

14 December 2025

**WELCOME
ANNOUNCEMENTS**

291: I Know Not Why
God's Wondrous Grace
vs. 1, 2, 4

OPENING PRAYER

376: Joy to the World
vs. 1, 2, 4

400: Living by Faith
vs. 1, 3

557: Rock of Ages
vs. 1, 3

LORD'S SUPPER

527: Paradise Valley
vs. 1, 3

SCRIPTURE READING

Col 3: 15—17

SERMON

701: Tomorrow May
Be Too Late!
vs 1, 3

665: Till the Storm
Passes By
vs. 1

CLOSING PRAYER

Contribution
12/07— \$3750.00
Attendance: 33
YT: 13 /**FB:** 86
Wednesday: 32

BRAD'S THOUGHTS

Sometimes we fall into the trap of thinking God only loves people who have it all together or only uses perfect people to serve Him. But Scripture is honest about the kinds of people God uses. Time and again God uses people with real flaws, failures, doubts, and sin. Abraham lied, Moses lost his temper, David had an affair, Peter even denied knowing Jesus.

And yet God loved and pursued each of them and used them to do great things for His Kingdom! Why? Because He wants to show us that our hope should never rely on our own perfection, our own efforts, or our own righteousness.

If it could, if we could save ourselves by ourselves, God wouldn't have needed to send the Messiah at all.

Hebrews 7:11 teaches us that if sufficient obedience "could have been attained" through human effort, there would have been no need for Jesus.

Jesus alone lived without sin. Jesus alone stands as our perfect mediator. Jesus alone is the only acceptable sacrifice, "the Lamb of God that takes away the sin of the world". (John 1:29). Through Christ, God receives and restores imperfect people like you and me.

So when you struggle and stumble, don't run from God, run to Him. He saves and transforms sinners through His great mercy. And let us strive together to walk in the light knowing He'll carry us through.

Brad

Let the peace of Christ
rule in your hearts, since
as members of one body
you were called to peace.
And be thankful.

Colossians 3:15



PRAYER LIST

SONNY BAKER: Sonny hasn't been feeling well this past week; he is in need of prayers and encouragement.

TYLER and CAMBRYE BRITTAIN: Scott Moore, Cambrye's father, as well as both of her grandfathers, are dealing with cancer. Recent doctor's visits have confirmed that progress is being made with some of their treatments.

CAMPTON SCOTT BRITTAIN: Campton Scott made his appearance on Friday, Dec 12th, entering this world at 7 lbs, 7 ozs. Proud parents are Tyler and Cambrye; great-grandparents are Debi and Mike Brittain.

DEESD FAMILY: Fred and Steve Deesd are friends of the Zwermann's; both have been diagnosed with cancer.

CHRIS CURTNER: Chris is Houston's friend who is having knee problems.

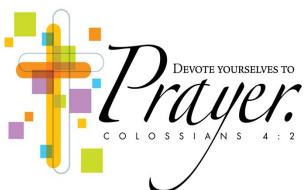
SUE FARRIS: Sue is doing well and appreciates all the prayers on her behalf.

MARTHA HOLLAND: Please keep Martha in your prayers for upcoming doctor's appointments.

KIM QUALLS: Kim's gallbladder surgery went well; she is on the mend.

JOSEPH VASQUEZ: Joseph, who is the son of Susie and Jared Vasquez, has been diagnosed with a cyst on his brain. He had a consultation on December 1st with a neurosurgeon who has ordered more testing. Please pray that the tests can be scheduled expeditiously.

JOYCE ZWERMANN: Joyce's surgery went well and she could possibly be released today.



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Mary Ann Anderson
Shirley Aubert
Sonny Baker
Brittain/Moore Family
Sharon Childers
Chris Curtner
Deesd Family
Polly DeWeese
Sue Farris
Peter Gabbert
Scott Harris
Martha Holland
Barbara Holmes
Inlow Family
Amelia Jones
Patsy Jones
Clara Lee
Mekdam/Davison Family
Bill and JoAnna Parker
Adam Pennington
Kim Qualls
Carrie Smith
Joseph Vasquez
Kristi Williamson
LaRue Williamson
York (Jenna) Family
Joyce Zwermann

BIRTHDAYS

Janell Lester—Dec 24
Sharon Lovett—Dec 26

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Wednesday Night Bible Study meal will be potluck. We will not meet on Wednesday, Dec 24th.
- **White Elephant Gift Exchange** after services today, December 14th.

