

**2024**  
**UNITED TOGETHER WITH CHRIST**

**Always Be Prepared**  
Philippians 4:9-13

**PAUL WAS CONTENT WITH HIS \_\_\_\_\_.**  
(2 Cor. 8:9; 1 Tim. 6:6-7)

- Discontentment is a \_\_\_\_\_ of the soul –
- Contentment is not getting what you want, but wanting what you already \_\_\_\_\_! (Psa. 23:1)

**God \_\_\_\_\_ What You Don't Have** (vs. 19)

- We fear because we think our needs will not be \_\_\_\_\_. (Psa. 37:25; Matt. 6:25-26)
- God will supply what we need and \_\_\_\_\_ have. (Matt. 6:11)

**God \_\_\_\_\_ What You Already Have**  
(Psa. 55:22)

- God can take what you already have and make it go \_\_\_\_\_ than you ever dreamed. (1 Kings 17:15)

**God \_\_\_\_\_ What You Can't Have** (Heb. 13:5)

- God has given us grace and \_\_\_\_\_ about what we can't have.

**PAUL WAS \_\_\_\_\_ WITH HIS PROBLEMS**  
(vs.12)

- "Work Together" term used for "mixing together all the right \_\_\_\_\_" (Rom. 8:28)
- The \_\_\_\_\_ things of life. (Gen. 50:20; 2 Cor. 4:15)

**PAUL WAS \_\_\_\_\_ WITH HIS POSITION**  
(vs.13; 2Tim. 1:2)

- Our \_\_\_\_\_ is sure (1 Cor. 3:10-11)
- Our \_\_\_\_\_ is steadfast (Rom. 8:38-39)
- Our \_\_\_\_\_ is secure (Heb. 6:18-20)

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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.

**Wednesday**  
Bible Classes for all ages 6:30 p.m.

**ELDERS AND STAFF**

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**OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE**

Bible Hour  
Kim Bower

ELDER for Jan.	Eric Bliss
LADIES COMMITTEE for Jan.	Ann Thompson



**JANUARY 7TH, 2024**

**Order Of Worship**

Song Leader: Russell Capshaw

Welcome.....Dale Donaghe

531 Praise The Lord  
929 Glorify Your Name

Prayer.....David House

916 Come Share The Lord

Lord's Supper.....Mike Cottam

687 'Tis So Sweet To Trust In Jesus

Offering.....Brian Donaghe

350 Jesus, Hold My Hand

Scripture Reading.....Shawn Johnson

Morning Service..."Always Be Prepared" ...with Roy Senior

179 God Is Calling The Prodigal  
170 God Be With You

Closing Prayer.....Buzz House

Prayers & Song Worship.....5 PM

**PRAYER IS IMPORTANT**

**ENCOURAGING WORDS**

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK	
<b>Jan. 7th</b>	Morning Class @ 9:30 AM Worship @ 10:30 AM Prayer & Song Worship @ 5 PM
9th	Audrianna Weidman's birthday
10th	Evening Service @ 6:30 PM
13th	Men's Breakfast @ Tom's @ 8:30 AM Sharon Donaghe's birthday



**JANUARY CALENDARS & THOSE WHO SERVE ARE AVAILABLE ON THE BACK TABLE**

**THOUGHT FOR TODAY**

In a society that has you counting money, pounds, calories and steps, be a rebel and count your blessings instead.

**SCRIPTURE FOR TODAY**

*Many, LORD my God, are the wonders You have done, the things You planned for us. None can compare with You; were I to speak and tell of Your deeds, they would be too many to declare! ~ Psalm 40:5*

-**Pam Mathos** spent some time in Lompoc ER & in room 226A over the holidays but is now home recuperating. Please keep her & the family in your prayers.

-**Sharon Donaghe's** dad **Robert Summers** remains in Cottage hospital battling pneumonia. Please keep him & they family in your prayers. Also, continued prayers for **Dale's** sister **Patty** & her husband, both are in need of prayers for medical conditions. Also, prayers for the **Donaghe** family as **Dale** lost his nephew **Marty** this past week.

-**Imelda Hershberger**, a former member here, asked for prayers for her sister **Blanca**, involved in a divorce & custody battle for the children. Please keep her & the extended family in your prayers.

-Please keep **Sandy Hopkins** in your prayers as she continues to have problems following her recent hand surgery.

-Please keep **Bob Murray** in your prayers following his most recent CAT scan & results. Prayers that the results will be good moving forward.

-**Russell Capshaw** asked for prayers for his son **Charles**. God knows what he needs.

-**Shannon Cottam** asked that we keep **Shelley Lane** in our prayers. She is having some complications following her surgery & it is postponing treatment & changing the timeline of her completion to move on to her next surgery.

-Please continue to keep **Bob & Jinny Donald** in your prayers as **Bob** deals with the results of his shingles. Also, keep **Jinny** in your prayers as she has her own challenges with her knees.

-Please continue to keep **David Senior's** friend **Zach** in your prayers following the auto accident he was involved in.

-Please keep **Terry & Maureen** in your prayers. They are both battling cancer. Also, keep **Sheila** in your prayers as she is the caregiver for both of them. They are family of **Lynn Nothstein's** sister-in-law **Jill**.

-**Lynn & Shelli** ask for continued prayers for their coworker **Amanda**. She came through surgery well but has a ways to go for healing.

**Oh, Those Priorities!**  
It's now the 7<sup>th</sup> of January, and 2023 has been torn off our calendars and discarded forever. I say that only to suggest that now, or any time for that matter, might be a good time to pause for a moment and consider how we are spending our time as God's people. Here are some healthy suggestions....

**Maintain a healthy diet.** If your physical body requires three meals a day and occasional snacks, how can your soul survive on any less? *Like newborn babies, crave pure spiritual milk, so that by it you may grow up in your salvation.* (1 Pet. 2:2). Spiritual growth can only come by feasting on the spiritual food of God's Word!

**Spend time with the Great Physician.** You don't have to make an appointment or sit in a waiting room. Simply, *"in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God"* (Phil. 4:6).

**Stay active.** To maintain spiritual fitness, a child of God must be *"always abounding in the work of the Lord"* (1 Cor. 15:58). Don't be a spiritual couch potato this year. Work for the Lord!

**Think on righteousness and godliness.** Medical professionals tout "the power of positive thinking" in the lives of their patients, and so does the Great Physician. *"Whatever is true, whatever is noble, whatever is right, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is admirable—if anything is excellent or praiseworthy—think about such things.* (Phil. 4:8). Aim to have spiritually healthy thoughts.

**Quit bad habits.** As there are some habits that will cut your physical life short, there are some habits that will cost you an eternity in heaven. *"Dear friends, I urge you, as foreigners and exiles, to abstain from sinful desires, which wage war against your soul.* (1 Pet. 2:11).

Incorporating these things into our lives will ensure a spiritually healthier you!