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“Serving others as we serve Jesus.”



**Scott McFarland**  
**Minister**

**Sunday**

**Bible Class.....9:00 a.m.**

**Worship.....10:00 a.m.**

**Sunday Evening Bible Class....6:00 p.m.**

**Elders**

**Jeff Bettinger**  
**Bob Burrow**  
**Keith Jones**  
**Duane Landefeld**  
**Brian Rose**



**Keith Jones**  
**Family Life Minister**

**Wednesday**

**Bible Class.....7:00 p.m.**

**Deacons**

**Ronnie Beardmore**  
**Eric Carothers**  
**Dan Christman**  
**Ned Day**  
**Mark Henthorn**  
**Shawn Howell**

**Butch Lallathin**  
**Brent McConnell**  
**Jeff Seidler**  
**Howard Spengler**  
**Jesse Stalder**  
**Dan Watkins**

### **Prayer Requests**

Corey Stollar, recovery from heart surgery; Linda Buhrts, battling COVID; John Harmon (Christy Burrow's father); Becky McGee, upcoming tests (Paula Eikleberry's mother); John Ackerman, upcoming heart procedure; Marilyn Martin; Marie Rose; the widows of the congregation.

Please pray for the family of Boyd Vanness (Sam Ady's uncle) he passed away earlier this week.

**Those battling cancer** – Arron Sharpe (Ralph Ault's grandson); Dan Watkins; Sue Thornberry (friend of Bev Jones); Tammy Carter (friend of John Ackerman); Misty Robinson (friend of Alice Keylor); Pam Jones, stage 4 pancreatic cancer (J.D. Wiley's sister-in-law); Dave Hamilton (friend of J.D. Wiley); Nina Christman.

\* **Please update the office of any changes to those on the prayer list.** We update the prayer list periodically, removing names if we have not received recent updates on that person.

### **Pregnancies**

Kelci Harmon and Kirsten Rouse, for their health and the health of the children they are carrying.

### **Upcoming Dates to Remember**

The Elders meeting will be today, Sunday, September 18<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 p.m. in the library.

The Deacons meeting will be tomorrow, Monday, September 19<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Building.

### **Thank You**

Darlene and Laverne have been so blessed with a close and loving church family. We surely appreciate the support and care we've felt the past years. We very much enjoyed the refreshments, the warm atmosphere, and the true presence of the Spirit in the people who surround us so graciously.

Thank You, LaVerne and Family

I want to thank each and every one of you for the prayers, cards, phone calls, food and flowers, The kindness and help I received was deeply appreciated.

In Christian Love, Sharon Workman

## Abundant Marriage

“Mawwaageee...is what bwings us togeda today...” If you’ve ever seen the movie *The Princess Bride*, you know exactly the scene. Beautiful church, gorgeous bride and groom, well dressed bridal party, and...a priest with a speech impediment to perform the “bwessed awangement.” I used that as an opener to a wedding one time. I got a mixed reaction, as you could probably imagine.

But seriously, marriage is what brings us together today. At least, it’s what the sermon is about. Marriage is tough. I don’t have to tell you that. One of the reasons it is tough is us! We are flawed, broken people living in a broken world. Our marriages are affected by this. There’s not a marriage in existence that isn’t somehow tainted by the sin of anger, jealousy, unfaithfulness, bitterness, loneliness, or...you name it. Sin manifests itself differently in everyone’s relationship, but sin manifests itself in everyone’s relationship.

Fortunately, But, God has a better way. As we continue our second lesson in the Abundant LIFE series, we’ll take a look at God’s design for marriage—how it preceded the Fall, how the Fall affected it, and how God plans to redeem it. I hope you are engaged this morning, especially if you are married. God’s design is for us to have an Abundant Marriage.

-Scott McFarland

**September 18, 2022**

**OUR FAITH IN ACTION**

September 11, 2022

Sunday Morning Bible Classes	82
Attendance at the building	141
Bible Hour Attendance	41
Sunday morning Live feed views	29
Post-Sunday sermon online views	46
Sunday night Bible Class	40
Wednesday Bible Class In Person	53
Wednesday Live online views	n/a
Post Wednesday online views	n/a
Budget	\$ 5,000
Contribution	\$ 6,146

**J.O.Y. Bus Attendance**

**09/11/2022**

5 Riders

3 Workers

**BIBLE HOUR**

**PowerPoint Schedule**

**September 18**

Merna Bettinger

**September 25**

Whitney Rothacher

**Sunday Night Small  
Group Attendance  
(09/11)**

Bettinger	11
Burrows	7
McFarland	0
Seidler	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>18</b>

**M.A.G.I Tree**



This month's selected items will be warm weather outfits. We aim to provide each child with a new outfit (shirt, shorts/skirt or dress, underwear, and flipflops). In the back of the church, we have placed the giving tree just like we do at Christmas, each tag will have listed boy or girl and an age range. Please consider picking out a child (or as many as you feel led to select) and shopping for them. Stores are marking down

summer styles, so now is the time to purchase these items so we can bless the most children possible! We would like to have all items received by **Sunday, October 2nd**. If you have questions, please contact Sherri Lallathin or Ra Lene Henthorn.



**Church Bus Drivers**

If you currently drive or plan to drive any of the easy rider buses for the church for any church function, we need to update your driving information for insurance purposes. Please send Sherry your full name, date of birth and driver's license number so the list and insurance can be updated.

**Game Night**

The church game nights will begin again starting Saturday, October 1<sup>st</sup>, 4:00 p.m.– 8:00 p.m. Please bring your snacks and your own drinks. If you have any questions, please contact Jo Ellen Seidler.