

THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP

January 7, 2024

10:45 am

PREPARING FOR WORSHIP

Please give any prayer requests to an usher or the pastor before the service.

Prelude Praise Team
Welcome Praise Team

WORSHIP THROUGH PRAISE & FELLOWSHIP

Praise Song 10,000 Reasons Praise Team
Invocation Pastor Russ
Praise Song I Will Rise Praise Team
Scripture Reading Donna Stevens
2 Peter 1:1-4, John 10:1, John 10:10

WORSHIPPING WITH OUR GIFTS

Announcements Pastor Russ
Offering Our Gifts Pastor Russ

WORSHIP THROUGH PRAYER AND TEACHING

Time of Prayer Pastor Russ
Special Music Praise Team
Message Pastor Russ

“Everything We Need”

WORSHIP THROUGH COMMITMENT

Hymn “All Hail the Power” #240
The Lord’s Supper Pastor Russ
Recessional Praise Team

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GETTING TO KNOW US

Rev. Russell Stammer Pastor
Christine Lovette Minister of Music
JJ Belle Praise Band
Harry & Rachel Sink, Ted & Shirley Odenwald
Laura Belle Praise Team
Lori Rosenboom, Steve Handy, Christa Hoppe Ushers
All Members of This Faith Community Ministers

THIS WEEK

Today 9:30 am Sunday School
10:40 am Prayer for service in Pastor’s office
10:45 am Worship Service

UPCOMING EVENTS

1/14/24 Noon Church Council Meeting
1/21/24 Noon Coffee Hour
1/28/24 Noon Annual Meeting

BIRTHDAYS

Carl Stevens 1/15
Joe Alfano 1/26
Eliora Oswusu-Bekoe 1/29

ANNIVERSARY

None

NEW QR CODE FOR EASY GIVING!



GROWING IN BIBLE KNOWLEDGE

2024 BIBLE READINGS

We will be starting a new Scripture Reading program for 2024. This program is based on the Year Long Bible Reading following the Jewish Torah Reading Program. This program will run from Saturday to Saturday following the Jewish Sabbath tradition. However, the only difference is that you will also have a New Testament (New Covenant) reading. You can read them all at once or divide it up over the week.

Torah (Instruction) - Genesis 47:28–50:26
Nevi'im (Prophets) - 1 Kings 2:1–12
B'rit Hadasha (New Covenant) - 1 Peter 1:1–9

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Nevi'im (Prophets) - Ezekiel 28:25–29:21
B'rit Hadasha (New Covenant) - Revelation 16:1–21

SCRIPTURE MEMORY PROGRAM

This week’s passage is **Philippians 4:6**
Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God.

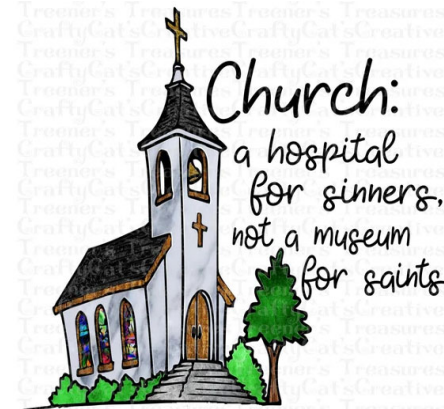
BIBLE TRIVIA

Today’s question is: How many begotten sons of David are named in the Bible?

Last week’s question and answer: Threw him in a pit and then sold him

INSPIRATIONAL QUOTE

“We are all faced with a series of great opportunities brilliantly disguised as impossible situations.”— **Chuck Swindoll**



MISSIONS (PUTTING FAITH INTO ACTION)

For the months of November and December, we will be collecting funds to offset the negative balance in our budget.

We are at a critical point in our finances. We need to raise funds and invite new people to come to the church if our church is to survive.



DUTIES OF THE CHURCH MEMBER

- Duty 1: To Pray For The Church.
- Duty 2: To Attend Church.
- Duty 3: To Support The Church Financially.
- Duty 4: To Bring Others To Church.
- Duty 5: To Study The Bible.
- Duty 6: To Guard The Good Name Of The Church.
- Duty 7: To Stand By The Pastor Of The Church.

PRAYER PAGE

HEALTH ISSUES

Sandy Christopher – in Hospice care,
Nancy Monell – (Ted's Sister) – Ongoing health issues
Dot Nagy – (Ted's cousin) has multiple health issues.
Tricia Fellner – (JJ's Sister) has bradycardia (Low pulse rate)
Justin – Grandson of (Donna Stevens' sister) born w/only 2 heart valves
Betty Wilson – (Friend of the Odenwalds) Neuropathy pain
Lois Griffith – Health Concerns
Carl Stevens – Recovering from second knee surgery.
Ted & Kay MacVicar – Health issues.
Ruth Barton – Recovering from a fall and wrist surgery.
Jordan Lovette – Ongoing health issues
Doug Gipe – recovering from COVID & pneumonia.
Christine Lovette – ongoing health concerns
Zeke Stevenson – (Ted & Shirley's great grandson) Blood issues
Eleanor Stammer – Regaining some hearing.
Mert Ozer - the Lord would restore his sight.

HEALTH ISSUES (CANCER)

Joe Alfano – ongoing health issues & Lung Cancer
Robert Mariano – (JJ's Uncle) prostate cancer
Joan MacMillan – Pancreatic Cancer monitoring situation
Kevin Parmeland – Monitoring situation **Barbara Willemsen** – Finished radiation monitoring situation.

OTHER CONCERNS

Good Shepherd Mission
Unspoken Requests – People requested prayer for an unspoken request.
Those dealing with depression, addiction & mental health issues

NURSING FACILITIES

Ginny Palmer

OUR TEACHERS

Katie Stammer - HCA

OUR STUDENTS

TJ Bednarz – Eastern Christian
Jordan Lovette – Indian Hills
Kavla Lovette – Ramapo College
Sarah MacVicar – Ramapo College

SERVING IN THE MILITARY

Major David Hutsebaut - son of Dave and Shirley - Army
Sgt. Eduardo Velasquez - son in law of Cheryl Alfano – Marines
Petty Officer Second Class Faustina Owusu Bekoe - US Navy

Our Church – We need to pray for our church as we need work to bring the Gospel to our communities.



"Guide me in your truth and teach me, for you are God my Savior, and my hope is in you all day long." -Psalm 25:5 (NIV)



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