

PRIVILEGED TO SERVE

SUNDAY MORNING

November 22, 2020

WELCOME: Darren Dent
SONG LEADER: Rod Wilson
OPENING PRAYER: Jim Bell
LORD'S TABLE: Robert Hayes

ASSIST:

CLOSING PRAYER: Seth Fisher
GREETERS: *no greeters at this time*
CARDS: no card pickup at this time
VISITOR GIFT/ *no visitors*
HOSTESSES: *bags at this time*
SCRIPTURE READER:
NURSING HOME: no services

SUNDAY EVENING

November 22, 2020

SONG LEADER:
OPENING PRAYER:
LORD'S TABLE:

CLOSING PRAYER:

WEDNESDAY EVENING

November 25, 2020

SONG LEADER: Seth Fisher
OPENING PRAYER: Kevin Blair
DEVOTIONAL:
CLOSING PRAYER: Bill Davidson

**Please contact Jackie Horton,
if you are unable to serve.*

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

SUNDAY:

BIBLE CLASS (cancelled) 9:30 a.m.
WORSHIP (in person & online) 10:30 a.m.
EVENING (online only) 5:00 p.m.
LAST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH 1:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY:

BIBLE STUDY (in person & online) 7:00 p.m.

1st & 3rd TUESDAYS:

SENIORS MINISTRY CLASS 10:30 a.m.

THURSDAY:

LADIES BIBLE CLASS 10:00 a.m.
**cancelled until further notice*

2nd Thursday of each month:

PANTRY OPEN from noon - 1:30 p.m.

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ZOOM!

Zoom is still a favorite expression of lads playing with their toy rocket ships, airplanes, and automobiles. It involves a sudden, rapid, and ongoing movement accompanied by sound. Without the power of *zoom*, imaginations would be sorely distressed. A few years ago, Mazda capitalized on the expression, using *Zoom Zoom* to advertise its RX-7 sports car, thereby connecting it to a young man's childhood imagination. Since then, *zoom* has replaced *close-up* as an expression describing the magnification feature on our cameras and computers. In this day of social distancing and working from home, *zoom* is a common expression describing group meetings conducted entirely online.

Zoom would be a great word to describe the instantaneous miracles of our Lord. The second miraculous sign of Jesus recorded by John in his gospel was the healing of the royal official's son at Capernaum. This unnamed official had a son who was sick to the point of death (Jn. 4:47). So, when he heard that Jesus was coming again into Galilee, he went to meet Him and begged Him to come quickly before his child died (vs. 49). Jesus simply said, "Go; your son lives" (vs. 50). He took Jesus at His word and began his 17-mile journey home. Somewhere along the way he met his servants who told him his son was living (vs. 51). With a few questions, he was able to discover that his son had been healed at precisely the same hour that Jesus said, "Your son lives" (vs. 53).

We could call this a zoom miracle. *Zoom*, and just like that, it was done! This is not the only time Jesus healed from a distance. Nor was it the only time He performed miracles from far, far away. The universe came into being through the power of God's spoken word (Gen. 1:3ff; Ps. 33:9). Jesus was part of the creation process, for John says, "All things came into being through Him, and apart from Him nothing came into being that has come into being" (Jn. 1:3).

Similarly, there is great power in believing prayer. God is not constrained by distance in answering the petitions that come before Him. There are times when God seems to answer prayers slowly. We grow impatient, often forgetting that there is blessing even as we wait for God's response (Isa. 40:31). Be assured, however, that our prayers *zoom* to the Father through Jesus His Son (Hb. 7:25). He hears our prayers and answers in keeping with His will (1 Jn. 5:14-15). This is no childhood game. This is plugging into the power of God. He is our Ebenezer—our Rock of help in time of need (Hb. 4:16). Let the call sound forth! People of God, now is the time to bathe the Father's throne with earnest prayers that the hearts of the stubbornly rebellious might break in genuine repentance issuing forth as never before a wave of interest in and obedience to the precious gospel of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. But, alas, such a prayer requires human response, beginning with us.

--Glen Elliott--

Prayer Requests

*Debbie Freeman is undergoing chemo treatments again: a total of 6 treatments—one every two weeks.

*Jason Elliott will be having tests at the Mayo Clinic next week. Also, remember him and Misti in your prayers as they travel.

*Kristy Brewer’s dad, Wayne, is hoping to be transferred to the Greenbrier Nursing and Rehab Center soon.

*Helen Swindle’s sister, Sharion, is in the hospital in Jonesboro. Please continue to keep her in your prayers. Sharion sent a THANK YOU card, and it will be posted on the bulletin board in the hallway.

**Continue to keep the Jones’s friend, Shelby; Austin Ford; Miguel Montenegro, Jr; Jim Burkett; Michael O’Brien; Marilyn Koone; Cindy Wilson’s friend, Carolyn; Dorothy Tatum, and Ted & Barbara Knight in your prayers.*



There will be no bulletin next Sunday (the 29th)

Our Record

November 15, 2020

SUNDAY CLASS:	
SUNDAY WORSHIP:	69
SUNDAY PM:	
WEDNESDAY (18th):	29
BUDGET:	\$5,400
OFFERING:	\$3,642

BIRTHDAYS:		
(November 22nd - December 12th)		
Jennifer Dunn	11/22	
Sandra Blair	11/23	
Ted Peterson	11/30	
Jerry Garrett	12/02	
Ada Blair	12/03	
Larry Ward	12/05	
Dudley Henry	12/07	
Ginger Beene	12/10	
Linda Ward	12/10	
Jim Ratliff	12/11	
ANNIVERSARIES:		
Tom & Anne Steele	11/28	
Derek & Cari Gilmer	12/11	



SENIORS MINISTRY

Noah Icenhour, from Enola, will be teaching from Romans chapter 2 Tuesday, December 1st at 10:30am in the Outreach Center. There will be a potluck lunch after class. The third Tuesday of December (the 15th) there will be NO class.



BIBLE QUIZ

James 4:11-12

1. “Do not speak ___ of one another, brethren.”
2. In this passage, a person who speaks evil of a brother and judges a brother also speaks evil of and judges the ___.
3. “But if you ___ the law, you are not a doer of the law but a ___.”
4. How many Lawgivers does James say there are?
5. This Lawgiver is able to ___ and to ___.

**last week’s answers: God, devil; draw near to God; hands; laughter, mourning; humble, lift*