## 2020 With God We Can

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Advocate			Beloved			Faithful	

Lord

Friend

**Omega** 

**Peace Priest** Savior

## **Victor**



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## **SCHEDULE**

#### Sunday

Bible Classes for all ages 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship 5:00 p.m.

Tuesday

Ladies Prayer Service 12:00 p.m.

Wednesday

Bible Classes for all ages

6:30 p.m.

# ELDERS, DEACONS AND STAFF

Elders	Deacon

Eric Bliss 757-6338 Martin Casev 729-0261 Dale Donaghe 315-4847 Dave Gastellum 757-7092

#### The Elders meet on Sunday morning before services

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# **OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE**

Nursery Attendant	Bible Hour
N/A	N/A
ELDER FOR DEC.	Dale Donaghe
LADIES COMMITTEE FOR DEC.	Shelli Donald

# Week of December 27th

Bible Class AM Worship PM Worship Wed. Class Offering 44 \$2638



# JANUARY 3RD, 2021

## **Order Of Worship**

Song Leader: Jimmy Williams

Welcome......Dale Donaghe

879 Morning Has Broken 509 On Jordan's Stormy Banks

Prayer.....Bob Donald

484 O Sacred Head

Lord's Supper.....Ryan Bliss

852 Freely, Freely

Offering......Gabe Falcon

77 Breathe On Me Breath Of God

Scripture Reading......Dale Donaghe

Morning Service.....

612 Take My Life And Let It Be 863 I Love You With The Love Of The Lord

Closing Prayer......Cliff Downing

PM Service.....Not at this time

# WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK Jan 3rd. Worship @ 10:30 AM Buzz House & Ethel Johnson's birthday 6th Wednesday evening class available online 8th Carol Quesnel's birthday



Carol's Pantry is available to those in need.

#### PRAYER IS IMPORTANT

- -Mary Conners went home to be with the Lord New Year's Eve shortly after 8PM. Please keep her family in your prayers as they adjust to life without her.
- **-Bob & Jinny Donald's** neighbor **Doug** passed away early New Year's day following struggles with a stroke and cancer. Please keep his family in your prayers.
- -Please keep **Roy, Drew** & his girlfriend **Erica** in your prayers. **Erica** tested positive for COVID19 and both **Drew** & **Roy** have been sick this week and were tested yesterday.
- -Prayers for **Dennis Grimm** were answered! He is feeling much better.
- **-Ethel Johnson** is doing better from her fall. Please keep her in your prayers as she heals and deals with the pain.
- -Jerry Kendall's shot has been pushed to the end of January. Please keep him & Judy in your prayers. Hopefully this will work to set him up to be able to have the other surgeries he needs.
- **-Shawn Johnson** had surgery New Years eve day in LA. All went well. He will go back in two weeks for a follow up. Please keep him and the family in your prayers as he recovers from this latest health challenge.
- -Please remember those traveling, i.e. **the Gastellum's** and many others.

## THOUGHT FOR TODAY

Fear is the glue that keeps you stuck. Faith is the solvent that sets you free.

## SCRIPTURE FOR TODAY

So then faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the word of God. ~Romans 10:17

#### **ENCOURAGING WORDS**

#### **Resolution or Commitment?**

Turning to a new calendar year leaves us feeling hopeful of better things. Everyone seems to be talking about how good it will be to leave 2020 behind. If only it were as easy as that. Actually, there are likely many good things we might recall about the past year, if only we took the time to count our blessings. But, this is a time when people talk about moving forward and many of us are likely consider changes for the year ahead. The idea of making a New Year's resolution is viewed quite negatively in the eyes of many, likely because such resolutions are so often made and so frequently forgotten.

A resolution is a "firm determination...the act of resolving to do something." If made without firm <u>determination</u>, resolutions become little more than promises made to be broken. These are not resolutions at all, but wishful thinking or a good intention. Perhaps, <u>commitment</u> is a better word. A commitment is "a pledge to do something....The state of being bound emotionally or intellectually to some course of action...."

Whether we call it resolution or commitment, the Christian's life is marked by new beginnings—changes in attitude and performance that lead us in the direction of spiritual growth. Spiritual renewal is a daily part of Christian living. The apostle Paul said that the inward man is "being renewed day by day" (2 Cor. 4:16). Every Christian must take an active part in daily renewal. This includes a firm determination and pledge to put away the old man of sin and live for righteousness. Although this is easier said than done; it can be accomplished with the help of Jesus (Ph. 4:13). However, the first step is often the most difficult. An Old Chinese proverb tells us that a journey of a thousand miles begins with a single step. Whether we call it a resolution or a commitment, the important thing is to get started on the journey that leads us closer and closer to Jesus. As we enter into another year, let us not think of all the steps which must be taken, but consider those steps which must be taken today to make this year a new beginning to the glory of God, our Creator.

R. Senior