THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP

April 11, 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 Welcome

Praise Team Praise Team

WORSHIP THROUGH PRAISE & FELLOWSHIP

Praise Song	We Believe	Praise Team
Invocation		Pastor Russ
Praise Song	Love Like This	Praise Team
Scripture Reading	1 Thessalonians 1:1-4	Deborah Ugrovics

WORSHIPPING WITH OUR GIFTS

Announcements	
Offering Our Gifts	

Pastor Russ Pastor Russ

WORSHIP THROUGH PRAYER AND TEACHING

Time of Prayer Pastor Russ "Greetings To The Church" Pastor Russ Message

WORSHIP THROUGH COMMITMENT

"Praise Him! Praise Him!" Hymn The Lord's Supper Recessional

Pastor Russ 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 THIS WEEK Today 10:45 am

Worship Service

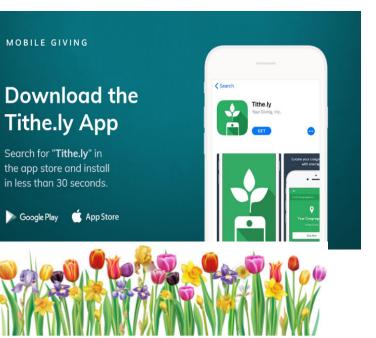
UPCOMING EVENTS

April 13 7:30 PM **Church Council Meeting**

APRIL BIRTHDAYS

4/28

Christine Lovette	4/3
Laura Belle	4/28
APRIL ANNIVERSARIES	
Ted & Shirley Odenwald	4/17
Bob & Ruth Barton	4/19



GROWING IN BIBLE KNOWLEDGE

2020/2021 BIBLE READINGS

Mon April 12	1 Kings 16 -18; Revelation 17 -18
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Tues April 13	1 Kings 19 -21; Revelation 19 -20
Wed April 14	1 Kings 22; 2 Kings 1 -2; Revelation 21 -22
Thur April 15	2 Kings 3 -5; Matthew 1 -2
Fri April 16	2 Kings 6 -8; Matthew 3 -4
Sat April 17	2 Kings 9 -11; Matthew 5 -6
Sun April 18	2 Kings 12 -14; Matthew 7 -8

SCRIPTURE MEMORY PROGRAM

This week's passage is *Romans 6:23* "For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord."

BIBLE TRIVIA

Today's question is: Who wrote the majority of the New Testament letters?

Last week's question and answer: What did Jesus do to each of the disciples during the Last Supper? Washed their feet (John 13:1-5)

INSPIRATIONAL QUOTE

The resurrection completes the inauguration of God's kingdom.... It is the decisive event demonstrating thet God's kingdom really has been launched on earth as it is in heaven. The message of Easter is that God's new world has been unveiled in Jesus Christ and that *you're now invited to belong to it." – N.T. Wright*

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.

MISSIONS (PUTTING FAITH INTO ACTION

EASTER OFFERING

The Church Council has decided to designate the Easter Offering to go towards the general fund of the church. Because of the pandemic our income has been lower than normal and sporadic. The General Fund needs to be built up so that we can try to do some new outreaches to draw more people to the church.

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.

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 <u>HEALTH</u> ISSUES

Christine – Continued Healing Sandy Christopher - has not been feeling well for some time. Joe Alfano health issues & diagnosed with Lung Cancer David Donnelly – (Joy Sister-in-law's Dad) just had major back surgery **Ginny Palmer** – continued pain and health concerns Ashley Velasquez – dealing with Bell's Palsy Tiffany – (Craig's Cousin) Kidney Failure George Sowpel - Ginny's cousin who was diagnosed with Guillian-Barr. **Dan D'Elia** – recovering from knee replacement surgery Jordan Lovette – Autoimmune disorder Jov Palatucci – ongoing back issues **Eileen Hodgkiss** – Recovering from heart surgery John Hodgkiss - recovering from radiation treatments. Adrian Jon – (Cheryl's grandson) diagnosed with hypotonia & has to wear braces on his feet and legs. **Rich Rosenboom** – Recovering from surgery Nancy Monell - (Ted's Sister) - Ongoing health issues **Ollie Famiglietti** – recovering from surgery Mary Belle – Dealing with the aftermath of COVID Sharon & Julie Lewitt - (Dave Hutsebaut's sister & niece) have COVID

HEALTH ISSUES (CANCER)

<u>Greg & his wife Barbara</u> - (neighbor of Deborah) battling cancer <u>Mary Ann Gallina</u> – (JJ boss' mother) stage 4 cancer not doing well. <u>Susan Graves</u> - (Cheryl Alfano's sister) Breast Cancer <u>Linda & Bob</u> – (Friends of Jack & Ollie) <u>Ralph Lemongello</u> – (Friend of Jackie Trowbridge) Bone Cancer <u>Patrick Dilworth</u> – (Friend of the Pipito/Redd Family) Brain Tumor

IN ASSISTED LIVING/NURSING FACILITIES

Cheryl Alfano

Joan Hutsebaut

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.



Humble yourselves, therefore, under God's mighty hand, that he may lift you up in due time. **1 Peter 5:6**



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