Those Privileged To Serve ~~~

Sunday 1st Service

Welcome ~ Announcements

Opening Prayer Song Leader Preside Communion Serving Preaching **Closing Prayer**

Prepare Communion

Sunday 2nd Service

Welcome ~ Announcements

Opening Prayer Song Leader **Preside Communion** Preaching **Closing Prayer**

Bible Study Evening 7:00

August 24, 9:00 A.M.

Michael Hollis

Richard Harp Russ Baker Randy Harp Levi Madden/Dylan Madden Alfred Barnes

Katie Kirkland

Nathan Bell

August 24, 11:30 A.M.

Michael Hollis Dvlan Madden Randy Harp Randy Harp Alfred Barnes Patrick Brown

August 27, 7:00 P.M.

August 31, 9:00 A.M.

Michael Hollis Nathan Bell Russ Baker Randy Harp Levi Madden/Dylan Madden Alfred Barnes Dvlan Madden

Katie Kirkland

August 31, 11:30 A.M.

Michael Hollis Donnell Robison Greg Harp Randy Harp Alfred Barnes Levi Madden

September 3, 7:00 P.M.



In Search Of The Lord's Way Sundays - Channel 57 - 7:30 AM 08/24/2035—"Worship in Song" 08/31/2025—"Worship in Prayer" 09/07/2025—"Lord Jesus" 09/14/2025—"The Kingdom of God"

Weekly Assembly Schedule

9:00 AM - 10:00 AM - Worship 10:30 AM - 11:15 AM - Bible Classes 11:30 AM - 12:15 PM - Worship Wednesday Bible Study - 7:00 PM

Enter to Worship — Leave to Serve

What Must I Do To Be Saved?

Rom. 3:23
Acts 15:7
Mk. 16:15-16
Acts 17:30
Rom. 10:9-10
Acts 2:38
2 Pet. 1:5-11

	Record of Attendance	
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*	<u>08/17/2025</u>	<u>Total</u>
*	Sun. 1st Worship	31
*	Sun. Bible Study	33
*	Sun. 2nd Worship	29
*	Wednesday Evening	22
	Contribution	\$1,925.00

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"The entrance of thy words giveth light; it giveth understanding unto the simple." Psalm 119:130

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SUNDAY

1st Worship 9:00 am Bible Class 10:30 am 2nd Worship 11:30 am **WEDNESDAY** Bible Study 7:00 pm

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"Let Us"

Powerful Passages from Hebrews

"Let us" fear and obey God ~ Hebrews 4:1

"Let us" live diligently for heaven ~ Hebrews 4:11

"Let us" hold fast our confession ~ Hebrews 4:14

"Let us" pray with confidence ~ Hebrews 4:16

"Let us" press on to perfection ~ Hebrews 6:1

"Let us" draw near to God ~ Hebrews 10:22

"Let us" hold fast our hope ~ Hebrews 10:23

"Let us" consider one another ~ Hebrews 10:24

"Let us" lay aside sin ~ Hebrews 12:1

"Let us" run with patience ~ Hebrews 12:1

"Let us" graciously serve God ~ Hebrews 12:28

"Let us" suffer for Jesus' sake ~ Hebrews 13:13

"Let us" praise our God ~ Hebrews 13:15



" CHRIST ALIVE IN '25 "

PRAYERREQUEST

Henrietta Murphy Jones— is continuing having Chemo treatments every two weeks. She is really **Today—11:30 A.M.** 2nd Worship Service going through a lot!! Henrietta needs our continual prayers for her.

is experiencing much soreness and in some pain. She is regaining some strength and feeling positive you on the security desk. though this time of healing and recovery. Keep September 20th— Tara will host Ladies' Day. The Roslyn in your prayers.

revealed he has no brain cancer. That is great news \$\mathbb{8}\$:30\square-9:00 AM., from 9:00\square-12:00 an eventful to hear. He has upcoming tests, and will consult program you will not want to miss!! Upon dismissal doctors to discuss his treatment plan and option. We I lunch is provided for the Ladies in the fellowship need to fervently pray for Michael that all will be hall. resolved with the option that is best for him.

Bush Denney— the brother of Jack Denney is bat- WELCOME NEWS tling pancreatic cancer and cancer on his liver. They were able to start treatment the cancer on his liver. Much prayers are needed for Bush and his family.

Joan Rumley— had a biopsy for skin cancer at her eye. The doctor said it's treatable and will have results in 6 days. A surgery to remove it will be scheduled after that. Keep her in your prayers.

