

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

September 11, 2022

Welcome, Guests!

Welcome to Riverside! Thank you for joining us as our honored guest to worship God together today. Please stay with us briefly after the service so that we can welcome you personally. We meet together to praise 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!

The Basis of Our Unity

We are to have unity as believers. This is not to say that we must have uniformity of thought about everything. However, we *must* have agreement about *some* things. Our unity must be grounded in some way. On which matters must we have agreement? And who gets to decide? Paul tells us, "I...urge you to walk in a manner worthy of the calling to which you have been called...eager to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace. There is one body and one Spirit—just as you were called to the one hope that belongs to your call—one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in all" (Eph 4:1-6, ESV). This is the foundation of our unity. May we all individually plant ourselves upon this foundation.

-Cooper Atkeson

Ministry and Activity

Ladies' Bible Class Tuesday at 10:00 am. The subject will be "Living in the Shadow of His Perfect Light".

Men's Coffee Thursday at 9:30 am. Come and have a cup of coffee and a donut and fellowship together.

Church Secretary E-Mail Address: Please use june@rscoc.org for anything you want to bring to June's attention.

Hill Country Youth Summit in Pleasanton - Saturday, Sept 17. We will leave Riverside at 2 PM and return by 9 PM.

Game Night is the third Friday of every month, and begins at 6:00 pm in the fellowship room. The next game night is September 16. Bring a snack to share. **All ages are welcome!**

Pantry Need: Pop Tarts; Instant Oatmeal; Individual Applesauce Cups; Individual Fruit Cups; Granola Bars.

If you know of a **need for meals** for the month of September, please contact **Susan Lott** at (713) 899-6101.

Daily Bible Reading Plan

September 11-Daniel 10-12
September 12-Ezra 1-3
September 13-Ezra 4-6; Psalm 137
September 14-Haggai
September 15-Zechariah 1-7
September 17-Zechariah 8-14
September 18-Esther 1-5

Order of Worship

We Shall Assemble

Welcome

Children's Time

To God Be the Glory

We Will Glorify

Prayer of Worship

Nailed to the Cross

Communion

When Upon Life's Billows

Prayer of Thanks

Farther Along

Leaning on the Everlasting Arms

1 Peter 4:12-16

"The Church—A Suffering People"

I Bring My Sins to Thee

Shepherd's Prayer

When All of God's Singers Get Home

THE NUMBERS

Sunday 09/04/22:

Bible Class: 83

Worship Service: 147

Sunday Evening: 57

Contribution: \$8,757.00

Wednesday Evening: 54

Ministers

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Orlando Barraza

Doyle Brown

Cody Bush

Jerry Durbin

Darrell Fudge

Pray For Others

“**Granny**” **Cobb** is in Peterson Rehabilitation, Room 381.

Janis Banner is now at home, but is still suffering with the effects of Covid. She wants her church family to know how thankful she is for their prayers and concern.

James Wharton had knee surgery on the 19th. Please pray for freedom from pain, and full recovery.

Betty Dufner’s sister-in-law, Barbara Dufner, and her husband Wayne are in need of our prayers, for various health concerns. Please pray for peace while waiting for test results.

Don Taylor’s great-granddaughter, Chloe Birdwell, is hospitalized after a serious car crash last Thursday. She has facial and other injuries, but is now breathing on her own. Please pray for Chloe and her family, that she will recover well from this accident.

Genita Donalson’s son, David, is hospitalized with serious lung issues. Please pray that he will recover soon and be able to return home.

Pray for our members who are in nursing/assisted living facilities: **Doris Burton, Ann Marshall, Kathy O’Hara.**

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.

Ongoing Health Concerns

Twila Odle is now at home. She can have visitors, but please call Melissa Copeland, so that visits can be arranged.

Gwen Brubaker and **Tara Brubaker** are struggling with several health issues, and also need our prayers.

Carlla Tittle, as she struggles with kidney problems, and **John** as he cares for her.

Garland McConal is now at home. Pray for a return to health.

Al and Donna Horne for improved health.

Martha McDuffie is suffering with several medical issues. Please pray for her healing.

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

And Keep Praying

Friends and Family

Virginia Exon, 11 year-old granddaughter of **Jarrell and Rose Baker,** has been undergoing the second phase of a difficult treatment for leukemia. She is planning to enter middle school at least part-time when school resumes. Please pray for the Bakers, and Virginia and her family.

Sermon Scripture

12“Beloved, do not be surprised at the fiery trial when it comes upon you to test you, as though something strange were happening to you. 13But rejoice insofar as you share Christ’s sufferings, that you may also rejoice and be glad when glory is revealed. 14If you are insulted for the name of Christ, you are blessed, because the Spirit of glory and of God rests upon you. 15But let none of you suffer as a murderer or a thief or an evildoer or as a meddler. 16Yet if anyone suffers as a Christian, let him not be ashamed, but let him glorify God in that name.”

-1 Peter 4:12-16

