

## Family News

~**Pam Bennett** reports doing better each day and still with her sister. She will have chemo therapy, but no schedule is planned yet.

~**Pat Friant** is hoping to lose her sling tomorrow when she visits the doctor.

~**Lori Spencer** had shoulder replacement surgery last week and is recuperating at her daughter's. She needs some healing before starting physical therapy.

~**Pat Haessler** has been in pain caused by separated joints in her lower back, but is now on medication.

~**Ron Cone** is having good and bad days recently.

~**Both Mark Skinner and Paul Meacham**, who have been on our prayer list for some time, are experiencing deteriorating conditions.

~**Sunny Glen donations:** pasta and canned fruit. Pick-up will be mid-January.

~**Ladies Day 2019** will be March 2. Please bring empty pill bottles to be decorated, repurposed and added to the "goody" bags.

~*Hope everyone had a wonderful Thanksgiving!*

### Happenings and Notes

~**This Tuesday, November 27:** Ladies Class resumes

~**Next Saturday, December 1, 4:00:** Youth Devo at the Borens

~**December 16, 5:00 PM:** Planning session for Ladies Day 2109

### Prayer List

**Members:** Leroy and Jessie Braune, John and Davida Hollingsworth, Gary Wilson and family, Ron Cone, Magdalene Coulter, Adele McCoy, Linda Bliss, Pat Dwight and children, Wiley and Ev Walker, Sam Collette, Flora Whitfield.

**Relatives and Friends:** Joshua Horn (son of former members, autoimmune encephalitis), Cecil Haffelfinger, James Young (son of Joyce Stephens, stroke), Tom Knapp (uncle of Laura Gartner, Alzheimer's), Vikki Rodriguez (friend of the Haesslers, recurrence of cancer), Mike DeBoom (neighbor of Ann Babb, cancer), Mark Skinner (friend of the Stanfields, cancer), Lynn Nichol (Cindy Horn's brother, Stage 4 cancer), John Comte (Jackie Ort's brother-in-law, seriously ill), Oleta Giesecke (Heather VanHouten's mother, cancer), Beth Shoemaker (rehab, in recovery from a flesh eating disease).



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### Schedule of Services

#### Sunday

Bible Study	10:00 AM
Worship	11:00 AM
Evening Worship	6:00 PM

#### 2nd Sunday Schedule

Bible Study	10:00 AM
Worship	11:00 AM
Lunch	12:00 PM
Worship in Song	1:30 PM

#### Tuesday (Sept - May)

Ladies Bible Class	10:00 AM
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#### Wednesday

Bible Study	7:00 PM
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### Welcome Visitors:

Please sign a visitor card and drop in the collection plate.

A nursery is available in the back next to the water cooler, and is attended on request.

*A warm welcome awaits you at all of our services!*

## **MINISTER'S MESSAGE**



### **A Model for Ministry**

*"You will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth." Acts 1:8*

When Jesus left the earth, He left His Disciples with a challenge: spread the good news. In Matthew 28, Jesus said that the Apostles were to make disciples of all nations. In Mark 16, He told them to go into all the word. But in Acts 1, Jesus gave them a pattern.

First, He said go to Jerusalem. This was the city that lay at the center of Jewish society. It was the city where everything would begin for the Church. On the day of Pentecost, the Apostles would be in that city preparing to bring that good news. Jesus told them to start as witnesses there. Second, He said to go through Judea. This was the region in which Jerusalem was found. After spreading the news in that first city, they were to spread it into the surrounding countryside and cities. Proximity was important. Third, they were to go to Samaria. Samaria was the region immediately north of Judea. It was inhabited by people who were mixed race and not purely Jewish. They also did not worship as the Jews did. They were different. And Jesus expected this to be the next stop in the expansion of the Disciples ministry.

Finally, He told them to go throughout the world. And they did! Biblical and secular history shows that they spread the message across all of the known world.

Have we modeled our ministry in the same way? Where is our first priority of ministry? It should be at home. Next we should prioritize those around us and like us. Then those who are near but different. Finally, when we have ministered to all of the above, we can reach out to the wider world.

-Joseph

### **SERMONS FOR TODAY**

**AM:** Carrying Common Bread

**PM:** Thanksgiving Prayer Meeting

Copies of sermons are available on CD upon request and on our website.

*November 25, 2018*

### **Privileged to Serve**

	<b>AM</b>	<b>PM</b>
Announcements:	Ken Morris	
Song Leader:	Dale Yates	Dale Yates
Opening Prayer:	Jim Haessler	Jim Haessler
Scripture:	Doug Ulbricht	
Communion:	Zack Bennett Charles Fall Charles Surface Charles VanHouten	Doug Ulbricht
Sermon:	Joseph McWhorter	Joseph McWhorter
Closing Prayer:	Earl Rogers	Earl Rogers
(If you cannot serve, please notify Ron Cone at 964-4041)		

### **Others Who Serve**

Business Chairman (2018):	Charles Boren
Assignments:	Ron Cone
Communion Prep	Joyce Stephens
Visitor Cards (3rd Sunday):	Joyce Stephens, Ann Babb

### **Last Week's Record:**

Sunday Morning Bible Class	40
Sunday Morning Attendance	62
Sunday Evening Attendance	27
Wednesday Night Attendance	25
Contribution Last Sunday:	\$2, 582

Answer to last week's question: What will Jesus give to Paul and to those who love His appearing? the crown of righteousness (2 Timothy 4:8)

This Week's Bible Question: Who offered to pay money for the power to give the Holy Spirit?