Continued Prayer List: Bill Jones, Zion Maxwell, Nell Lockhart, Bill Jones, Jerald Staling, Steve Pollard, Phillip Pollard, Otha Thornton III, Archie Robinson, Havanna Goebel, Marcia Woodbury, Donna Taylor, Brenda Millsap, Steve Smith, Bernice Harris, Jerome Dukes, Jim and Maxine Howell, Vernetta Jones, Don Cheek, Doris Pate, Mozelle Jones, Vera Pollard, Willie Mae Brown, Carla Robison's mother, Alfred and Lenora Barnes, parents of Alfred Barnes, Erika Lee Havanna's daughter, Erika Lee's father

~~ SEND A CARD, MAKE A CALL ~~ ~~ ENCOURAGE ONE ANOTHER ~~

Activities And Events

Today— 9:00 A.M. 1st Morning Worship Service

Today— 10:30 A.M. Bible Class

Wednesday night Bible Class—7:00 P.M.

Roslyn Curseen— is recovering from surgery and Project Outreach— Let us all work to hand out the **Bible Reference Pamphlets** that are available for

theme will be "A Woman's Power." Our speaker Michael Curseen— had additional test done and is a Caryn McCarver. Registration and Breakfast at

for two of our members and family. Mozelle Jones and Doris Pate are the proud great grandparents of re-



cently born twins. Wesley Alan Hart and Henry George Hart were born on Friday, August 15, 2025. Alycia and Jordan Hart are the proud parents and Dale and Susan Findley are two grandparents that share this joy. We also rejoice with this family in the successful birth of these babies.

Sign Up Sheet:

There is a sign up sheet in the fover for the Ladies to prepare the Communion. Signing up will be for a month at a time. Let's get busy filling up the sign up sheet.

Elders' Comments

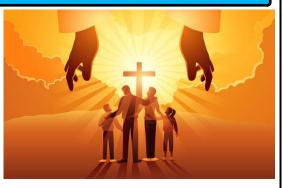
Worship is not mechanical, nor is it accidental. It springs from the heart in keeping with God's divine direction for it. (John 4:23,24) There are those whose consciences would bother them if they missed the assembly of the church, and yet at times, they may never really worship when they come. Concerning some worshippers, Jesus said, "These People draw near to Me with their mouth, and honor Me with their lips, but their heart is far from Me". (Matt. 15:8) We count the attendance, but God counts the worshippers. Will He count you today???

The Elders

From the Pen of Richard

WHAT TO DO WHEN BAD THINGS HAPPEN

There are many bad things that happen in life. A promising athlete suddenly ends his career with a debilitating accident; a wife tells her husband she doesn't love him anymore and wants a divorce; your house burns down;



your family is killed in an automobile crash. Tragedies occur everyday to someone, and sooner or later to me. What should we do?

We must strengthen our faith in God. What ever the tragedy, trauma or trouble, with God's help, we can make something good come from it. We must believe in Him and in His promises. (Heb.11:6; Rom.8:28; Matt.6:33; Eph.3:20; Phil.4:19) Our faith is strengthened when we read, study and meditate on God's word. (Rom.10:17) Prayer also strengthens our faith. (Matt.21:22; I John 5:14,15) We must never forget that God is in control, and He has promised to never forsake us. (Heb.13:5,6)

We must depend on each other. We do not have to bear the burdens of life alone. (Gal.6:2) When one member suffers, all the members suffer with it....(I Cor.12:26) We are to "weep with those who weep, and rejoice with those who reioice." (Rom. 12:15) Of course, this is in reference to other members of the body of Christ, but it would apply to anyone who is faced with hardships. (Gal.6:10) This places a responsibility upon those who suffer to seek the aid of those who can help, as well as on those who have the means by which they can help those who suffer. Helping involves both giving and receiving, and when both are done, both parties are blessed.

We must never give up. Tragedy or failure need not be fatal. Every cloud has a silver lining. Following the rain we see the sun and the rainbow. So many have tired in trying. Quitters never win, and winners never quit. From a Roman prison cell, the apostle Paul wrote, "...For I have learned in whatever state I am, to be content. I know how to be abased, and I know how to abound. Everywhere and in all things I have learned both to be full and to be hungry, both to abound and to suffer need. I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me." (Phil.4:11-13) Many have guit when success was just around the corner. When the odds are against you, and you have failed time and again, always try one more time. Never, never, never quit.

Richard

Please remember to turn off your cell phone during Bible study and Worship!