

PRIVILEGED TO SERVE

SUNDAY MORNING

February 13, 2022

WELCOME: Darren Dent
SONG LEADER: Jeff Jones
OPENING PRAYER: Mike Brewer
LORD'S TABLE: Jim Bell
CLOSING PRAYER: Matthew Dent
GREETERS: Ron & Linda McInturff

SUNDAY EVENING

February 13, 2022

SONG LEADER: Seth Fisher
OPENING PRAYER: Mike Seger
LORD'S TABLE: Kevin Blair
CLOSING PRAYER: Tyler Blair

WEDNESDAY EVENING

February 16, 2022

SONG LEADER: Seth Fisher
PRAYER: Justin McEntire
DEVOTIONAL: Bill Davidson

**Please contact Jackie Horton,
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 STUDY 7:00 p.m.

1st & 3rd TUESDAYS:

SENIOR MINISTRY CLASS 10:30 a.m.

2nd Thursday of each month:

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

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A GIFT OF LOVE

Thank you for the wonderful response to our Missions' Day challenge! Our goal has been met even as contributions continue to arrive. We praise God and prayerfully look forward to how these funds might be used to promote the spread of the gospel. The church in Greenbrier is to be commended for its generosity and love for lost souls around the world. Generosity is a God-like quality which should be appreciated in the life of God's people. While God should be glorified in all things through Jesus Christ (1 Pet. 4:11); it is not the case that we should remain silent regarding acts of generosity demonstrated by our brothers and sisters in Christ.

In corresponding to the church at Corinth, the apostle Paul highlighted the amazing generosity of the churches in Macedonia, describing how "that in a great ordeal of affliction their abundance of joy and their deep poverty overflowed in the wealth of their liberality" (2 Cor. 8:2). In seeking to meet the needs of the poor in Judea, these brethren gave beyond their ability, even begging for the opportunity to do so (vss. 3-4). Paul explains this unexpected development, saying, "they first gave themselves to the Lord" (vs. 5). The example of their generosity became an example to others, including the Corinthian brethren.

Giving to be noticed by men has no reward (Mt. 6:1-2). It is better to give in secret, without thought to personal recognition (vss. 3-4). However, this does not negate the importance of generosity as an essential component of our example to the world. Jesus says, "Let your light shine before men in such a way that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father who is in heaven" (Mt. 5:16). Later in the chapter, when Jesus admonishes us to "be perfect, as [our] heavenly Father is perfect" (vs. 48), He is talking about imitating the Father's generosity. He "causes His sun to rise on the evil and the good, and sends rain on the righteous and the unrighteous" (vs. 45). By showing generosity in our love toward all men, even our enemies, we prove ourselves to "be sons of [our] Father who is in heaven" (Mt. 5:45).

God is the Giver of every good and perfect gift (Jas. 1:17). He "gives to His beloved even in his sleep" (Ps. 127:2). We cannot outgive God. But, we must show ourselves to be His children through our generosity. In the final analysis, we can give only that which has first been given to us by the Lord. Purposeful, cheerful giving connects us to the love of God; for "God loves a cheerful giver" (2 Cor. 9:7). Thank you for your gift of love.

--Glen Elliott--

Prayer Requests

*Bob Gossett fell and broke vertebra in his back. His surgery went well Thursday.
*Our sympathy goes out to Sandra Blair in the passing of her sister, Olivia McLendon. There will be a memorial service at a later date.
*Remember Darlene Langley as she deals with health issues.
*Continue to keep Debbie Freeman; Stephanie Phillips; Marty Leonard's dad; Marilyn Koone; Michelle Koone; and Dave & Janet Rhyne in your prayers.

DIAPER & WIPES SHOWER

Sunday, February 20th for Amber Stone in the Outreach Center at 3:30pm

FEBRUARY

Monthly Food Committee Leader
Annie Blair
870-831-9500

Our Record

February 6, 2022	
SUNDAY CLASS:	70
SUNDAY WORSHIP:	105
SUNDAY PM:	60
WEDNESDAY (9th):	73
BUDGET:	\$4,500
OFFERING:	\$27,064

Saturday, February 19th at 8am in the Outreach Center. See the signup sheet on the bulletin board in the hallway.

MEN'S BREAKFAST

BIRTHDAYS:
(Feb. 13th - Feb. 26th)

Ellis Turney	2/13
Jackie Horton	2/17
Janet Rhyne	2/19
Nora Smith	2/20
Ronald Beene	2/21
Pat Davidson	2/24
Melissa Hall	2/24
Bob Gossett	2/25
Linda McInturff	2/26

ANNIVERSARIES:
-none-

UPCOMING EVENTS

FEBRUARY 15th - The Senior Ministry class will meet at 10:30am in the Outreach Center. The speaker will be Jim Bell. There will be no potluck.

FEBRUARY 19th – Men’s Breakfast at 8am in the Outreach Center. Signup on the bulletin board in the hallway.

FEBRUARY 20th – Diaper & Wipes Shower for Amber Stone in the Outreach Center at 3:30pm.

MARCH 1st - The Senior Ministry class will meet at 10:30am in the Outreach Center. Jason Almond, from the Oppelo congregation, will be teaching from Romans chapter 16. There will be a potluck after class.

Word of the Week:
"FATHERS "

We will be
PACKING-THE-PULPIT
for the pantry in March.

Never Too Late

American folk artist Anna Mary Robertson Moses (better known as Grandma Moses) began painting at the age of 78. She completed more than one thousand oil paintings depicting farm life and the rural countryside she knew so well. What a great lesson! It is never too late to start a new venture, especially if it is serving the Lord.

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BIBLE QUIZ: 1 John 3:4-9

- What word does John use to define sin?
- “And you know that He was ___ to take away our ___, and in Him there is no sin.”
- “Little children, let no one ___ you. He who ___ righteousness is righteous, just as He is righteous.”
- True or False: A person who makes a habit of practicing sin is of the devil.
- “Whoever has been ___ of God does not sin, for His ___ remains in him; and he cannot sin, because he has been born of God.”

Last week’s answers: manner, children; no; yes; revealed, Him; purifies, pure