Sunday Sermon: Chris Swinford
"A Life of Thanksgiving " 1 Thess. 5:16-18

Three commands from this text:

1. A life of thanksgiving causes you to _____.

2. A life of thanksgiving causes you to _____.

3. A life of thanksgiving causes you to _____

_____.

1 Thessalonians 5:16-18, ESV

16 Rejoice always, 17 pray without ceasing, 18 give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.

Record for November 17, 2024

Sunday Morning Bible Classes	189
Morning Worship	335
Contribution	$14, 632.39
Budget	$16, 450.00
Wednesday Evening 11/20	162

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Elder In Charge for the week of:
Nov 24 - Rob Moore/ Dec 1 - Ken Keiser

Schedule of Services

Sunday Morning Bible Classes	9:00 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship	10:00 a.m.
Wednesday Evening Meal	5:30 p.m.
Wednesday Evening Classes	6:30 p.m.

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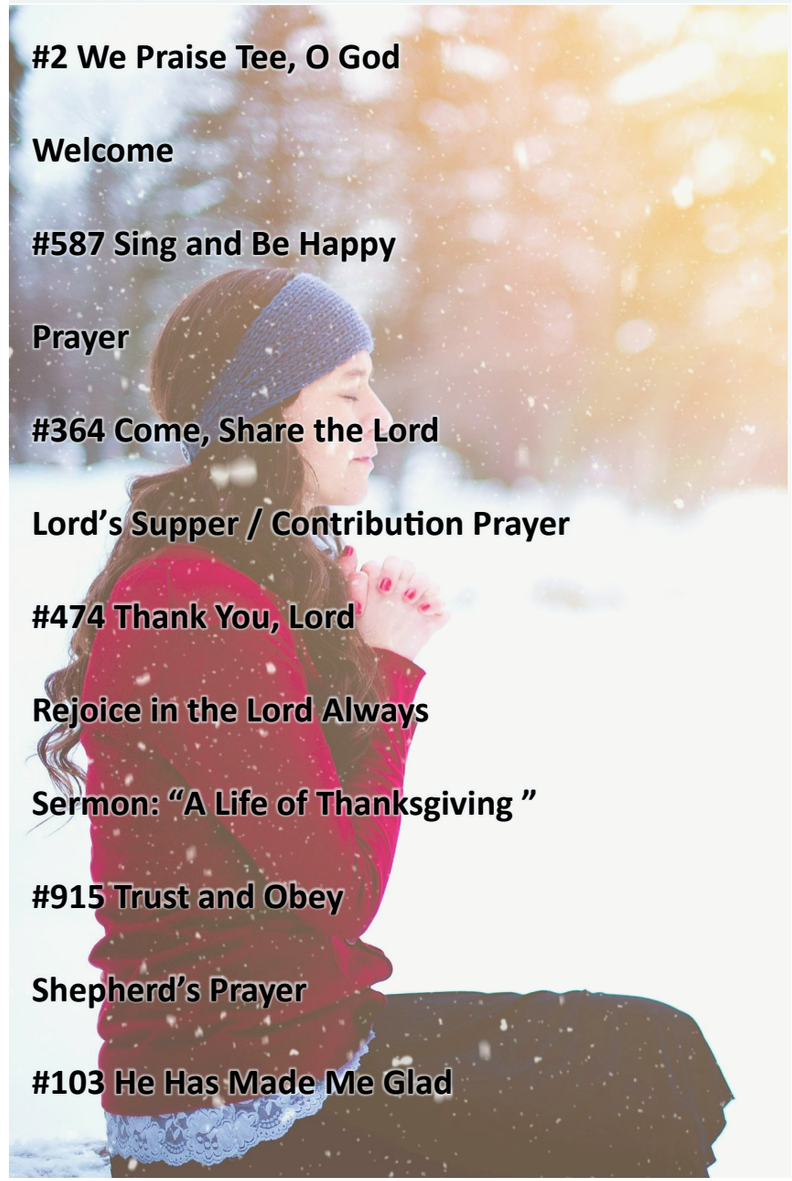
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FAITHVILLAGE CHURCH OF CHRIST

Being The Church

Volume 20, Number 48 **November 24, 2024**



Good Morning! **If this is your first time with us, welcome! Thank you for being our guest today. We're glad you're here.**



How do we honor God with thanksgiving?

-1 **Thessalonians 5:18** Give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.

-**Colossians 3:16-17**: Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly; teach and admonish one another in all wisdom; with gratitude in your hearts sing psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs to God. And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through Him.

-**Psalm 100:4**: Enter His gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise. Give thanks to Him, bless His name.

- Worship God with grateful hearts.
- Meditate on His Word.
- Spend time praising Him in prayer and song.
- Give thanks in all circumstances.
- Whatever you do, do it in the name of Jesus.

Sunday Mornings

-**Nursery (birth - 24 months):** Attendants are available during the Sunday morning and Wednesday evening classes/service.

