

#### **Bro. Michael Bragdon, Pastor**

**Bro. Gerald Walker, Assistant Pastor** 

Sunday, August 17, 2025

#### Today's Messages

Sunday School Bro. Paul Dye - SubSplash Presentation

Morning Worship Man Up!

Afternoon Worship 3rd Sunday Fellowship

Wednesday Night A Bible Survey

#### **Today's Song Service**

SUNDAY SCHOOL

457 – Work For The Night Is Coming

CALL TO WORSHIP

115 - Wonderful Words Of Life

#### Pastor's Welcome

87 - Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus

(Ushers Assemble)

Offertory - Instrumental

265 - Redeemed

**CHOIR SPECIAL** 

490 – Sound The Battlecry

Sermon

INVITATION

325 - Have Thine Own Way Lord

AFTERNOON SERVICE

No Afternoon Service - 3rd Sunday Fellowship Meal



## 1 Corinthians <u>16:13 Watch</u> ye, stand fast in the faith, quit you like men, be strong.

- Throughout scripture, a common theme <u>exists</u>: be courageous. What does bravery look like to you?
- Maybe it's a strong face in the middle of a bad diagnosis. Or perhaps it is the men and women who jump into the midst of burning buildings and war zones to find a save the innocent.
- What if bravery was having the faith to push through another hard day?
- The Apostle Paul is writing to <u>encouraged</u> these young believers to stand strong in the <u>midst of difficult</u> circumstances.
- Not only was the city they lived in seeking to prevent them from gathering in the name of Jesus, but there was also fighting breaking out in the middle of their own gatherings.
- The young church was full of different people who had various opinions on how they should meet, their worship, and what living a godly life truly looked like. Sounds familiar, right?
- Instead of scolding the believers in Corinth, Paul encouraged each of them to remember why they were gathering in the first place – Jesus.
- The fact that Jesus Himself experienced various trials and tribulations of His life and ministry reminds us that we can stand courageously in our own trials.
- Why? Because nothing can happen to us that Jesus Himself does not know, and has not already overcome!

#### **BIBLE VERSE**



"Watch ye, stand fast in the faith, quit you like men, be strong."

1 Corinthians 16:13 KJV

### **Opportunities In The Church**

Looking for help in these areas. Please see Bro. Chris Strickland

Nursery

Sunday school teachers

Sound system training

PowerPoint training

Streaming training

Website maintenance & updating

Security / Ushers / Greeters

**Church directory** 

Following missionary reports

Group "SUBSPLASH" messages help



#### If you are interested, please see Bro. Paul Dye in the Sound Booth

#### **August Nursery Schedule**

- 3 Martha C.
- 10 Sheri B.
- 17 Martha C.
- 24 Sheri B.
- 31 Martha C.

#### **August Birthdays**

- 13 Patsy Barton
- 20 Tonya Barron
- 31 Tricia Ginther

#### August Anniversaries

None

#### ADOPT – A – MISSIONARY PROGRAM

Would you like to be a blessing and encouragement to one of our missionary families? If so, adopt a missionary!

Please see Brother Mark Kuenzi for information.

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These Missionaries need to be Adopted

Karl Anderson - Sweden
Joshua Stertz – Couriers For Christ
Dennis Thomas – Latin America

# **August Events**

## **Ministries And Meetings**

#### MINISTRIES

Men's Discipleship every Thursday @ 7pm

#### MEETINGS

Prayer meeting every Sunday @ 9am
Business Meeting – Aug. 24, 2025
Finance Committee Meeting – Sep. 7 @ 8:30am
Men's Breakfast Bible Study Sep 13 @ 8am
Ladies Bible Study Sat Sep 20 @ 10 am

#### SPECIAL EVENTS

First Responder/Veteran Recognition Sep. 14 Veteran's Day Nov. 9

#### AUGUST ACCOUNT UPDATE

Missions Offerings: Need \$1,500/mo.

to-date: rec'd \$1,770.00

Church Building Fund: \$35,142.21