

Riverside

CHURCH OF CHRIST

625 Harper Rd. Kerrville, TX 78028 (830) 257-5445
Sunday Bible Study: 9 AM Sunday Worship: 10 AM
Sunday Evening Worship 5:00 PM Wednesday Bible Study: 7 PM

January 01, 2023

Welcome, Guests!

Welcome to Riverside! Thank you for joining us as our special guest as we worship God together today. Please remain briefly after the service if you are able so that we can welcome you personally. Gather to praise and worship God through Jesus Christ and to encourage one another. At Riverside, the Bible is our sole standard for worship and the Christian life. We would be happy to answer any questions that you may have about the Riverside church family. Please visit us again whenever you have the opportunity!

GRACE UPON GRACE

John wrote, "For from his fullness we have all received, grace upon grace" Jn 1:16. Grace of course, is God's greatest gift to us. Grace is God looking upon us with favor even though we do not deserve it. Jesus said, "My grace is sufficient", and the amazing thing is, it continues to be sufficient. Think about the grace we have already received this past year. But then we will need more grace in this new year. Indeed, we will receive grace upon grace. The appropriate response to the grace we have already received is thankfulness. And for the grace we have yet to receive, our finest response is faith. Have a faith-filled new year!

—Kevin

Ministry and Activity

Ladies' Bible Class—No class until Tuesday, Jan. 10 at 10:00 am.

Men's Coffee—No meeting until Thursday, Jan. 5, at 10:00 am.

Thank you to all who brought Bisquick baking mix for the pantry. At this time, **we have more than enough**, as this item is perishable.

If you know of a **need for meals** for the month of January, please contact **Kathy Coleman** at (830)-370-1972.

Deacon Areas of Ministry

Jarrell Baker—Worship Services/Senior Ministry
Orlando Barraza—Building Grounds
Doyle Brown—Kitchen Stocking
Cody Bush—Audio Visual/Computer
Jerry Durbin—Grief Literature
Darrell Fudge—Safety
Tommy Hayes—Senior Ministry/Safety
Clint Hyde—Education
John Tittle—Building Maintenance
Ron Watson—Missions

Order of Worship

I Will Sing the Wondrous Story

Welcome

Hold to God's Unchanging Hand
I Am a Sheep

Prayer of Worship

Praise Him! Praise Him!
Why Did My Savior Come to Earth?

Communion

Prayer of Thanks

The Love of God

Psalm 35:15-18

"When Enemies Rejoice"

Softly and Tenderly

Shepherd's Prayer

Hallelujah, Praise Jehovah

THE NUMBERS

Sunday 12/25/22

Bible Class: 41
Worship Service: 110
Sunday Evening: No Service
Contribution: \$6,501

Wednesday 12/28/22: 48

Daily Bible Reading Plan

January 01-Romans 1-2
January 02-Genesis 1-3
January 03-Joshua 1-5
January 04-Psalm 1-2
January 05-Job 1-2
January 06-Isaiah 1-6
January 07-Matthew 1-2

Minister

Pulpit
Kevin Kasparek
(918) 470-5873

Elders

Dale Alexander
(361) 537-3219

Gene Bosse
(830) 285-3241

David Moore
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Deacons

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Pray For Others

Dennis Lange's mother Geraldine, 97, passed away in San Angelo. Please pray for Dennis and his family as they mourn her passing.

Katy Wharton has begun chemo treatments. Pray for comfort, safe travels, and that the treatment will be 100% successful.

Cheryl Brown is recovering from Covid-19. Please pray for Cheryl, and for Doyle to keep healthy.

Carla Tittle has now tested negative for Covid-19, but is still very weak and faces a lengthy return of her strength due to her other serious medical issues. Please pray for Carla, and for John as he continues to provide for her care.

Let's remember all of the health care workers and their families at Riverside: **Rona Barrozo, Ashton Bosse, Jolene Fudge, Karen Wootton, Karla (Wootton) Carter, Debra Zink,** and those around the nation and world, who face possible exposure to the virus each day. Also, remember **Chad Lovelady**, who is a police officer in Fredericksburg.

Pray for our members who are in nursing/assisted living facilities: **Doris Burton, Ann Marshall, Kathy O'Hara, Garland and Mariethel McConal, Norman Wells, Granville "Granny" Cobb and Ginny Rudloff.** Also remember **Twila Odle**, as she is at home gaining strength.



Today's Evening Service

Today's evening service will be a short devotional, followed by a game night. Bring your favorite game, and a snack/finger food to share. If you don't have a game, that's okay, there will be plenty of games to join in.

This is a fun fellowship opportunity, and all ages are welcome!



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

And Keep Praying

Friends and Family

David Wims, **Linda Bosse's** brother-in-law, is in the hospital in Phoenix, and is seriously ill with pneumonia. Please pray for healing and comfort on behalf of him and his family.

Diane Ingram, a friend of **Debra Barker** who lives in Michigan, fell down stairs and sustained serious head injuries. Please pray that she might recover from this accident, and for her family and friends in their concern.

Dan and Liz Graf have been suffering with Covid-19. Please pray that they will be able to fully recover soon.



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Sermon Scripture

15But at my stumbling they rejoiced and gathered; they gathered together against me, wretches whom I did not know tore at me without ceasing; 16like profane mockers at a feast, they gnash at me with their teeth. 17How long, O Lord, will you look on? Rescue me from their destruction, my precious life from the lions! 18I will thank you in the great congregation; in the mighty throng I will praise you.

Psalm 35:15-18