

PRIVILEGED TO SERVE

SUNDAY MORNING

May 14, 2023

WELCOME: Gene Blair
SONG LEADER: Jeff Jones
OPENING PRAYER: Rick Camp
LORD'S TABLE: Jim Bell
Seth Fisher
Darren Dent
Gene Blair
CLOSING PRAYER: Austin Ford
GREETERS: Rick & Kathy Camp

SUNDAY EVENING

May 14, 2023

SONG LEADER: Rod Wilson
OPENING PRAYER: Ron McInturff
LORD'S TABLE: Seth Fisher
CLOSING PRAYER: Kevin Blair

WEDNESDAY EVENING

May 17, 2023

SONG LEADER: Seth Fisher
PRAYER: Jeff Jones
DEVOTIONAL: Mike Seger

**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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Be Present in their Lives

Being a parent involves so much more than procreation. It is a relationship carrying important responsibilities. For years, we have lamented "absentee fathers" – those who father children biologically without regard to the responsibilities that go along with bringing a child into this world. The sad reality is that many children grow up without a father. Though living in the same house, other fathers have checked out of their children's lives – having no connection with them – and, therefore, absent from their lives.

Unfortunately, with increasing regularity, we see the same problem raising its ugly head among those who give birth to our children. For many years, we have been inundated by worldly philosophies painting a distorted view of motherhood. Sometimes, children are but a passing thought to those seeking the world's approval in living a successful, fulfilled life. "Have a child, if you must, but quickly get back to more important and fulfilling activities." To varying extents, the end result is that children grow up without strong connection to either a father or a mother.

Sometimes children are blessed with others in their lives who fill the void. These are sometimes referred to as follows: "He was like a father to me" or "She was like a mother to me." These are expressions of relationships that can make all the difference in a person's life. But, for those of us who are parents, we must connect with our children by assuming parental responsibility in the four ways outlined in Luke 2:52. The inspired text says, "Jesus kept increasing in wisdom and stature, and in favor with God and man." Parents have a God-given responsibility to see that their children grow up intellectually, physically, spiritually, and socially. This requires that parents be present in their children's lives.

-- Glen Elliott --

Prayer Requests

*Bob Gossett received some good news from his doctor. Keep him and Becky in your prayers.

*Continue to keep the Jones's friend, Charles; Michael Gilbow's mother, Anita; Jerry and Ruth Garrett; Martha Bell; Donna Beck; the Burkett's great-granddaughter, Addison; Dave & Janet Rhyne; Shelly Carter's friend, Jenna Daughtry; Helen Swindle's nephew Billy; Terrie Shoemaker; Nora Smith; Margaret Adams; Dorothy Yeager also Dorothy's niece, Marcine; and Brenda Dowdy's daughter, Sandy, in your prayers.

PANTRY ITEMS FOR MAY

Jiffy Mix, Hamburger Helper, and Soup

Pulpit Preview:



May 14th

AM -- A Woman of Integrity

PM -- SSFAL 5: Be Prepared to Become What You Think

May 21st

AM -- Jason Jackson: How to Live by Faith in a Hostile World

PM -- Jason Jackson: Thank God for Salvation



Food Committee
Leader

Alisa Jones
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BIRTHDAYS:

May 14th - May 27th

Jonas Fisher 5/14

Brad Beck 5/15

Helen Swindle 5/16

Sue Shumate 5/21

Glenda Hillard 5/23

Darlene Langley 5/24

Stephanie Baker 5/27

ANNIVERSARIES:

-none-

May 7, 2023

SUNDAY CLASS:	79
SUNDAY WORSHIP:	100
SUNDAY PM:	64
WEDNESDAY (10th):	77
BUDGET:	\$4,500
OFFERING:	\$4,793

Our Record

UPCOMING EVENTS

MAY 16th - Senior Adult Ministry class will meet at 10:30am in the Outreach Center. Mike Seger will be the speaker. There will be no potluck.

MAY 20th - Door Knocking at 10:00am.

MAY 21st-24th - **GOSPEL MEETING with Jason Jackson—FAITH UNDER FIRE.** We will have a potluck after morning services on the 21st. Sunday evening service will begin at 7:00pm as well as Monday– Wednesday services.

May 28th - Last Sunday of the month service: we will not have a potluck after morning services but meet back at 1:00pm for our afternoon service. No 5:00pm service.

JULY 23rd-25th - **VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL.** Mark you calendars now!

SEPTEMBER 23rd - **LADIES DAY** with Cathy Powell.



Bible Drill Memory Verse:

"Your word is a lamp
to my feet and
a light to my path."
Psalms 119:105

BIBLE QUIZ: Revelation 16:17-21

1. The seventh angel poured his bowl of wrath out into the ____.
2. "...and a loud voice came out of the temple of ___, from the throne, saying, 'It is ___!'"
3. The great city was divided into how many parts?
4. "Then every ___ fled away, and the ___ were not found."
5. "Men ___ God because of the plague of the ___, since that plague was exceedingly ___."

Answers from last week: sun, scorch, fire; blasphemed, repent; beast, darkness; Euphrates; thief, garments