

Those to remember in prayer

Al Emery
Ken Thomas
Irene Schmidt
May Seigworth
Kevin Hughes
Norma Thomas
Linda Reichart
Allison Park
June Rhines
Nick Van Horn – 20-yr-old with cancer

Adam Neill
Jim Metts
Milly Park
Terry Evans
Betty Hughes
Judy and Ethel
Florence Homolek
Ruby Bradd



Notes

- WELCOME to all our visitors today! Thank you for worshipping with us.
- Sister Milly was hospitalized this past week. There has been some improvement in her condition. Sandy has traveled this direction and Chuck is back from Florida. Please keep the family in your prayers.
- Randy's mom was diagnosed with pneumonia yesterday. She is in the hospital receiving care. Randy and Pam will be traveling tomorrow to see her. Please pray they have safe travels and she is getting better.
- Donna Dunkle requested prayers for her cousin's family. Her cousin, in her 30's, passed away recently from bone cancer and left a husband and young daughter. Life is full of tragedies such as this that need our prayers.
- Rod and Kim are visiting Courtney and her family today. Please pray they get home safely.
- There will be a VBS organizational meeting next Sunday, the 2nd, after morning services. Please make plans to attend and contribute your ideas and talents!
- Craft night will be Monday, February 3rd, at Karin's from 6:30 –

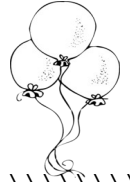
8:30. Please come and bring a friend!

- A gospel meeting has been scheduled for May 3 – 7 with Mr. Eddie Cooper. Details will be forthcoming.



Birthdays and Anniversaries

1/26 – Randy and Pam Matheny



Memory Verse of the Week

Give ear to my words, O Lord, consider my meditation. Give heed to the voice of my cry, my Kind and my God, for to you I pray. My voice You shall hear in the morning, O Lord; In the morning I will direct it to You, and I will look up.

Psalm 5:1-3



Bible Question of the Week

What was the name of the king who took Sarah, Abraham's wife?

Last week's question and answer:

What were the names of Simon the Cyrene sons?

Alexander and Rufus, Mark 15:21



Anagram Puzzle

Unscramble the letters of the nonsensical message to spell the name of a Bible person, place, or thing. Each letter will be used once.

Last week:

Bible City

Dooms

Sodom



Serving for February:

Announcer – Dick

Song Leader – David N.

Table – Doug

Servers – Adam, Brian, Gary, Scott, Sub: Rod

Our God is a Giver

It is remarkable that so many know the “Golden Text” of the Bible. “For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son...” It is called the “Golden Text” because many who read [John 3:16](#) see it as summing up the story of the Bible. Our God is a giver. He gave His son, but He has given us so much more.

He gives us our food. Paul, in his sermon at Lystra, reminded the pagans that while God allowed the nations to walk in their own ways, they were still accountable to Him. They could know He existed. “He did not leave himself without witness, in that He did good, gave us rain from heaven and fruitful seasons, filling our hearts with food and gladness” ([Acts 14:17](#)). That same witness has been given to us, for did He not tell us to pray about God giving us daily bread?

However, far above all of this is the spiritual food He supplies us. He has given us access to the fountain of the water of life freely ([Rev. 21:6](#)). He has given us all things which pertain to life and godliness ([2 Pet. 1:3](#)). He has given us the ability to understand the mystery that not even O.T. saints understood ([Mark 4:11](#); [1 John 5:20](#)). He has given us access to heavenly wisdom ([Jas. 1:5](#)). He has also given us exceedingly great and precious promises ([2 Pet. 1:4](#)). Our God truly is a giver.

He has given us the church and its attendant blessings which come with it. “Do not fear, little flock, for it is your Father’s good pleasure to give you the kingdom” ([Luke 12:32](#)). That eternal kingdom, planned from before the world began and prophesied by the Old Testament saints, has been given to us. This was more than part of His plan. It was the plan, and it was His pleasure to give it to us!

He has given to those in that kingdom the honor of telling others about His plan of redemption. That honor was not given to saints of old—not to Abraham, Moses, David, Elijah or any of the prophets. It was not given to Gabriel or Michael or any other angel in heaven. Paul described it this way: God has given to us the word of reconciliation and the work of reconciliation. We stand as the only ambassadors Jesus has on this earth saying to the world, “Be reconciled to God” ([2 Cor. 5:20](#)).

The list of what God has given to us is seemingly endless. He has given us peace ([John 14:27](#)). He has given us grace ([Rom. 12:6](#)). He has given us a new name ([Isa. 62:2](#)). He has given us the right to become sons of God ([John 1:12](#)) and what love is shown in this relationship ([1 John 3:1](#)).

Our God is a giver. What is our response? He allows us to fill in the details, but have we not all sung at various times, “Give of your best to the Master”?

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Sunday	10:00 AM	Bible Study
	10:45 AM	Worship Assembly
	6:00 PM	Song Worship
	6:30 PM	Worship Assembly
Wednesday	7:00 PM	Bible Study

Elders: Rod Thomas, Allan Seigworth
Preacher: Randy Matheny

Sunday, January 26th, 2020

Serving Today

Announcer:	David N.
Song Leader:	Dave H.
1 st Prayer:	Dick
Table:	Adam N.
Serving:	Doug, Rod, Mark, Dick, sub: Jim
2 nd Prayer:	Scott
Scripture:	Don – Matthew 5:1-5
Sermon:	Randy - “ Blessed are the Meek ”
Closing Prayer:	Gary

Serving Tonight

Announcer:	David N.
Song Leader:	Mark
1 st Prayer:	Dave H.
Sermon:	Randy
Closing Prayer:	Doug

Wednesday Night Song Leader

1/8 – John
1/15 – Mark
1/22 – Rod
1/29 – Dave H.