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Sunday Bible Study 9:45am
Morning Worship 10:45 am
Evening Worship 6:00 pm
Wed. Bible Study 7:00 pm

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MISSIONS

-Jerry Sturgill
Tri-state area
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-Dustin Bolks
Sioux Center, Ia.
-Dahn Ramkelawan
Suriname, SA
-Michael Mayo
Thailand, SE Asia
-Herman Joseph
Guyana, SA
-Mohamed Ally
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-D.J. Hatfield
WVSOP support
-*"In Search of the Lord's
Way"* TV broadcast

SEARCH TV

Sundays 7:30 am (on Fox)

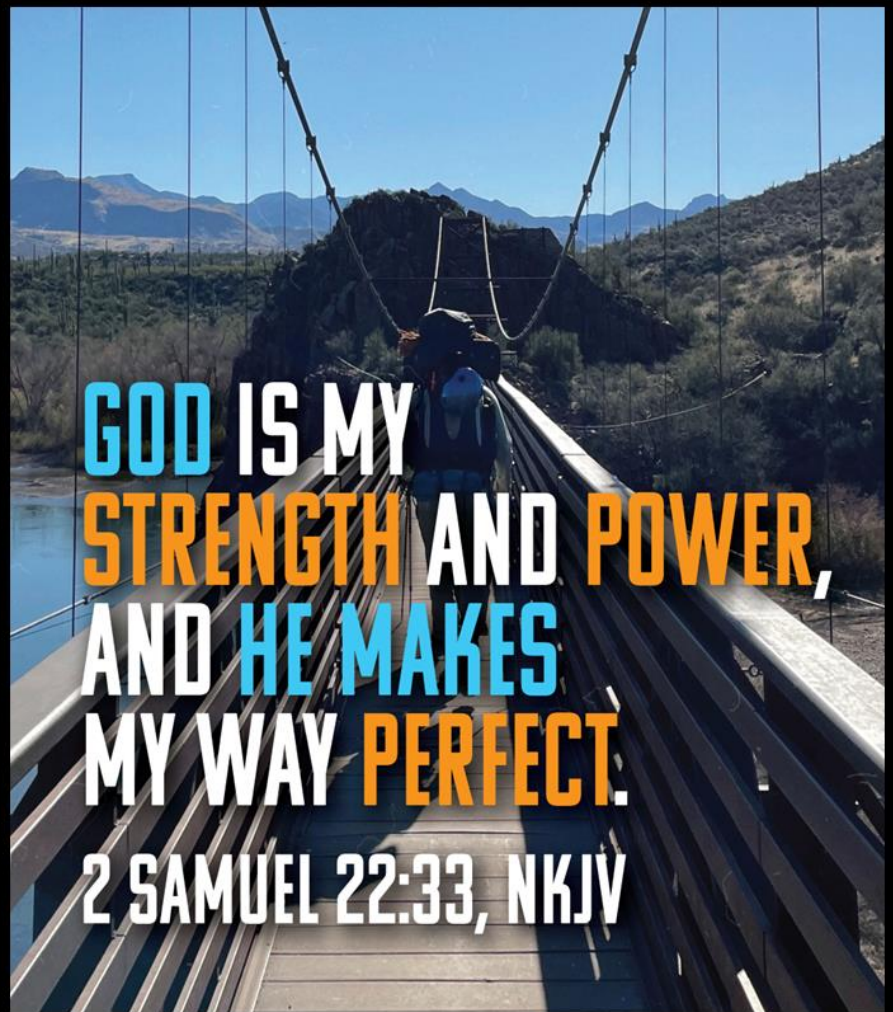
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**GOD IS MY
STRENGTH AND POWER,
AND HE MAKES
MY WAY PERFECT.**

2 SAMUEL 22:33, NKJV

We offer FREE: 4 Bible correspondence course series by mail:
an 8 lesson series by Hurt, a 6 lesson series "Acts Of The Apostles"
by Pharr, the "Studies In The Bible" 30 lesson series, and the
20 lesson series "Getting To Know Jesus" by Pharr. Let everyone know!

Remembering God's Deliverance

Exodus 12 gives instructions regarding the first observance of the Passover prior to God working the tenth and final plague on Egypt when God smote every firstborn except those who were passed over because they observed the feast. When Israel came into the promised land, the Passover was to be kept commemorating God's power and plan to deliver His people from bondage (Ex. 12:25).

