Order of Worship

Announcements

Opening Prayer

Song: #3 Hallelujah! Praise Jehovah

Song: #382 Why Did My Savior Come to Earth?

The Lord's Supper

Song: #991 This Is My Father's World

Offering

Song: #412 Jesus, Hold My Hand

Scripture Reading
Isaiah 40:1-11

Sermon
Behold Your God

Song: #903 There Is Power in the Blood

Family Time

Song: #83 God Is So Good

Closing Prayer

"Are you visiting for the first time today?"

Welcome guest! We're so glad you've come to worship with us this morning. Please help us to get to know you better by filling out the green guest card on the back of the seat in front of you and dropping it in the collection basket. Or, for your convenience, you may scan the QR code and complete the guest card digitally. Thank you for taking the time to attend our service today. We hope to see you again soon!

Scan for Guest Card

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For The Record

Sunday Morning Worship	83
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Schedule Of Services

Sunday Morning Worship	9:30 a.m.
Sunday Morning Bible Class	11:00 a.m.
Sunday Afternoon Service	1:30 p.m.
Wed. Morning Bible Study	10:00 a.m.
Wednesday Dinner	6:00 p.m.
Wed. Evening Bible Study	7:00 p.m.

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Offering

We are grateful for every gift given in support of the Lord's work. During worship, a collection plate will be passed for those who wish to give. Contributions may also be placed in the foyer or made securely online by scanning the QR code.

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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!

"Behold Your God"

Scripture text: Isaiah 40 Jacob Brunjes

"Say to the cities of Judah, 'Behold your God!'" (Isaiah 40:9)

Isaiah 40 opens with a message of comfort: "Comfort, comfort my people, says your God." God's people face exile, but the prophet announces that God is coming to deliver them. A voice calls for a highway to be prepared in the wilderness because the LORD is on His way. God will reveal His glory, and all flesh will see it together.

Isaiah's announcement recalls the Exodus, when God came down to deliver Israel from Egypt. Now God promises to come again and redeem His people. His Word guarantees the promise: "The grass withers, the flower fades, but the word of our God will stand forever" (Isaiah 40:8). What God has spoken, He will accomplish.

But who is this God who is coming? Isaiah answers with a call: "Behold your God!" He directs our attention to the greatness of the LORD. God measures the waters in the hollow of His hand, weighs the mountains in scales, and calls the stars by name. He rules over creation, and no earthly power can compare with Him. Yet this same God comes as a Shepherd who gathers His lambs in His arms and carries them close to His heart. Isaiah wants us to see both His greatness and His care.

Centuries later, Mark opens his Gospel with this same announcement. John the Baptist prepares the way of the Lord, and Jesus appears. The God Isaiah said was coming has come in Jesus Christ. Mark records Jesus announcing, "The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God is at hand" (Mark 1:15). The promised time has arrived. God has fulfilled His Word and visited His people in the person of His Son.

The God we behold in Isaiah is the same God we encounter in the Gospels. Isaiah announces His coming, and Mark shows us His arrival in Jesus Christ. The God who rules creation has come near to redeem His people, and in Jesus we behold His greatness, His compassion, and His saving power.

Through the winter and into next year, our studies will follow this progression. We begin with Behold Your God in Isaiah 40, then move to Beholding Christ, examining the great Christological passages that reveal the glory of Jesus Christ. From there, we will enter the Gospel of Mark, where we will walk with Jesus, listen to His words, observe His works, and follow His mission. Throughout these studies, our desire behold God clearly as He has revealed Himself in His Son.

Scripture Anchors:
Exodus 3:7–8; Isaiah 40:1–11, 12–31; Mark 1:1–15; John 1:14–18; Colossians 1:15–20; Hebrews 1:1–4; 2 Corinthians 4:6

Church Family News

Weekly Focus on Prayer Zoom Meeting—As a reminder, our weekly Monday prayer meeting will take place on Zoom on Sundays (today). It will begin promptly at1:30pm. Zoom Meeting ID: 92168447917 Passcode: 2535662

Family Potluck—We will have a Family Potluck today, in the fellowship room immediately following Bible Classes. The prayer class will follow after at 1:30pm. All are invited to join!

