



Prayer Requests:

"Pray for one another"

- James 5:16 -

- Rodelio Baaqin & Family - working with congregations of the Lord's church in the Philippines
- Roy Baaqin - recovering from serious injuries sustained in a recent motorcycle accident
- Josiah Carelse & Family - working with the Lord's church in Cape Town, South Africa
- Leslie Denbow - left knee replacement surgery on 12/2 was successful, now home recovering; a recent procedure has reduced pain in several discs in her lower back; requests prayers to meet life's challenges and bring glory to God
- Retha Flack (Terry & Betty's Christian friend) - 2 heart blockages; meds are working well
- Hardship - victims of severe storms in Jamaica, Philippines, India & floods in Pacific Northwest
- Raj - Evangelist serving the Lord's church in India is grieving the death of his father
- Terry Schmidt - recent ER/hospital visit revealed a diagnosis of unstable angina caused by a 20% blockage; now on medications, a modified diet, and an exercise regimen to help remedy future episodes; thanks for your prayers ☺
- Escalating politically motivated violence and shootings - across our country
- 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



In times of hardship, suffering and great distress ... the first place we should go ... and stay for a good long while ... is the throne room of God. (see Hebrews 4:14-16)

The Glory & Majesty of God

From Genesis to Revelation, Scripture reveals a God whose splendor fills heaven and earth, whose power sustains creation, and whose presence transforms all who encounter Him. God's magnificent glory is a radiant expression of His Divine being. "Holy, Holy, Holy is the LORD of hosts; the whole earth is full of His glory!" (Is 6:3). And the psalmist declares, "The heavens declare the glory of God; and the firmament shows His handiwork" (Ps 19:1). Every spectacular sunrise, every glowing star beaming in the heavens, every pounding wave of the ocean proclaims the same truth—our God is majestic beyond all human comprehension.

The glory of God's creative genius is woven into the very fabric of the world. The Creator's "invisible attributes are clearly seen, being understood by the things that are made" (Rom 1:20). The created order of things is a living proclamation of God's glory and greatness. And over all this, "The LORD reigns; He is clothed with majesty" (Psalm 93:1). Our eternal, self-existent God governs all things with Divine wisdom, justice, and power. His throne has been established from eternity past, and His authority cannot be challenged or diminished. His wondrous majesty inspires reverential awe—yet also brings comfort—for He rules with equity, His reign is righteous, and His purposes are good.

God's glory is inextricably woven together with His sovereignty and holiness. The heavenly beings, described in Revelation, bear witness to this truth as they continuously praise the resplendent One seated on His regal throne. "And they do not rest day or night, saying: 'Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty, Who was and is and is to come!'" (Rev 4:8). Then, in worship and adoration, the twenty-four elders around the throne "cast their crowns before the throne saying: 'You are worthy, O Lord, to receive glory and honor and power; for You created all things, and by Your will they exist and were created'" (vv. 10-11). God's holiness encompasses His moral purity, His sinless perfection, and His absolute transcendental nature.

The fullest tangible revelation of God's glory is found in Jesus Christ. "And the Word became flesh

and dwelt among us, and we beheld His glory, the glory as of the only begotten of the Father, full of grace and truth" (Jn 1:14). In Christ, the invisible God becomes visible. "He is the image of the invisible God" (Col 1:15) . . . "For in Him dwells all the fullness of the Godhead bodily" (Col 2:9). Christ's authority, miracles, compassion and sacrifice unveil the heart of a loving Father (Jn 10:30; 14:7-9). What appears as weakness to the world is, in truth, the triumph of God's redemptive love (1 Cor 1:18-31). Through Christ's resurrection, the glory of God shines with indomitable brilliance, offering salvation to all those who choose to obey Jesus (Jn 14:15, 21-24; Heb 5:9).

God's glory is also reflected in the lives of His people. "But we all...beholding the glory of the Lord...are being transformed into the same image from glory to glory" (2 Cor 3:18). Through the power & guidance of God's word, the Spirit works within us—renewing our minds, shaping our character, and empowering us to live in a way that honors Him (Rom 12:1-2; 1 Pet 2:12). When believers walk in love and faithful obedience, they become living testimonies of God's majesty (Jn 13:34-35; 1Pet 3:13-17). By God's grace (1 Cor 15:10), the world will see His light through our words, actions, and attitudes (Mt 5:14-16; Eph 5:8-11; 1 Jn 1:7). All glory to God! "For *of* Him and *through* Him and *to* Him are all things, to whom be glory forever. Amen. — 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

😊 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 a visitor's card before you depart.



Have a great week! 😊

God will not give His glory to another (Is 42:8; Ex 34:14). Yet this is the very thing that people try to steal. Scripture denounces and condemns all idolaters: "Although they knew God, they did not glorify Him as God ... professing to be wise, they became fools, and changed the glory of the incorruptible God into an image made like corruptible man, birds, and four-footed animals and creeping things" (Rom 1:22-23). Only God is eternal, and His holy divine attributes are never to be exchanged for the imperfections and corruption of anything in this world. 📖

Visits to Our Web Page

Last Week: 6,706
This Month: 22,170



SNACKS!

Feb 15: Cathy
Feb 22: Pat

Attendance & Contribution

for February 8, 2026

Attendance — 22
Contribution — \$968

Order of Worship

February 15, 2026

"What is it then? I will pray with the spirit, and I will pray with the understanding also: I will sing with the spirit, and I will sing with the understanding also."

📖 - 1 Corinthians 14:15 - 📖

Song Leader: *Terry Schmidt*

Song—59

Opening Prayer: *Louis Bureau*

Song—1A

Scripture Reading: *Jim Miller*
~ Isaiah 6:1-5 ~

Song—649

The Lord's Supper

Jason Kennedy (lead) & Jeremy Raymond

Song—668

Sermon: *Terry Schmidt*
"The Glory & Majesty of God"

Song—98

Announcements & Closing Prayer
Wayne Sampson

Alternates: *George Cuvellier;*
Mike Doucette; David Larrabee

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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 -*

## February 15, 2026

**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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