

Our Sunday Morning Worship Leaders

Sunday School

Song Leader Steven McGhee
Scripture Reading Chandler Coffman
Prayer David Watkins

Sunday Morning Worship

Welcome Doug Gregory
Song Leader Steven McGhee
Opening Prayer Lilburn Rager
Preside Lord's Table Chris Coffman
Serve Lord's Table Terry Sawyers • Mitch Morris
Robert Sawyers • Austin Rager
Sermon Doug Gregory
Closing Prayer Bobby Parmley

Sunday Evening Worship

Song Leader Steven McGhee
Opening Prayer Chris Coffman

Wednesday Evening Bible Study

Song Leader Steven McGhee
Devotional Doug Gregory

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For the Record

Sunday Bible Class ...56 Wednesday Bible Class ...26
Sunday Assembly ... 88
Sunday Evening ... Contribution ... 1917



THE WEST SIDE STORY

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August 27, 2017

The Purpose of Life...

Life is a precious gift from God. It is God who “forms the spirit of man within him” (Zechariah 12:1), and it is to God that our spirits return after death (Ecclesiastes 12:7). Consequently, it would seem that men ought to use their lives to please God. But rather than striving to “seek the Lord” (Acts 17:27), men often expend their energies in other ventures.

Some, for example, act as if their purpose in life is to gain physical wealth. And to that end they focus all of their efforts. Those who struggle in this area should be reminded of several basic Biblical truths: 1) “One’s life does not consist in the abundance of things he possesses” (Luke 12:15); 2) Christians ought to “lay up for [themselves] treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust destroys and where thieves do not break in and steal” (Matthew 6:20); and 3) “The love of money is a root of all kinds of evil” (1 Timothy 6:10). Life’s purpose is not to amass earthly wealth.

Others act as if their purpose in life is to maintain their physical health. While it should be granted that our bodies are important to God (1 Corinthians 6:19), and that “bodily exercise profits a little” (1 Timothy 4:8), it must be remembered that at the longest, our lives are but brief (James 4:14). For this reason, we must make sure that we do not become so consumed with caring for our bodies that we lose focus upon God.

Still others act as if the purpose of life is to experience pleasure. This, too, misses the point of our existence. Our purpose is to “Fear God and keep His commandments. For this is man’s all” (Ecclesiastes 12:13).

By Chad Ramsey

Dates, Prayers & Events

Sept.2 Work Day In The Memorial Gardens
 Sept 3 Ladies Meeting at 4:30pm
 Sept. 16 “Creative Canvas for You” Paint Party
 Sept. 17 Moberly Wedding Shower(Registered Amazon and Target)
 Sept. 23 Boley Wedding

Family News . . . Dianne Higgins had a follow up scan thursday, and received good test results. We are thankful to God for her healing and recovery in this situation.

Family Prayer . . . Ms, Christine Hightower has been hospitalized for weakness, please remember her in your prayers; **Baby Reese Ware** continues to improve, for which we are thankful; **Robert Latham** is recovering from heart surgery, please keep him in your prayers; **Aviana Minniffee** a 2nd grader at South Todd passed away unexpectedly please keep her family in your Prayers; **Chris Morris** is battling COPD at this time, and prayers would be appreciated; **Charlotte Murrey Myers** is recovering from wrist surgery; **Trevor Hesson** is still battling his cancer, but has gotten good reports as of late, please continue to remember him in your prayers; **Aaron Cox** and **Gary Cox** are both still recovering please keep them in your prayers; **Mr. Jack McIntyre and his family** as Mr. Jack battles illness; **DeWayne Alder** (Prayers for encouragement); **Wayne Alder** (serious health problems); **Oscar Cox** (Wanda Simmons brother-in-law); **Ronnie Gill** (Huntington’s disease); **Paulette Greenfield** (taking chemo-pills for her cancer); **Jonathan Hurt** (is back at TCDC); **Leonard Jones** (friend of David Watkins, injured in motorcycle accident. He is now in a rehab center); **Al Joynes**; **Ann Morris** (Mitch’s mother); **Rusty Morris** (TCDC); **Kane Reed**; **Darewood Settle** (Shirley McPherson’s brother, in the nursing home in Murray); **Willis Watkins** (David Watkins’ father, fighting cancer);



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 Sunday Worship: 10:00 AM & 5:30 PM
 Sunday Bible Class: 9:00 AM • Wednesday Bible Class: 7:00 PM



1 Peter 2:5

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Pantry Update!!!

We have recently been able to help some individuals with food and bath supplies. We now have an opportunity to restock the pantry at this time. Instead of developing a specific list, we ask that you go to the pantry and see what you think is missing. If you could then bring in some of those items, you can help do the Lord’s work. :-)

God Bless