



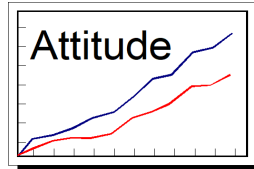
Prayer Requests:

"Pray for one another"

- James 5:16 -

- Don Blackwell (gospel preacher) - spinal cord completely severed in a serious 4-wheeler accident; his wife Sheri was injured too, but should fully recover; prayers requested
- Diane Cote - recently suffered a minor stroke; also has kidney disease & health concerns
- Sandy Gagnon - fell recently and banged her knee up pretty bad; dealing with chronic pain & various health concerns
- Leah (Glenda's daughter) - ovarian cancer; pray for pain relief; please pray for Glenda as well during this difficult and stressful time
- Ernie Perry - dealing with COPD issues
- Mei Lin (daughter of evangelist Robbie and Judy Andrews) - had recent surgery on her left foot; pray for quick & complete healing
- Norman Roy (Paula's sister's husband) - diagnosed with advanced ALS and now in hospice care at home; prayers needed for the family
- Trina (new sister in Christ in Roanoke, AL) - pray for spiritual growth & maturity in Christ
- Jan Sampson - had arthroscopic surgery on her right elbow last week which was deemed successful; pray for quick & complete healing
- Wayne Sampson - experiencing ongoing anxiety attacks; pray that the cause can be found, along with an effective treatment
- Tornado & Flood Victims - please pray for those who have recently suffered damage and loss in the mid-west and southeastern states due to tornados and flooding (many of whom are our brothers and sisters in Christ)
- Please pray for our nation (1 Timothy 2:1-3)
- Please pray that we might find a suitable and affordable permanent meeting place
- Please pray for those not with us today

"Pray without ceasing." — 1 Thess 5:17



As disciples of Christ, we are to be learners and followers of Jesus. We are to walk as He walked (1 John 2:6).

We are to be conformed to His image and actually take on His likeness (Rom 8:29). His will is to become our will and our attitude is to be the same as His (Phil 2:5; 1 Pet 4:1).

Of course, this is a life-long process and we are all works in progress. It began at baptism when we were "crucified with Christ" (Gal 2:20) and "put on Christ" (Gal 3:27). Since that new birth (2 Cor 5:17), each Christian has been in the process of transformation where we are being re-created by the renewing of our minds (Rom 12:2). Ephesians 4:23-24 describes it this way, "be renewed in the spirit (attitude) of your mind, and that you put on the new man which was created according to God, in righteousness and true holiness."

The attitude of Christ is further developed and nurtured in us as we let the word of Christ dwell in us richly (Col 3:16). Through God's living and powerful word which pierces and penetrates soul and spirit, and judges the thoughts and intents (attitudes) of the heart (Heb 4:12), the Holy Spirit brings forth His fruit of the Spirit in our lives (Gal 5:22-26). As this process continues to yield fruit in increasing measure, we actually become "partakers of the divine nature" (2 Pet 1:4).

This is a marvelous, albeit mysterious, process which John the baptizer accurately and succinctly summarized this way: "He must increase, but I must decrease" (John 3:30). Paul provides deeper understanding as he adds the finishing touches to this beautiful picture: "But we all, with unveiled face, beholding as in a mirror to glory of the Lord, are being transformed into the same image from glory to glory, just as by the Spirit of the Lord!" (2 Cor 3:18). — **Terry Schmidt**

"Let this mind be in you which was also in Christ Jesus." - (Philippians 2:5)



Jesus Himself said that He had come not to be served, but to serve, and to give His life as a ransom for many (Matt 20:28). Although Christ was (and is) eternally a Person of the Triune God, He willingly humbled Himself by being incarnated as a human (Jn 1:14). Rather than demanding the worship and obedience that was rightfully His as God, He became a servant to all of humanity, living the life of sinless obedience to God that none of us could or can; voluntarily dying an undeserved, excruciating death to pay the penalty that was required by God for humanity's sin, and that no one else could have paid; and then rising from the dead to live forever so that humans, by placing their faith in Him, rather than in their own imperfect righteousness, and obeying His will (Heb 5:9), would also be able to live eternally in God's presence (Jn 3:16). In our daily lives, we are to emulate this same Christ-like mind (attitude) of humble, selfless service.

"Sirs, what must I do to be saved?"
- Acts 16:30 -

Hear the Gospel - John 6:44-45; Rom 10:14,17

Believe [trust in] God - John 3:16; 8:24; Ac 16:31
Heb 11:6

Repent of sins - Luke 13:1-5; Acts 2:38; 3:19; 17:30

Confess Christ - Mt 10:32-33; Ac 8:36-37;
Rom 10:8-10

Be baptized - Mk 16:16; Ac 2:38; 8:36; 22:16;
1 Pet 3:21

Be faithful unto death - Mt 7:21; Rev 2:10

☺ **Welcome Visitors!** ☺

We are glad to have you worship with us today. Please don't hesitate to ask if you have questions or if we can help you in any way. Please fill out a visitor's card before you depart.

~ Announcements ~

- Potluck Fellowship: July 14th, after services
- Greenwood Nursing Home Service: Every Sunday afternoon at 3:30 PM. All are welcome! ☺

Birthdays



25th - Georine Cuvellier
9th - Tyler Kennedy
16th - Pat Miller
24th - Diane Cote
29th - Shirley Boucher



VISITS TO OUR WEB PAGE

This Week: 859

This Month: 4724



SNACKS!

June 23: Connie
June 30: Pat

Contribution & Attendance for June 16, 2019

Attendance — 23
Contribution — \$445

Order of Worship

June 23, 2019

*"O LORD, Thou art my God; I will exalt Thee,
I will praise Thy name; for Thou hast done
wonderful things; Thy counsels of old
are faithfulness and truth."*

- Isaiah 25:1 -

Song Leader: *Paul Cote*

Song

Opening Prayer: *Jim Miller*

Song

Scripture Reading: *Wayne Sampson*
~ Ephesians 4:17-24 ~

Song

The Lord's Supper:
George Cuvellier & Ernie Perry

Contribution

Song

Sermon: *Terry Schmidt*
"The Christian's Be-Attitudes"

Song

Announcements & Closing Prayer:
Jason Kennedy

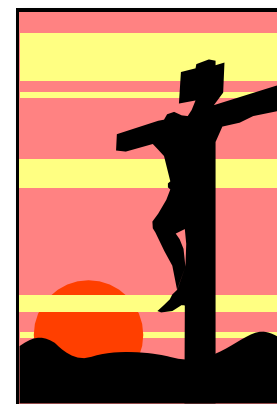
Alternate: *Paul Bullock/George Nick*

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Lord's Supper Prep: *Jan Sampson*

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*We love Him, because  
He first loved us.*  
- 1 John 4:19 -

## June 23, 2019

### Sunday Assembly Times:

9:30 am — Bible Class  
10:30 am — Worship  
6:00 — Bible Study

### Wednesday Assembly:

7:00 — Bible Study

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