# THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP

February 21, 2021

10:45 am

# PREPARING FOR WORSHIP

If you have a request you would like included in our prayer time by our Pastor, please note it on a prayer card and place it in the offering plate.

Prelude Praise Team Welcome & Invocation Pastor Russ

# **WORSHIP THROUGH PRAISE & FELLOWSHIP**

Praise Song Faithful Praise Team
Praise Song We Believe Praise Team

Scripture Reading Mark 7:24-30

# **WORSHIPPING WITH OUR GIFTS**

Announcements Pastor Russ
Offering Our Gifts Pastor Russ

# **WORSHIP THROUGH PRAYER AND TEACHING**

Time of Prayer Pastor Russ
Message Pastor Russ

"A Little Doggy At The Table"

# **WORSHIP THROUGH COMMITMENT**

Hymn "Open the Eyes of My Heart"

Recessional Praise Team

Hearing assistance devices are available Please see an usher for help.

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#### **GETTING TO KNOW US**

Russell Stammer	Pastor
Christine Lovette	Minister of Music
JJ Belle & John Roy	Praise Band
Laura Belle, Harry Sink,	Praise Team
Ted Odenwald	
All Members of This Faith Community	Ministers

#### **TODAY'S USHERS**

Deborah Ugrovics Craig Redd

THIS WEEK

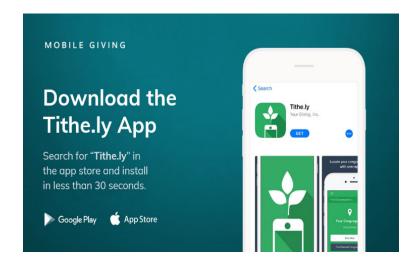
Today 10:45 am Worship Service

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

TBD

## **FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS**

Justice Redd	3/2
Jordan Lovette	3/12
Deborah Ugrovics	3/25
Eileen Hodgkiss	3/25
John Hodgkiss	3/25
Christa Hoppe	3/26
Ollie Famiglietti	3/31



# GROWING IN BIBLE KNOWLEDGE 2020/2021 BIBLE READINGS

Mon Feb 22	Deuteronomy 4 - 6; 2 Cor. 6 -7
Tues Feb 23	Deuteronomy 7 - 9; 2 Cor. 8 -9
Wed Feb 24	Deuteronomy 10 - 12; 2 Cor. 10 -11
Thur Feb 25	Deuteronomy 13 - 15; 2 Cor. 12 -13
Fri Feb 26	Deuteronomy 16 - 18; Galatians 1 -2
Sat Feb 27	Deuteronomy 19 - 21; Galatians 3 -4
Sun Feb 28	Deuteronomy 22 - 24; Galatians 5 -6

#### SCRIPTURE MEMORY PROGRAM

This week's passage is 1 Corinthians 13:4
Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. 5 It does not dishonor others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs. 6 Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. 7 It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres.

# **BIBLE TRIVIA**

<u>Today's question is</u>: What happened to Jonah after he was thrown overboard?

<u>Last week's question and answer:</u>: On what were the Ten Commandments written? *Two tables of stone (Deut 5:22)* 

# **INSPIRATIONAL QUOTE**

"God is able to take the mess of our past and turn it into a message. He takes the trials and tests and turns them into a testimony." - Christine Caine

COVID 19

All attendees at our services must always wear face coverings except where doing so would inhibit the individual's health or where the individual is under two years of age.

We will always also be observing social distancing by asking everyone to remain six feet apart from others, including seating, unless you are immediate family, etc.

Please take your garbage with you and do not leave it.

# M000000000-ISSIONS (PUTTING FAITH INTO ACTION

#### **AMERICA FOR CHRIST OFFERING**

Embody the love of Jesus Christ by supporting American Baptist Home Mission Societies Ministries Today! Your gift of any size will help to transform lives and communities throughout the United States and Puerto Rico.

