

SERVING ...	TODAY ...	NEXT WEEK
Welcome	----- Elder of the Month -----	
Song	Jacques Pettit	Levi Simons
Prayer	Jules Guilbeau	Wayne Skipworth
Song		
Scripture	Ruben Valle	David Coble
Sermon	Andrew Beasley	Gary Dull
Song		
Communion	Roland Andrews	Tom O'Brien
Song		
Closing Prayer	Chris Hale	Sonny Moats
Announcements	Shane Taylor	Shane Taylor
Video Room	David & Ann Bragg	Jacques Pettit

Sunday Evening @ 6

Devotional – Jacques Pettit
No evening service

Wednesday Evening Bible Study @ 7

Andrew Beasley – The Gospel of John

ELDERS	DEACONS	MINISTER
Rob Albright	Technology	Nathan Arnold
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Roland Andrews	Finances	Rick Keen
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Ken Mantle	Fellowship	Keith Nance
336-643-3740	Youth	
Wayne Skipworth	Facilities &	
336.362-2693	Grounds	

MISSION WORKS

Hospitality Ministry	Blessing Bags	Sunshine Baskets
Senior Bible Study	Heart Sisters	Parents Night Out

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This morning, while on a walk with my dogs along with Wade and Jill and their dogs, I was deep in a conversation with Wade about one thing or another. We were walking on a trail out in Summerfield, and I wasn't paying too close attention to what was in front of me. My lack of attention quickly focused when the youngest of my two dogs growled, pulled sharply on the leash, and lunged at something nearby. A moment later he recoiled as I spotted the various shades of brown patterned on the scales of a coiled snake. Almost immediately Kyloh retreated as I heard Wade say "oh, that's a copperhead" while noticing a streak of red on the snout of my 9-month-old puppy.

Thankfully, all is okay. A short trip to the vet and a quick exam later and it was determined that Kyloh is a very lucky dog. The snake just grazed him and likely was not able to inject any of his venom. Yet in this stressful, somewhat frightening moment, I think there are lessons to be learned. First, it is easy for the traps that Satan in our path to go unnoticed if we are not careful and paying close attention to where we place our feet. But secondly, even if we do get caught in one of his traps and suffer the "snakebite and venom" that is sin, we have one who can heal every single spiritual malady that ails us (John 5:1-9).

Naturally, it is better if we avoid being "bitten" in the first place. Yet aren't we thankful for the healing we find in Christ Jesus, and the salvation from the deadly venom that injects itself into our lives when we win?

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Sunday Bible Study

9:30 am

Sunday Worship

10:30 am

Sunday Evening Study

6:00 pm

(No evening service 2nd Sunday each month)

Wednesday Bible Study

7:00 pm

WHAT'S HAPPENING:

* **2nd Sunday Fellowship Meal – Today.** Visitors, please stay so we may get to know you.
* **Senior Bible Study: Tues 9/19 @ 11am**
* **Monthly Fellowship at Rob and Sharon's house on September 23 at 5 PM.** Please sign the list to help them plan for this event. If you would like to host a fellowship, please sign up.

ELDERS AND DEACONS MEETING
Saturday, September 16, 9-11 AM

NW LECTURESHIP – OCTOBER 6-8
– **SEE FLYER ON BULLETIN BOARD**

Last Week's Attendance

Building 59 FB 7

Contribution: \$3629

Please remember to put your contribution in the plate when you arrive so it will be counted in the current week.

Information for sending aid to Maui is posted on the bulletin board.

REQUESTS FOR PRAYER:

Glenda Rushing, April Taylor's mother, will have knee replacement surgery tomorrow.
Wanda Andrew's sister, Jean, recently fell and had several injuries.
All other prayer requests are on the extended prayer list updated on 9/3.

New Sister in Christ -

*We rejoice that **Katiee Johnson** was baptized on Wednesday evening. Please meet **Katiee and her sons, Liam and Maverick,** if you have not already, and welcome them to the Northwest family. (Katiee has been worshiping with us for several months and is a friend of Heather Simons.)*

The **coin cans for Southeastern Children's Home** should be turned into the church office today. See Rob with questions.

We welcome and encourage children of all ages to worship with us, however if you are more comfortable, there is a nursery at the end of the hall on the left where the service is livestreamed. Changing tables are available in that room and in the restrooms.

SERMON NOTES:

Title: The Way That
"Seems" Right

Reading: Proverbs 14:12

SOWING & GROWING

a 2023 Sermon Series



GOD'S PLAN OF SALVATION



To place ourselves in a right relationship with God, we must:

Hear	Romans 10:17
Believe	Hebrews 11:6
Repent	Acts 17:30
Confess	Romans 10:10
Be Baptized	Mark 16:16, Acts 2:38
Remain Faithful	Hebrews 10:23-25 Revelation 2:10

Elder of the Month

Ken Mantle

Let's keep up with what is happening to each other. If you notice someone missing, please check on them.