

Serving Soon

Volunteers

Worship Leader

Opening Prayer

Communion

Announcements

Children's Church

Sound Booth

Nursery Attendant

Ushers

Next Week

Dec 3

Jacob Glaspell

Mike Wilson

JD Sandoval

Jimmy Williamson

Kara & Cinda

Jordan Rinard

Alisha Meadows

Bill, Jon, Jordan

Two Weeks

Dec 10

Adam Pugh

Jeremiah Forsythe

David Hubbard

Dick Moore

Stidhams

Evan Liles

Alisha Meadows

Bill, Jon, Jordan

Statistics

Attendance

Sunday Bible Classes 69
 Sunday Worship 169
 Small Group 38
 Wednesday Classesn/a

Budget

Contribution \$7,413

Leadership

Elders

Jeff Eldridge
 Dick Moore
 Gary Stidham
 Jimmy Williamson

Deacons

David Hubbard
 Kenny Hoyle
 Shane Barker
 Jamie Fee
 Jeff Felzien

Ministers

Chuck Forsythe
 Jacob Glaspell

Office Manager

Ashley Eldridge

Meeting Times

Sundays

Sunday Bible Classes 9:30
 Sunday Worship 10:30
 Sunday Evening 6:00

Wednesdays

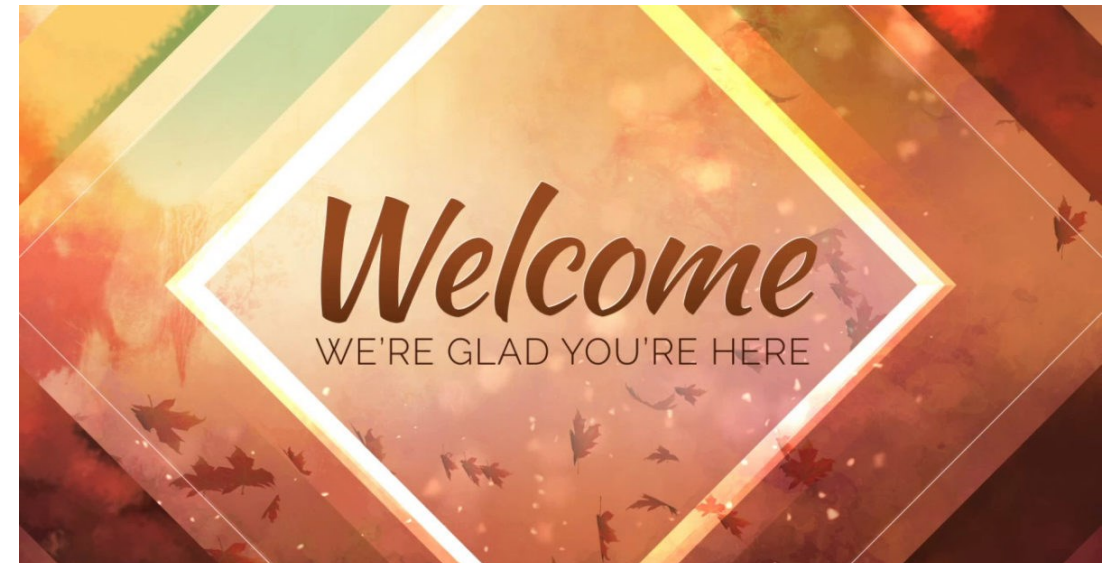
Bible Classes 7:00

Our

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mission is to bring people to Jesus and help them

Sunday, November 26, 2023



This Morning

Welcome Jacob Glaspell

Worship Leader Jamie Fee

Thank You

Thank You, Lord

Prayer JD Sandoval

Come Share The Lord

Communion Shane Barker

Count Your Blessings

Offering

Children's Church Kara & Cinda

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

Sermon Jacob Glaspell

How Great Thou Art

Announcements Jeff Felzien



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For Whose Hands Are You Thankful?