Baptism—We rejoice in welcoming a new brother in Christ! On Wednesday evening, Kenny Chapman was baptized into Christ. Kenny lives locally and had been studying the Bible with a brother in Texas. Please join us in warmly welcoming Kenny to the family of God and encouraging him as he begins his walk in Christ!

Missionary Visit—On November 15th, Greg Clodfelter will deliver the sermon and information about his missionary journey. We are looking forward to having him with us.

Wednesday Family Dinners—Our sister in Christ, Sheila Johnson, is taking time to recover from a recent health issue. As a result, Wednesday evening dinners will be suspended for the remainder of the year. We may occasionally offer a monthly dinner, and any plans will be communicated in advance. Please keep Sheila in your prayers as she recovers.

Fall Family Festival—Our Fall Family Festival will be rescheduled! Stay tuned for the new date and additional details.

Meal Train Reminder—Please continue to keep our sister Kay Himes in your prayers as she navigates ongoing health challenges. Those wishing to help provide meals or meal gift cards may visit refer to the previously disseminated emails. Your love and support are greatly appreciated!

Happy Birthday

Isaiah Hicks 11/1, Jenna Clayton 11/2, Santiago Brunjes 11/6, Madison Clayton 11/7, Peggy Sperduto 11/7, Jasmine Mahone 11/7, Keanna & Kiaune Davis-Guerra 11/9, Mary Ann Sherrard 11/11, Jacob Brunjes 11/11, Joan Harris 11/13, Brian Seely 11/13, Regina Clark 11/14, Tina Banks 11/17, Tony Marshall 11/18, Olman Briceno, Jr. 11/19, Daina Brunjes 11/19

Wedding Anniversaries

Chris & Shante'i Mahone 11/22, Keith & Penny Bucknam 11/24, Phil & Cindy Harris 11/29

Prayer Request

Immediate Concerns:

Joyce & Bobby Logan - health
Sharon Moss - health
Eva Jackson - recovering
Connie Williamson & Family
Billy Kempton - health
Cara Patrick - health
Rita Seely - health
Peggy Boarman - health diagnosis
Miley Walker - health
Kay Himes - health

Long Term Concerns:

Levi Abbott - health
Regina Clark - health
Betty Benson - health
The Boisseau Family - grieving
M.C. & Juanita Bailey - health
Doug Smith - health
Abbott Family - strength & support
Pat Little - health
Margaret Rose - health
Isaiah Hicks - health
Darrel & Debbie Garrett - health
Jo Ann Knight - return of cancer, additional health issues
Alan Hicks
Those who have lost loved ones

Shut-ins:

Regina Clark & Betty Benson

Friends & Family:

Stephanie Large's sister
Emily Johnson's supervisor, **Jasmine Wiles** - health
Annie Washington's family members - health
Gail Marshall's sister- grieving
Penny Bucknam's brother, **David Wenner**- health and brother and sister-in-law - cancer
Joye Downing's family - various concerns
Howard Moffitt's sister-in-law - health
Nancy Gilliam's family member, **Jim Galen** - health
Eilene Dunkleburger - experimental treatments
Sabrina Logan's neighbor, **Yvette Ferguson** - health
Lynne McMullen's friends, **Tom & Lisa Stamper** - health
Karen Kinder's friend **Randy Eaton** - health; and niece **Jennifer & Family** - grieving; friends, **Andrew, Heather, & Amy** - various concerns, & sister **Ann Klavin** - cancer
Connie Williamson's family member, **Barbara Hawkins** - health
Diana Tew's husband **Billie** - health
Peggy Sperduto's Daughter-In-Law - health
Jerry Howell's friends - health & grieving
Cindy Harris' Sister-in-law, **Heather**- health; close friend - grieving
Jazmin Frett's great-aunt - cancer
Sharon Moss's sister, **Debbie** - health
Joe Garcia's co-workers - cancer, grieving, health; mother-in-law, **Pat** - health
Rene Kassing's grandson, **Justin** - cancer
Steve Davis' neighbor, **Billy** - health issues
Cara Patrick's friend, **Jacqueline** - health; daughter - grieving
Our Members Who are Traveling
Our Missionaries