

## **Sunday Evening Services**

### **Riverside Family**

In the past year the elders tried to implement a Sunday afternoon services to hopefully accommodate those that did not like driving in the evening. Due to low participation in these services, we decided to form a committee of 10 members and charge them with how to format the Sunday evening services. The committee met on multiple occasions during the past month and subsequently met with the elders and ministers. From our meetings we have come up with the following monthly schedule:

### **Format**

- Week One – Offer communion, singing service combined with prayer and scripture reading
- Week Two – Short devo, offer communion, break into small groups of about 15 per group with discussion topic supplied by ministers
- Week Three - Short devo, offer communion, break into small groups of about 15 per group with discussion topic supplied by ministers
- Week Four – Short devo, offer communion, special projects such as mission committee reports, light evening meal/games or activities
- Week Five – Potluck after morning services, evening free for family time together

### **Specifics**

- Meeting time – 5:00 pm
- Initial Service – June 5, 2022
- Meet in adult classroom area
- Childcare will be provided for children up to 3<sup>rd</sup> grade

Our group of members, ministers and elders are excited about this new format for Sunday evening services. Our goal is to provide our Riverside family with a spiritual worship to God and to create opportunities for growth, encouragement and fellowship.