-**Children (pre-k -5th grade)** will be dismissed to attend a Bible lesson in the Red Room of the Children's Hallway after the scripture reading.

-**Auditorium:** Chuck Dennis - "We Believe in God But Do We Believe God's Word and Do It?"

-**FC 1**: Jeremy Prather (18-30 yr. olds) -"Forming a Scripture-Shaped Worldview"

-**FC-2:** Todd Chamberlain - "Everyday Challenges for Christians"

-**FC3:** Jerry Phelps - Luke

Sunday Afternoon, Evenings / Worship Activities

Nov 24: 6 pm -Singing at Royal Estates (3908 Kell W Blvd.) Com. Out reach

Tuesday

-**Men's Bible Study:** Will not meet Nov 26. Study group **resumes Dec 3**

Wednesday

-**Wednesday Ladies Class**: No meeting **this week** (November 27).

-**6:30 pm**, **Auditorium**: Church wide devotional.

The Village Youth (FVYM) Upcoming Events (7th-12th grade)

-**Thanksgiving Basket Assembly**: 2 pm, **TODAY**, **Nov 24th**, in the FC. We should be done around 5 pm.

-There will be ***no Monday youth group activities tomorrow, Nov. 25th – enjoy your Thanksgiving Break!***

-There will be **no Hangout & Dinner or class in the YC on Wednesday, November 27th.** *All students will meet in the auditorium at 7 pm for a Prayer/Song Service.*

Upcoming Events:

-December 8th: Festival of Light Youth Rally
-December 13th: 14 th – Girls' Night Before Christmas
-December 18th: Christmas Party
-December 31st: End of the Year Bash

December is around the corner...

Listen and watch for information to be announced regarding:
Tipton Children's Home / Fantasy of Lights / Free Stocking Giveaway

Children's Classes and **nursery schedule** remain the same.

Adult Classes will remain the same except for the following:

-**FC 1**: **Steve** and **Zachary (18-30 yr. olds)** -"One Another"

Sunday Evening Worship/Activities

Dec 1: 6 pm Worship
Dec 8: Fellowship Families
Dec 15: 5 pm Worship / The Tipton Children's home will be here for gifts/pizza immediately following services.
Dec 22: TBD
Dec 29: 5th Sunday (TBD)

Tuesday

-**Men's Bible Study**: 6:30 pm, every Tuesday, in the FC.

-**The 60-Plus Unattached Group** will take a break ***this month.***

Wednesday

-**Ladies Bible Class**: 10 am, in the Family Center (4th & 11th). Classes will dismissed after Dec.11th and *will resume in Jan 2025.*

-5:30 **Meal:** in FC

-**Wednesday Evening Adult Class**: 6:30 pm in the Family Center

Saturday: **Team Sew's Sewing Saturday**: Will take a break this month and resume in January.



Cook Children's Prayer Bear Drive Sponsored by Mandy and Keegan Albers. Teddy Bear guide lines are: ***Soft*, 7" to 16" in size,** must be ***brand new*** with ***tags still attached***, ***No* wording** on it, ***No religious themes*** attached, ***No lights***, ***sounds***, ***movements*, *batteries*** or scents**. Just your basic loveable, huggable bear!** Bears may be dropped off at the FV office during normal office hours.



Information as of cutoff time: 12:00 pm, Thursday

Please remember the following in your prayers and deeds:

Baptized: 11/18/24 **Levi Fox** here at FV by Ron Fox. 4603 Tradewinds Road, WF 76310

Health Care Facilities for Illness or Recovery

-**Donald Davis**: URHCS 456
-**Beth Darter**: Advance Rehab, Room 2206
-**Daniel Harjo:** Comanche County Memorial Hospital, 283 (Lawton)

Under Hospice Care

-**Michelle Hutson:** Hospice Plus - WF (at-home care)
-**Mary Nabors:** Brookdale Sikes Lake
-**Wynetta Weston:** University Park (hospice care): 37A

Remember those who are:

Sick or ill, shut-in, grieving, missionaries, first responders, in the military, homeless, unemployed, emotionally vulnerable, spiritually in need

Prayer Request

-**Mike Blakeman**: Recovery from kidney surgery last Mon., Nov 11
-**Robert Cabe**: Pray for Robert and Angie as they navigate the medical journey of accepting the diagnosis of a new additional slow growing Glioblastoma.
-**Wayne Fowler**: Healing, recovery, and relief of pain after knee replacement surgery last Tuesday, Nov. 19
-**Jena Fleming:** Comfort and peace as she waits for biopsy to be performed at MD Anderson in Katy, TX on Wednesday, Dec 4.

A Loss in Our Church Family & Sympathy

-**Don Lane** passed away the second week of November. We extend our sympathy to his family and dear friends in their loss. A small, intimate, memorial will be held later.

-**We** bestow our sympathy to *LaDonna* and Wayne Fowler, and the rest of the family, in the loss of *her brother*, **Jerry Bush** (of Granbury), who recently passed away. Services are pending.