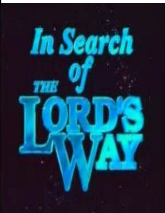
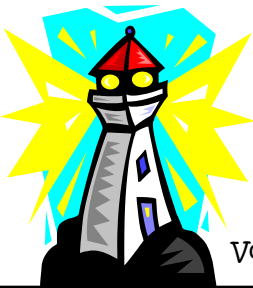


~~~ Those Privileged To Serve ~~~		
<b><u>Sunday 1st Service</u></b>	<b><u>November 10, 9:00 A.M</u></b>	<b><u>November 17, 9:00 A.M.</u></b>
<b>Welcome ~ Announcements</b> Scripture / Prayer Song Leader	Michael Hollis Dylan Madden Russ Baker	Michael Hollis Dylan Madden Russ Baker
Preside Communion Serving Preaching Closing Prayer	Patrick Brown William Carter/Jack Denney Alfred Barnes Willie Green	Patrick Brown William Carter/Jack Denney Alfred Barnes Michael Curseen
<b>Prepare Communion</b>	Donna Williams	Donna Williams
<b><u>Sunday 2nd Service</u></b>	<b><u>November 10, 11:30 A.M</u></b>	<b><u>November 17, 11:30 A.M.</u></b>
<b>Welcome ~ Announcements</b> Scripture/ Prayer Song Leader Preside Communion Preaching Closing Prayer	Randy Harp Michael Hollis Russ Baker Patrick Brown Alfred Barnes Nathan Bell	Michael Hollis Michael Hollis Eugene Sherman Patrick Brown Alfred Barnes Greg Harp
<b><u>Wednesday Evening 7:00 P.M.</u></b>	<b><u>November 13, 7:00 P.M.</u></b>	<b><u>November 20, 7:00 P.M.</u></b>
<b>Weekly Assembly Schedule</b>  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 (Some variation may be necessary)		 <b>In Search Of The Lord's Way</b> <b>Sundays - Channel 57 - 7:30 AM</b>  11/10/24 "Morals Matter" 11/17/24 "Being With Christ" 11/24/24 "In Uncertain Times"

***“ For Christ Do More In 2024”***

<b><u>What Must I Do To Be Saved?</u></b>		<b><u>Record of Attendance</u></b>	
Realize I am lost	Rom. 3:23	<b><u>11/03/2024</u></b>	<b><u>Total</u></b>
Hear the Gospel	Acts 15:7	Sun. 1st Worship	39
Believe the Gospel	Mk. 16:15-16	Sun. Bible Study	40
Repent of sins	Acts 17:30	Sun. 2nd Worship	39
Confess Christ	Rom. 10:9-10	Wednesday Evening	20
Baptized to remit sins	Acts 2:38	Contribution	\$ 7,352.00
Remain faithful	2 Pet. 1:5-11		



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

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### SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

#### 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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## I Timothy 2:1-2

I exhort therefore, that, first of all,

supplications, prayers, intercessions,

and giving of thanks,

be made for all men;

for kings,

and for all that are in authority;

that we may lead a quiet

and peaceable life

in all godliness and honesty.

King James Version



**Roslyn Cursean**—had two tests done the first week of November. We hope all goes to her favor. Let’s continue to keep her in our personal prayers.

**Vera Hannah**—had cataract surgery on both eyes and they were successful, she is seeing much better,

**Alfred Barnes Sr**—has improved and has not had any seizures. The meds are working in his favor. Continued prayers as he recovers.

**Bernice Harris**—is on new meds to help with MS and her immune system. Prayers this works for better health for her.

**Brent Pollard**—The doctors was unable to do tracheotomy for prolonged mechanical ventilation, but too much scar tissue. He is in serious condition in ICU. Prayers are requested from Gary and Brenda Pollard, his parents. (the Pollard’s cousin)

**Lynette Sumner**— The mother-in-law of Steve Pollard continues on hospice care at home. Keep this family in your prayers.

**Havanna Goebel**, continues with pain, Ericka Lee, Havanna ‘s daughter, continues to deal with her cancer. Her father, Ervin Lee, also has cancer.

**Continued Prayer List:** Jim and Maxine Howell, Veranetta Jones, Josiah, nephew of Maylene Lamy and her friends Pauline Noel and Leshon Cheely, Don Cheek, Donna Taylor, Bernice Harris, Doris Pate, Mozelle Jones, Nathan Bell, Quenton Hogan, Vera Pollard, Willie Mae Brown, Carla Robison’s mother, Alfred and Lenora Barnes, parents of Alfred Barnes, James Pollard, Betty Manning, mother-in-law of Jack Denney

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

**Activities And Events**

**Today**— 9:00 A.M. 1st morning worship service.

**Today**— Sunday Morning Bible Classes 10:30A.M.

**Today**—11:30 A.M. 2nd worship service.

**Wednesday night Bible class**– 7:00 P.M.

**November 18 — Monday for the Master:** First Principles Class @ 7 PM in the home of Henrietta Murphy. Please see the directory for her address.

