

Order of Worship

Song: #797 Lord, We Come Before Thee Now

Call to Worship

Song: #60 He is Exalted

Song: #315 When I Survey the Wonderous Cross

The Lord's Supper

Song: #924 Just As I Am

Offering

Song: #587 Sing and Be Happy

Scripture Reading
Colossians 1:26-29

Sermon

“To the Work”

Song: #570 A Beautiful Life

Family Time

Song: #709 How Sweet, How Heavenly

Closing Prayer

Please join us for a lite brunch in the fellowship hall immediately after our worship service this morning.

Additional Zoom Services Now Available

Sunday Bible Class, Sunday Evening Devotional, and Wednesday Evening Bible Study are now available live (at the building) and on Zoom.

Directions to access our Church Zoom Meetings

Our Meeting ID for all zoom services is: 921-6844-7917
Password: 2535662

To call into the meeting by telephone, dial (646) 876-9923. You will be prompted to enter the Meeting ID: 921-6844-7917.

Elders

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For The Record

Sunday Morning (Live)	98	Sunday Morning Bible Study	81
Sunday Evening Worship	21	Wed. Afternoon Bible Study	N/A
Wed. Evening Bible Study	45	Contribution Average 2023	\$4605

Schedule Of Services

Sunday Morning Worship—9:30 a.m.	Sunday Bible Class—11:00 a.m.
Sun. Evening Small Groups—6:30 p.m.	Wed. Afternoon Bible Study—N/A
Wednesday Dinner—6:00 p.m.	Wed. Evening Bible Study—7:00



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*To this end I also labor, striving
according to His working which
works in me mightily.*

Colossians 1:29

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We Welcome You!

We are honored that you chose to visit with us today. We hope that you will stay around a few minutes after our service to become better acquainted. We are eager to know you! We hope you will come to see us as we see ourselves, a group of people who desire to live and love like Jesus.

If you seek meaning and purpose in your life, we invite you to come and join us as we study God's word, the Bible, and find the true joy and fulfillment that can only be found in Him. Our doors and hearts are open. So, if you've been thinking, praying, searching, and hoping for a place to belong, we say again—welcome!

“Help Wanted”

We all have gone straight to the “Help Wanted” column of the classified section of the newspaper. When I needed a second or third job, I would spend a dollar in hopes of finding employment in the Sunday edition. Most of the time, we can find work if we are seeking. This is especially true in the work of the church.

Someone once told me, “There should never be any unemployed Christians.” Much work is to be done in bringing others to Christ. We know secular work sustains our family and allows the work of the church to grow. However, we are still expected to work for the Lord by sowing and reaping. The only way to have a harvest is to plant the seed. Telling others about Jesus is the only way seeds can be planted. The world needs to hear the Gospel, so the harvest can take place. The challenge is that the church is lacking those who will work. What Jesus says in Matthew 10:37 still rings true today, “Then He said to His disciples, The harvest truly is plentiful, but the laborers are few.” Jesus is saying, HELP WANTED.

I grew up with many good athletes. One of the traits that allowed my peers to stand out athletically was their ability to be multi-dimensional. Good basketball players do more than shoot, good football players do more than run, and good golfers can play different courses! We as Christians may say, “I can only lead singing so that’s my job in the kingdom.” Others may say, “I’m a good cook, so I will focus on preparing meals for others.” While these and other skills contribute to sowing and reaping, choosing to remain one-dimensional limits our effectiveness for the Lord.

We all have been given so many talents. Matthew 25:14-30 explains we must use our talents and multiply our abilities. Christians have been equipped by our Creator. We sometimes say 20 percent of the people do 80 percent of the work. In actuality, if 20 percent of the people are working, only 20 percent of the work is being done. We have settled for far less than what could be done in the name of Jesus. Will you respond to the plea for HELP WANTED?

- Allen Jones

Church Family News

Men’s Breakfast—All men are invited to breakfast, at Cracker Barrel Restaurant, 200 Bypass Road, Williamsburg, on Saturday, April 15, at 11:00 am. Enjoy the faith, food, and fellowship.

2023 Building Fund Campaign—The Building Fund Campaign has been extended through April to raise money to pay down our existing loan before it is due to be renewed in May. We are already over halfway to our goal of \$100,000. A graph chart is posted on the bulletin board across from the office and in the fellowship room to keep you informed of our progress.

Craft Day at Betty Benson’s—Crafters are invited to bring a craft project and supplies, as well as a bag lunch, and meet at noon on Monday at Betty Benson’s house for fellowship and fun. For more information, please get in touch with Pat Little.

Egg Hunt—There will be an egg hunt on April 9, following Sunday Bible classes for all children through the 5th grade. You may place your donation of prefilled plastic eggs in the decorated box in the fellowship room. Please see Sabrina Logan for more details.

Small Group Bible Study—There will be a small group Bible Study at 7 pm on Friday, April 14, at the building. The topic will be The Chosen, season 1, episodes 7 and 8. Please bring a snack to share. See Chris Gary for more information.

Happy Birthday

Michelle Hicks 3/1, Brianna Waller 3/2, George Johnson 3/3, Becky Lech 3/4, Emelia Neumann 3/11, Jeff Shy 3/11, Connie Williamson 3/11, Hager Harmon 3/12, Adassa Duncan 3/14, Joe Garcia 3/15, Karen Kinder 3/15, Pat Little 3/17, Scott McNally 3/23, Stacia Landrom 3/25, Gene Balthaser 3/27, Lorie Manfre 3/28, Kisa White 3/29, Krystal Gary 3/30

Wedding Anniversaries

T.J. & Brittany Waller 3/3, Ron & Cheryl Brown 3/8, Joe & Angela Garcia 3/12

Prayer Request

Immediate Concerns:

Levi Abbott - hospitalized in Boston
Margaret Rose - cancer returned
Jennifer Christol – knee pain
Chris & Krystal Gary - safe travels
Brian Waterhouse - back pain
Theresa Patrick - recovering from foot surgery
Mike & Regina Boisseau - health
K.P. Pressey - colon cancer
India Johnson - health

Long Term Concerns:

Juanita Bailey - health
Boisseau family - health
Margaret Rose - health
Lena Stone - chronic pain
Amy Girimont - health
Cheryl Brown - health
Levi Abbott & Family

Shut-ins

Regina Clark
Adassa Duncan

Family & Friends:

Kay Himes’ nephew, **Carl Vandivier** is in ICU after cancer surgery & her sister, **Francis Ann** - is having reconstructive surgery on her ear canal
Ternon Lee’s nephew, **Tony**, - severe pain from a recent car accident
Matthew Lech’s friend, **Sam Moehler** - health
Cara Patrick’s father & **Keanna & Kiaune’s** grandpa - health and strength
Jerry Howell’s friend, **Karen Chrietin** - grieving the loss of her father
Margaret Rose & Krystal Gary’s Aunt **Barbara Turner** - hospice