A teacher asked her first graders to draw a picture of something for which they were thankful. She knew most of them would draw pictures of turkeys on tables with food or a special toy. The teacher was a bit surprised with the picture Douglas handed in. It was a simple, childish drawn hand.

But whose hand? This class was captivated by the abstract image. "I think it must be the hand of God who brings us food," said one child. "A farmer," said another, "because he grows the turkeys." Finally, the teacher bent over Douglas's desk and asked whose hand it was. "It's your hand, Teacher," he mumbled.

She recalled that frequently at recess she had taken Douglas, a scrubby forlorn child, by the hand. She often did that with the children. But it clearly meant so much to Douglas.

Thanksgiving is not just about being thankful for the material things given to us, but for the small but powerful way others bless and change our lives.

It is also a reminder to bless others. Are you blind to others' needs? Do you just pass them by? Are you a person who sees the needs of others, but become numb and inactive to the plight of others?

Or do you extend your hand? Is the picture that other people draw the picture of the hand that you lend?

May the hand that you lend, and the human needs that you meet, bring glory to God!

News and Events

NEED TEACHERS: We need a Teacher for Winter Quarter. 1-3 grade for Wednesday nights.

HOPE RISING NEEDS: Crib sheets, Hooded towels, Boys and girls shoes sizes NB and 7-13, Gently used diaper bags, winter hats size Preemie, NB, and boys 12 months

LADIES CHRISTMAS PARTY: The annual Ladies Christmas party and gift exchange will be on December 5th at 6p.m.at the home of Debbie Eldridge. Please bring a gift in the \$15-\$20 range for the exchange, as well as an appetizer to share. For more info see Debbie and sign up on the table in the foyer.

XENIA CHRISTMAS STATION: Friday, December 1st. We will have a booth set up. More info to come.

COCOA & CAROLS: We will sing in celebration of Christ's advent, while enjoying an evening of hot cocoa. Sunday, December 17th 5-6pm in the fellowship hall.

BLOOD DRIVE: The next blood drive will be held December 10th 1-7pm, please see Chuck if you are able to volunteer.

GOSPEL MISSION: December 31st, please see Len Moses for questions about serving and sign up on the table in the foyer.

WINTER QUARTER CLASSES:

Sunday Morning (Fellowship Hall):

(round table side) Kenny Williams is teaching using the book: *Daniel: Living Among Lions: How to thrive Like Daniel in Today' Babylon.*

Wednesday night (Fellowship Hall):

(round table side) Len Mose is teaching Lessons from the Major Events in the Life of Christ

Small Groups

Bevercreek Group Jeff Eldridge 937-603-4269 Sundays at 6:00	Young Adult Group Gary Stidham 937-728-4700 Sunday at 6:00	Building Group Jimmy Williamson 937-776-5021 Sundays at 6:00
Ladies Group Sharon Felzien 937-848-7641 Sundays at 6:00	Bevercreek Group Dick Moore 937-609-3530 Sundays at 5:00	Bellbrook/Xenia Group Gary Forrester 931-993-2080 JD Sandoval 501-827-0443 Sundays at 5:00
Teen Group Jacob Glaspell 304-917-6912 Sundays at 6:00		

Prayer Requests

Dessie Neatherton	Cole Garringer	Jim Villinger
Charlie Lightle	Charlie Ayers	
Mark Lewis	Chris Stewart	

College Students

Leah Hoyle	Alexis Johnson
Grace Beerbower	Jennica Fee
Boston Begley	Madison Liles
Nate Strawser	Shiloh Drake
A.J Keys	

Student Ministry

grow up, grow out, grow together

ZOOM BIBLE STUDY: Thursday nights from 5:30-6:30 starting September 7th. See Jacob for link.

TEEN CHRISTMAS PARTY: December 16th @ 5pm in the Fellowship Hall.

WINTERFEST 2024:ACTS - Feb 15-18. Please see Jacob if you are interested in attending Winterfest this year. Price is \$125 per student. 6th-12th Grade.

SAVE THE DATE: Family Game Night December 8th.