

December 22, 2024

Galatians 4:4-5 NKJV

4 But when the fullness of the time had come, God sent forth His Son, born of a woman, born under the law, 5 to redeem those who were under the law, that we might receive the adoption as sons.

Today:

Bring a Christmas snack and join us for our Christmas social this evening at 5:30 at the Life House.

This Week:



Tomorrow evening is the Christmas Candlelight Worship Service at the church. Although the official starting time is 7pm, we will ask that there be no talking in the sanctuary after 6:50. You are encouraged to come early and sit quietly as music is played.

This week the office is scheduled to be open on Monday morning and all day Thursday.

There will be no Small Group, Youth Group or Men's Bible Study meetings this week.

There has been a lot of time and work put into the devotional book on prayer for the month of January. We would like for each individual to get a book and for us to do them together as a church family. We plan to gather each Sunday evening in January for prayer. The 1st & 4th Sundays will be at the church at 5:00. The 2nd & 4th Sundays will be in homes with times to be announced.

Family to pray for today:

Fred & Lucille Johnson



Pray For:

- Mary Ryan – as she recuperates from her surgery
- Don Blanchard & Minnie Slayton - recovery from foot surgery
- Bill Wade – severe back and leg pain
- Michelle Vaughn – pray for complete healing
- At the time that the announcements were done Clarence Lavender was still in UVA Medical Center. They learned that one of his meds was causing blood clots to form on the new valve in his heart. They are changing the medicine and monitoring him until they are comfortable releasing him.

Today's Prayer Focus:

Christmas can be a very sad and lonely time for many people. We want to pray that people who feel this way will experience Christ and His joy in a powerful way.



We are still receiving donations through the end of the month for the orphanage and Seeta Church in Uganda. Please designate your gift as Communion or Uganda.

Birthdays for December 22-28

Joan Strausbaugh 22

Anniversaries for this week

Greg & Cindy Smith 23



There has been a lot going on the past few days that has required a lot of volunteers. Thanks to everyone who:

- helped get the shipment ready for North Carolina. It was delivered on Thursday to the disaster relief center in Forest City.
- helped with the food baskets. They went out on Friday and are a true blessing to those who receive them.
- worked to help get things ready for the social tonight.

Elder of the Week: Paul Strausbaugh, 540-969-9296

Welcome to Living Stones Ministries

<u>Daily Prayer and Scripture Guide</u>		
December 22	Fred & Lucille Johnson	Jonah 1 & 2
23	Pam Johnson	Micah 5:1-5
24	Sandy Jones	Zechariah 3
25	Donnie, Kelly, Christian & Caylin Kern	John 1:1-18
26	Arnold & Sheila Keyser	Matthew 1
27	Kae Lacy	Luke 1
28	Clarence & Doris Lavender	Luke 2:1-20
29	Shawn, Cori, Micah & Isaiah Layman	Matthew 2

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If you are visiting with us today, we are so glad you are here. If you would fill out a blue visitor's card and drop it in the offering bag, we'd appreciate it.

Sunday: Location for classes held during Worship Service

Pre-School	Middle room downstairs
K-3rd Grade	Upstairs
4-6th Grade	Prayer room next to kitchen

Parents of Pre-School and K-3rd Grade children are asked to go to your child's classroom at the location listed above to get your little ones following the morning service. Thank you.



Then the LORD answered me and said: *“Write the vision and make it plain on tablets, that he may run who reads it.” Habakkuk 2:2*

Living Stones Ministries exists to:

Exalt the Lord our God...Psalm 115:1

Evangelize the lost....Matthew 28:18-20

Equip the saved to do the work of ministry...Ephesians 4:11-12 and 1 Peter 2:5.

Ministers: Every Member

Pastor: Mike Rollins

Associate Pastor: Matt O'Meara

Coming to Him as to a living stone, rejected indeed by men, but chosen by God and precious, you also, as living stones, are being built up a spiritual house, a holy priesthood, to offer up spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ.

1 Peter 2:4-5