## **PRIVILEGED TO SERVE**

## **SUNDAY MORNING**

**December 4, 2022** 

WELCOME:

**Darren Dent** 

SONG LEADER:

Rod Wilson

OPENING PRAYER:

Ron McInturff

LORD'S TABLE: CLOSING PRAYER: Jeff Jones
Tyler Blair

GREETERS:

Melissa Hall &

Helen Swindle

#### SUNDAY EVENING December 4, 2022

SONG LEADER:

Jeff Jones

OPENING PRAYER:

Mike Seger

LORD'S TABLE:

**Austin Ford** 

CLOSING PRAYER:

Seth Fisher

## **WEDNESDAY EVENING**

**December 7, 2022** 

SONG LEADER:

Jeff Jones

PRAYER:

Rick Camp

**DEVOTIONAL:** 

Glen Elliott

\*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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## Are You Ready?

In July of 1959, the Queen of England visited Chicago. The city made careful preparations for her coming. The waterfront was readied for the docking of her ship. The wastebaskets were painted and the red carpet was rolled out. Many hotels were alerted. When the Drake Hotel was informed, the manager replied, "We are making no plans for the Queen; our rooms are always ready for royalty."

In a similar way, spiritual preparation must be continual if we are to be prepared for the coming of the King of kings. Indeed, Jesus will come again to take His followers home to that place He has prepared for them (Acts 1:11; Jn. 14:1-3). Thus, it can be said: "Heaven is a prepared place for a prepared people." Nowhere is this so evident as in the first epistle of John, where the apostle says, "Beloved, now we are children of God, and it has not appeared as yet what we shall be. We know that, when He appears, we shall be like Him, because we shall see Him just as He is. And everyone who has this hope fixed on Him purifies himself, just as He is pure" (1 Jn. 3:2-3). If we would be prepared for the coming of Christ, we must constantly and continuously fix our hope on Him by purifying our hearts in obedience to His truth (1 Pet. 1:22). For when Jesus comes again, there will be no time for the hurried frenzy of last-minute preparation. Jesus says, "Therefore be on the alert, for you do not know which day your Lord is coming" (Mt. 24:42).

-- Glen Elliott --

# Prayer Requests

- \*Amy Martin's father-in-law, Tim, had a heart attack Sunday. He will have a pacemaker and stints put in on Friday (Dec. 2nd).
- \*Terrie Wilcox will have hip replacement surgery soon.
- \*Keep Nora Smith in your prayers.
- \*Continue to keep Jason Elliott; Easton Hutchings great-grandmother, Dorothy; Shelly Carter's friend, Jenna; Ron McInturff's brother-in-law, Mike; Ruth Garrett; Margaret Adams; Dorothy Yeager; Helen Swindle's sister, Sharion, and friend, Sue; and Dave & Janet Rhyne in your prayers.

## **FOOD BOXES**

We have enough funds donated for 95 boxes so far! Thank you for your generosity. Remember to give your donations to Ron and Linda McInturff. Any amount is appreciated.

CEMBER

# Food Committee Leader

Melanie Whitley 501-328-3838

## November 27, 2022

SUNDAY CLASS: 80 SUNDAY WORSHIP: 99 SUNDAY PM: 32 WEDNESDAY (30th): 61

BUDGET: \$4,500 OFFERING: \$5.289

**BIRTHDAYS:** (Dec. 4th - Dec. 17th) 12/05 Larry Ward 12/07 **Dudley Henry** 12/10 Ginger Beene 12/10 Linda Ward 12/11 Jim Ratliff 12/14 Burnadean Murray 12/14 Rick Camp 12/15 Jim Bell 12/15 Justin McEntire **ANNIVERSARIES:** 12/12 Daniel & Amy Martin

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

<u>DECEMBER 4th</u> - Snowman Swap from 2-4pm in the Outreach Center. All ladies are invited. Bring a snowman item for exchange (\$20 or less spending limit). Please see the sign up sheet on the bulletin board.

<u>DECEMBER 6th</u> – The Senior Adult Ministry will meet at 10:30am in the Outreach Center. Bill Green will be teaching from Hebrews chapter 9. There will be a potluck following class so signup on the bulletin board in the hallway.

**<u>DECEMBER 10th</u>** - Men's Breakfast at 8am in the Outreach Center. See signup sheet.

<u>DECEMBER 10th</u> - Packing Holiday Boxes will begin at 10am in the Outreach Center There is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board for those who plan to help. Please see Ron McInturff for more information.

## **Spotlight on Missions**

We recently received a November report from the Akin's whom we support at Bear Valley. Drop by and check it out along with the rest of

the mission reports. Don't forget that our Missions' Day is only a couple of months away!



## **PANTRY ITEMS:**

Jiffy Mix, Soup, Cereal, Dry Beans, Spaghetti Sauce, Canned Pasta, & Oatmeal (box of packets)

## **BIBLE QUIZ:** Revelation 7:9-17

- 1. "After these things I looked, and behold, a great \_\_\_ which no one could number, of all nations, tribes, peoples, and tongues, standing before the \_\_\_ and before the \_\_\_..."
- 2. They wore white \_\_ and had \_\_ branches in their hands.
- 3. "These are the ones who come out of the great \_\_\_, and \_\_\_ their robes and made them white in the \_\_\_ of the Lamb."
- 4. The Lamb will lead them to a \_\_ fountain of \_\_.
- 5. "And \_\_ will wipe away every \_\_ from their eyes."

Last week's answers: angels, corners of the earth, winds; angel, seal; trees, sealed, foreheads; 144,000; twelve