

SERVING ...	TODAY ...	NEXT WEEK
Welcome	----- Elder of the Month -----	
Song	Rob Albright	Mike Simons
Prayer	Levi Simons	Keith Nance
Song		
Scriptu	Chris Hale	David Coble
Sermon	Scott Gleaves	Andrew Beasley
Song		
Communion	Mike Simons	Rob Albright
Song		
Closing Prayer	Sonny Moats	Chris Hale
Announcements	Shane Taylor	Shane Taylor
Video Room	Arnold Family	Jacques Pettit

Sunday Evening @ 6

No Evening Service Andrew Beasley devotion after lunch

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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Have you ever wondered why there are so many types of churches in the world today? One study done by the Center for Global Christianity estimates that there are 200 Christian denominations in the United States and 45,000 globally. Yet Paul, through inspiration, explains that there is one body, one spirit, one Lord, one faith, one baptism and one God and Father of all (Eph. 4:4) to explain the oneness of the church and the things that bind us together. There cannot both be one united body, and 45,000 denominations who often contradict one another in both doctrine and practice.

This is an issue which the church at Northwest has attempted to address in some way this weekend. Our focus has not been about showing why other groups of worshippers are wrong, but about learning how we might ensure that the assembled group of people at Northwest are functioning as the church of God's intent. Attention has been given to the conclusion of the second chapter of Acts, after Peter establishes the Lord's church on Pentecost.

This morning, Mike Glenn from the North Carolina School of Biblical Studies will speak to us during our Bible Class hour regarding the commonality of the church. During our hour of worship, Dr. Scott Gleaves from Faulkner University will address the subject of the sacrificial nature of the church. It is my prayer that by giving consideration to these two speakers today, and the five lessons from Saturday, that we will be strengthened in our understanding of who God wants us to be, and how God wants us to act, that we might better be able to function as the church God intends for us to be.

Andrew

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Sunday Bible Study

Sunday Worship

Sunday Evening Study

(No evening service 2nd Sunday each month)

Wednesday Bible Study

9:30 am

10:30 am

6:00 pm

7:00 pm

WHAT'S HAPPENING:

* **2nd Sunday Fellowship Meal – Today**
* **Senior Bible Study: Tues 10/17 @ 11am**

BLESSING BAGS – Snacks and travel sized lotions are currently needed.

SNACK DONATIONS for Bible classes– Please see Kim or Jules for information.

SECURITY BACKUP NEEDED – See Shane, Rick, or Nathan for more information.

Jules Guilbeau has been invited to be on the Board for CBC. This is an honor for his work at CBC.

Birthdays

Aubrey Black 10/9

Anniversaries

Kim & Jules Guilbeau 10/11

Last Week's Attendance

Building 68 FB 10
Contribution: \$4796

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

REQUESTS FOR PRAYER:

Ken Mantle is recovering well.
Merline Davis has been moved back to Liberty Commons. She enjoys visits and cards.

All other prayer requests are on the extended prayer list updated today.

Andrew Beasley has been invited to a missions trip in Costa Rica in January. He needs to raise \$2500. If You would like to contribute make checks to NW for Andrew.

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: Sacrificial Nature of the Church

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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

Roland Andrews

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