#### RETIRED MINISTER & MISSIONARY OFFERING

Grateful to our retired ministers, missionaries and widowed spouses who have helped to build ministries that provide the hope that sustains churches and communities today and to come. Please give!

#### **2021 CHURCH COUNCIL**

Your church council needs some help. We need people to fill some especially important positions in 2021. Please see Pastor Russ or Ted Odenwald if you are interested in helping in any of these positions.

#### **2021 MEMBER INVOLVEMENT**

As a church we need to take 2021 as a year to reposition our church for future success. To do that we need to create:

#### • CULTURE OF DISCIPLESHIP

We need each member to seek a meaningful relationship in the church for mutual edification through reading the Bible together, praying for one another, and speaking the gospel in one another's lives.

# • MISSIONS: FIVE MILE RADIUS

We as a church need to reach the unchurched and unbelieving neighbors within a five-mile radius of your building.

# RESOURCES

We need to pray that the Lord would provide all the necessary resources of finances, persons, and materials needed to accomplish the church's mission – that includes reaching and even surpassing our projected budget income for 2021.

#### **PRAYER PAGE**

#### **HEALTH ISSUES**

<u>Christine</u> - Peace and healing through the recent flair up of Lyme disease. <u>Sandy Christopher</u> - has not been feeling well for some time.

Cheryl & Joe Alfano health issues & Joe diagnosed with Lung Cancer

David Donnelly – (Joy Sister-in-law's Dad) just had major back surgery

Ginny Palmer – continued pain and health concerns

<u>Ashley Velasquez</u> – dealing with Bell's Palsy

Tiffany – (Craig's Cousin) Kidney Failure

Derek Cardenas – (Teresa's friend's son) has Spinal Muscular Atrophy

George Sowpel - Ginny's cousin who was diagnosed with Guillian-Barr.

<u>Dan D'Elia</u> – recovering from knee replacement surgery

<u>Jordan Lovette</u> – Autoimmune disorder

<u>Joy Palatucci</u> – recovering from surgery

Eileen Hodgkiss – Recovering from heart surgery

John Hodgkiss – recovering from radiation treatments.

<u>Adrian Jon</u> – (Cheryl's grandson) diagnosed with hypotonia & has to wear braces on his feet and legs.

Rich Rosenboom – Recovering from surgery

**Deborah Ugrovics** - Ongoing health issues

#### **HEALTH ISSUES (CANCER)**

 $\underline{\textbf{Greg \& his wife Barbara}} \text{ - (neighbor of Deborah) battling cancer}$ 

Mary Ann Gallina – (JJ boss' mother) stage 4 cancer not doing well.

Susan Graves - (Cheryl Alfano's sister) Breast Cancer

<u>Linda & Bob</u> – (Friends of Jack & Ollie)

Ralph Lemongello – (Friend of Jackie Trowbridge) Bone Cancer

<u>Patrick Dilworth</u> – (Friend of the Pipito/Redd Family) Brain Tumor

#### IN ASSISTED LIVING/NURSING FACILITIES

**Marian Stapert** 

Nancy Monell – (Ted's Sister)

# **OTHER CONCERNS**

#### **Good Shepherd Mission**

<u>Unspoken Requests</u> –People requested prayer for an unspoken request.

**Those dealing with Depression.** 

Those dealing with addiction: Brandon, Stacy, Friend of Joy Palatucci's Husband

All those suffering from mental health issues

#### **SERVING IN THE MILITARY**

<u>Capt. David Hutsebaut</u> - son of Dave and Shirley - Army <u>Sgt. Eduardo Velasquez</u> - son in law of Cheryl Alfano – Marines

Petty Officer Second Class Faustina Owusu Bekoe - US Navy

<u>Our Church</u> – We need to pray for our church as we need to examine all aspects of our church to reposition ourselves for future success.



"For surely I know the plans I have for you, says the Lord, plans for your welfare and not for harm, to give you a future with hope." *Jeremiah 29:11* 



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