

**2021  
Stronger Than Ever**

**The Christian's Mirror**  
James 1:22-25

**The Mirror of God's Word**

- It's \_\_\_\_\_ - 2Cor. 5:9-10
- *You will see \_\_\_\_\_ yourself.*
- It's \_\_\_\_\_ - 2Tim. 3:16-17
- *Shows things that would otherwise be \_\_\_\_\_ to you.*
- It's \_\_\_\_\_ - Matt. 4:3-4
- *Imagine what you might look like if you didn't look at \_\_\_\_\_ in the mirror.*
- It's \_\_\_\_\_ - Heb. 4:12-13
- *The mirror cannot \_\_\_\_\_; it can only \_\_\_\_\_*

**The Mirror of Our Relationships**

- Love \_\_\_\_\_ - Mk. 12:30
- *Putting the Lord first in our lives is the most important \_\_\_\_\_ we could ever make.*
- Love Your \_\_\_\_\_ - Mk. 12:3; Rom. 13:9
- *Love your neighbors as \_\_\_\_\_ as yourselves.*
- Love \_\_\_\_\_ Husband and Wife - Gen. 2:24; Mk. 10:9
- *"For as long as they both shall \_\_\_\_\_."*
- Love for \_\_\_\_\_ - Jn. 13:34-35
- *The love of God \_\_\_\_\_ us together.*
- Love for the \_\_\_\_\_ - Matt. 28:19-20
- *God wants no one to suffer \_\_\_\_\_ punishment.*

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**SCHEDULE**

<b>Sunday</b>	
Bible Classes for all ages	9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship	10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship	5:00 p.m.
<b>Tuesday</b>	
Ladies Prayer Service	12:00 p.m.
<b>Wednesday</b>	
Bible Classes for all ages	6:30 p.m.

**ELDERS AND STAFF**

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

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**OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE**

Bible Hour  
Tracy Bower

ELDER FOR November	Eric Bliss
LADIES COMMITTEE FOR November	Shannon Cottam

**WEEK OF NOVEMBER 7TH, 2021**

Bible Class	AM Worship	PM Worship	Wed. Class	Offering
29	47	21	22	\$3826



**NOVEMBER 14TH 2021**

**Order Of Worship**

Song Leader: Jimmy Williams

Welcome.....Eric Bliss

231 Hilltops Of Glory  
738 We Will Glorify The King Of Kings

Prayer.....Kevin Thompson

924 I Am Mine No More

Lord's Supper.....Jerry Hopkins

184 God Is The Fountain Whence

Offering.....Bob Murray

977 The Battle Belongs To The Lord

Scripture Reading.....Jimmy Williams

Morning Service."The Christian's Mirror"..with Roy Senior

380 Just As I Am  
679 They'll Know We Are Christians By Our Love

Closing Prayer.....David House

Going Away for David & Kim following morning services

### WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK

**Nov 14th** Morning Class @ 9:30 AM  
 Worship @ 10:30 AM  
 Going Away Celebration for David & Kim Senior

**17th** Wednesday Evening Service @ 6:30 PM

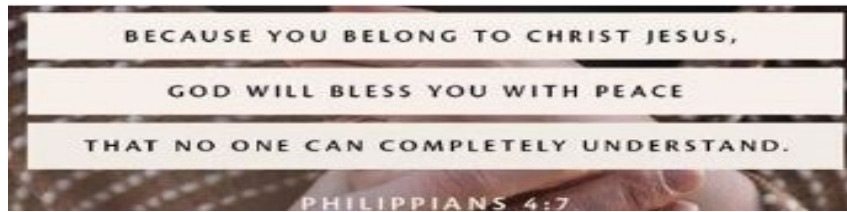
**20th** Men's Breakfast @ 8:30 AM  
 Shannon Cottam's birthday

### FAREWELL PARTY

Today we are celebrating David & Kim Senior and the many years of service they have dedicated to this congregation and the surrounding community. We are so excited for them but will miss them terribly. Until we meet again!  
 Lunch and dessert will be provided. Please stay and visit and wish them well on their new adventure!

### WELCOME

Welcome to Cory & Amber Chafin! They are new to our area and Cory will be in training @ Vandenberg for several months. Please take a minute and welcome them into our family here in Lompoc.



