

October Calendar 2025



| Date: | Family to Pray For: | Scripture Reading |
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| 1 | Friel Christine Margan Coarsia Ellis 9 Marley Milliams | Luka 1:1 20 |
| 1 | Erick, Christina, Morgan, Georgia, Ellis & Wesley Williams Juanita Williams | Luke 1:1-38 |
| 2 | | Luke 1:39-80 |
| 3 | John, Ann, Carson, Spencer, John, Paislee & Bella Woods | Luke 2:1-20 |
| 4 | Robert & Shirley Anderson | Luke 2:21-52 |
| 5 | W.G. & Maxine Anderson | Luke 3 |
| 6 | Larry & Betty Arthur | Luke 4 |
| 7 | Danny & Barbara Black | Luke 5 |
| 8 | Gerald & Melissa Black | Luke 6 |
| 9 | Ricky & Lisa Black | Luke 7 |
| 10 | Tim & Sam Black | Luke 8:1-25 |
| 11 | Don & Nancy Blanchard | Luke 8:26-56 |
| 12 | Philip Brooks | Luke 9:1-26 |
| 13 | George & Kathy Broughman | Luke 9:27-62 |
| 14 | Ricky & Lisa Brown | Luke 10 |
| 15 | Roy, Jennifer, Bailee, Case, Carter & Dylan Brown | Luke 11:1-26 |
| 16 | Eddie & Melinda Bryan | Luke 11:27-54 |
| 17 | Chuck & Darla Bush | Luke 12:1-34 |
| 18 | Ronnie Carpenter | Luke 12:35-59 |
| 19 | Chad, Marglen, Canaan & Rylee Clark | Luke 13 |
| 20 | David, Laurel, Nathan & Jacob Clark | Luke 14 |
| 21 | Leonard & Beverley Clark | Luke 15 |
| 22 | Stella Clark | Luke 16 |
| 23 | Dave & Ann Condon | Luke 17 |
| 24 | Ron, Tammy and Ryan Counts | Luke 18 |
| 25 | Richard & Jodie Craddock | Luke 19 |
| 26 | Seth, Beth, Emilia, Briele, Thea & Truett Dame | Luke 20 |
| 27 | Jason, Christy, Nathan, Micah & Anna Fender | Luke 21 |
| 28 | Steve & Diane Fenton | Luke 22 |
| 29 | Shane Fury | Luke 23 |
| 30 | Ranelle Garber | Luke 24:1-35 |
| 31 | Sandra Haynes | Luke 24:36-53 |
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<u>Do works matter</u>? Ephesians 2:8-10 [8] For by grace you have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God, [9] <u>not of works</u>, lest anyone should boast. [10] For we are His <u>workmanship</u>, created in Christ Jesus for good <u>works</u>, which God prepared beforehand that we should walk in them.

It is vital that we have a clear understanding that our salvation is not based on our works, but it is a gift given to us when we place our faith in, and dependency upon, the finished work of Christ. However, the Bible certainly doesn't say that works, done for the right reasons, don't matter. Not only do they matter, we were created for them, and when done for the right reason, they will be rewarded; some in the here and now, some in eternity, and some in both. As you look at these Scriptures consider, that while God desires to give you the gift of salvation, He also desires to reward you for your works. There is nothing wrong with laboring for the Lord knowing you will be rewarded.

Matthew 10:42 And whoever gives one of these little ones only a cup of cold water in the name of a disciple, assuredly, I say to you, he shall by no means lose his reward." (misthos) wages, hire, reward.

Matthew 5:12. Rejoice and be exceedingly glad, for great is your reward in heaven, for so they persecuted the prophets who were before you.

John 4:35-36 Do you not say, 'There are still four months and then comes the harvest'? Behold, I say to you, lift up your eyes and look at the fields, for they are already white for harvest! [36] And he who reaps receives wages, and gathers fruit for eternal life, that both he who sows and he who reaps may rejoice together.

1 Corinthians 3:8-14 [8] Now he who plants and he who waters are one, and each one will receive his own reward according to his own labor. [9] For we are God's fellow workers; you are God's field, you are God's building. [10] According to the grace of God which was given to me, I have laid the foundation, and another builds on [11] For no other foundation can anyone lay than that which is laid, which is Jesus Christ. [12] Now if anyone builds on this foundation with gold, silver, precious stones, wood, hay, straw, [13] each one's work will become clear; for the Day will declare it, because it will be revealed by fire; and the fire will test each one's work, of what sort it is. [14] If anyone's work which he has built on it endures, he will receive a reward.

Hebrews 6:10 For God is not unjust to forget your work and labor of love which you have shown toward His name, in that you have ministered to the saints, and do minister.

Revelation 14:13 Then I heard a voice from heaven saying to me, "Write: 'Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord from now on." "Yes," says the Spirit, "that they may rest from their labors, and their works follow them."

Revelation 22:12 "And behold, I am coming quickly, and My reward is with Me, to give to every one according to his work.

Let us be faithful in the labor of our King. Your co-laborer in the kingdom,



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Sunday, October 12th: We will observe Communion and our offering will go for the

Prison/Jail Ministry

Monday, October 20th: Elders Meeting, 5:00pm, Life House

Wednesday, October 29th: Life Line Screening Event, 8:30am-5:00pm, Life House

David Clark's October preaching schedule:

Sunday, October 5th – Living Stones Sunday, October 12th – Fletcher Chapel

Sunday, October 19th - Clifton Forge Presbyterian

Sunday, October 26th - Cliffdale Community

Pastor Mike will be on vacation thru Tuesday, October 14th. He will return to the office on Wednesday, October 15th.

October Weekly Events at the Life House:

Monday: Homeschool Co-Op, 9:30am-2:30pm

Tuesday: LSM Bible Study, 10:00am

Wednesday: Disciples for Christ Bible Study, 9:30am-12:00 Noon

Youth, 6-8pm

Friday: BSF, 9:30-11:30am



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