The Passover foreshadowed the cross of Christ by which God redeems mankind from the bondage of sin. Jesus, in fulfilling the law of Moses, celebrated the Passover (Lk. 22:15). During Passover time, He inaugurated the Lord's supper (Luke 22:15-20). He then was sacrificed on the cross for our sins (Lk. 23:33). The New Testament identifies Jesus as the Passover lamb to which the Old Testament pointed (1 Cor. 5:7; Jn. 1:29, 36; Rev. 5:6). Just as the Passover lamb was to have none of its bones broken, so also Jesus died on the cross before the soldiers came to break His bones (Ex. 12:46; Jn. 19:32-36).

Since the Passover occurred during the Jewish feast of Unleavened Bread, it is obvious that Jesus used unleavened bread for the supper He inaugurated to commemorate His body (Ex. 12:8, 15; Mt. 26:26; 1 Cor. 11:23). Not only was the bread unleavened, but no leaven was in their houses during this week. The Jews were to remove all leaven from their dwellings in preparation for the Passover (Ex. 13:7). That the Jews applied this commandment to beverages as well as bread is clear from the Mishnah: "These also must be removed at Passover: Babylonian porridge, Median beer, Edomite vinegar, and Egyptian barley-beer" (Pesachim, 3.1). Thus, the "fruit of the vine" was not fermented (for then it would have contained leaven); it was what we would call unfermented grape juice in the cup that Jesus used to memorialize His blood of the New Covenant shed for the remission of sins (Mt. 26:27-29; Mk. 14:23-25; Lk. 22:17, 18, 20).

For generations, followers of God remembered how God saved the firstborn from the final plague on Egypt and fulfilled His promise to bring them into the promised land. Today, followers of God remember how God saved us through giving His only Son to die to bring us to heaven. God fulfilled His promise of His suffering servant bearing the sins of many (Isa. 53:12). The Lord's Supper is commemorative of Christ's death (1 Cor. 11:26). Jesus commanded we observe this memorial feast in remembrance of Him (Lk. 22:19).

Memorials are important. This memorial is of utmost importance lest we forget the price that was paid for us (1 Cor. 6:20; 7:23; 1 Pet. 1:18, 19). Spiritual blindness results from forgetting what God has done to remove our sins (2 Pet. 1:9). If we are not thankful for what God has done and refuse to glorify Him, we are on our way to serious wickedness (Rom. 1:21). Christians follow the command to remember Jesus Christ by coming together to break the memorial bread on the first day of the week (Acts 20:7). As often as we do this, we remember Him (1 Cor. 11:24-26). We should not be moved to observing the Lord's Supper less often. We need continual reminders. We need to continue steadfastly in teaching, fellowship, breaking of bread, and prayers lest we forget (Acts 2:42). Let us come together on the first day of the week to remember Him.

-Mark Day

News & Notes

Sermons Today



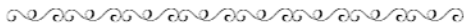
AM: Memorials
PM: Pouring Out the Water
PM Scripture Reading:
1 Chronicles 11:16-19

16- And David was then in the hold, and the Philistines' garrison was then at Bethlehem.

17- And David longed, and said, Oh that one would give me drink of the water of the well of Bethlehem, that is at the gate!

18- And the three brake through the host of the Philistines, and drew water out of the well of Bethlehem, that was by the gate, and took it, and brought it to David: but David would not drink of it, but poured it out to the LORD,

19- And said, My God forbid it me, that I should do this thing: shall I drink the blood of these men that have put their lives in jeopardy? for with the jeopardy of their lives they brought it. Therefore he would not drink it. These things did these three mightiest.



Dates To Remember

Jun 11- Graduate Honor Night- annex auditorium-7p

Jun 18- Elders, Deacons & Preacher Meeting -annex lg. classroom- 4:30p

Jun 30- Ladies Luncheon- TBD- 11:30a

Jul 22- VBS- 9:30a- 2:30p (one-day only)

