

PRIVILEGED TO SERVE

SUNDAY MORNING

July 12, 2015

WELCOME: Michael Gilbow
SONG LEADER: Jim Sutterfield
OPENING PRAYER: Patrick Rawls
LORD'S TABLE: Garrett Brewer
Michael Cole
ASSIST: Will Ratliff
Tom Barkley
Don Barnett
Rod Wilson
CLOSING PRAYER: Gary Bradford
GREETERS: Joe & Katie Riela
Ricky & Keri Shannon
CARDS: Jag McNulty
Brandon Beck
VISITOR GIFT/ Tiffany Hillman
HOSTESSES: Dorothy Yeager
SCRIPTURE READER: Hunter Smart
Psalm 34:1-3

SUNDAY EVENING

July 12, 2015

SONG LEADER: Rod Wilson
OPENING PRAYER: Jackie Horton
LORD'S TABLE: R. C. Rawls
Matthew Dent
CLOSING PRAYER: Wyatt Brewer

WEDNESDAY EVENING

July 15, 2015

SONG LEADER: Mike Wolf
OPENING PRAYER: Clayton Dent
DEVOTIONAL: Valdy Eichmann
CLOSING PRAYER: Garrett Brewer

***Please contact Mike Wolff
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.

WEDNESDAY:

BIBLE CLASS 7:00 p.m.

THURSDAY:

LADIES BIBLE CLASS 10:00 a.m.

Elders:

Gene Blair 501-499-5868 Darren Dent 501-581-3052

Deacons:

Michael Cole 815-622-1874 Del Hines 501-733-4645
(benevolence, pantry, greeters) (finance & technology)
Jarrod DeValle 501-450-8719 Mike Wolff 501-472-8912
(education & teachers) (building & grounds)

Michael Gilbow 501-208-2909
(nursing home, fellowship room set up)

Minister:

Glen Elliott 501-314-9999

Church Office: 501-679-3647

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PRECIOUS WORDS

The most important words ever written are those we read in the pages of the Bible. These precious words guide our path and light up our way. David prayed, "Your word is a lamp to my feet, and a light to my path" (Ps. 119:105). No other words can measure up to that promise. Why? Because only the Bible is inspired by God, our Creator.

Not everyone who talks about inspiration does so in a manner consistent with what the Bible says about it. Some use the word to describe talented writers such as William Shakespeare. There is little doubt but that he was a gifted writer. But he was not inspired in the biblical sense of the word. In the New Testament, *inspired* is taken from a word meaning, *God-breathed*. Paul says that "All Scripture is inspired by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, for training in righteousness; that the man of God may be adequate, equipped for every good work" (2 Tim. 3:16-17).

There are many false claims of inspiration. Just saying that a work is inspired of God does not make it so. If the Bible is true, then there are no latter-day revelations. Bold statement to be sure, but the writers of the New Testament spoke of *the faith* as being "once for all delivered to the saints" (Jude 3). Peter says that "His divine power has granted to us everything pertaining to life and godliness" (2 Pet. 1:3). Claims to inspiration after the completion of the New Testament are false claims!

The Bible is our light and guide precisely because it is inspired of God. If it were nothing more than the product of human invention, it would carry no more weight than any other writing. But the word of God is not simply the work of man for "no prophecy was ever made by an act of human will, but men moved by the Holy Spirit spoke from God" (2 Pet. 1:21).

How does the inspiration of the Bible affect our daily lives? God's word must be the standard by which we govern our decisions. Too many follow the changing standards of human wisdom. More and more, we are being brainwashed into believing that if enough people believe that something is right, then it is right. And, conversely, if enough people believe something is wrong, then it is wrong regardless of what is said in the Bible. The standard by which we will be judged on the last day is the word of our Lord (Jn. 12:48). Following the wisdom of the world will lead to destruction. Jesus says, "the way is broad that leads to destruction, and many are those who enter by it....and the way is narrow that leads to life, and few are those who find it" (Mt. 7:13-14). The real question, then, is: "Will we believe Jesus or will we believe the world?" Eternity hangs in the balance.

--Glen Elliott--

CARE GROUP MEETINGS:

Care group 1 (Elliott)
July 18th at 6pm
in the Camp's home - ask Rick or
Kathy what to bring & directions

Care group 2 (Dent)
July 19th
in the fellowship room after
morning services

Care group 4 (Wolff)
July 19th
in the fellowship room after
evening services

Care group 5 (Hayes)
July 12th
in the fellowship room after
morning services -see signup sheet

**OUR RECORD
JULY 5, 2015**

SUNDAY CLASS:	151
SUNDAY WORSHIP:	178
SUNDAY PM:	87
WEDNESDAY (8th):	110
BUDGET:	\$5,400
OFFERING:	\$4,289
<i>YTD average:</i>	<i>\$5,576</i>
<i>YTD ahead/behind:</i>	<i>\$4,566</i>

NEWS & NOTES

PRAYER REQUESTS

*Steve Harrel is out of the hospital, but doctors want him to stay close for a couple of weeks. He will be at his sister's home. (**See address below.**)
*Ratis Yeager's brother, Dean, has a mass on his lungs and is not doing well at this time. Please remember him in prayer.
*Joyce Hines will begin radiation treatments soon.
*Please keep the Barnett's daughter-in-law, Elizabeth; Alisa Stephens; Patsy Burkett; Angie Gordey; the Gossett's son, Brian; Verple Baker's grandson, Brian; Nell Lee's niece, Ava; Phillip Short's friend, Wayne; the Sutterfield's sister-in-law, Patsy; Janet Banks; Jason Elliott; Nita Rowell's sister; and Helen Swindle's brother-in-law, Jim, in your prayers.
*Pick up an extended list of those in need of our prayers on the table in the foyer.
**** Some names from this list have been moved to the extended prayer list.**

Steve's address while at his sister's:

**Steve Harrel
1728 Clyde Drive
Naperville, IL 60565**

BIRTHDAYS

Jessica Smart 7/15

ANNIVERSARYS

Ted & Kathey Peterson 7/14

Please join us,
Natalie & Justin Vandaveer,
for a celebration of
love, friendship, laughter, and
family at our reception
July 18, 2015 @ 4:00 pm
at Greenbrier
church of the Nazarene
****Please RSVP number
attending to
nataliebwoody@gmail.com**

TEENS: CHRIST QUEST

AUGUST 7-9
in Mountain Home -
look for the signup sheet
in the teen room
Deadline is July 19th

PANTRY ITEMS FOR JULY:
Canned vegetables & tuna

VISITOR BAGS

for July 19th
Kathy Camp & Cyndi Moore



**Gospel Crusade
July 12th - 17th**

Reynolds Performance Hall
on UCA Campus
**No Sunday evening or
Wednesday evening
services at our building**
Van will leave every
night at 6:30

**Make plans to attend
VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL
July 26th - 30th**

If you would like to help, ask
Jarrod DeValle to see
where you are needed!
Adult class speakers:
Sunday - Bill Green
Monday - Coy Siddall
Tuesday - Charles Bane
Wednesday - David Heffington
Thursday - Carroll Sites
*** there will be a cookout to
kickstart our VBS at 5pm on
Sunday afternoon, July 26th**

FOOD COMMITTEE for JULY



Please contact
Kathy Camp or Shelly Dent
472-7943 339-8105