

Larry's Lines...

A National Day

It's an American Institution. It's Thanksgiving. And it dates all the way back to the Pilgrim days when a number of stalwart souls said, "Our colony is stronger, our cornfields are larger, the woods are full of game, and the streams are full of fish". They set a wonderful pattern for us and our children.

Thank God for Life. Many never give credit to God for their very existence. The inspired record tells us that "the Lord God formed man of dust from the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and man became a living being" (Genesis 2:7). But God not only creates; he sustains. "In his hand is the life of every living thing and the breath of all mankind" (Job 12:10). Paul sought to remind the people of Athens of these great truths by declaring that God "is not far from each one of us, for 'in Him we live and move and have our being'; as even some of your poets have said, 'For we are indeed his offspring'" (Acts 17:27-28). Our source of life is God, and our strength for living comes from God. Should we not offer him the fruit of our lips in praise?

Thank God for temporal blessings. He "satisfies you with good as long as you live" (Psalm 103:5.) The sunshine, the rain, the harvest of the fields, all remind us of his watch and care over us. We may be so intent on looking for the bitter things of life that we miss the sight of the blessings. There are troubles aplenty; but if we count our blessings, I'm confident we will all end up praising God. As the psalmist has so beautifully said:

O give thanks to the Lord, call on his name,
Make known his deeds among the peoples!
Sing to him, sing praises to him, tell of all his wonderful works!
—Psalm 105:1&2

Have A Great Thanksgiving,
Larry



Upcoming Events and Announcements

3 Teachers are still needed for Next Quarter Beginning, December 1, 2019

Deacons Meeting, December 1, 2019.

All announcements must be turned in by Tuesday, November 26th by 2:00 in order to appear in the December 1st Bulletin.

Attention: Senior Ladies Group

Sherry McCoy will be hosting a Christmas Party at her house on Sunday, December 8, 2019 from 3:00-5:00pm. Christmas cookies and punch will be served. We will enjoy a lot of Christian fellowship. Bring an ornament for the ornament exchange. Sherry's address is 1722 Ridgeview Drive, Springdale Ar.

Attention Ladies: You are invited to a Christmas party at the home of Debbie Goforth at 790 Via Firenz Ave, Sprindale AR, December 7th from 6pm to 9pm. There will be an optional gift exchange (maximum \$15.00). Please R.S.V.P. on the ladies FB page.

LTC WORK DAY! Everyone who is signed up or involved in pre-convention 1 events, such as **PODCAST, CHILDREN'S BOOK, T-SHIRT DESIGN, ART, and Convention 2events,** will be meeting Mon. November 25, 2019 starting at 8:30am. Breakfast will be provided. We plan to be done by noon. Our next work day will be during the Christmas break. See David or Jeremy with questions.

We will be **Wrapping with the Police** December 12, 2019. The Johnson Police need help wrapping gifts for needy children in our community. Dinner will be provided as will all the wrapping supplies. **This is a church wide event. We will begin at 6:30 pm. The more people who come to help, the faster we will get finished.**

Polar Express Night takes place December 14, 2019. This is a great night for our parents to shop for their little ones. Please drop and pick up your child between the hours of 5:30-8:30. Pizza will be served and the older kids will be going caroling. See Jeremy or Tracy for more information.



Happy Birthday

November 24th

Dakota Hill

November 25th

Mattie Cavanaugh

November 29th

Koleson Shefelbine

Pantry Items

Stuffing and Sweet
Potatoes

Happy Anniversary

November 27th

Herb and Laura
Hughes

Larry and Pat
Culbreath

JAR YOUTH/Mentors

The Jar Christmas Party will be at the Myers house, December 6th from 6:00-9:00. Bring a wrapped \$10.00 or less white elephant gift.

We will be mailing boxes to our college students to encourage them during their finals. Bring items such as small snacks, gum and encouraging notes. Boxes for your donations will be out until Dec. 4th.

If you would like to connect with our teens, please sign up to bring cake or cupcakes for their birthday. We celebrate each month at the last refuel. A sign up sheet has been placed in the foyer for your convenience.

Those Needing Our Prayers & Visits

Those with recent health issues: Bobby Dockery heart problems, Richard Hutton, Randy Barber (Freda and Glen's Son) waiting on a liver transplant, Amy McGoahn is having a c section on Tuesday, Shirley Hester should go home Tuesday, Arvin Allen will have a heart valve replacement, Calvin Billingsley is having heart issues.

Those fighting Cancer: Lucy the Great (Justin Cavanaugh's aunt) was diagnosed with stage 1 breast cancer, Rachel Myers, Nathan Pirtle, Justin Williams (friend of Justin Cavanaugh), Oma Leta Smith, Elaine Nicklas, Eddie Thomas, Kim Williams (Megan Bassing's Aunt), and Carol Edwards (Laura Hughes's sister).

Those who have lost loved ones: Phillip Curlee Family, Jessica Harriman Family.

Our Expectant Mothers: Megan Johnson and Rachel Ladymon.

