

~Prayer~

Specific Requests

Man of Sincerity – Chris Alderton  
Government – Vice President Pence  
Church Elder – Dave Haag  
Church Deacon – Jay Rafferty  
Church Volunteer – Carrie Burkett  
Church Family – Steve & Cindy Manns  
Career/College – Cassie Burkett  
Fruit of the Spirit – Love  
Missionary – Alyssa Cooper & Family  
Specific Needs – Anna Yoke, David Ellinger,  
Kaylee Fritsch

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January Birthdays & Anniversaries

1 ... Tara Burns, Rod McDowell  
2 ... Pat Berger  
6 ... Linda Rafferty  
11 ... Jamie Thrush  
24 ... Amy McCombs  
27 ... Greg Burns, Brandi Rafferty  
31 ... Tammy Felmlee

Song of the Month

The Lord is my Salvation

~[Verse:1]~

The grace of God has reached for me,  
And pulled me from the raging sea.  
And I am safe on this solid ground:  
The Lord is my salvation.

~[Verse:2]~

I will not fear when darkness falls,  
His strength will help me scale these walls.  
I'll see the dawn of the rising sun:  
The Lord is my salvation.

~[Chorus:1]~

Who is like the Lord our God?  
Strong to save, faithful in love.  
My debt is paid and the victory won:  
The Lord is my salvation.

~[Verse:3]~

My hope is hidden in the Lord,  
He flow'rs each promise of His Word.  
When winter fades,  
I know spring will come:  
The Lord is my salvation.

~[Verse:4]~

In times of waiting, times of need,  
When I know loss, when I am weak.  
I know His grace will renew these days:  
The Lord is my salvation.

~[Chorus 1]~

~[Verse:5]~

And when I reach my final day,  
He will not leave me in the grave.  
But I will rise, He will call me home:  
The Lord is my salvation.

~[Chorus 1]~

~[Bridge:1 Sing Twice]~

Glory be to God, the Father,  
Glory be to God, the Son,  
Glory be to God, the Spirit;  
The Lord is our salvation.

~[Bridge:2]~

The Lord is our salvation,  
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Announcements  
& Upcoming Events

**January 26th**

Senior Samaritans will meet at the church!

**February 1st**

We will be starting the next 33 Series book with the youth men during refresh. Any youth or parents who would like to preview the material or have questions can feel free to contact Chad.

**February 4th**

Valentine Dinner at 5pm  
Sign up on table in foyer!

Volleyball began this past Friday night! We had a lot of fun, laughter, & crazy volleys! We didn't win...but there's always next time! Come and play or cheer the team on! We play Friday nights (times vary).

If you don't see the greatness of God then all the things that money can buy become very exciting. If you can't see the sun you will be impressed with a street light. If you've never felt thunder and lightning you'll be impressed with fireworks. And if you turn your back on the greatness and majesty of God you'll fall in love with a world of shadows and short-lived pleasures.

~ John Piper

Reading

Through the Bible

January 22<sup>nd</sup> – January 28<sup>th</sup>

**Sunday** – Romans 7-8(Epistles)  
**Monday** – Genesis 12-15 (Law)  
**Tuesday** – Joshua 16-20 (History)  
**Wednesday** - Psalm 9-11 (Psalms)  
**Thursday** – Job 7-8 (Poetry)  
**Friday** – Isaiah 18-22 (Prophecy)  
**Saturday** – Matthew 8-10 (Gospels)



“So waiting is a holy work  
Of faith in God. Nor does there lurk  
Beneath the timing of his ways  
Some secret malice that displays  
Itself in holding back the flow  
Of future grace. God does not go  
From here to there by shortest routes;  
He makes a place for faith and doubts.  
Nor does he hasten on his way,  
But comes when it is best, today,  
Or maybe twenty years from now,  
Or more.”

– John Piper, Ruth: Under the Wings of God

