

Those To Serve

Sunday, February 4, 2024

A.M. Prayers

Opening: Johnny Knabe

Closing: Gary Bridgman

P.M. Prayers

Opening: Bill Cline

Closing: Randy Harris

Singing: Randy Harris

Wednesday, February 7, 2024

Singing: Bobby Smithee

Devotional: Randy Harris

The Record:

Attendance:

Sunday, January 28, 2024

AM 55 PM 38

[Average for the Year]

AM [53] PM [35]

Wednesday, January 31, 2024

38 *[Average for the Year]* [36]

Contribution:

Sunday, January 28, 2024

Actual \$ 2,184.00; Budget \$ 2,500.00

[Year-to-Date] \$ 9,533.00

[Average] \$ 2,383.25

[+/- Budget] \$ (316.00)

[YTD +/- Budget] \$ (467.00)

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Guest Article:

Four Gifts from God

Let us pause daily to be aware of our wonderful blessings. Christians should be the most thankful of any people. They have more for which to be grateful than any other people. Paul wrote, "Blessed be God who hath blessed us" (Eph. 1:3). May we together notice four marvelous gifts from the bountiful hand of God.

First, life is from God. God has given life and breath to all (Acts 17:25). In the Lord, we live, move, and have our being. Every good gift comes from the Lord (James 1:17). His sun and rain come our way, and He gives us fruitful seasons. He has filled our hearts with food and gladness (Acts 14:17). Are we truly thankful for life? As Christians, we have the promise of God for our needs to

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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 February 4, 2024

A.M.—How Important

Is Our Influence—

Lesson from Brett Carlile

P.M.—Lesson from Dwayne Millikin

Scripture: Matthew 5:13-16

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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be met (Matt. 6:33), and everything will work together for our good in this life (Rom. 8:28). Life from God is an opportunity to prepare for heaven. Thank God for life.

Second, we have the love of God. God's love toward man is great (Eph. 2:4). Such love is unknown in this world. We fall short in the ability to fully grasp the love of the Lord (Eph. 3:19). The adverb "so" is sometimes used to describe the depth of God's love towards man (John 3:16). Out of grace, God gave His blood that man might live (Rev.1:5). All I could ever do would never earn such a gift. I do not deserve it at all. I can never repay such a debt. Are you thankful for the love of God towards man? Do you realize man's plight without this gift? Many allow this love to be shown in vain (2 Cor. 6:1). Be thankful for such love. Obey His commands today to receive the blessings of this great love. Thank God for His Son and His love.

Third, we have the Law of God. Where would the world be without the Bible? Your eyes have seen great things, and the things your ears have heard in no way compares to the glories of this gospel (1 Cor. 2:9). It is light for our path (1 John 1 :7). It is God's power to save, and therein is revealed a plan for man's righteousness (Rom. 1:16-17). Your life will be blessed here by living by its precepts (1 Pet. 3:10-11). Your soul will be purified by obedience to it, and thus, you will be ready for the judgment (John 12:48). Thank God for the Bible.

Fourth, we have a land with God. Are we truly thankful for the hope of the soul? There is a land where we truly never grow old. This is the promised land for the child of God (2 Tim. 4:6-8). This is the better country (Heb. 11:16). No death, tears, sorrow, crying, or pain will be there (Rev 21:4). The hope of heaven keeps us pressing forward. The longing to be with the

Lord will one day be made a reality. Thank God for the land that one day will be ours.

Let us count our blessings. It will surprise you what the Lord has done. Life and its blessings have come from God. Thank God daily.

Vance Hutton

News and Notes

Those We Need to Remember in Prayer: Continue to remember **Butch Minyard** and **Bill Coles** in your prayers. **Dwayne Millikin** will have a heart valve replacement on February 7. **Gary Mize** will have bypass surgery on February 9 in Little Rock. Remember Michelle Knabe's father **Charles** in your prayers. He is in St. Vincent's hospital in Little Rock.

Others We Need to Remember in Prayer: Haden Davis (soldier deployed to Israel), Ed Hager, Diana Hudson, Melvin Hudson, Mark May, Paula Millikin, and Lavon Rogers

Guest Speaker: Brett Carlile will be speaking during class about Crowley's Ridge College. He will also present the lesson to us this morning.

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

Children's Home Shopping List: **Picante Sauce/Salsa**

Monthly Singing: The singing in February will be on February 10 at 6:00 p.m. at the home of Hannah Cupp. Finger foods will be provided.

Visitation Meeting: There will be a Visitation Meeting next Sunay after the evening service.

Let's Eat: This month's Let's Eat will be on February 20 at Western Sizzlin in Searcy. The van will leave the church building at 4:30 p.m.