

ORDER OF WORSHIP

All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name

Welcome

Prayer of Worship

Hallelujah! What a Savior

Communion

Prayer of Thanks

Jesus Is Coming Soon
He Keeps Me Singing

2 Corinthians 12:1-5

“My Weaknesses, His Strength”

Anywhere With Jesus

Shepherd's Prayer

How Beautiful Heaven Must Be

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.

THE NUMBERS

Sunday 08/13/23

Bible Class: 75
Worship Service: 135
Sunday Evening: 47
Contribution: \$9,542.01

Wednesday 08/16/23: 60

MINISTRY AND ACTIVITIES

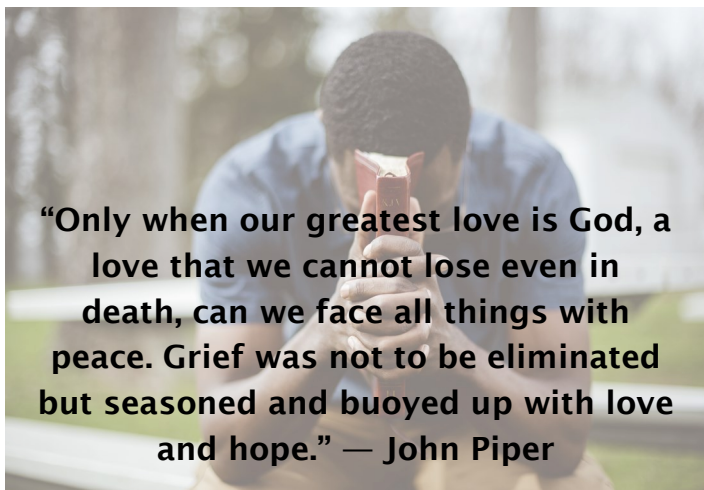
Ladies' Bible Class—Ladies' Bible Class will resume it's normal schedule on September 12 at 10:00am.

Men's Coffee—Thursday, August 24, at 9:30 am. Come and have a cup of coffee and a donut, and fellowship together.

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

Lets go Sing!

There will be an area-wide singing this evening at the Fredericksburg Church of Christ at 6:30 pm. All are invited, so please attend and give yourself and others a lift by worshipping together in song.



“Only when our greatest love is God, a love that we cannot lose even in death, can we face all things with peace. Grief was not to be eliminated but seasoned and buoyed up with love and hope.” — John Piper

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DAILY BIBLE READING PLAN

August 20-1 Timothy 4-6
August 21-Numbers 5-8
August 22-1 Chronicles 10-14
August 23-Psalm 99-101
August 24-Proverbs 19
August 25-Hosea 1-7
August 26-John 7-9

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 PM Wednesday Bible Study: 7 PM

August 20, 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. We 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!

That Hurts

“Looking to Jesus, the founder and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross” (Hebrews 12:2). What is it that motivates someone to give their life for someone else? For Jesus, he was not banking on what we would do for him. He knew we would never be able to repay him for what he did. But he went to the cross anyway. Why? Sometimes faithfulness means pain. Jesus knew there was something much greater. He told the Pharisees, “But when you give a feast, invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, the blind, and you will be blessed, because they cannot repay you. For you will be repaid at the resurrection of the just” (Luke 14:13-14). In other words, don't worry about the pain now... there is a joy that awaits you at the resurrection where all accounts will be settled.

—Kevin

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Orlando Barraza
Doyle Brown
Cody Bush
Jerry Durbin
Darrell Fudge
Tommy Hayes
Clint Hyde
John Tittle
Ron Watson

PRAY FOR OTHERS

- ◆ **Nancy White** fell and broke three ribs. She is in Peterson Rehab Center. As of Thursday of last week, she was still in the rehab center in Room 380. She would love to have visitors.
- ◆ **Kim McAlister** has requested prayers. She will surgery on her thumb, to be rescheduled soon.
- ◆ **Jerry Durbin** is continuing to suffer falls and other medical complications. Please remember Jerry and Reba in your prayers.

Let's remember all of the health care workers and public servants and their families at Riverside: **Rona Barrozo, Ashton Bosse, Jolene Fudge, Karen Wootton, Karla (Wootton) Carter, Debra Zink, Natalie Kingston, Stephanie Ahrens** and **Zac, Tyler** and **Mark Copeland** (sons of Jim and Melissa Copeland), and **Chad Lovelady**.

