

**WELCOME TO  
THE CHURCH OF THE STRAITS**

Pastor David Wallis

October 30, 2022 10:30 a.m.

*Welcome and Announcements*

*Green Prayer Cards may be filled out with your joys/prayers/concerns. Ushers will collect them during prayer time.*

\*Call to Worship on screen  
"Come Now is the Time to Worship"

\*Prayer of Confession

**Loving God, we are called to love you with all of our heart, our soul, our mind and our strength. Even that doesn't compare to the love you have for us! Thank You, in Jesus' name, Amen!** (Mark 12:30)

\*Gloria Patri #623

\*Hymn  
"O For A Thousand Tongues" #76

A Litany of Remembrance see insert

First Scripture Reading pg. 607  
Psalm 119:57-64  
Liturgist – Elizabeth Zabik

Children's Time

Sharing our Joys and Concerns  
Silent Prayer and Pastoral Prayer  
The Lord's Prayer

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.**

**Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.**

\*Affirmation of Faith in Song on Screen

"The Blessing"

Giving our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory  
Doxology #625

\*Prayer of Dedication

Second Scripture Reading pg. 1161  
Philippians 1:15-26

Sermon  
"Love in 4D – Heart!"

\*Hymn #106

"Praise Him! Praise Him!"

\*Benediction

\*Postlude in unison

*God be with you till we meet again;  
By His counsels guide, up-hold you,  
With His sheep securely fold you;  
God be with you till we meet again.*

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*Please join us for refreshments after the service in Fellowship Hall.  
Everyone is welcome*

How to become a Christian

1. **Admit to God that you have done things that oppose His desires for you.**

"For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God."

Romans 3:23

2. **Acknowledge Jesus Christ as God's only solution to your condition.**

"Jesus answered, "I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me."

John 14:6

3. **Ask God to forgive your sins and invite Jesus into your life.**

"Yet to all who received him, to those who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of God."

John 1:12

What to Pray

"Lord Jesus, I need you. Thank you for coming to earth, living an unblemished life, and dying on the cross for my sins. I open the door of my life and receive you as Savior and Lord of everything I do. Make me the kind of person you want me to be."

What to Do

Go to God in prayer daily.

Read God's word daily.

Open your life to other Christian friends.

Worship God weekly at church.

If God is speaking to you this morning and you desire to receive Jesus Christ as your Savior and Lord, or desire prayer for a particular matter, we invite you to the front of the sanctuary at the close of the service where Pastor Dave and/or others will be glad to pray and talk with you.

**THE CHURCH OF THE STRAITS STAFF**

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**Nursery is open for 1<sup>st</sup> grade and younger.**

**Liturgists in Coming Weeks:**

Nov. 6 10:30 am Julie Burnett

Nov. 13 10:30 am Sylvia Truman

Nov. 20 10:30 am Michelle Williams

Nov. 27 10:30 am Elizabeth Zabik

Sunday Worship Attendance

10/23/22 10:30 am 80

10/24/21 10:30 am 104

**Flowers:** If you wish to have flowers on the Altar for any occasion, please contact the church office at 436-8682.

**Hearing Devices** are available from the sound booth. Please turn the device off and return it to the sound booth after the service.

The Mission of The Church of the Straits  
To worship God faithfully  
To grow together spiritually  
To serve Jesus Christ and  
our neighbor joyfully  
... in the power of God's Spirit.

\* Stand if able; **Bold** = congregational response

## CHURCH CALENDAR

October 30, 2022 – November 6, 2022

<b>SUN 10-30</b>	3:00 pm	AA
	6:00 pm	Prayer Group
<b>MON 10-31</b>	2:00 pm	Women's Bible Study
	5:00 pm	Trunk or Treat
<b>TUE 11-1</b>	2:00 pm	Pinecrest
	6:30 pm	BOG
<b>WED 11-2</b>	10:00 am	Food Pantry
	12:30 pm	Bell Choir Practice
	2:00 pm	Bible Journaling
<b>THUR 11-3</b>	8:00 am	Men's Breakfast
<b>SAT 11-5</b>	9:00 am	Men's Group
<b>SUN 11-6</b>	9:30 am	Adult/Youth Sun School
	10:30 am	Traditional Worship
	3:00 pm	AA
	6:00 pm	Prayer Group

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### **Sign up Opportunities Available!**

Please see the various sign up sheets by the entryway for readings, fellowship snacks, and nursery.

