# "God Will Restore His People"

I. How the people are restored

II. When the people are restored

## III. How God will restore the nations and His church

TODAY'S GREETERS: Dan Biby & Darrell Senters

#### **SUNDAY AM BIBLE CLASSES**

Auditorium - Adults (Ray Rose) The Parables Of Jesus

Multipurpose Room - Teens (Doug Boyle) Church History

### WEDNESDAY PM - January 3rd

**Greeter** Song

**Scripture** (1 Peter 2:13-17)

**Doug Boyle Aaron Boyle** C. Key

#### WEDNESDAY PM BIBLE CLASSES

Auditorium - Adults (Tucker Fuxa) "What Jesus Had To Say About Worship"

Teen Room - Teens (Ray Rose) The book of Philippians

Fellowship Hall - Ladies Class (Fern Boyle) Biblical Geography

BLAST Class - PreK - 6th (Jan 3rd: Kay Scott)

## **NEXT SUNDAY - January 7th**

**Greeters** 

Luke Rehmel & Greyson Waide

**Announcements** Songleader

Scripture Reading/Prayer

Doug Boyle

Lesson Communion **Closing Prayer** 

**PM Songleader** PM Prayer

**Dan Biby Doug Boyle** 

**Greyson Waide Ray Rose Tucker Fuxa Bill David Walker** 

**Ron Scott Frosty Munsell** 

**ELDERS** 

\*Elder of the Month - December

\*Greg Waide

most recent message again by dialing: 1-877-333-9336.

**DEACONS** 

\*Responsible for locking the building - December

Tim Ford - Audio-Visual/Technology

\*Roger Gaddie - Building/Communion Svc Tim Rehmel - Education

If you ever miss a robo-call from the church, you can hear the

**PULPIT MINISTER - Ray Rose** 

SECRETARIES - June Munsell & Jennifer Waide

Office Hours: 8:30 to 4:30 (Mon & Wed-Fri)

Notary services are available in the office Wed-Fri.



**SUNDAY** Bible Classes

9:30 am AM Worship 10:30 am

5:00 pm

Mid-Week Boost Meal Bible Study

WEDNESDAY

5:30-6:30 pm 7:00 pm

# CHURCH LIFE

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## RESOLVE TO INVOLVE EVERYTHING

With the new year comes resolutions. We like a fresh start, and we generally feel that the start of a brand new year is the best time to implement changes. I guess it's because we look back on the previous year and analyze successes and failures and make decisions on what we need to do to better ourselves—and that's not a bad thing. We make plans and determinations with great hope of accomplishing them in our lives.

Most people will make resolutions that improve their body (like eating better and/or exercising more), improve their mind (like reading more or learning something new), or improve their attitude. Without a doubt, these are good things to make positive progress in our lives.

But, in making our resolutions, let us not forget about the most important thing to improve in our lives: our spirituality. As Christians, we should always be striving to be growing closer to God, reading the Bible more, increasing in service, and becoming more mature in the faith. Improving our spirituality will also help us to improve anything else we wish to implement into our lives.

Interestingly, Jesus mentioned all of these areas when asked what was the greatest commandment. He mentioned them in connection with our relationship to God. We read it in Mark 12:30, "And you shall love the LORD your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength." Notice how we are to love God with our all-mind, body, heart, and soul. So, it makes sense that we would always want to improve ourselves in all of these areas.

Yes, let us resolve to involve every aspect of our lives in loving, honoring, serving, and praising God, and not just at the beginning of each year, but at the beginning of each and every day.

Even though given to the Israelites, Deuteronomy 10:12-13 should still inspire our resolve to involve our all in our relationship with God: "And now...what does the LORD your God require of you, but to fear the LORD your God, to walk in all His ways and to love Him, to serve the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul, and to keep the commandments of the LORD...?"



Vernon Chodrick (Tucker Fuxa's grandfather)....He has covid. Lisa Mitchell (Sister of Jeff Watkins)......She is home now. Lynda Malaska......She will have an aspiration biopsy on a thyroid nodule next Monday, January 8<sup>th</sup>.

<u>Misty Walker (Sister-in-law of Bill David)</u>...It is not cancer in her colon, it is a large hernia.

Kathy Wade (Aunt of the Walker's daughter-in-law)...She is continuing to deteriorate.

