



Prayer Requests:

"Pray for one another"

- James 5:16 -

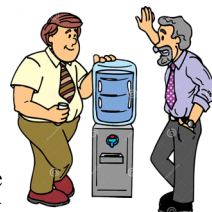
- Robbie Andrews (preacher in Lineville, AL) - being treated for retinal inflammation
- Michael Baldasaro (Wayne & Jan's son in law) successful surgery on 9/21 addressed cancer of the tonsils; now home healing/recovering
- Louis Bureau - injured left shoulder at work & is gradually recovering from surgery; is also experiencing back pain
- Josiah Carelse & Family - working with the Lord's church in Cape Town, South Africa
- Diane Cote - left leg amputated up to the knee as a result of diabetes; soon to be fitted with a prosthesis and undergo prosthetic rehab
- Filomena Derecho (Cathy's mother in the Philippines) - numerous health issues
- Reyderick Derecho - permanently disabled
- Linda Gloman - colon cancer was detected in a recent colonoscopy; 8/10 laparoscopic surgery successful; now undergoing chemotherapy
- Terry Kennedy - 10/19 surgery which removed a large cyst from her abdomen was successful; now home recovering; prayers appreciated
- Molly Urghart (mother of Wayne & Jan's granddaughter, River)- her stage 4 esophageal cancer has spread to other areas; undergoing aggressive chemotherapy; prayers needed
- 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 — the sick & suffering and those who are spiritually weak & struggling



"The prayer of the upright is His delight . . . He hears the prayer of the righteous."

~ Proverbs 15:8, 29 ~

Small Gestures Can Bring Big Results



Not much is known about the Apostle Andrew. He is best known for being the brother of the Apostle Peter. Both were fishermen from the town of Capernaum (Mk 1:29), and labored in their trade together on the Sea of Galilee (Jn 1:44). Although Andrew is not prominent in the gospel accounts, those times when he is mentioned provide us with an excellent example to follow.

A disciple of John the Baptist, Andrew was obviously devout in his faith and interested in the promised coming Messiah. When John identified Jesus as "The Lamb of God!," Andrew and another disciple followed Jesus, came to where He was staying, and remained with Him the whole day (Jn 1:35-40). The next thing we read concerning Andrew is this: "He first found his own brother Simon, and said to him, 'We have found the Messiah' (which is translated Christ). And he brought him to Jesus" (Jn 1:41-42).

Later on, Andrew brought a boy with two fish and five barley loaves to Jesus. The Lord was then able to multiply these to feed more than 5,000 people (Jn 6:8-13). The next time we see Andrew, he is accompanied by Philip, bringing some Greeks to Jesus who wanted to meet Him (Jn 12:20-22). Are we seeing a pattern here? Time and time again, Andrew brought people to Jesus!

This is something that all of us can do. We can invite others into our homes and to the services of the church. We can tell our story and share with them what Jesus has done for us (Philemon 6). If we aren't able to conduct a Bible study, we can introduce them to someone who can. The Apostle Andrew obviously made Jesus the most important thing in his life, and we should too (Mt 6:33; Mk 12:30). We are to love Him with all our hearts and put Him first in all things (1 Jn 4:19; 2 Cor 5:15; Mt 6:33; Col 1:18). And it's this love for Jesus and what He has done for us that should motivate us to reach out and share the gospel with those who are still lost (Mk 12:31; 2 Cor 5:14, 21; Rom 1:16, 5:6-11).

May God help us to do just that in the days ahead! And with God's help (1 Cor 15:10; Phil 4:13), and by His strength (Ephesians 6:10), may we (like Andrew), become known for bringing people to Jesus! — **Terry Schmidt** ✍

"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



Points to Ponder



"If the Christian does not allow prayer to drive sin out of his life, sin will drive prayer out of his

life. Like light and darkness, the two cannot dwell together." - M.E. Andross

😊 Welcome Visitors 😊

We are glad you have come to worship with us today. We want you to know that you are welcome. Please don't hesitate to ask if you have questions or if we can help you in any way. Also, please fill out one of our visitor's cards before you depart.

Have a great week! 😊





Terry Kennedy — October 28th



Jason & Paula — October 25th

Little Things Matter

“And whosoever shall give to drink unto one of these little ones a cup of cold water only in the name of a disciple, verily I say unto you, he shall in no wise lose his reward.”

Jesus — Matthew 10:42

Visits to Our Web Page

Last Week: 21,267

This Month: 55,935



SNACKS!

Oct 22: Jan

Oct 29: Betty

Attendance & Contribution

for October 15, 2023

Attendance — 21

Contribution — \$712

Order of Worship

October 22, 2023

“Therefore, by Him, let us continually offer the sacrifice of praise to God, that is, the fruit of our lips, giving thanks to His name.”

- Hebrews 13:15 -

Song Leader: Terry Schmidt

Song—522

Opening Prayer: George Cuvellier

Song—527

Scripture Reading: Jim Miller

- Matthew 28:18-20 -

Song—119

The Lord's Supper

Louis Bureau (lead) & Wayne Sampson

Song—529

Sermon: Terry Schmidt

“Seven Truths Concerning Evangelism”

Song—643

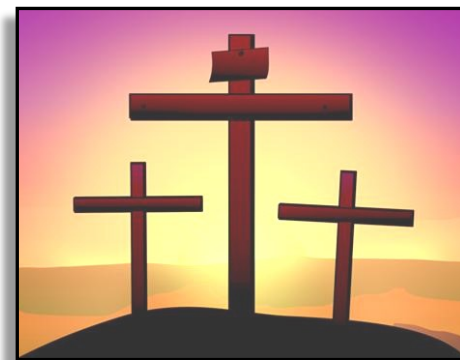
Announcements & Closing Prayer

Jason Kennedy

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Lord's Supper Prep: Betty Schmidt

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

## October 22, 2023

### Meeting on the Lord's Day:

9:30 am — Bible Class

10:30 am — Worship

*“Let us consider one another in order to stir up love and good works, not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as is the manner of some, but exhorting one another, and so much the more as you see the Day approaching.”*

- Hebrews 10:24-25 -

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