

## Those To Serve

**Sunday, November 26, 2023**

A.M. Prayers

Opening: Jim Bangs

Closing: Ray England

P.M. Prayers

Opening: Robert Foster

Closing: Randy Harris

Singing: Johnny Knabe

**Wednesday, November 29, 2023**

Singing: Bobby Smithee

Devotional: Gary Bridgman

## The Record:

### Attendance:

**Sunday, November 19, 2023**

AM 58 PM 35

[Average for the Year]

AM [57] PM [37]

**Wednesday, November 22, 2023**

28 [Average for the Year] [39]

### Contribution:

**Sunday, November 19, 2023**

Actual \$ 1,952.00; Budget \$ 2,500.00

[Year-to-Date] \$ 110,099.00

[Average] \$ 2,342.53

[+/- Budget] \$ (548.00)

[YTD +/- Budget] \$ (7,227.00)

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## Thoughts from Bill:

**What God Is Able to Do For  
and Through His People (2)  
Ephesians 3:17-20**

The first article of this series dealt with what God is able to do for His people. We discussed that God is able to: save us; deliver us; make us stand; keep us from stumbling, so He can present us faultless; and raise us in the end and give us that home in heaven by His grace and mercy. This article will deal with the question: *What is God able to do in us?*

First God is able to  *dwell in us* . Paul writes in Ephesians 3:16-17: "... to the intent that now the manifold wisdom of God might be made known by the church to the principalities and powers in the heavenly places . . ." Paul also writes in 1 Corinthians 3:16-17: "Do you not know that you are

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## Plan of Salvation

### Hear

Mark 12:29; Romans 10:17; Acts 2:22

### Believe

Hebrews 11:6

### Repent

Luke 13:3, 5; Acts 2:38

### Confession

Matthew 10:32, 33

### Baptism

Mark 16:16; Acts 2:38; 1 Peter 3:21

## Sermons for November 26, 2023

**A.M.—What God Is Able to Do For  
and Through His People (2)**

**P.M.—A Study of Colossians—  
Colossians 1:1-18**

**Scripture: Ephesians 3:17-20;**

**1 Cor. 3:16-17**

## Schedule of Services

**Sunday Bible Class: 9:00 AM**

**Sunday AM Worship: 10:00**

**Sunday PM Worship: 5:00**

**Wed. Bible Study: 6:00 PM**

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the temple of God and that the Spirit of God dwells in you? If anyone defiles the temple of God, God will destroy him. For the temple of God is holy, which temple you are." Christ and the Spirit also dwell in us, and these three members of the Godhead help us to live for Them.

God is able to ***transform our lowly bodies into a glorious body*** (Phil. 3:21). This will take place at Christ's coming, but there are certain things we must do to have this happen. First, we must "press toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus" (Phil. 3:13). Secondly, we must remember that "our citizenship is in heaven" (Phil. 3:20). Lastly, we must believe that God has the power to "subdue all things unto Himself," even death (Phil. 2:21).

Thirdly, God is ***able to come to the aid of those who are tempted***" (Heb. 3:18, NASV). It is not a sin to be tempted, but sin enters when that lust or desire is conceived and gives birth to sin. Sin when it is full-grown brings forth death (James 1:15). Paul wrote in 1 Corinthians 10:13 (ESV): "No temptation has overtaken you that is not common to man. God is faithful, and he will not let you be tempted beyond your ability, but with the temptation he will also provide the way of escape, that you may be able to endure it."

God is able ***to strengthen and build up***. Paul in 2 Timothy 4:17 writes:" But the Lord stood by me and strengthened me, so that through me the message might be fully proclaimed, and all the Gentiles might hear it. So, I was rescued from the lion's mouth." He wrote in Acts 20:32 that God was able to build up the new man in life and character and give him an inheritance among the sanctified. If one receives Jesus and walks in Him, they can be rooted and built up and established in the Lord (Col. 2:7).

Finally, God is able to ***make us complete in every good work to work what is pleasing in His sight*** (Heb. 13:21, NASV). We can do the work that God sets forth for us in His word because He is in us and is greater than anything we will ever face that may hinder us in fulfilling the task He sets before us (1 John 4:4).

## *News and Notes*

**Those We Need to Remember in Prayer:** **Lavon Rogers** was in the hospital last week for possible stroke symptoms. A stroke and a heart attack have both been ruled out. She is now home and will wear a heart monitor for thirty days. **Autumn and Ashley Hudson** have covid. **Melvin Hudson** fell two weeks ago. He is recovering at home. **Dwayne Millikin** will have a heart cath done on November 28. **Sherry Rounds** will go back for a check up on December 6 which may be followed up with a laser procedure on her right eye. **Gloria Pyle**, Bill Cline's sister, will have a knee replacement on November 27. She is also in stage 4 renal failure. We have been asked to pray for **Landon and Nikki Kinion**. Their four-year old daughter Adah Nicole was killed in a tragic accident on November 18.

**Others We Need to Remember in Prayer:** Bill Coles, Joe Foster, Alice Fugett, Ed Hager, LaKrista Knabe, Paula Millikin, Butch Minyard, and Melissa Wood

**Southside School Holiday Gifts:** If you would like to help with the Southside School program for children in need this holiday season, lists of items needed are on the table in the back. The children being helped are ages 8-14. Please have any items here by Sunday, December 10. You can also give money. If you do, please make checks payable to Southside School, and in the memo line write "holiday gifts."

**Children's Home Shopping List: Chocolate Chips**

**Reason to Rejoice:** Noel Baldrige was baptized into Christ last Sunday. We rejoice with Noel! Let us pray for him as he begins his new life in Christ.

**Romanian Children:** If you are helping with the support of the children of Romania, please give your donation to Tammy Harris.

**Elders and Deacons Meeting:** There will be an Elders and Deacons Meeting next Sunday at 3:30 p.m. If you need to discuss anything with them, please let them know.