### THOUGHT FOR TODAY

In prayerful silence you must look into your own heart. No one can tell you better than yourself what comes between you and God. Ask yourself. Then - Listen!

### SCRIPTURE FOR TODAY

But the LORD is in His Holy Temple. Let all the earth hush and be silent before Him. ~ Habakkuk 2:20

### PRAYER IS IMPORTANT

-Please continue to keep **Dorothy** in your prayers. **She** is slowly improving at Cottage hospital. Keep **Bill** in your prayers as he travels back & forth to be with her.

-**Pauline Bamberg** passed away Wednesday. **Mike Cottam** received a message from **Ron** letting us know. Please keep the Bamberg family in your prayers.

-Please keep the family of **Steve Orundo** of the **Paso Robles Church of Christ** in your prayers. He passed away yesterday from complications to COVID19. His wife has been hospitalized as well with the virus. Please remember her as well.

-**Carol Quesnel** asked for prayers. She had some tests run this past week and is awaiting the results. Please remember her at this time.

-**Bob Murray** will have surgery this Friday, November 16th to remove a tumor he has on his kidney. Please keep he & **Robin** in your prayers as he goes through this and recovers after.

-**Rene' Jones, Cheryl Bliss's friend**, is undergoing further treatments for her cancer. please keep her in your prayers through this.

-**Lynn Nothstein's son Shane** had his follow-up appointment this past week. The doctor recommended he stay out of work 2 more weeks. Please continue to pray for him & his recovery.

-**Kim Passmore, David Gastellum & Cheryl Bliss's** cousin continues to battle her cancer. Please keep her & her family in your prayers.

-**Shawn B Johnson's friend Crystal's** husband **Edward** took a turn for the worst this past week and succumbed to his COVID 19 diagnosis and complications from it late Monday evening. Please remember the **Madrigal** family in their time of loss.

-**Rick Ibarra, Alora's** son & Mike Cottam's nephew started his Chemo treatments this past Monday. Please keep him in your prayers as well as **Alora** as he receives treatments to battle his cancer.

-Please continue to keep **Cliff Downing's** sister **Fran** in your prayers. She remains on a ventilator & still fighting. Please keep her & the family in your prayers as well.

-Please continue to keep **Judith Scharnagel** in your prayers. She is home for a couple weeks & will be traveling to **Karen's** for the Thanksgiving holiday.

-Please keep the **San Luis Obispo Church of Christ** in your prayers as they have decided to sell their building. Pray they find something suitable to worship in that fits their needs.

### ENCOURAGING WORDS

#### The Art of Truth Spinning

Spinning truth and promoting a false narrative is a concept that has been around a long time. We used to call it deception and lying. "The serpent said to the woman, *'You surely will not die! For God knows that in the day you eat from it your eyes will be opened, and you will be like God, knowing good and evil'*" (**Gen. 3:4-5**). Satan was spinning the truth and selling a false narrative. He was insinuating that God was oppressing Eve and keeping knowledge from her and Adam. By eating of the tree, they would be woke enough to know the difference between good and evil. What he failed to mention was the responsibility to always choose good and never do evil.

In our lives there are a lot of false narratives being spun around us. That sin is good, you should tolerate it. That there is more than one race. That there are more than two genders. That government can fix everything. That believing anything other than their narrative is neanderthal thinking. We must be logical and Biblical thinkers to see these spins and help others see them also. *"Let no man deceive himself. If any man among you thinks that he is wise in this age, he must become foolish, so that he may become wise."* (**1 Cor. 3:18**). *"Because the foolishness of God is wiser than men, and the weakness of God is stronger than men."* (**1 Cor. 1:25**) Only in God's wisdom can we see through the lies and deception and a part of that involves seeing what the real threat and battle is about. It is not about political or national issues, but it is about sin and righteousness. The fight is for souls!

Satan spun truth to deceive Adam and Eve, and it led to sin entering the world. He thought he was doing it again with the crucifixion of the Christ, however, it led to salvation for man and destruction for Satan. There is comfort in knowing that with all that is happening in the world, God **is** and **always will be** in control!