**The Food Pantry will open back up**, starting Wednesday, November 2<sup>nd</sup> from 10-11 am. The Pantry will run every other Wednesday thru the winter. New faces are welcome to come and join in!!

#### **Youth Sunday School Time Change**

Starting Nov 13<sup>th</sup> Youth Sunday School will be starting after Children's time during service. See Shannon if you have any questions. Thanks.

#### **S.A.R.M Trunk or Treat**

On Monday Oct 31<sup>st</sup> come out for Trunk or Treat at the Old School Park from 5-7pm.

#### **Time Change!**

Women's Bible Study that meets on Mondays will be changing to 2pm.

**Shoeboxes are available to fill!** They need to be returned to the church by Thursday, November 17<sup>th</sup>. There is a \$10.00 cost per box for shipping. Please do not tape the boxes shut, rubber bands are fine. Remember, **NO** candy, toothpaste, gum, chocolate, food, seeds, fruit rolls, drink mixes, liquids, lotions, aerosol cans, medications, vitamins, nothing glass or breakable, no toy guns, knives, or military figures



#### **Update to Prayer Requests**

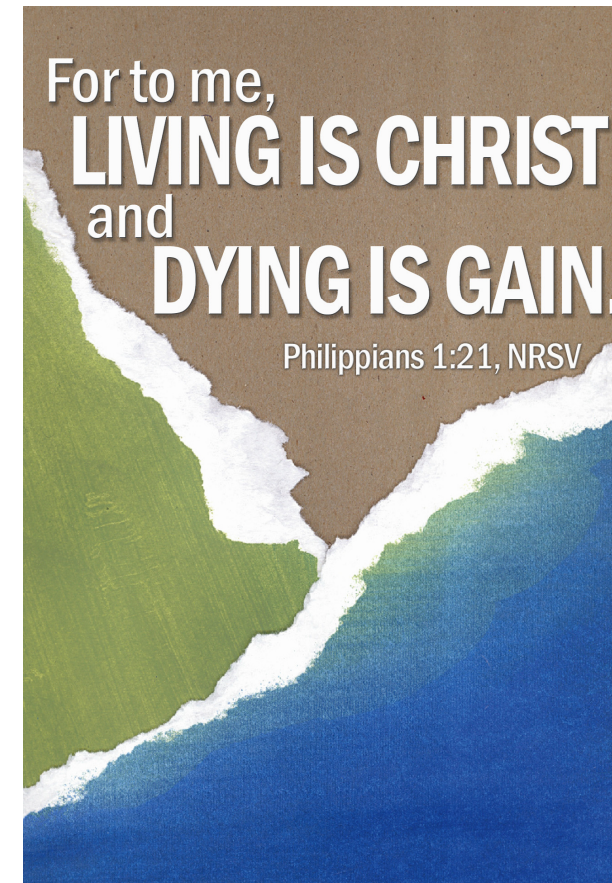
In an effort to keep the list below current we will be removing some older entries. If someone is removed that you feel is still in need of prayers please fill out a green prayer card or contact the church office. Thank you!

#### **PRAYER REQUESTS**

Please pray for the following persons from our prayer cards: Cheri Swanson, Sara Heckman, Betsy Garber, Thomas Williams, Becky Baker, Judy Most, Jackson Wallin, Edie Bennett, Michelle Matson, Fred Hoges, Mike Lawandus, Angel Hall, Tammy Braum, Theresa Gonzales, Mike Cool, Jim Churchill, Gussie Williams, Bill Marvin, Ed Palenkas, Vicki Bryers, June Daniels, Gary Brooks, Leslie McCracken, Bill Ptashnik, Kimberly Holbern, Barbara King, Bailey Cameron, Jim Nord, Mike Churchill, Lisa Bennett, Katy Stone, Mike Beck, Joe Cain, Alane Bergstrom, Michelle Windsor, Kait Dill, Travis Hunt, Jerry Harper, Dave Krueger, Freda Hudson, Patty Soper, Anna Bennett, Evelyn Canales, Landon Masters, Alvina Williams, JoAnn Rinehart, our Military and All First Responders.

Updates or additions? Contact the Church Office.

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Welcome to Our Service

