

SERVING ...	TODAY ...	NEXT WEEK
Welcome	----- Elder of the Month -----	
Song	Mike Simons	Levi Simons
Prayer	Roland Andrews	Keith Nance
Song		
Scripture	David Coble	Ben Simons
Sermon	Rob Albright	Andrew Beasley
Song		
Song		
Communion	Wayne Skipworth	Rob Albright
Song		
Contribution	Wayne Skipworth	Rob Albright
Song		
Closing Prayer	Dug Phillips	Wayne Skipworth
Announcements	Shane Taylor	Shane Taylor
Video Room	Arnold Family	David & Ann Bragg

### Sunday Evening @ 6

No service

### Wednesday Evening Bible Study @ 7

Mike and Levi Simons

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Wayne Skipworth 336-362-2693	Facilities & Grounds	

### MISSION WORKS

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

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December 24, 2023

## ROB'S REACTION

I really believe that one thing Christians everywhere need in the days ahead, is courage. Our sermon series for 2024 is "Courageous Christianity." There will be challenges and problems that that we will face.

We must remember that the power we have to deal with difficulties comes from God. In 2 Corinthians 1:3-5 we note that it is God "who comforts us in all our tribulations." Then we read how this makes us ready to be helpful to one another in troubled times.

Another Bible passage that teaches us about helping each other during difficult times is 1 Thessalonians 5:13b-15. Here are some important points:

\*Live in peace with each other

\*Encourage those who become idle and fainthearted and weak

\*Be patient with everyone

\*Do not repay evil with evil

May God give us the strength to stand stronger in the new year ahead of us. May we continue to grow and mature in Christ. Remember, Jesus gave us His all – we can give ourselves for Him.

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Sunday Bible Study

Sunday Worship

Sunday Evening Study

(No evening service 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday each month)

Wednesday Bible Study

9:30 am

10:30 am

6:00 pm

7:00 pm

## WHAT'S HAPPENING:

**2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday Fellowship Meal – January 14, 2024**

**Senior Bible Study – January 16, 2024**

**Blessings Bags** – Current needs - soap, shower gel, wipes, pens, razors, snacks.

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

**Andrew Beasley** is participating in a mission trip in Costa Rica in January. He needs to raise \$2500. If you would like to contribute make checks to NW for Andrew.

## Birthdays

**12/29 – America Sifontes**

**12/31 – Jamie Arnold**

## Last Week's Attendance

Building 53 FB 10

Contribution: \$1740

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

## REQUESTS FOR PRAYER:

**Jill Key** was scheduled to have back surgery on Thursday.

**Wendy Tucker**, friend of the Arnolds, whose cancer has returned.  
**Luke Spence**, the 2-month old grandson of Caldwell Spence a co-worker of Nathan Arnold is hospitalized battling pneumonia.

Please pray for all who are traveling over the holidays.

**All other prayer requests are on the Extended Prayer List** updated on 12/3.

**The Ladies Bible Class** will meet on January 7 and 21.

**CHANGE IN SERVICES – We will *NOT* have services the evenings of December 24 and December 31.**

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 Birth of Jesus**

**Scripture: Matthew 1:18-21**

## SOWING & GROWING

*a 2023 Sermon Series*



### GOD'S PLAN OF SALVATION



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

<b>Hear</b>	Romans 10:17
<b>Believe</b>	Hebrews 11:6
<b>Repent</b>	Acts 17:30
<b>Confess</b>	Romans 10:10
<b>Be Baptized</b>	Mark 16:16, Acts 2:38
<b>Remain Faithful</b>	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.