

***Congregation Invited to Stand if Able**

Prelude (a call to silent meditation) Nehemiah 8: 1-3
“All the people gathered as one and asked Ezra to read from the book of the law of Moses. And he read from it in the presence of the men and women and those who could understand; and the ears of all the people were attentive to the book of the law.”

THE LIGHT OF JESUS COMING INTO OUR PRESENCE

Processional/Introit “Open My Eyes, That I May See” (hymn #486)

GREETINGS, WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: “The heavens are telling the glory of God; and the firmament proclaims His handiwork.”

People: “**The law of the LORD is perfect, reviving the soul; the testimony of the LORD is sure, making wise the simple.**”

Leader: “The precepts of the LORD are right, rejoicing the heart; the commandment of the LORD is pure, enlightening the eyes.”

People: “**The fear of the LORD is clean, enduring forever; the ordinances of the LORD are true, and righteous altogether.**”

Leader: “Moreover by them is thy servant warned; in keeping them there is great reward.”

People: “**Let the word of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in Thy sight, O LORD, my rock and my redeemer.**”

***Hymn of Praise** “Open The Eyes Of My Heart” #screen

***OPENING PRAYER**

O God, You sent Your son into the world to proclaim Your forgiving love for mankind. You have sent Your WORD to guide us on our spiritual journey. Help us to let go of our sins and to open our hearts and minds to Your truth, so that we can truly love others. May we live always in the light of Your love! This we pray saying...Our Father, who art in heaven...AMEN.

***LORD’S PRAYER “using debts”**

***“Gloria Patri” #142**

CALL TO PRAYER

Prayer Hymn “They’ll Know We Are Christians By Our Love” #677
Silent Prayers, Quiet Music, and Morning Prayer
Response “Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus” (hymn #621)

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD’S SUPPER

Invitation to partake of the Holy Communion
Communion Hymn “We Come As Guests Invited” #Chalice #386
Sharing of the Lord’s Supper

OFFERING OF TITHES AND GIFTS

Offertory Meditation 1 Corinthians 12:27-31
Offertory
*“Doxology” #382
*Prayer of Dedication

SPECIAL MUSIC

“There’s Just Something About That Name” Arlen

YOUNG DISCIPLE’S

SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 4:14-21
Shirley Levings

MESSAGE

“Breaking the Chains of Imprisonment”
Eric Holmes

INVITATION

If you desire to accept Jesus Christ as your Lord and Savior, to renew your faith, or to place your membership with our church family, please come forward during this hymn.

***Invitation Hymn** “Let Jesus Come Into Your Heart” (Stz 1 & 4) #433

***Benediction**

***Recessional Hymn** “Yesterday, Today, Forever” #83

CARRYING THE LIGHT OF JESUS INTO THE WORLD

Nehemiah 8:1-3, 5-6, 8-10 Psalm 19
1 Corinthians 12:12-31 Luke 4:14-21

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PRAYER CONCERNS

New people added this week:

- Individuals in who basic needs are not met
- Pray for the men and women in the service who are not able to be with their families
- Ronnie Cragen – Covid Positive
- Diane Brooks – Covid Positive and during well
- Two-year-old granddaughter of Diane Brooks - tested positive for Covid Monday and is doing well.
- Son and Daughter-in-law of Diane Brooks (due with third child in February) - both tested negative
- Mike Brooks (husband of Diane) - history of Bone Marrow Transplant for Leukemia and heart attack has remained Covid free
- Wyatt (nephew of Dawn “Blue” Sandrock) - hospitalized
- Dave Schumaker (friend of Alvin and Nancy Seelow) – hospitalized with Covid pneumonia, on ventilator due to oxygen level was 40
- Robert and Paula Roland – Covid Positive, given antibiotic infusion
- Heartfelt sympathy to family and friends of Elma Harris (sister of Russell Walton), Robert David Stevens, and Shirley Jean (Woodhurst) Smith

We pray continued prayers of hope and healing for:

- Those dealing with cancer
- Noel Baker – recovering from a toe amputation
- Shari Bell – returned to Tri-County
- Samantha Day (friend of Glenna) – at home recovering and preparing for her next surgery
- Sophia Green – fever finally broke
- Michael Hazelwood (son of Jim and Doris Hazelwood) – diagnosed with lymphoma
- Isa Imtiaz (infant son of Christia’s cardiologist) – recovering from surgery

- Adam Jennings (husband of Christia’s oncologist nurse practitioner, Amanda) -Covid positive has pneumonia and on oxygen
- Austin Jennings (6-year son of Amanda) – Covid positive has pneumonia
- Thresa Jennings (Ray) (friends of Eric Holmes) – battling cancer, spread to bones and brain
- Shirley Knight – Covid positive she is on oxygen
- Eva Leake – recovering from hip replacement due to falling and breaking her hip
- Jill Lewellen – suffering ill effects of cancer and dehydration, was hospitalized during Christmas
- Rasheika (co-worker with Cheri) – surgery to repair a broken leg and hip the results of a car accident, will be hospitalized for a while then go into rehab
- Isaac Schumacher (3-month-old grandson of Lan Blanchard) – on medication for epilepsy induced seizures
- Jardel Stratton (friend of Arlen and Christia) – has successful had her first three chemo treatments
- Mikka Wasson – recovering from surgery

Carry-in Lunch After Church



Next Sunday's scripture is
Luke 4:21-30

January 23, 2022

Last Sunday's Attendance
January 9 --- 43
Last Month's Offering
December 2021 --- \$6,025.39
Last Month's Expenses
December 2021 --- \$7,346.87
Short --- \$1321.48

Sunday school classes will resume on February 6. There are classes available for everyone and all are welcome to attend.

There will be a Board meeting February 6 in the church office following the service.

Bulletins, newsletters, and links to the recorded church services are located on the church's website, <http://www.perrychristian.church/>

BIRTHDAYS

Jan 24	Meagan Cripe	Jan 26	Terry Davis
Jan 28	Shirley Levings	Jan 30	Luka Johnston
Jan 31	Andrew Schumacher	Feb 11	Anthony Elam
Feb 12	Carolyn Schutte	Feb 16	Mary Wasson (90)
Feb 21	Warren Hetrick	Feb 22	Candice Johnson
Feb 22	Robert Roland	Feb 25	Ethan Brown

ANNIVERSARY

Jan 24	David and Lois Swon (1969)
Jan 28	Bob and Nancy Kellstrom (1967) 55th
Feb 04	Travis and Renea Brown (2002)
Feb 14	Don and Kathy Laird (1962) 60 th
Feb 24	Jim and Terri Anderson (1979)

GREETERS

Jan 23	Tom Hurley	David Lewellen
Jan 30	Willene Asbury	Laura Cowan
Feb 06	Nancy Seelow	Alvin Seelow
Feb 13	Mary Wasson	Jim Gay

UPCOMING

Sun., Jan 23	– Carry-in Dinner after church services
Sun., Jan 30	– Worship Service @ 10:45 a.m.
Sun., Feb 06	– Sunday School @ 9:45 a.m.
Sun., Feb 06	– Worship Service @ 10:45 a.m.
Sun., Feb 06	– Board Meeting after services
Sun., Feb 13	– Worship Service @ 10:45 a.m.
Sun., Feb 13	– Board Meeting after services
Sun., Feb 30	– CWF Meeting after services

S. S. SUPERINTENDENT – Greg Harrison
MINISTER – Pulpit Supply Minister
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