

# WELCOME TO OUR CHURCH

“Helping Others Find and Serve God”



LORD'S DAY  
January 17<sup>th</sup>, 2021

*“But we all, with unveiled faces,  
looking as in a mirror at the glory of the Lord,  
are being transformed into the same image  
from glory to glory, just as from the Lord, the Spirit.”*

2 Corinthians 3:18

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WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

A HEART OF GRATITUDE

Wayne Goldner

CALL TO WORSHIP

PRAYER

WORSHIP THROUGH MUSIC

SCRIPTURE READING

Psalm 24

PRAYER

MESSAGE

“What About Our Appearance?”

INVITATION SONG

“Ancient of Days”

BENEDICTION & CLOSING CHORUS

**“There are grave difficulties on every hand, and more  
are looming ahead. Therefore, we must go forward.”**

- William Carey

The altar flowers were given by Ida Morton in loving memory of her mother on her birthday.

### **ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK:**

**Wed. 6:00 – 8:00** Basketball Outreach for high school/college age  
**7:00 Bible Study & Prayer Time**

**Sat. 8:00 AM** Men's Bible Study

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**Happy Birthday To:** Today Scott Rowe; 1/18 Bob Clegg;  
1/21 Linda Davis, Maria Reese; 1/22 Addison Schick

**Happy Anniversary To:** 1/23 Chuck and Charla Bennett  
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### **Helping to Reach Out**

**Are you willing to contact up to 5 people/families each week during February/March** to help us keep our church family connected as we approach one year of COVID? We want to remind each family they are missed and provide opportunities to see how we can pray for and support each of them better. **Please sign up or let Pastor John know!**

### **Church Officers and Upcoming Elections**

In March 2020, our church held elections for church officers who were to serve from March 2020-March 2021. COVID hit in March 2020 which greatly impacted how and what were able to do in the church over the past year. In effect, our elected officers have not been able to serve in the “normal” capacity during this past year. However, we are convinced that restrictions on gatherings will be lifted at some point this upcoming year resulting in a normalcy returning to churches/activities.

With that in mind, **our board approved a motion to forgo the upcoming elections in March 2021.** It was decided that **those currently in office will be asked to retain their offices and to serve for the upcoming year.** We realize some may still be apprehensive about returning to church due to the pandemic. If any choose to decline this opportunity, then any resulting vacancies in those offices will be appointed by the Board.

(see bulletin board or last week's email for current officers)

### **Dropping off miscellaneous items at church**

We are so grateful for a generous and giving church! Donations are dropped off at the church for a variety of purposes on a regular basis. Our problem is that we don't always know what those donations are for ... so please help by clearly labeling the items so that we know where they should be placed.