH. FOLLOWING THE 25TH ANNIVERSARY OF HIS CHURCH HERE AT BELIEVERS WE CONTINUE THIS THEME AS WE LOOK BACK AT CHRISTMAS' PAST AND HOW GOD WORKED IN LIVES AS WE SING SONGS, HEAR TESTIMONIES AND SEE THESE PORTRAYED BY A SHADOW BOX DRAMA. PLEASE COME, BE A PART AND INVITE OTHERS TO JOIN US AS WE CELEBRATE THE MIRACULOUS BIRTH OF OUR LORD WHO CAME TO TAKE AWAY THE SINS OF THE WORLD.

PRESENTED BY THE WORSHIP MINISTRY OF BELIEVERS SOUTHERN BAPTIST CHURCH

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 7TH AT 10:30 AM
PASTOR - DR. TIM OHLS

JOIN BELIEVERS SAINTS FOR

Christmas on the Prairie

AT THE PRAIRIE ROSE CHUCKWAGON RANCH
15231 SW PARALLEL ST, BENTON, KS

FRIDAY, DECEMBER, 12TH

WE HAVE RESERVED A BUS TO
LEAVE BELIEVERS AT 4:20 PM
(\$3.00 TIP PER PERSON FOR THE BUS RIDE)

COST FOR THE DINNER AND SHOW IS
\$30.00 PER PERSON

ON THE MENU:

CHOICE OF SMOKED BRISKET OR PULLED PORK
WITH BBQ CHICKEN LEG, POTATO SALAD,
COWBOY BAKED BEANS, CORNBREAD,
COOKIE AND A DRINK.

SIGN UP AND PAY BY: DECEMBER 7TH

Women on Mission



Operation Christmas Child

Believers



“Where does time come from? God is the Creator of all things, including time. In Genesis 1 we read that He ‘*separated the light from the darkness*’ . . . ‘*There was evening and there was morning, one day*’ 1:4-5). “

Pastor Tim Ohls

11-16-25

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Sunday, November 16

Sunday School 9:15 AM

Morning Worship Service 10:30 AM

Celebration Rehearsal Choir 4:00 PM

Children's Missions 5:00 PM

Bible Studies 5:00 PM

Evening Worship Service 6:00 PM

Monday, November 17

Piecemakers (Barrager Home) 9:30 AM

Tuesday, November 18

Ladies Bible Study 9:30 AM

Wednesday, November 19

Children's Activities 6:30 PM

Youth Activities 6:30 PM

Adult Bible Study 7:00 PM

Sunday morning services
can be viewed **LIVE**
by going to the church website:
go2believers.com
and clicking on the **media tab**

From the Pastor's Desk

It is unbelievable that we are already halfway through November of 2025 and entering the holiday season! People are busy planning for Thanksgiving gatherings and celebrations surrounding the birth of our Lord; meanwhile, I'm scratching my head and wondering where this year went. Where did the time go? How did we arrive here so quickly? All my life I've heard people say that "time flies" and apparently, they were correct! I used to laugh at my grandparents and then at my parents as they told me "Time goes by faster as you get older." What nonsense! Time always moves at the same speed.

But when we're young, we think this lifetime will last forever. Then we have those shocking moments of awakening when we recognize our own mortality, we recognize the brevity of life and realize that we have no guarantees regarding time. Time goes by quickly and even if we are blessed with longevity, as we approach the end, we'll see all our failures and the things we've left unspoken, undone, and unfulfilled. We all need to practice making the most of our time. Paul instructed the Ephesians they needed to be **"making the most of your time"** (5:16a). Have you ever considered . . .

Where does time come from? God is the Creator of all things, including time. In Genesis 1 we read that He **"separated the light from the darkness"** . . . **"There was evening and there was morning, one day"** (1:4-5). Solomon (with his divine wisdom) reminds us that **"There is an appointed time for everything. And there is a time for every event under heaven"** (Eccl. 3:1). God created time and given it to us as a gift. We are to steward that gift and use it as a blessing to the One who has given it. This is why Jesus stated in John 9:4 that **"We must work the works of Him who sent Me as long as it is day; night is coming when no one can work."** Since Jesus calls us to use time wisely, we should all be asking . . .

How should I use my time? This is the question in the stewardship of time! Thoreau wrote, **"You cannot kill time without injuring eternity."** Americans have more time-saving devices than any other people in history but complain that **"We don't have time!"** Truthfully, most of us need to use our time more wisely! But how? **Establish priorities** in your life. **Determine** an acceptable **pace** for your life. **Concentrate** on what matters and shut out distractions and then, **Dedicate your time** to the Lord for His purposes. You may still be asking, but . . .