Sep 15-17- Evangelism seminar with Allen Webster

Oct 13-15- Gospel Meeting w/ Michael Mayo

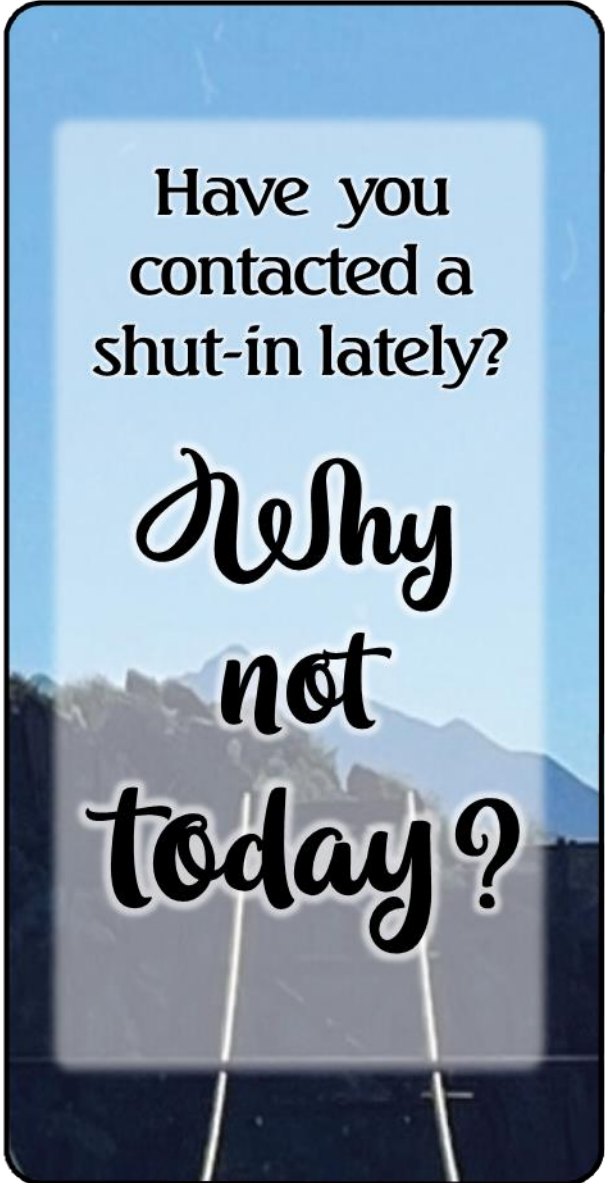


Attendance & Contribution Goals

	05/21/23	Goal	05/22/22
Bible Study	68	90	73
AM Worship	110	130	105
PM Worship	59	90	80
Mid Week	67	90	64
Contribution:	\$5598.00	\$6000.00	\$6493.00

Graduate Honor Night

Graduate Honor Night will be June 11th following evening worship service. There will be a reception in the annex auditorium hosted by Nathan and Serpell Adkins. Please, see them for details on grad table setup or any other questions.



☪ Today's Servants ☪

WELCOME:

AM/PM: Greg Hall/ Greg Conley

SONG LEADER:

AM: Brad Morris

PM: Braydon Snell

FIRST PRAYER:

AM: Nathan Adkins

PM: Nathan Parks

LORD'S TABLE*:

Presiding AM: Nathan Parks

Assisting: David Morckel,
Jacob Brown, Chris Scott,
Blake Hem, Luke Wallace,
Tanner Adkins, Ernie Perry

Presiding PM: Chris Scott

Assisting: Jackson Morris
*gluten-free bread

CLOSING PRAYER:

AM: Chris Legg

PM: Gabe Scott

SCRIPTURE READING:

PM: Noah Day

☪ Wednesday Servants ☪

WELCOME: Chris Scott

SONG LEADER: Dan Stone

PRAYER: Matt Vonderheide

DEVOTION: Brad Morris

☪ Weekly Servants ☪

LIVE STREAM: Jesse Legg

POWER POINT: Mason Morris

BLDG. ATT.: Jeremiah Smith

COORDINATOR: Brad Morris

ATTENDANCE: John Gambill

***** Youth Notes *****

**** Sundays ****

Pew Packers 5:45pm

in front of the auditorium-
geared to age 12 & under
but everyone is welcome

Registration is open for church
camp. Codes are available on
the foyer board and in the
office for the church to pay
for your camper & one friend.



Welcome, Visitor!

We are so pleased to have you as our
guest today.

If you are a first-time visitor with us,
please, fill out a 'visitor card' that you
will find on the back of the pew. You
may put it in the collection box or give it
to one of the men at the auditorium
doors as you exit.

We have tract racks on the wall in the
foyer with free tracts and literature. We
also have Bible correspondence courses
you can sign up to receive by mail at no
cost to you. Let our preacher know if you
would like to set up an in-home Bible
study. Thank you for attending.