

TIME OF SERVICES

Bible Classes	10:00 A.M.
Worship Service	11:00 A.M.
Worship Service	6:00 P.M.
Wednesday: Bible Classes	7:00 P.M.

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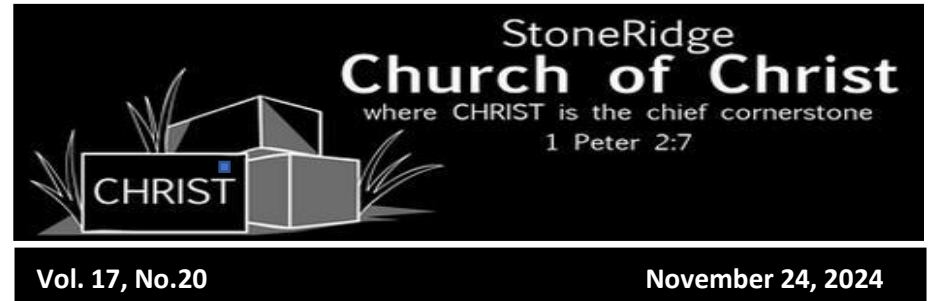
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THE BIBLE AND THE BIBLE ONLY, MAKES CHRISTIANS AND CHRISTIANS ONLY. THE CHURCH OF CHRIST IS COMPOSED OF CHRISTIANS WHO HAVE NOT JOINED A DENOMINATION.



LIFE FROM A SEED

During Passover week Jerusalem would have had numerous visitors. There were a number of Greeks who also came to worship at the feast. They asked Philip if they could see Jesus. In response, Jesus said *“the hour is come that the Son of Man should be glorified”* (Jn 12:23). Then, contrary to what his listeners had likely anticipated, Jesus compared his life to a seed. A seed must first die in order to live and bear fruit.

John 12:24-25 – *“Most assuredly I say to you, unless a grain of wheat falls into the ground and dies, it remains alone; but if it dies, it produces much grain. He who love his life will lose it, and he who hates his life in this world will keep it for eternal life.”*

As Christians, we don't like the thought of dying to self. Yet in nature we readily accept that a see must pass through death to produce new life in the spring. We know that seeds germinate under the ground's surface, though we don't see it happening.

I'm sure we've all planted seeds and we have seen these very things take place. One morning you look and there is the first sign of life coming out of the seed. Eventually it rises to full bloom.

Today, if we die to self, we can be confident that spiritual fruit will develop within us, even though we can't see it fully yet. We can rejoice over every seed of self that dies, for it's a sign of the coming of true life that is found only in Jesus Christ.

John 12:26 – “If anyone serves me, let him follow me; and where I am, there my servant will be also. If anyone serves me, my father will honor.” -**Shane**

Williams

Seasons Greetings: We take this time to wish everyone enjoyable times with your family, friends and loved ones during Thanksgiving. It's a good season for a good reason.

News/Notes/Quote

THE SICK. **Gauri and Debbie Guha** were able to be out last week. We hope their health continues to improve... .. **Cherilynn McFarland** had foot surgery last week and is recovering from that...**Almon and Belva Williams** have been sick and unable to be out...Several are suffering from seasonal allergies and other cold-like symptoms. It's that time of year! Everybody take care of yourselves and each other! **Shirley Coots** at Walnut Ridge Nursing Home...**Ray Vines** at Roger's home...**Ruby Vanhoozer** is at home under hospice care...**Karen Livesay** at home...

GROUP MEETINGS. Group 1 will meet Dec 14 at 5:30 at the Christenberry's. Group 2 will meet Dec 7 at 5:30 at the Beardens'.

PODCAST. John Mundy – Monday-Friday. 8 am on Facebook & YouTube.



The sun light of love kill all the germs of jealousy, hatred, ill will and bitterness!

Along with the beautiful sunshine, there will be some shadows.

God will forgive those who start late in life to serve Him, but He will not forgive those who quit early.

Be slow to speak. What you say in a hurry may end up causing you much worry.

Always remember that what you are in the sight of God, that is what you really are.

FYI: We have used the footprint logo above in several bulletins published over the years. It is from Daniel's birth certificate. I wouldn't want to use his footprint now.