

THE LORD'S DAY – November 18, 2018

Stir Up Love and Good Works!

Welcome Visitors

We are glad you are here! Please fill out the guest card.

Family Bible Classes – 9:30 am

For all ages! Nursery is available

Fellowship Time – 10:25 am

(coffee & snacks in the kitchen)

Morning Worship – 10:45 am

Nursery is available

ORDER OF SERVICE

- Prelude (prepare your heart)
- CB #74, "I Will Enter His Gates"
- Prayer
- Hymn #674, "Beulah Land"
- Announcements / Pastoral Prayer
- Worship with our gifts and offerings
- Hymn #396, "When The Roll Is Called Up Yonder"
- Ministry of music
- CB #39, "Give Thanks"
- **Ministry of the Word: "Our Heavenly Home" (John 13:21-14:6) - Ken Miller**
- Hymn #673, "When We All Get To Heaven"

AWANA Ministry – 5:45 pm

Evening Celebration – 6:00 pm

- *Brother Ken Miller will bring the evening message, "Perspective In Bible Interpretation," from various passages in John*

CARES CHORUS (CB #23)

I cast all my cares upon You. I lay all of my burdens down at Your feet. And any time that I don't know what to do, I will cast all my cares upon You.

"And let us consider one another in order to stir up love and good works" (Hebrews 10:24)

"He that thinks himself unworthy of anything, will be thankful for everything; and he who thinks himself unworthy of any blessing, will be contented with the least. Therefore, let us work our hearts to humility, in consideration of our sinfulness, vileness, and unworthiness, which will make us thankful: especially of the best blessings, when we consider their greatness, and our unworthiness of them. **A proud man can never be thankful.**"

– Richard Sibbes (1577-1635)

OFFERING REPORT

Offering (11/11) \$ 3,415.26
Weekly budget need \$ 2,350.00
Missionary Conference \$ 100.00
Missionary Conf. total \$ 2,385.00
Faith Facility Stewardship Fund (FFS)
current balance \$ 18,056.16

Personal Listening Devices are available - request one at the sound booth.

THIS WEEK:

Tues. 7:00 pm – **Thanksgiving Service**

Thurs. Thanksgiving Day... "Gratitude is an offering precious in the sight of God, and it is one that the poorest of us can make and be not poorer but richer for having made it." –A.W. Tozer

COMING UP:

Nov. 25 6:00 pm – **Ken Miller** preaching the evening message

Dec. 9 6:00 pm – **Annual Business Mtg.**—elect deacons, approve 2019 budget

Dec. 10 (Mon., 7:00 pm), **Ladies Christmas Party** (at the parsonage) - sign up!

Dec. 16 6:00 pm – **Christmas Concert** from Jessica Austin and others, prelude starts at 5:45 pm

Dec. 24 (Mon., 7:00 pm), **Christmas Eve Service**

Dec. 30 6:00 pm – **Christmas concert** from Nathan Burggraff

FAITH FOCUS ON PRAYER ("pray without ceasing..." - I Thess. 5:17):

- 1) To consider one another to stir up love and good works
- 2) Pray for the persecuted church in **Laos** — Local authorities from six villages recently accused two Christians of illegally spreading a foreign religion. The Christians told the authorities, (police and Communist Party officials), that the spread of Christianity was not their work but the work of the tribal people themselves. "They volunteer to come to Christ," they said. "They saw that animism is false. They see God's power and believe in Him." The officials said they intend to ban Christian worship and revoke citizenship from those who convert to Christianity. Please pray that these believers will remain strong in faith even as they are rejected by their community. Also pray that God will open the eyes of the authorities to the gospel. (www.persecution.com)
- 3) For our country: revival; believers being salt and light
- 4) For the first responders of our community
- 5) For our young families with babies and young children
- 6) George Glasow & Jim Todd - encouragement
- 7) Laura Miller - neuromuscular disease; Don Jones - vertigo
- 8) Brad's mom (Kathleen) - recovering from surgery
- 9) Ed Frattare - in chemo treatment regimen
- 10) Elyse's dad (Warren Howard) - has cancer in his bladder, the type and treatment is yet to be determined
- 11) Esther Railsback recovering from shoulder surgery

Nursery

11/18 SS - Janet H; Sun AM - Tracy B (Luke)

11/25 SS - Cathy H; Sun AM - Kendall B (Isaac)

Out of respect for others and to minimize distractions, please turn cell phones off, or set them to silent mode during the services.

NOVEMBER

BIRTHDAYS:

17 - Paul Wrisley

21 - Clara Evans

ANNIVERSARIES:

18 - S&B Campbell