

PRIVILEGED TO SERVE

SUNDAY MORNING

February 5, 2023

WELCOME: Kevin Blair
SONG LEADER: Jeff Jones
OPENING PRAYER: Rick Camp
LORD'S TABLE: Darren Dent
Glen Elliott
Jeff Jones
Rod Wilson
CLOSING PRAYER: Jim Bell
GREETERS: Helen Swindle &
Dorothy Yeager

SUNDAY EVENING

February 5, 2023

SONG LEADER: Rod Wilson
OPENING PRAYER: Ron McInturff
LORD'S TABLE: David Woody
CLOSING PRAYER: Joshua Whitley

WEDNESDAY EVENING

February 8, 2023

SONG LEADER: Jeff Jones
PRAYER: Robert Hayes
DEVOTIONAL: Kevin Blair

**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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FOMO (3)

Fear of missing out (FOMO) has been applied to material possessions and earthly relationships in previous articles. Looking at things from a different perspective, there are times when the fear of missing out is essential to our eternal well-being.

We should have a healthy fear of missing out on heaven. Our likeness to the ancient Israelites is a comparison often drawn in the pages of God's word. The writer of the book of Hebrews warns against the disobedience of unbelief which prevented the children of Israel from entering into their rest – Canaan (Heb. 3:18-19). Canaan is a type of our eternal rest – heaven itself. So, in this letter, written to Christians who were being tempted to turn away from Christ and go back into Judaism, the inspired writer says, "Therefore, lest us fear if, while a promise remains of entering His rest, any one of you may seem to have come short of it" (Heb. 4:1).

Fear is a legitimate motive and has its place in our relationship with the Lord. Because of the Father's impartial judgment, Peter tells us to "conduct [ourselves] in fear during the time of [our] stay on earth..." (1 Pet. 1:17). In light of the Lord's promises and the potential for moral defilement, Paul encourages us to perfect "holiness in the fear of God" (2 Cor. 7:1).

While those in Christ have many reasons for confident assurance (e.g. Eph. 1:3, 7; 2 Pet. 1:10-11; 1 Jn. 1:7-9; 5:13; etc.), these do not eliminate the possibility of falling away from Christ (e.g. Heb. 4:1; 1 Cor. 10:12; 2 Pet. 2:20-21; etc.). We must live in a constant state of spiritual preparation (e.g. Mt. 24:44, 46; 1 Th. 5:2; 2 Pet. 3:10; etc.). Fear of missing out can be a powerful tool, pushing us in that direction. For, in the end, we do not want to be like the five foolish virgins – standing outside, knocking at the door – but too late for the coming of the bridegroom (Mt. 25:1-13).

-- Glen Elliott --

Prayer Requests

*Debbie Freeman received a good report - we are so thankful for that. She will go back in four months for another scan.

*Dorothy Yeager's niece, Marcine Owens, has cancer and is need of our prayers. She lives in Sterling, CO.

*Continue to keep Janet Rhyne; Shelly Carter's friend, Jenna Daughtry; Terrie Shoemaker; Nora Smith; Margaret Adams; and Brenda Dowdy's daughter, Sandy, in your prayers.

Pulpit Preview:



February 5th

AM -- Missions Day - Steven Ashcraft

PM -- 1:00 p.m. Missions Day - Ted Knight

February 12th

AM -- Authenticity of the Cross (4)

PM -- Confidence (Ps. 27)

MISSIONS' DAY

February 5th

*Be praying and
planning for
this day.*



February



Food Committee Leader

Annie Blair
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January 29, 2023

SUNDAY CLASS:	85
SUNDAY WORSHIP:	96
SUNDAY PM:	46
WEDNESDAY (1st):	25
BUDGET:	\$4,500
OFFERING:	\$4,179

BIRTHDAYS:

Feb. 5th - Feb 18th

Lou Dillard	2/07
Darren Dent	2/07
Dave Rhyne	2/07
Anne Steele	2/09
Ellis Turney	2/13
Jackie Horton	2/17

ANNIVERSARIES:

Caden & Dylan Leonard 2/09

UPCOMING EVENTS

FEBRUARY 5th - Missions' Day: teen through adult classes will meet in the auditorium for class at 9:30am. We will have a potluck after morning worship followed by a 1pm afternoon service. No 5pm worship.

FEBRUARY 7th - The Senior Adult Ministry will meet at 10:30am with Jonathan House from the Liberty congregation teaching from Hebrews 11. Remember to signup for the potluck—your name and what you will be bringing.

FEBRUARY 11th - All couples are invited to a "Sweetheart Party" at 5:30pm in the home of Rod and Cindy Wilson. *Must bring your sweetheart, *No children. See Cindy Wilson for further information.

Coming Soon...

FAITH UNDER FIRE

"How to Live Faithfully in a
Hostile World"

Speaker: Jason Jackson

More Details to Follow...

Bible Drill Memory Verse:

"The grass withers, the flower
fades, but the word of our
God will stand forever"
(Isaiah 40:8 - ESV)

2023 SUMMER SERIES - "Authentic Discipleship"

Go by the bulletin board in the hallway to see the list of
topics for each week as well as the speakers.

BIBLE QUIZ: Revelation 11:7-14

1. "Now when they have finished their __, the beast that comes up from the __ will attack them, and overpower and kill them."
2. "Their bodies will lie in the public square of the great city—which is figuratively called __ and __—where also their Lord was __."
3. True or False: The people buried the bodies of the two witnesses immediately.
4. "At that very hour there was a severe __ and a __ of the city collapsed."
5. How many were killed in the earthquake?

Answers from last week: measure, temple, worship; Gentiles; forty-two; olive, lampstands; fire, devours