WELCOME!!!

We are excited that you have chosen to join us for worship as we celebrate our Lord Jesus and God's loving plan for us. Our prayer is that God will encourage you and give you hope, that He will bless you through His Word, and that you will know you are welcome here. Please let us know if you have any questions concerning our beliefs or practices.

For your convenience, restrooms are located in the hallway immediately to the right of the front entrance.

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OPPORTUNITIES OF THE WEEK

SUNDAY, 9:30am	**WORSHIP SERVICE**
10:40am	**FELLOWSHIP**
11:30am	**ADULT BIBLE STUDY**
12pm	**CHRISTMAS CHOIR PRACTICE**
MONDAY, 6:30pm	**MEN'S STUDY (Led by Chip)**
TUESDAY, 6:30pm	**SCRIPTURE SPEAKS (Led by Ali Zabian)**
WEDNESDAY, 6pm	**WORSHIP TEAM PRACTICE**
6:30pm	**WHEN GOD SPEAKS (Led by Pastor Jim)**
THURSDAY, 6:30pm	**VBS PLANNING MEETING**
FRIDAY, 6pm	**YOUTH GROUP**
SATURDAY, 9am to Noon	**WORK DAY**

Open Door CHURCH

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Worship Pastor—Chip Winnard

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WORSHIP CELEBRATION
October 25, 2026

Call to Worship	Pastor Chip

"I Love You, Lord"

"Good, Good Father"

"His Glory and My Good"

Welcome	Pastor Jim
Biblical Truth Skit	Pastor Jim & Ali
Announcements, & Prayer	Pastor Jim

"He Knows My Name"

"O Praise Him"

Prayer	Pastor Chip
Dismissal of Children to Classes	Pastor Jim

"GOD IS FOR YOU"
(1 Samuel 23:1-14)

Opportunity for Decision	Fiona Vuolo
Offertory Prayer	Pastor Jim
Worship in Tithes and Offerings	Fiona Vuolo
Benediction	Pastor Jim

COMMUNION OFFERING NEXT SUNDAY

The Missions Offering which will be received following Communion next Sunday will be given to Global Hunger Relief, an initiative of the Southern Baptist Convention, which brings help and hope to people all around the world.

"One meal at a time, we become a family of believers addressing not just physical but spiritual hunger."

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Check the Church App for all planned events and to Register
Registering helps us to plan!
(The church app is available by going to your cell phone App Store or Google Play Store. Please take time to secure the app.

November 1	**COMMUNION**
November 8	**CHRISTIAN WEAVER PREACHING**
November 22, 5:30pm	**CHURCH THANKSGIVING DINNER**
December 24, 6:30pm	**CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE**

KEEPING YOU INFORMED

Attendance Last Sunday: 84

Tithes Last Week	Total Since 3/1	Budget Required
$3,481	$121,200	$128,605

Property--$1,000, Emma/Renzo--$41, Debt--$60,000, P.A.--$100

"GOD IS FOR YOU"

1 Samuel 23:1-14

INTRODUCTION:

I. GOD IS FOR YOU, SO KNOW THAT HE WILL RESTORE YOU

1 Then they told David, saying, "Behold, the Philistines are fighting
against Keilah and are plundering the threshing floors." 2 So David
inquired of the Lord, saying, "Shall I go and attack these Philistines?"
And the Lord said to David, "Go and attack the Philistines and deliver
Keilah."

II. GOD IS FOR YOU, SO KNOW THAT HE WILL BE PATIENT WITH YOU

3 But David's men said to him, "Behold, we are afraid here in Judah.
How much more then if we go to Keilah against the ranks of the
Philistines?" 4 Then David inquired of the Lord once more. And the
Lord answered him and said,"Arise, go down to Keilah, for I will give
the Philistines into your hand."

III. GOD IS FOR YOU, SO KNOW THAT HE WILL BLESS OTHERS THROUGH YOU

5 So David and his men went to Keilah and fought with the Philistines;
and he led away their livestock and struck them with a great
slaughter. Thus David delivered the inhabitants of Keilah.

IV. GOD IS FOR YOU, SO KNOW THAT YOU WILL HEAR FROM HIM

6 Now it came about, when Abiathar the son of Ahimelech fled to
David at Keilah, *that* he came down *with* an ephod in his hand.
7 When it was told Saul that David had come to Keilah, Saul said, "God
has delivered him into my hand, for he shut himself in by entering a
city with double gates and bars." 8 So Saul summoned all the people
for war, to go down to Keilah to besiege David and his men.
9 Now David knew that Saul was plotting evil against him; so he said
to Abiathar the priest, "Bring the ephod here." 10 Then David said, "O
Lord God of Israel, Your servant has heard for certain that Saul is
seeking to come to Keilah to destroy the city on my account. 11 "Will
the men of Keilah surrender me into his hand? Will Saul come down
just as Your servant has heard? O Lord God of Israel, I pray, tell Your
servant." And the Lord said, "He will come down." 12 Then David said,
"Will the men of Keilah surrender me and my men into the hand of
Saul?" And the Lord said, "They will surrender you."

V. GOD IS FOR YOU, SO KNOW THAT HE WILL PROVIDE A WAY OF ESCAPE FOR YOU

13 Then David and his men, about six hundred, arose and departed
from Keilah, and they went wherever they could go. When it was told
Saul that David had escaped from Keilah, he gave up the pursuit.
14 David stayed in the wilderness in the strongholds, and remained in
the hill country in the wilderness of Ziph. And Saul sought him every
day, but God did not deliver him into his hand.

CONCLUSION: