

Order of Worship

We Praise Thee, O God

Welcome

Prayer of Worship

As The Deer

How Great Thou Art

Hallelujah! What A Savior

Communion

Prayer of Thanks

Blessed Assurance

At Calvary

Philippians 1:27-28

“Courage In Christ”

Burdens Are Lifted At Calvary

Shepherd's Prayer

Take The Name Of Jesus With
You

Ministry and Activity

Summer Speaker Series: Wednesdays through August 11th! If you have not attended, you are missing some excellent and encouraging lessons. There are brochures in the foyer to hand out to family and friends!

Remember: Men's Coffee Thursdays at 9:30 am

Save the Date:

- **1st Friday Singing** on August 6th 6:00 pm at Linda Plaster's house: 241 Harville Road. Bring finger foods to share.
- Baby Girl shower for **Shelby Randle** on Saturday August 7 from 2:00 to 4:00 (come and go) at the home of Shelly Alexander, 4220 Stonecreek Circle. **Grandparents: Robert & Jannon Greenwalt and Ricky & Amy Randle.** Shelby is registered at Amazon and Target. Shelby's baby room theme is Farmhouse decor with a hint of pink.
- The congregation in Rocksprings will host a gospel singing evening on August 19, 2021, beginning at 6:30 p.m.

If you know of a **need for meals** for the month of August, please contact Shelly Alexander at 361-549-5686.

Riverside

CHURCH OF CHRIST

625 Harper Rd. Kerrville, TX 78028 (830) 257-5445

Sunday Bible Study: 9 AM Sunday Worship: 10 AM

Wednesday Bible Study: 7 PM

July 25, 2021

Welcome Guests!

Thank you for joining us to worship God today! You are our honored guest. Please remain with us short while after services so that we can visit with you. We meet together to praise God and to encourage one another. The Bible is our only guide at Riverside for worship and the Christian life. We will be happy to answer any questions that you may have about the Riverside church family. Please visit us again whenever you have the opportunity!

Shadows of Christ: The Bronze Serpent

Many Old Testament figures reveal to us a picture of Christ. When the people of Israel spoke against God in the wilderness, God sent fiery serpents among the people, and many died. When the people repented, God instructed Moses to erect a bronze serpent so that all who would look to the bronze serpent after being bitten would live. Likewise, when people faithfully look to Jesus erected on a cross, they too shall live. "And as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, so must the Son of Man be lifted up, that whoever believes in him may have eternal life (Jn 3:14-15, ESV). Read the full account of the bronze serpent in Numbers 21:4-9. -Cooper Atkeson

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Jerry Durbin
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Tom Lovelady
Chris Mulliniks

THE NUMBERS

Sunday 7/18/21:

Bible Class: 82

Worship Service: 159

Contribution: \$4,400.50

Budget: \$7,200

Wednesday Night 7/21/21: 80

Daily Bible Reading Plan

July 25-Judges 8; Acts 12; Jer 21; Mark 7

July 26-Judges 9; Acts 13; Jer 22; Mark 8

July 27-Judges 10; Acts 14; Jer 23; Mark 9

July 28-Judges 11; Acts 15; Jer 24; Mark 10

July 29-Judges 12; Acts 16; Jer 25; Mark 11

July 30-Judges 13; Acts 17; Jer 26; Mark 12

July 31-Judges 14; Acts 18; Jer 27 Mark 13

Pray For Others

Olden Cook will have an angiogram on Friday to try and restore circulation to his leg and foot. Please pray for a successful procedure.

Reba Durbin will have a procedure in San Antonio tomorrow. Please pray for good results.

C.E. Packer is in PRMC with an infection. Please pray that this can be healed soon.

Beverly Herzing, friend of **Shawn Leonard**, mourning the loss of her son.

Pray for our members who are in nursing/assisted living facilities: **Doris Burton, Ann Marshall, Alice McGuire, Nancy Moore, and Kathy O'Hara**. They have had limited visitors since March. Some visits are now allowed, check with the facility prior to visiting. Your visits would be much appreciated.

Let's remember all of the health care workers and their families at Riverside: **Rona Barrozo, Ashton Bosse, Jolene Fudge, Kaysi Garrett, Karen Wootton, Karla (Wootton) Carter, Debra Zink**, and those around the nation and world, who are on the front lines of the pandemic. Also, remember **Chad Lovelady**, who is a police officer in Fredericksburg.

*Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid or terrified because of them, for the Lord your God goes with you; he will never leave you nor forsake you. **Deuteronomy 31:6***

*Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged, for the Lord your God will be with you wherever you go. **Joshua 1:9***

*For to me to live is Christ, and to die is gain. If I am to live in the flesh, that means fruitful labor for me. Yet which I shall choose I cannot tell. I am hard pressed between the two. My desire is to depart and be with Christ, for that is far better. But to remain in the flesh is more necessary on your account. Convinced of this, I know that I will remain and continue with you all, for your progress and joy in the faith, so that in me you may have ample cause to glory in Christ Jesus, because of my coming to you again. Only let your manner of life be worthy of the gospel of Christ, so that whether I come and see you or am absent, I may hear of you that you are standing firm in one spirit, with one mind striving side by side for the faith of the gospel, and not frightened in anything by your opponents. This is a clear sign to them of their destruction, but of your salvation, and that from God. **Philippians 1:21-28***

Members can access the member directory and other features on our website and mobile app. Register at rscoc.org or contact Cooper Atkeson for assistance.

And Keep Praying

Ongoing Health Concerns

Ben Bearden, suffering from serious breathing difficulty and pain and weakness in his legs.

Doyle Brown, recovering from shoulder surgery and undergoing occupational therapy.

Olden Cook, recovering from foot surgery. Please pray for complete healing.

Larry Delaney undergoing immunotherapy; which he will have every 3 weeks for 3 months, with follow-up scans to evaluate effectiveness. Continue to pray for **Larry**, and **Kenda** as she sees to his care.

Barbara Dodd, is wheelchair bound, but hoping to come back to worship soon.

Jerry Durbin, recovering from a compression fracture in the lumbar spine.

Bev Jones, at River Hills Health & Rehabilitation, Room 101 for rehab following a stroke.

Ann Marshall dealing with several serious health concerns

C.E. and Virginia Packer; as C.E. and his family make decisions regarding his care moving forward.

Betty Phillips, at Hilltop, receiving rehab after successful heart surgery.

Don and Kareene Taylor, Don recovering from a fall, Kareene in Hilltop recovering from health issues.

Carlla Tittle, undergoing immunotherapy, and **John** as he cares for her.

Bill Whitt, recovering from knee surgery and undergoing physical therapy.

Of Friends and Family

Rodney Cuellar, Linda Plaster's s-i-l, dealing with many health issues, and **Judy**, as she cares for him.

Matthew Donaldson, Genita Donaldson's grandson, diagnosed with cancer.

Bill Fitch, son of **Katie Fitch**, undergoing treatment for cancer.

Carolyn Hixon, sister to **Judy Lovelady**, diagnosed with breast cancer.

Rick Love, brother-in-law to the **Haby family**, as he was in an automobile accident, and has serious injuries.

Holly Macy, daughter of the Packers is doing better.

Lacy Ramey, wife of the Lovelady's grandson, who was in a car accident and has multiple injuries. Please pray for Kyle and Lacey Ramey and their three kids.

Larry Smith, friend of the **Lovelady** family, suffering with colon cancer, but improving.

Treva Vogl, sister of **Reba Durbin**, being treated for cancer.