#### ORDER OF WORSHIP

Worthy Art Thou

Welcome

**Prayer of Worship** 

Hallelujah! What a Savior

**Communion** 

Why Did My Savior Come to Earth?

**Prayer of Thanks** 

All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name Majesty

Colossians 1:15-20

"Christ is Supreme"

There is Power in the Blood

**Shepherd's Prayer** 

Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee

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 09/24/23

Bible Class: 83 Worship Service: 144 Sunday Evening: 52 Contribution: \$4,415.00

Wednesday 09/27/23: 55

#### MINISTRY AND ACTIVITIES

**Ladies' Bible Class**—Ladies' Bible Class will meet this Tuesday, October 3, at 10:00 am.

**Men's Coffee**—Thursday, October 5, at 9:30 am. Come and have a cup of coffee and a donut, and fellowship together.

**Ladies' Tea Fellowship** meets every Sunday afternoon at 4:00 PM in the fellowship hall. Coffee and tea provided.

If you know of a **need for meals** during the first week of October, please contact **Kathy Coleman** at (830) 370-1972. She is filling in for Susan Lott, who is on vacation.

The **First Sunday Singing** will be after services tonight. Everyone is invited to enjoy singing requested songs. Bring a snack to share.

# Family Game Night

for October will be Friday, the 20th at 6:00 PM in the fellowship hall. ALL ages are invited. These are fun nights to fellowship over a favorite game, OR you might find a new game you like. Bring your own, or not—there will be plenty to join in. As always, we like to eat when we fellowship, so bring a snack to share!

#### DAILY BIBLE READING PLAN

October 01-Hebrews 5-7

October 02-Numbers 29-32

October 03-2 Chronicles 11-15

October 04-Psalm 116-117

October 05-Proverbs 28

October o6-Jonah

October 07-Acts 3-4



### 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

October 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. 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!

## The Word Of God

How easily people dismiss the word of God. As if their words carried as much weight. As if their opinion is just as valuable. As if their view of the world is just as meaningful. God said, "Take to heart all the words by which I am warning you today, that you may command them to your children, that they may be careful to do all the words of this law. For it is no empty word for you, but your very life" (Deuteronomy 32:46-47). We hear all kinds of things today. People are proclaiming their opinions about how things should be. 'If you would only listen to me', they say, while the word of God is kicked to the side. But the word of God is no trifling thing. By His word we were created. By His word our life is sustained. By His word we are born again. And by His word we will be judged.

-Kevin

#### Minister

Pulpit Kevin Kasparek (918) 470-5873

#### **Elders**

Dale Alexander (361) 537-3219

Gene Bosse (830) 285-3241

David Moore (830) 928-1869

#### **Deacons**

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

#### PRAY FOR OTHERS

- **◆Jean Bolton** has been suffering with severe sinus issues, and has been having a difficult time getting back to her previous energy levels. Please pray for Jean and Bob!
- ◆ **Jerry Durbin** fell this past week, resulting in a fractured pelvis. No surgery is planned at this time. Remember Reba also in your prayers.
- ◆ Bode McKay needs our prayers for healing.

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 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, Dennis Odle, Don Taylor, 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, Mariethel McConal, Janis Banner and Carlla Tittle.

<sup>6</sup>And these words that I command you today shall be on your heart. <sup>7</sup>You shall teach them diligently to your children, and shall talk of them when you sit in your house, and when you walk by the way, and when you lie down, and when you rise. <sup>8</sup>You shall bind them as a sign on your hand, and they shall be as frontlets between your eyes. <sup>9</sup>You shall write them on the doorposts of your house and on your gates.

—Deuteronomy 6:6-9

#### **Sermon Scripture**

<sup>15</sup>He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation. <sup>16</sup>For by him all things were created, in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities—all things were created through him and for him. <sup>17</sup>And he is before all things, and in him all things hold together. <sup>18</sup>And he is the head of the body, the church. He is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, that in everything he might be preeminent. <sup>19</sup>For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, <sup>20</sup>and through him to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, making peace by the blood of the cross.

- Colossians 1:15-20

#### AND KEEP PRAYING

**Dan and Liz Graf's** son, Jeremy is still suffering from frequent grand mal seizures. Please pray for relief for him, and safe travels for Liz and Dan as they go back and forth between Kerrville and Corpus Christi

**Irma Parke's** brother, Albert Salinas suffered a stroke several weeks ago, and is not recovering well. He is in San Antonio. Pray for healing, and for Irma and Doug.

## NOTES



## Start Planning Now For Our Fall Festival!

We are having a Fall Festival on Sunday, October 29 immediately after services. This is our regular fifth Sunday pot luck meal, and we want to invite friends, family and neighbors. Flyers with all the information will be available this Sunday. Pick up several to share.

**New Members' Directory Pages**—Many of you who do not use the on-line directory expressed a desire to have directory pages printed for our newer members. I have printed several sets of these pages, and they are available on the table in the front entrance. Since the directory is printed on both sides of the pages, these—which are printed on one side only—may not fit in precisely the proper place alphabetically, but they will be close.

The **Power for Today** booklets for the October, November and December quarter are now available, and are on the tables in the front and back entrances. These are for anyone who wants one. A short, biblically inspired essay is presented for each day.

#### **New Email Addresses for Chuck and Kathy Coleman:**

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**Latest Address Change for Cotton Waldron:** Ledgestone Senior Living, 13150 Four Star Blvd, Room 138, Austin TX 78737