

## PRIVILEGED TO SERVE

### SUNDAY MORNING

July 23, 2017

WELCOME: Darren Dent  
SONG LEADER: Don Barnett  
OPENING PRAYER: Mike Brewer  
LORD'S TABLE: Marty Leonard  
Jarrod DeValle  
ASSIST: Jeremy Thomason  
Greg Bradford  
Rod Wilson  
Michael Gilbow  
CLOSING PRAYER: Phillip Short  
GREETERS: Ratis & Dorothy Yeager  
Mike & Anna Wolff  
CARDS: Nick DeValle  
Austin Gilbow  
VISITOR GIFT/ DONNA ALLENSWORTH  
HOSTESSES: Edie Singleton  
SCRIPTURE READER: Nathan Lovell  
Ephesians 1:3

### SUNDAY EVENING

July 23, 2017

SONG LEADER: Kevin Lovell  
OPENING PRAYER: Tyler Blair  
LORD'S TABLE: Derek Gilmer  
Jackie Horton  
CLOSING PRAYER: Pete Hines

### WEDNESDAY EVENING

July 26, 2017

SONG LEADER: Kevin Lovell  
OPENING PRAYER: Rick Camp  
DEVOTIONAL: Robert Hayes  
CLOSING PRAYER: Clayton Dent

***\*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.  
LAST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH 1:00 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  
Gary Bradford 501-626-3232 Rod Wilson 501-328-7888

#### Deacons:

Mike Brewer 501-472-7692 Michael Cole 815-622-1874  
(youth) (benevolence, pantry)

Jarrod DeValle 501-470-8710  
(education & teachers)

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

Mike Wolff 501-472-8912  
(building & grounds)

#### Ministers:

Glen Elliott 501-314-9999

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## COMING JUDGMENT

The thought of coming judgment stirs the minds of many. While it is an interesting, even exciting subject, there is a lot of misinformation circulated regarding the second coming of Christ and the day of judgment.

Others would very much like to table the matter altogether; preferring, instead, to think of the present life as the sum total of our existence. Though popular, such a view leads to a very low purpose in life. If there is no life after death, then we ought "to eat and to drink and to be merry," for tomorrow we die (Eccl. 8:15 cf. Lk. 12:19). Such a view of life creates great risk. What if death is not the final chapter? The Bible clearly teaches coming judgment. Hebrews 9:27 tells us that "it is appointed for men to die once and after this comes judgment."

Well-known political figure of the 1800's, Daniel Webster, was once asked what was his most significant thought. After thinking about it for a moment, he said that it had to do with man's accountability before God. Belief in a coming judgment ought to have a profound impact on the way we live our lives. Solomon explored every avenue possible trying to uncover life's true purpose. In the end, his conclusion is summarized in these words: "fear God and keep His commandments, because this applies to every person. For God will bring every act to judgment, everything which is hidden, whether it is good or evil" (Eccl. 12:13-14). Because there is a coming judgment, we must fear God and keep His commandments.

When the apostle Paul stood on Mars Hill in the city of Athens, he foretold coming judgment, saying, "Therefore having overlooked the times of ignorance, God is now declaring to men that all everywhere should repent, because He has fixed a day in which He will judge the world in righteousness through a Man whom He has appointed, having furnished proof to all men by raising Him from the dead" (Acts 17:30-31).

Life is not without direction, moving around in endless circles without any particular destination. Life is headed toward judgment, the day when we will all stand before the throne of Christ. Paul says, "we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ, that each one may be recompensed for his deeds in the body, according to what he has done, whether good or bad" (2 Cor. 5:10). Either the Bible is true or it is not. But, if the Bible is the word of God, then we must accept what it has to say about coming judgment. We will all be judged. Jesus says, "He who rejects Me, and does not receive My sayings, has one who judges him; the word I spoke is what will judge him at the last day" (Jn. 12:48). Because there is a coming day of judgment, it is imperative that we study His word and live in accord with its precepts.

--Glen Elliott--

**CARE GROUPS:**

Care Group 4 (Elliott) -  
 Sunday, July 23rd  
 after morning services  
 in fellowship room  
 with the Gilbow's group

Care Group 6 (Gilbow) -  
 Sunday, July 23rd  
 after morning services  
 in fellowship room

What should not be  
 heard by little ears  
 should not be said  
 by big mouths

**OUR RECORD**  
**JULY 16, 2017**

SUNDAY CLASS:	147
SUNDAY WORSHIP:	192
SUNDAY PM:	84
WEDNESDAY (19th):	106
BUDGET:	\$5,400
OFFERING:	\$5,566
YTD average:	\$5,361
YTD ahead/behind:	-\$1,131

**NEWS & NOTES**

**PRAYER REQUESTS**

- \*Please pray for Bryan Gossett that his cancer treatments will help him.
  - \*Marilyn Koone had surgery last week.
  - \*Alta McAteer will have knee replacement surgery on July 31st.
  - \*Verple Baker had a blood transfusion on Friday.
  - \*Keep Joe Dillard and Jim Sutterfield in your prayers.
  - \*Alisa Gaither's husband, James, was back in the hospital last week.
  - \*Continue to keep Gina Ratliff's mother-in-law, Francis; Phillip Short's dad, Charles; and Pete Hines in your prayers.
  - \*Pick up an extended list of those in need of our prayers on the table in the foyer.
- Remember Jeanne Haithcote who is in the Greenbrier Nursing Home.

BIRTHDAYS		
Linda Ray		7/25
Jimmy Thomas		7/26
Jennifer Whitley		7/29
ANNIVERSARYS		
Teddy & Kristy Lewis		7/24
Joe & Katie Riela		7/27
Ronald & Ginger Beene		7/29

We are all invited to the wedding  
 of Mary Camp & Nash Meyers  
 at our building



Saturday, August 5th at 2:00

**REMEMBER:**

July 30th is the last Sunday of the month service, and since it is a **fifth Sunday**, there **will be a potluck** after morning services then we will have a 1pm service NO 5pm service



**VISITOR BAGS**

for July 30th  
 Anna Wolff & Cassi Gilbow

**FOOD COMMITTEE**

for July  
 Please contact:  
 Kathy Camp 472-7943 Shelly Dent 339-8105



**6 More Lessons in our Summer Series**

July 26th - Chuck Northrop:  
 "With What Shall We Come Before the Lord?" (Mic. 6:6-8)

**AUGUST**

2nd - David Riley:  
 "What Is that in Your Hand?" (Ex. 4:2)

9th - Matthew Martin:  
 "How Shall We Escape If We Neglect So Great a Salvation?" (Hb. 2:3)

16th - Carroll Sites:  
 "If Salt Loses Its Saltiness, How Can It Be Made Salty Again?" (Mk. 9:50)

23rd - Loyd Harris:  
 "Why Do You Call Me 'Lord, Lord,'" and Do Not Do What I Say?" (Lk. 6:46)

30th - Chase Turner:  
 "But the Nine - Where Are They?" (Luke 17:17)

Consider these great questions

Make plans to be present

Bring a friend with you