**November 16th**—we will be meeting to assemble Thanksgiving Food Bags. Susan and Mitzi will compile a list of food items needed, and will place it on the foyer bulletin board. Bible tracts and a grocery gift card will be added to the Thanksgiving bag. If someone you know is in need outside of the congregation, please give their name and address to Mitzi or Susan. Today is the dead line to turn in names.

**December 14**—Ladies Prayer Breakfast will be at the fellowship hall. A breakfast sign up sheet will be posted in the foyer. In addition, bring a dozen homemade or festive cookies to share in the cookie swap. Feel free to share your recipe or special place you purchased your festive cookies. See Caryn if you have questions.

**A NOTE SENT FOR EACH OF YOU ...**

Just wanted to send a picture of our beautiful wind chimes that everyone gave us as we moved back home. We really love them and want to say many thanks for all your love and care. We miss everyone and miss being there in “our” pew. Wishing everyone a happy holiday season as we go into the final months of the year.

With Christian Love,  
Larry & Sandra Richardson

I will have the updated **Member Directory** ready for each of you soon.

**Elders’ Comments**

A new President will become our national leader in January. Whether you voted for him or not, he will be the primary leader of our country and a powerful influence among world leaders. Certainly, He will need our fervent prayers, like all Presidents, that God will protect him from the harm of those who hate him and want to destroy him. Our prayer should be that God will bless him as he serves, and that he will be wise in his decisions and actions so that he will promote peace and unity in the world and in our country. Let's pray that all our governmental leaders will strive to work together like never before for unity in our nation. May our country continue being the best place on earth to live. As Christians, may our attitude and example as citizens always be such that will draw people to Christ and the gospel.

*The Elder’s*

*From the Pen of Richard*

**THE DECISIONS OF LIFE**

Life is made up of decisions– physically, materially and spiritually. There are the daily, routine decisions such as when to get up and go to bed, what we will wear and eat. We decide where we will shop and how much we will spend. There are lifetime decisions such as education and career, who we marry, where we live, and how we will rear our children. Then there are spiritual or eternal decisions involving the soul. Becoming a Christian is a decision, and living faithfully is a decision. Every temptation we resist, or yield to, is a decision. Of course, some decisions are good and some are bad. The good ones bless us and the bad ones curse us. We are rewarded, or we suffer the consequences. Consider the following decisions we all make.

**We decide how to begin and end each day**—either with prayer or without it. You began today and you will end it in one of these ways *“Pray without ceasing. In everything give thanks, for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you” (1 Thess. 5:17-18)* Which will it be for you?

**We decide how we spend the Lord’s day**– either for self or for the Lord. *“But seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all thee things shall be added unto you .” (Matt.6:33)* *“Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some is...” (Heb. 10:25)*How do you spend the Lord’s day?

**We decide to which class of people we will belong**– either to the saved or the unsaved. *“... and the Lord added to the church daily those who were being saved” (Acts. 2:47)* *“therefore, brethren, be even more diligent to make your call and election sure...” (II Pet. 1:10)* To which class of people do you belong?

**We decide which Master we will serve**– either God or Satan. *“... As for me and my house, we will serve the Lord.” (Joshua 24:15)* *“You shall worship the Lord your God, and Him only shall you serve.” (Matt. 4:10)* Which Master do you serve?

**We decide which road we travel in life**– either the broad way or the narrow way. *“... For wide is the gate and broad is the way that leads to destruction, and there are many who go in by it. Because narrow is the gate and difficult is the way which leads to life. And there are few who find it”. (Matt. 7:13,14)* Which road are you traveling?

**We decide which death we will die**– either in the Lord or in our sins. *“And you He made alive, who were dead in trespasses and sins... Having no hope and without God in the world.” (Eph. 2:1,12)* *“... Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord from now on...that they may rest from their labors, and their works follow them.” (Rev. 14:13)* How will you die?

**We decide where we sill be in eternity**– either in heaven or in hell. *“...for the hour is coming in which all who are in the graves will hear His voice and come forth- those who have done good, to the resurrection of live, and those who have done evil, to the resurrection of condemnation.”(John 5:28-29)* Where will you be in eternity?

*Richard Harp*

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