Why should we use our time wisely? As believers we must remember that using time wisely keeps us **"eternity focused."** This will change how we view and use time. We will want to use what we have to bless others and bring glory to God as we serve to grow His kingdom. We will find time to share Jesus with others and praise Him as He changes hearts, lives, and eternal destinies.

Today, I want you to think about **"TIME."** Time is flying by and life is passing quickly. Paul told the Corinthians, **"Behold, now is 'THE ACCEPTABLE TIME,' behold, now is 'THE DAY OF SALVATION'"** (2 Cor. 6:2). Would you take advantage of this time and come to Jesus? Cry out to Him in repentance and faith. Surrender to Him, follow Him, and you will . . . Be Blessed!

Under His wing,

Pastor Tim

Give Thanks

¹⁶ **Rejoice always,** ¹⁷ **pray continually,**
¹⁸ **give thanks in all circumstances;**
for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus.
1 Thessalonians 5:16-18

Sometimes in life we fail to thank God for His blessing. To be honest I fall into that category way too often. There are even blessing that we are unaware of in our daily lives that we have from our Lord. There was a song from my late teens that spoke to me about God's unwarranted provision. It was simple entitled "Angels" and was sung by Amy Grant. Here are some of the lyrics from the second verse.

God only knows the times my life
was threatened just today.
A reckless car ran out of gas
before it ran my way.
Near misses all around me,
accidents unknown,
Though I never see with human eyes
the hands that lead me home.
"Angels" – Amy Grant

As much as we want to feel like we are in control we must remember God is the creator and author of our lives and we depend on Him for guidance.

In the book "The Hiding Place" Corrie Ten Boom has a conversation with her sister Betsy after they were striped of all their clothes and left to be cold and miserable, but Corrie was not miserable she was thankful. She told her sister that it was in this moment that she realized another thing about her Lord and His suffering for her on the cross. He was not only striped of His clothing but then He was placed on a cross for all to see as He died for our sins. Upon hearing this Betsy gasped and said Corrie thank you for sharing this because I never thanked him for it and they prayed together thanking Jesus.

In this season of thanksgiving and beyond let us be thankful for the known and unknown blessings of God as he provides for us, His children.

Serving Him,

John

2025 Weekly Budget Requirement:

\$16,596.15

2025 World Mission Offering YTD:

\$22,740.05

Attendance for Nov 9, 2025

Sunday School 170

Morning Worship 219

Fellowship 50

Attendance for Nov 12, 2025

Children's Activities 56

Youth Activities 36

Adult Bible Study 29

Receipts for Nov 9, 2025

Budget Offerings \$11,068.81

World Missions Offerings \$401.00

Building Fund \$363.00

Benevolence Ministry \$889.00

Deacons Ministry \$50.00

Horseshoe Ministry \$90.00

Missions-Holiday Baskets \$490.00

Worship Ministry \$11.98

Youth Ministry \$67.00

We will distribute our
2026 proposed budget on,
Sunday, Nov. 23rd
All Church Thanksgiving dinner

We will have discussion on our
2026 proposed budget on,
Sunday, Nov 30th PM Service

We will vote
(without discussion) on our
2026 proposed budget,
Sunday, Dec 7th AM Service

Upcoming Parade Events

Derby Christmas Parade

December 6

Tract distribution only.

Please Pray For

Delbert Fleming

Ken Yost

Judy Gibbs

Stacy Otto

Jeff Pearce

Roxanne King

Emma Morgan

Dixie LaBrue

Ezra

Elaine

Jail & Prison Ministry

Law Enforcement

Our Countries Leaders

Revival

The Nation of Israel

Long Term Illness

Audra Arnold

Mary Barker

Greg Benge

Dale Bernhardt

Virginia Bigelow

Carolyn Catlin

Mike Edwards

Dennis Ensley

Ray Hodge

David & Peggy Hopkins

Louis Johnson

Aaron Keehn

Mel Kirk

Gail Kiser

Aaron Kondo

Lee League

Nita Lewark

Robert McMillan

Betty Merrill

Devin & Kristi Parry

Don Pedigo

Bob Powell

Jeanette Roberts

Kari Rogers

Phillip Smith

Greta Speer

Bernell Stafford

Deanna Tennison

Evelyn Williams

Carol Winegarner