2024

United together with christ

Our All-In-All

2Peter 1:1-4

"God has granted to us everything we need for life and godliness through knowing Christ and trusting in His all-sufficient promises."

Go	od Provides His	_ Resources -	
•	God grants us everything pertaini	ng to	
	and godliness.		
	(Gal. 4:14; Eph. 2:1-3; 1 Jn. 5:11-1	2;	
	2 Tim. 3:16-17)		
•	He has given us through His	:	
	*How to deal with a		
	*How to work through		
	*How to manage our		
	*How to handle our		
	*How to gain wisdom for every		
	in life –		
	od's ALL-Sufficient Resources are	Contained in	
Hi	s	6.1.1	
•	He has given to us a faith – (vs. 1)		
•	He has given to us all things pertaining to life		
	and (1:3)		
•	He has given us grea	at and precious	
	promises – (1:4)		
•	He has given us an from	=	
	of this world – (1:4; Col. 1:13; 1Pe		
•	God's precious and magnificent promises cause		
	us to become of the	Divine Nature.	
	(1:4; 2Cor. 1:20)		

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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 Shawn B Johnson

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





JANUARY 14TH, 2024

Order Of Worship

Song Leader: Ryan Bliss

Welcome.....Eric Bliss

841 Sing And Be Happy 784 Why Did My Savior Come To Earth

Prayer.....Kevin Thompson

380 Just As I Am

Lord's Supper.....Dale Brand

442 My Faith Looks Up To Thee

Offering.....Bob Murray

300 I Will Sing Of My Redeemer

Scripture Reading......Dave Gastellum

Morning Service......"Our All-In-All".....with Roy Senior

886 Sing Hallelujah To The Lord 839 When All Of God's Singers Get Home

Closing Prayer.....Brian Donaghe

Evening Worship......5 PM

	WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK
Jan. 14th	Morning Class @ 9:30 AM
	Worship @ 10:30 AM
	Evening Worship @ 5 PM
16th	Beth-Annie Capshaw's birthday
17th	Evening Service @ 6:30 PM
18th	George Moll's birthday
20th	Men's Breakfast @ Tom's @ 8:30 AM

MONTHLY POTLUCK NEXT SUNDAY

Our monthly potluck is next Sunday the 21st. If you have any questions please see Ann Thompson. A short devo will follow and conclude our worship for the day. If you have any questions, please see one of the Elders.

BRIDGE HOUSE SIGN-UPS

The Bridge House sign-up sheets are in the foyer for the meal to be served 1/27/24. please take a moment to review the list and see how you can help.

SAVE THE DATE

Save the date for the Ladies Luncheon to be held 2/10/24 from 12-2PM @ Lynn Nothstein's home.

More details to follow.

THOUGHT FOR TODAY

In their own way, problems can be blessings. They can be the prod to get us out of our complacency and into action.

SCRIPTURE FOR TODAY

Consider it pure joy, my brothers and sisters, whenever you face trials of many kinds, because you know that the testing of your faith produces perseverance. Let perseverance finish its work so that you may be mature and complete, not lacking anything. ~ James 1:2-4

PRAYER IS IMPORTANT

- -Sharon Donaghe's dad Robert Summers, had surgery last Sunday on his foot but it wasn't as successful as they'd hoped. He is doing some better & hopes to come home Tuesday or Wednesday but will go on hospice care. Please continue to keep Robert & the extended family in your prayers. Also, keep Danny Donaghe in your prayers following his trip up north for a checkup.
- -Welcome to **Bob & Billie Jean Chadwick!** They placed membership last Sunday & we are excited to start working with them in God's work here in Lompoc!
- **-Pam Mathos** is home but is still dealing with back pain & high blood pressure. Please keep her & the family in your prayers.
- **-Bob Donald** would like to thank everyone for the prayers grams & kind thoughts he has received over the last few weeks while he battles the shingles.
- -Prayers for **Roy Senior** as he has back surgery this Thursday, the 18th. He will be away from us for the next 3 Sundays. Prayers for a swift recovery & resolution of pain.
- -Please keep **Laura Crownover's** sister **Ruthie** in your prayers. Her surgery was postponed until the first week in February. Once she is healed, she will have another surgery. Please keep **Laura**, **Linda & Ruthie** in your prayers as they work together to take care of each other.
- -Ann Thompson asked for prayers for Kevin as he deals with hip & knee pain. The cortisone shots haven't worked for him. Prayers for relief of pain.
- **-Shawn B Johnson** asked for prayers for her children & their spiritual health. She prays daily for each of them to know God to His fullest & depend on Him for everything!

ENCOURAGING WORDS

"The Truth" is a teacher!

More than 60 times in the New Testament the definite article "the" (This word "**The"** is considered as a definite article because it is used to refer to something specific) is found before the word "truth," to emphasize the single, absolute and distinctive nature of Divine truth. The plural form of "truths" is never found in Scripture, which again would seem to be God's way of emphasizing the single, absolute and distinctive nature of Divine truth. Let's examine what we can learn about "the truth" from the usage of that expression in the New Testament.

Through the work and guidance of the Holy Spirit, "all the truth" has been given to us in Scripture (John 16:13). Knowing that we can trust it (for, it is "the truth") and knowing that we are not missing anything God intended for us to have (for, it is "ALL the truth"), we must come to Scripture with the utmost respect.

First, consider that there are devastating ways in which man may respond to "the truth." Scripture affirms that "the truth" can be (but should not be) "suppressed," "exchanged for the lie," "rejected," "withheld," "opposed," "turned from" and "lied against" (Jas. 3:14). May God help us to never treat "the truth" or act toward "the truth" in these ways!

Even more so, Scripture makes it very clear that "the truth" can and needs to dwell or abide in us. "The truth" can be and needs to be "heard," "known, "believed" and "obeyed." When we respond properly to "the truth," Scripture reveals the power of the single, absolute and distinctive truth. It "makes us free," "sanctifies," "purifies" and "testifies" of our faithfulness as we comply (3 John 12).

There is much for us to learn from and about "the truth." May we always be reminded that apart from Jesus, who is "the truth" (John 14:6), there is no truth! His truth is not relative or multiple choice! It is absolute and powerful!

R. Senior