#### PLEASE CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR:

Yee Know Lee Eldon Gritz Leatha Summers Chris Strate Lucille Wilder Tina Wilder Nancy Thomas (Sister of Polly Watkins) Shannon Mayfield (Mother of Megan) Mike Goodpasture (Cousin of Dan Biby)

#### **DECEMBER**

31st 7 pm, Evening services \*\* Please NOTE the time change! \*\* 8 pm, New Year's Eve party

#### **JANUARY**

3rd 5:30-6:30, Mid-Week Boost meal

7<sup>th</sup> 3:30 pm, Hearts in Harmony Annual Meeting — For all ladies!

### DAYS IN GOD'S WORD (Dec 17 - Dec 24) Number of days: 158 Slips turned in: 28



# MAKING DISCIPLES OF ALL NATIONS

## OUR RECORDS

Week of December 24, 2023	
Bible Class	49
AM Worship	74
PM Worship	
Contribution	
Wed PM	

## **MISSIONS WE SUPPORT:**

Elio Vergara - Panama
Andrew Boyle - Memphis School of Preaching
Jonathan Crowell - World Bible Institute
Ariana Crowell - Wales
Re'Elle Crowell - Ecuador & New Zealand

Garriott Road Prison Ministry
In SEARCH of the Lord's Way
Lariat Creek Christian Camp
Future Teacher Training Camp

## ORDER OF WORSHIP - Dec 31, 2023

AM ANNOUNCEMENTS - Tim Rehmel ELDER WELCOME/PRAYER - Greg Waide Rev. 22:10-21

### **SONGLEADER - Greyson Waide**

- 181 Bless the Name Of Jesus
- 682 Change My Heart, O God
- 716 Sing To Me Of Heaven
- 722 Let the Beauty Of Jesus Be Seen
- 567 Restore My Soul

SCRIPTURE/PRAYER - Frosty Munsell Ezekiel 37:1-14

LESSON - Tucker Fuxa
"God Will Restore His People"

- 903 There's Power In the Blood
- 464 Because He Lives

LORD'S SUPPER - Bill David Walker

882 No Tears In Heaven

**CLOSING PRAYER - Roger Gaddie** 

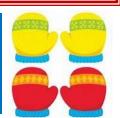
7:00 PM - SPECIAL DEVOTIONAL

#### **WEEKLY MID-WEEK BOOST MEAL**

\$5 per adult; \$3 per child (12 & under); \$20 family maximum

THIS WEEK'S MENU (Jan 3rd):

**Delicious Taco Salad** 



# POWERFUL PRAYER WARRIORS,



Please pray specifically for these three students this week:

#### ABBY CROCKETT

Daughter of John & Carri Crockett

#### FORREST MUNSELL

Grandson of Frosty & June Munsell

### **BAILEY BLAIR**

Granddaughter of Lynda Malaska

## VERSES OF THE WEEK: Rev. 22:12-13

"Behold, I am coming quickly, and My reward [is] with Me, to render to every man according to what he has done. I am the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end."

Ladies, if you coordinated a Hearts in Harmony ministry during 2023, please complete the evaluation form found in your binder and return the binder to the office ASAP!



# Bible Reading Schedule:

Dec 31 Revelation 20-22

# **CARE & SHARE:**

**Pat Monsees** 

## NEXT SUNDAY

Hearts in Harmony
Annual Meeting
For all ladies of the congregation

3:30 pm, Fellowship Hall

Ministry reports from 2023 will be read, and 2024 coordinators will be announced. There will be snacks!

# **SUNDAY PM SCHEDULE:**

TONIGHT Special Devotional @ 7 pm

Jan 7<sup>th</sup> Ray Rose (1 & 2 Peter)
Jan 14<sup>th</sup> Greg Waide (1,2,3 John/Jude)

Jan 21<sup>st</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday Singing

Jan 28<sup>th</sup> Doug Boyle (Revelation)

TUESDAY,
Dwayne McLerran!

TUESDAY,

Margaret McLerran!



WEDNESDAY,
Marsha Nichols!

FRIDAY,

Darrell Senters!

## **OUR SHUT-INS:**

Virgie Lee, The Commons, Rm 305
Sue Mathis, The Commons, Rm 106
Zane Johnston, Tennyson Manor, Apt 7
Ken Strever, Garland Rd Nursing & Rehab Ctr, Rm 521-B