September 13, 2026	
AM Worship	73
Contribution	$4,104.00
Weekly Need	$6,498.00

THOSE WHO SERVE

September 20	September 27
LOCK BUILDING	
The Riecks	The Riecks
PROJECTOR AM	
Joe Davis	Gary Faycosh
Lane Timaeus	Joe Davis
SCRIPTURE READING	
Randy Kingery	Kyle Teat
FIRST PRAYER	
Joe Maywald	Gerry Austin
LORD'S SUPPER	
Gerry Austin	Joe Maywald
Weston Timaeus	Stephen Bailey
William Stidman	James Carr
Roger Peltier	Jeff King
Solomon Hamilton	D.D. Lindsey
Darrin Griffith	Taylor Rieck
Caleb Griffith	Justin Alsobrook
Gary Faycosh	Lane Timaeus
Antonio Brinkerhoff	Larry Timaeus
CLOSING COMMENTS	
Jeff King	Jeff King
CLOSING PRAYER	
Scott Ratcliff	Darrin Griffith

EVENING	
PROJECTOR PM	
Jeff King	Lane Timaeus
Caleb Griffith	Jeff King
SCRIPTURE READING	
James Carr	Randy Wilkinson
FIRST PRAYER	
Randy Wilkinson	Stephen Bailey
LORD'S SUPPER	
Dan Talbot	Gerry Austin
Stephen Bailey	William Stidman
CLOSING PRAYER	
Darrin Griffith	Taylor Rieck

Wednesday Night With The Master

We're eating Taco Salad! The meal starts at 6pm, activities at 6:30pm, devotional and Bible classes start at 7pm. Looking forward to seeing you!

There will be an Online Men's Bible Study this Thursday 9/17, at 7PM. Study will be on Malachi 1:1-5, The Lord Affirms His Love for Israel.

SPECIAL SERVICES

GREETERS

September 20	Kyle Teat
	Mandie Faycosh
	Carol King, Karen Ratcliff
September 27	Gerry & Sharon Austin
	Larry Timaeus
	D.D. & Francene Lindsey

MONITOR

September 20	Roger Peltier
September 27	D.D. Lindsey

MEN TO COUNT CONTRIBUTIONS

Sept. 20	G. Austin, R. Peltier, S. Bailey
Sept. 27	R. Peltier, S. Bailey, R. Wilkinson

COMMUNION SERVICE

Communion Prep	The Wests
Communion Clean	The Wests

SONG LEADERS

20 Taylor Rieck **27** Scott Ratcliff

ELDERS Scott Ratcliff, Darrin Griffith, William Stidman

DEACONS Jeff King, Stephen Bailey, Taylor Rieck, Randy Wilkinson

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Ladies Bible Study

Saturday, September 19th at 10AM.
Hope you will be there!

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES	9AM
SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE CLASSES	9:30 A.M.
SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP	10:30 A.M.
SUNDAY EVENING WORSHIP	5:00 P.M.
WEDNESDAY NIGHT WITH MASTER	6:00 P.M.
ACTIVITIES & BIBLE STUDY	6:30, 7:00 P.M.

Distraction and Destruction

Most folks start the day with a list of projects that they want to tackle. Yet, on the way to achieving their purposes, distraction rises up. Not all distraction is worthless or troublesome. There are distractions which are wonderfully spiritual. Some distraction is very rewarding and perhaps represents even greater value than the original intended purposes of the day. The distraction simply needs to be what is authorized in Christ (**Colossians 3:17**). Regardless of its worth, distraction makes itself ever present. Consider for a brief moment the brief exhortation of focus from the Hebrew author:

Hebrews 12:1-3 – *Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight, and sin which clings so closely, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, looking to Jesus, the founder and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is seated at the right hand of the throne of God. Consider him who endured from sinners such hostility against himself, so that you may not grow weary or fainthearted.*

We should never be distracted from constantly submitting our lives to Jesus. He is our Example, our Savior, and our Defender. He certainly had distractions in His life. His physical family wanted His time. Everywhere He went People upon Him to heal them. Multitudes followed him to hear Him speak. Crowds sought him out hoping to see miracles or be fed. The Pharisaical Jews sought him to trick Him or cause Him to stumble in His ultimate purpose so that they would not lose their place of power. His inner circle of disciples represented distraction of weak faith, puzzled understanding, and even deception. Satan tried Him and tempted Him when he felt there was an opportune time. Physical fear and the reality of the pain of the flesh made their calling as well as He unwaveringly came to the cross. However, the distractions and suffering that Jesus endured provided understanding of the worth of submission to the Father (**Hebrews 5:8**). Jesus sits at the right hand of God because of His constant and steady control in keeping His eyes on the Father. Today, our eyes need to be constantly looking toward Jesus.

Destruction is the result of worldly distraction being our ultimate pursuit (**2 Corinthians 4:3-4**). Destruction results from trying to legitimize evil distraction as good (**Isaiah 5:20**) and turn scriptural wisdom into earthly wisdom (**2 Peter 3:16**) so we can pursue worldly distraction. Destruction comes from a heart problem that wants to turn back to the world (**Luke 17:32**). However, if you are seeking God (**Matthew 6:33**), spiritual distraction will not keep you from your God, nor will destruction await you. Submission of the heart, soul, mind, and strength to God will lovingly have the kingdom of the Father in view. Be of good cheer in the midst of distraction and boldly march onward (**John 16:33**).

Travis Main

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PLAN AHEAD

Next Bible Scouts - **10/4**
Next Teen Devo. - **10/11**

For a better morning,
talk with God first.

For a better night,
talk with God last.

For a better life,
talk with God all day.

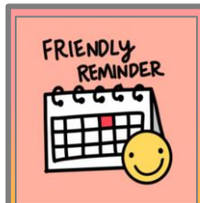
Preacher Search Committee

There will be a meeting tomorrow evening, Wednesday, 9/16, immediately following services. If you are on that committee, please make plans to attend.

Please visit the bulletin board for various opportunities to help.

Small Can, Big Impact!

Goal: 9,000
Current Count: 2,621
Need: 6,379



Impact will be here to collect on October 18th, that gives us about five weeks to reach our goal.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 21ST

Please Pray

Reagan Dories, friend of the Ratcliff family, is still suffering complications after a stroke…Paul Stallberg, coworker and friend of Stephen Bailey, has been placed in Hospice care.

PLEASE REMEMBER:
Carl Barrow, Dorothy Booth, Shirley Brown, Janey Casey, Mona Higgins, Erin West Janik, David Johnson, Lilia Law, JoAnne Maywald, Maggie Walker, Carrie Whitaker.