

## **November 18 Newsletter**

Happy Thanksgiving! This week is an important reminder to pause and thank the Lord for all of the blessings we have in our life. We shouldn't need a holiday to remind us to be thankful. We who are in Christ should be thankful continually. For me, as I stop and think of what God has done in my life, I have so much to be thankful for.

This year I am thankful for good health for my family. It was this time last year that my family contracted COVID-19. We were quarantined for nearly three weeks. We were unable to visit family for Thanksgiving, eating what was dropped off on our porch by Kelli's parents. Kelli could not even enjoy the meal due to having lost her taste and smell. This year I am thankful for God's hand in bringing us through that season.

I am also thankful for my church family. Though this year has been much improved with the pandemic, there have still been a significant amount of challenges and changes that we have made. Through it all, our church has remained united and focused on our mission to fulfill the Great Commission. I am thankful for you for your willingness to change and try new things, as we strive to look more like the church God has called us to be.

One of the exciting changes to our church is the addition of new choir chairs. We have roughly 40 chairs on our stage, but we now need people to fill them! I would love to see the choir loft full. Our choir is an incredible ministry of our church and we would love to have you be a part of it! If you have the desire to sing, come this Sunday at 4:30pm for practice. Come and be a part of this special group that helps lead us in worship.

I am thankful to be your pastor!

Pastor Nathan

## **Sunday's Worship Guide**

The Gospel Of Luke: Good News For All People When This World Lets Us Down; Luke 21:1-19

- I. Hold Loosely To The Things Of This World... (1-4)
- II. ...For They Will Disappoint. (5-12, 16-17)
- III. Hold Tightly To Christ, He Is Enough! (13-15, 18-19)

#### Sundays

9:00 AM: Worship Service & Sunday School 10:30 AM: Worship Service & Sunday School

#### **Sunday Evenings**

4:30 PM: Choir Practice

6:00 PM: Youth Ministry, Children's Ministry

#### **Mondays**

11:00 AM: Grief Care Class

#### **Tuesdays**

7:00 AM: Men's Bible Study at Bob Evans

6:00 PM: Celebrate Recovery

#### Wednesdays

10:00 AM: No Prayer Meeting Nov 2411:00 AM: No Ladies Bible Study Nov 24

#### **Thursdays**

10:00 AM: No Faith Class This Week

#### **Upcoming Schedule**

#### Sunday, November 21

9 &10:30 AM: Lord's Supper

#### Sunday, November 28

NO EVENING SERVICES or ACTIVITIES

#### Friday, December 10

6:00 PM: Birthday Party for Jesus

### Wednesday, December 15

6:00 PM: Caroling

#### Friday, December 17

6:00 PM: Brookgreen Gardens

#### Sunday, December 19

6:00 PM: Candlelight Service

#### Sunday, December 26

10:00 AM: Combined Service, No Sunday School or

**Evening Activities** 



Wednesday December 15th at 6:00pm

We will be sharing the joy of Christmas through song with our homebound members. Following caroling, join us for some festive treats back in the Fellowship Hall!





# **Angel Tree Is Ready**

It's easy to put a smile on a face of a child in need this Christmas. Our Angel tree set up in the church lobby. We have 13 children and a total of 99 angels on the tree. It's simple! Just pick your Angel(s), purchase the item(s) listed, and return the unwrapped gift to the office by Sunday, December 12. We appreciate your participation of spreading the love of Jesus and please remember to pray for your Angel.

## **Wednesday Morning Prayer Meetings**

Prayer meeting will be held in the Fellowship Hall each Wednesday SAME TIME, JUST DIFFERENT LOCATION!

10:00 AM

#### BROOKGREEN GARDENS NIGHT OF A THOUSAND CANDLES...

Join us at Brookgreen Gardens on December 17th to enjoy the lights! Tickets are \$24 for adults, kids 3-12 are \$12 and kids under 3 are FREE but still need a ticket. We are booked as a group, so payments need to be made to the church office by November 28th.



# Come and Celebrate God's Greatest Gift ~Jesus

December 10th
6 PM
FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY
Bible Story, Games, Music, & Prizes



FOR NEW & PROSPECTIVE MEMBERS

Sunday, December 12th 11:45 AM in the Fellowship Hall

Call the church office to order lunch & reserve your spot!