

THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP

February 18, 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 Battle Belongs Praise Team
Invocation Pastor Russ
Praise Song Make Room Praise Team
Scripture Reading Shirley Odenwald
John 14:1

WORSHIPPING WITH OUR GIFTS

Announcements Pastor Russ
Missions Update Kay MacVicar
Offering Our Gifts Pastor Russ

WORSHIP THROUGH PRAYER AND TEACHING

Time of Prayer Pastor Russ
Message Pastor Russ
“The Key To Peace”

WORSHIP THROUGH COMMITMENT

Hymn “What A Friend We Have in Jesus” #412
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
Katie Stammer & Rich Rosenboom Technology
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

2/25/24 Noon Lunch Bunch
3/03/24 Noon Coffee Hour
3/17/24 Noon Church Council Meeting
3/29/24 7:30 PM Good Friday Service
3/31/24 10:45 AM Resurrection Sunday Service

BIRTHDAYS

JJ Belle 2/20
Jordan Lovette 3/12
Christa Hoppe 3/26

ANNIVERSARY

Ted & Shirley Odenwald 4/17
Bob & Ruth Barton 4/19

ONLINE 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) - Exodus 27:20–30:10
Nevi'im (Prophets) - Ezekiel 43:10–27
B'rit Hadasha (New Covenant) - Hebrews 13:10–16

SCRIPTURE MEMORY PROGRAM

This week’s passage is **Ephesians 2:8**
For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith — and this not from yourselves, it is the gift of God

BIBLE TRIVIA

Today’s question is: How many “minor prophets” are there?

Last week’s question and answer: Who does Jesus say are the two most important people to love? - **God and your neighbor (Luke 10:27)**

INSPIRATIONAL QUOTE

Everything in life has its own time. There is time to celebrate and there is time to mourn. This is the time for reflection and transformation. Let us look within and change into what we ought to be. - Aaron Saul

LUNCH BUNCH

Years ago, we had the Lunch Bunch, and we want to bring that back again. Every month on the 4th Sunday we want to go as a group somewhere for lunch. Stay tuned for further information!

RICHARD GREENIP

Richard has asked if we can get for him some Fig Newtons and a box of Little Debbie Cream Pies



MISSIONS (PUTTING FAITH INTO ACTION)



Good Shepherd Mission

For the month of February, we will be collecting food and supplies for the Good Shepherd Mission in Paterson. The Mission provides temporary shelter for up to 30 days for approximately 30 men experiencing homelessness. They also provide Meals, Counseling and Drug and Alcohol peer recovery.

The Mission needs the following items:

Rice	Canned Soup
Cereal	Canned Vegetables
Instant Oatmeal	Plastic Silverware
Spaghetti	Sturdy Paper Plates
Bread	Napkins
Onions	Toothbrushes
Canned Tomatoes	Travel Size Toothpaste
Jarred Tomato Sauce	Travel Size Shampoo
Canned Kidney Beans	Travel Size Conditioner
Ground Beef	Combs
Chicken Thighs	Travel Size Deodorant
Shredded Lettuce	Tomatoes
Eggs	Milk
Butter/Margarine	

Please bring perishables in a bag marked Good Shepherd Mission and place them in the refrigerator in the kitchen.



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
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
Richard Greenip

OUR TEACHERS

Katie Stammer - HCA

OUR STUDENTS

TJ Bednarz – Eastern Christian
Jordan Lovette – Indian Hills
Kayla 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.



Whoever does not love does not know God, because God is love. – 1 John 4:8



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