Our New Mothers and babies: Sunni/Ivory Jane, Keelie /Levi, Monica/Beaux, and Hanna/Charlie.

Shut-Ins who need your continual prayer and consideration! Oma Leta Smith, Lenora Sutton, Emmett Windham, Shirley Bates, Roger and Shirley Gross, Norma Williams, Roy Howard, Betty Jordan, Genevra Montgomery, Vada Loker and Kendra Phillips.

Remember in Prayer: Our friends and families traveling this Holiday Season. Our Military Service Men and Women deployed overseas and protecting our country abroad and at home. The leaders of our Church, our community, our state, and our country.

Opportunity to Serve in The Month of December 2019

Lords Table

Joe Harriman	Jonathan Martindale
George Martin	Eric Keeter
Josh Fortenberry	JP Brandford
Heath Huffmaster	Matt Bassing
Matthew Goodpasture	Doug Goodpasture

Ushers

Nelson McCoy
Terry Wilson
Chesley Martin

Announcements

Virgil Harmon
Steve Martindale
Randall Harriman

Prepare Communion

Lisa Lewis and Jared Lewis

P.A. System

Justin Goforth

Song Leader

Matt Johnson

Greeters

Linda Huffmaster	Terry Huffmaster
Stefanie Curlee	Phil Curlee

Nursery Attendants

Lisa Lewis
Kaileigh Shefelbine

THE LORD'S DAY ORDER OF WORSHIP

WELCOME

Kevin Murray

Song Leader
Mike Mitchell

Hymn # 612
His Yoke Is Easy

Hymn # 72
Blessed Be The Lord God Almighty

Hymn #577
We Bow Down

OPENING PRAYER
Chesley Martin

Hymn # 928
For Those Tears I Died

COMMUNION SCRIPTURE
Galatians 2:20-21
Heath Huffmaster

Communion Prayer
Dustin Mayhew

LORD'S SUPPER
Offering

Hymn # 810
Listen to Our Hearts

SERMON SCRIPTURE
Psalm 103:1-5
Randall Harriman



Invitation Hymn # 250
The Great Redeemer

Announcements
Kevin Murray

Closing Prayer
Bobby Hill

Welcome Visitors!

We are so happy to have you and consider you our honored guest. If we can help you in any way, please don't hesitate to ask any of our members. We would love to help make your visit a pleasant one.

November Events

November 24th

Singing Night

November 27th

Thanksgiving Devo (**Classes Cancelled**)

November 28th-29th

Office Closed

December Events

December 1st

Deacons Meeting

New Quarter

December 3rd

Threads of Love

December 6th

Teen Devo/Christmas party @ Myers

December 10th

Golden Age Christmas Dinner

December 12th

Wrapping with the Police

Elders Meeting

December 14th

Polar Express/Christmas Caroling

December 15th

Holiday Meal

December 25th (Classes Cancelled)

Christmas Devo

December 26th

Office Closed

Elders Meeting

December 29th

Youth Led Service

December 31st

New Years Eve Party

January Events

January 1st

New Year's Devo (**Classes Cancelled**)

January 11th

Parent/Teen Devo

January 24-25th

Y.O.U. In Conway

AM OUTLINE

How Can We Say "Thank You" to God?

1. By Blessing His Name.
2. By Remembering His Benefits.
3. By Keeping His Commandments.

THANK YOU GOD!

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5602 Elmfore Street
Springdale, AR. 72762*

COME WORSHIP WITH US

Sunday:

Bible Class: 9:30 AM

Morning Worship: 10:20 AM

Evening Worship: 6:00 PM

Wednesday: 7:00 P.M.

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ELDERS
Alan Fortenberry
Virgil Harmon
Joe Harriman
Terry Huffmaster
Kevin Murray

DEACONS

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JP Bradford
David Cherry
Jared Cobb
Josh Fortenberry
Doug Goodpasture
Randall Harriman
Richard Hutton
Heath Huffmaster
Chesley Martin
Steve Martindale
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Dustin Mayhew
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MISSIONARIES

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Herbert Chuoku

Church Office Hours:

Monday, Tuesdays, & Thursday 8:30 - 4:30

Wednesday 8:30-6:30

Friday 8:30 - 2:30

PROOF OF OUR LOVE

November 17, 2019

Bible Study: 172

Morning Worship: 268

Evening Worship: 158

Wednesday Night: 1578

Chapters Read: 143

Contribution: \$12768.00

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

November 24, 2019

Sunday Evening

**Sunday
Night
Devo**

November 27, 2019

Wednesday Evening

**Thanksgiving
Devo**

December 1, 2019

Sunday Morning

Announcements: Virgil Harmon

Song Leader: Matt Johnson

Opening Prayer: Phil Curlee

Communion Scripture: Terry Huffmaster

Communion Prayer: Herb Hughes

Sermon Scripture: Corbin Cobb

Closing Prayer: John Cobb

WELCOME

to

Johnson church of Christ



Happy Thanksgiving



November 24, 2019