

PRIVILEGED TO SERVE

SUNDAY MORNING

January 27, 2018

WELCOME: Jarrod DeValle
SONG LEADER: Don Barnett
OPENING PRAYER: Mike Brewer
LORD'S TABLE: Tim Blake
Shannon Whitley
ASSIST: Nathan Woody
Derek Gilmer
Kevin Blair
Jerry Garrett
CLOSING PRAYER: Pete Hines
GREETERS: Aubrey & Donna Allensworth
Jim & Martha Bell
CARDS: Brayden Gilmer
Nick DeValle
VISITOR GIFT/ Linda McInturff
HOSTESSES: Kathey Peterson
SCRIPTURE READER: Matthew Dent
Psalm 1:1-6

SUNDAY EVENING

January 27, 2018

SONG LEADER: Rod Wilson
OPENING PRAYER: Don Barnett
LORD'S TABLE: Mike Brewer
Michael Cole
CLOSING PRAYER: Darren Dent

WEDNESDAY EVENING

January 30, 2019

SONG LEADER: Don Barnett
OPENING PRAYER: Ron McInturff
DEVOTIONAL: Glen Elliott
CLOSING PRAYER: Derek Gilmer

****Please contact Mike Wolff
if you are unable to serve.***

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

SUNDAY:

BIBLE CLASS 9:30 a.m.
WORSHIP 10:30 a.m.
EVENING 5:00 p.m.
LAST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH 1:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY:

BIBLE CLASS 7:00 p.m.
LADIES BIBLE CLASS 10:00 a.m.

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Rod Wilson 501-328-7888

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Jarrod DeValle 501-470-8710
(education & teachers)

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“FEELING TEMPTED?”

Temptation is a struggle faced by every child of God. Unpleasant as they are, temptations provide a necessary component to our spiritual development. Were it not for temptation, there would be no particular virtue in doing good. There has never been, nor will there ever be, a human being beyond temptation. Even Jesus was tempted (Mt. 4:1; Hb. 4:15). How can we handle temptation in such a manner as to escape its dangers and secure its blessings?

The fundamental principle for winning over temptation is faith in the power of God. Peter warns us that Satan, our adversary, “prowls about like a roaring lion, seeking someone to devour” (1 Pet. 5:8). But, firmly resisting him in faith will defeat our enemy (1 Pet. 5:9; Jas. 4:7). Even the strongest among us face temptation. However, temptation is not sin. It is only when we yield to temptation that we transgress the will of God.

Our resource for help when tempted is beautifully described by the apostle Paul in 1 Corinthians 10:13 where he writes, “No temptation has overtaken you but such as is common to man; and God is faithful, who will not allow you to be tempted beyond what you are able, but with the temptation will provide the way of escape also, that you may be able to endure it” (1 Cor. 10:13). In this passage, Paul describes the beautiful two-fold promise of God’s providential aid in times of temptation.

First, there is the promise that we will not be tempted beyond our ability to endure. Peter told his readers that “the Lord knows how to rescue the godly from temptation” (2 Pet. 2:9). God knows your breaking points and will not allow Satan access beyond what you are able to handle. At the same time, we have a God-given responsibility to fortify ourselves against Satan’s attack (Eph. 6:13; Tit. 2:11-12).

Second, there is the promise that, with the temptation, God will provide the way of escape. A successful plan of action varies from circumstance to circumstance. Sometimes we are strengthened against temptation by sharing in the experiences of others who have successfully battled the same temptation. Other times, we must flee from the temptation (2 Tim. 2:22). And, still other situations call for us to stand and fight (Jas. 4:7). But, regardless the circumstance, temptation always requires prayer and reliance on God (Mt. 6:13; 26:41).

--Glen Elliott--

Bible Questions:

1. Who was Andrew's brother?
2. Who was John's brother?
3. Who was the son of Alphaeus?

THANK YOU

to all you who brought children's vitamins for a Russian orphanage!!

VISITOR BAGS

February 3rd

Gina Ratliff &
Edie Singleton



OUR RECORD January 20, 2019


SUNDAY CLASS:	147
SUNDAY WORSHIP:	184
SUNDAY PM:	99
WEDNESDAY (23rd):	113
BUDGET:	\$5,400
OFFERING:	\$5,440
YTD average:	\$5,526
YTD ahead/behind:	\$377

Prayer Requests

*Our sympathy goes out to Ronald Beene and his family in the passing of his mother, Ruby. Her funeral was Thursday at Roller McNutt.
*Also, remember the Tatum's as Herb's brother-in-law, Robert Byrd, passed away.
*Pete Hines was able to come home from the hospital Tuesday.
*Alisa Banks is in Conway Regional room 202 with diverticulitis issues. Janet is not feeling well at this time and asked for prayers.
*Carolyn Thornton had open heart surgery last week.
*Stephanie Phillips requested prayers as she adjusts to new medications.
*Continue to keep Patsy Story; Dana Taylor, (Jerry Garrett's niece); and Eric McNulty (and family) in your prayers.
*Pick up a prayer request sheet on the table in the foyer.

Answers to Last Week's Questions:

1. David (Lk. 2:11)
2. Saul/Paul (Acts 22:3)
3. Amos (Amos 1:1)

			
BIRTHDAYS			
Keaton Whitley	1/30		
Zakary Swindle	2/01		
Breckett Phillips	2/01		
Shelly Dent	2/02		
ANNIVERSARIES			
- NONE -			
			

CALENDAR:

Tuesday, January 29th
SENIOR MINISTRY

will be going to Petit Jean for lunch at Mather Lodge. The van will leave at 9:30 from the building. See Gary Bradford for more information.

The Senior Ministry class will begin Tuesday, February 5th with Ted Knight speaking at 10:30 in the fellowship room. There will be a soup potluck after class. Make plans to attend.

February 10th
AREA WIDE YOUTH DEVO
at Liberty church of Christ
Van would need to leave by 4:30
however, *we need a van driver*

Ladies Day

March 2nd

beginning at 9:30am

Kim Wilson will be speaking

**more details coming soon*

MISSIONS DAY

FEBRUARY 3rd

This year's goal is \$20,000 above our regular contribution. Please be prayerfully considering your giving on this day. Remember we will have a potluck after morning services and a 1pm afternoon service (no 5pm service)

Ladies Preparing Communion Trays

January 27th - Pat Davidson
February 3rd - Shelly Dent
February 10th - Dena DeValle
February 17th - Dona Dixon
February 24th - Jennifer Dunn

**if you have any questions, please contact Cindy Wilson*

FOOD COMMITTEE for JANUARY

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