Please pray for our members who are in independent living/nursing/assisted living facilities: Doris Burton, Ann Marshall, Kathy O'Hara, Mariethel McConal, Dennis Odle, Don Taylor, Granville "Granny" Cobb, and Barbara Dodd.

Also remember to pray for our members who are fully or partially homebound due to extended illness or disability, and their caregivers as well: Melva Allen, Jo Bennett, Roxana Cobb, Velma Cuellar, Charline Greggerson, Bill Herriman, Connie Lara, Peggye Pullias, Ginny Rudloff, Twila Odle, Janis Banner and Carlla Tittle.

Sermon Scripture

¹I must go on boasting. Though there is nothing to be gained by it, I will go on to visions and revelations of the Lord. ²I know a man in Christ who fourteen years ago was caught up to the third heaven—whether in the body or out of the body I do not know, God knows. ³And I know that this man was caught up into paradise—whether in the body or out of the body I do not know, God knows—⁴and he heard things that cannot be told, which man may not utter. ⁵On behalf of this man I will boast, but on my own behalf I will not boast, except of my weaknesses—

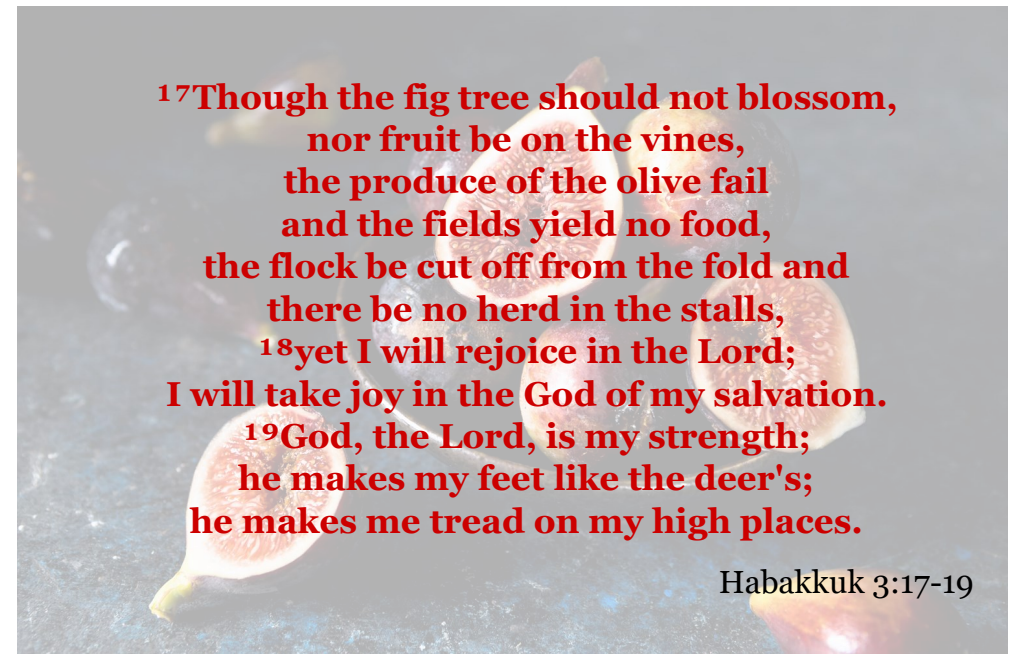
— **2 Corinthians 12:1-5**

AND KEEP PRAYING

Cheryl Brown's son, Michael McGuire, is having heart issues. He has been referred to a heart doctor to see if they can find a way to treat his heart failure and avoid a transplant. Please pray for Cheryl and all their family, and wisdom for any decisions that Michael might have to make.

Maggie and Inacio Castillo's 22-year old grandson, David Ortiz, is in the military, and has been diagnosed with a tumor in his middle ear. Please pray that he will find a surgeon who will remove it and that he will fully recover.

Jim Evans, former elder at Riverside is recovering in the hospital in Corpus Christi from a recent serious stroke and complications. Please remember Jim and Erma in your prayers; they send their thanks for your concern and your prayers.



Habakkuk 3:17-19

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NOTES

Maui Fire Contribution

A special contribution will be taken today and next Sunday for the victims of the Maui fire tragedy. The funds will be delivered to the Church of Christ on Maui for them to continue to provide local relief. Please pray as well for those impacted by this terrible loss.