

**"Our mission is to love God, to love others, and to lead others to Jesus Christ."**

**Ministers: All Members of the Church**

Dr. Chuck Summers, Pastor  
Jane Robinson, Worship Leader  
Dee Branham, Children's Director  
Ernie Rogers, Song Leader  
Melanie Martin, Choir Director  
Dena Gibson, Pianist

PRELUDE

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS (Please sign and pass the attendance pad in your pew.)

\*STRIKING OF THE HOUR (Please stand when the chimes begin.)

\*LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES Acolytes

\*PRAISE HYMN No. 90  
"Come, Christians Join to Sing"

\*INVOCATION Jane Robinson

\*THE LORD'S PRAYER (use "sins" rather than trespasses)  
Our Father who art in heaven, Hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

FELLOWSHIP HYMN No. 286  
"This Is The Day"

CHILDREN'S SERMON (Children's Church to follow)

OLD TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE Psalm 51:1-17 Elder Terry Trimble

Elder: The Word of the Lord  
People: Thanks be to God

PASTORAL PRAYER

CHORAL PRAYER RESPONSE

HYMN OF COMMUNION No. 204  
"Alas! And Did My Savior Bleed?"

COMMUNION MEDITATION

The Lord be with you;  
And also with you.  
Lift up your hearts  
We lift them up to the Lord.  
Let us give thanks to the Lord.  
It is right to give God thanks and praise.

PRAYERS OF BLESSING

Elders

THE LORD'S SUPPER

All Christians

(All those who claim Christ as Lord are encouraged to celebrate His Supper with us.  
Partake of the Bread as it is passed, but hold the Cup that we may share in unison.)

OFFERTORY SENTENCE

TITHES & OFFERINGS

\*THE DOXOLOGY

Congregation

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise him, all creatures here below;  
Praise him above, ye heavenly host: Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

CHORAL ANTHEM

"It Is Well With My Soul"

SERMON TEXT

Matthew 5:43-48

Pastor

SERMON

"Matthew: A Love Which Sacrifices"

Pastor

HYMN OF INVITATION

"More Love to Thee, O Christ"

No. 527

\*BENEDICTION

\*CLOSING SONG

Congregation

Take my life, and let it be consecrated, Lord, to thee.  
Take my moments and my days;  
Let them flow in ceaseless praise,  
Let them flow in ceaseless praise.

POSTLUDE

\*The congregation will stand.  
Nursery facilities available.

*The sanctuary flowers today are presented to the glory of God in honor of Betty Scott's birthday by Oscar and Pluma Thompson.*

**ELDER OF THE WEEK**

1/10-1/16

BobVanHoose (432-3252)

1/17-1/23

Jim Brown (432-1381)

**FINANCIAL STATISTICS**

Needed Weekly for General Fund \$ 4,664.81

Received January 3 for General Fund \$4,408.00

**THIS WEEK'S EVENTS**

Today	9:45 AM	Sunday School
	11:00 AM	Morning Worship
	5:00 PM	Stewardship Team Meeting
	5:30 PM	Youth Gathering
	6:00 PM	Board Meeting
	7:00 PM	Personnel Committee Meeting
Wednesday	3:15 PM	Wednesday's Wonderful Worship
	6:00 PM	Vespers
	7:00 PM	Choir Practice

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The youth will meet this evening at 5:30. All youth are encouraged to attend.

The Stewardship Team will meet this evening at 5:00. It will be followed by our January Board Meeting at 6:00. Following the Board Meeting the Personnel Committee will meet.

Tomorrow our church will be hosting a group of seminary students visiting our area. We will be providing them with a home-cooked meal at noon. If you can help out with this meal, please see Faye VanHoose this morning.

This week Wednesday's Wonderful Worship will meet from 3:15 to 4:30 p.m. We will have Vespers at 6:00 p.m. and choir practice at 7:00. In Vespers we will begin a study of the Book of Ecclesiastes. Please read chapter one for this Wednesday night.

Note that a new flower calendar has been posted on the church bulletin board across from the kitchen. If you would like to give flowers in memory or honor of someone, there are lots of open dates available.