PRAYER CONCERNS:



Sandy Adams, Shannon Anna, Betty Barlow, Terry Bass, John Bauer, Rachel Cain, Karen Callis, Carla Carlton, Glenn Carlton, Grayson Cowart, Richard Crosby, Sheila Foust, Jeff Friesenhahn, James Gutierrez, Alice Harris, Betty Harris, Frank Harris, Angie Hawley, Kathi Mattes Hernandez, Blanche King, Jed Knowlton, Angelica Martinez, Alan Massey, Joleen Nixon Torres, Mason Plummer, Meleah Plummer, Christine Price, George Riddell, Bob Ross, Dennis Schrank, Debbie Southwell, Dade Turner.
Family and friends of Robert "Bobby" Kyle Coyle
Bishop **Jonathan S. Lee**, Conference Superintendent: Bishop Leah Hidde-Gregory, Conference Operating Officer: Ryan Barnett, Conference Lay Leader: Dave Roberson, Presiding Elder: Frank Oakman, Pastor: J. Paul Bruhn, Director of Family Ministries: Nihar Judah
Nursing Home: SA: Florine Carman, Judith Kuykendall, Sterling Martin Castroville: Albert Castro, Hondo: Ralph Gilliam, Johnny Wilson
Our Troops: Erik Arias, Joshua Bruhn, William E. Bryant, Bryan Franklin, Joe Frank Garcia, III, J. J. Garcia, Roman Hernandez, Logan Petersen

Jan Weems needs families to volunteer as readers/liturgists For Dec. 24 and Dec. 27

Upcoming Events:

Wednesday Bible Study 4:30-6 PM for 2-7 graders

Christmas Boxes due today!

Christmas in God's Country: Prep: Nov 19 at 1PM Fellowship Hall
We still will need 10 people to sign up to help on Nov. 21

Worship Assistants November 22:
Rev. J. Paul Bruhn Lay Leader: Tricia Boll Liturgist: Brenda Vavricek
Kids Church: Nihar Judah Counters: Brenda Vavricek & Lorine Hackebeil
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Worship Service

November 15, 2026



WELCOME

GATHERING MUSIC: # 2088 *"Lord I Lift Your Name on High"*

GATHERING WORDS:

Great I AM, we look up to You,
O You who are enthroned in the heavens!
As servants look to the ways of their master,
so our eyes look to the LORD our God.
The Master has entrusted His servants with His property.
We come to worship the one who calls us to faithfulness.
Come, let us lift our voices to the LORD of all.
ALLELUIA! We rejoice in GOD's call to serve!

***HYMN: # 122** *"I Stand Amazed in the Presence"*

***OPENING PRAYER:**

Almighty, everlasting, and loving GOD, we confess that we often turn away from Your invitation to become Your bond servants.
We prefer to bury our talents instead of taking responsibility.
We fail to take risks for Your Kingdom and to trust Your protection.
Forgive us and empower us to serve You with courage, faith, and faithfulness.
This we ask in the Name of Jesus the Christ, Your only begotten Son who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one GOD forever and ever. AMEN.

First Scripture Reading: ***Zephaniah 1:7 and 12-18*** *(NKJV page 1459f)*
Be silent in the presence of the Lord God; For the day of the Lord is at hand, For the Lord has prepared a sacrifice; He has invited His guests.
...
"And it shall come to pass at that time That I will search Jerusalem with lamps, And punish the men Who are settled in complacency, Who say in their heart, 'The Lord will not do good, Nor will He do evil.'
Therefore their goods shall become booty, And their houses a desolation; They shall build houses, but not inhabit them; They shall plant vineyards, but not drink their wine."
The great day of the Lord is near; It is near and hastens quickly. The noise of the day of the Lord is bitter; There the mighty men shall cry out.
That day is a day of wrath, A day of trouble and distress, A day of devastation and desolation, A day of darkness and gloominess, A day of clouds and thick darkness,
A day of trumpet and alarm Against the fortified cities And against the high towers.
"I will bring distress upon men, And they shall walk like blind men, Because they have sinned against the Lord; Their blood shall be poured out like dust, And their flesh like refuse."
Neither their silver nor their gold Shall be able to deliver them In the day of the Lord's wrath; But the whole land shall be devoured By the fire of His jealousy, For He will make speedy riddance Of all those who dwell in the land.

Hymn: # 2068 *"I Love You Lord"*

Community Prayer, Pastoral Prayer, Lord's Prayer

Offertory Prayer **Offertory Music** # 3116 *"Love the Lord"*

***Doxology: # 682** *"Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"*

Second Scripture Reading: ***1 Thessalonians 5:1-11*** *(NKJV page 1815)*
But concerning the times and the seasons, brethren, you have no need that I should write to you.
For you yourselves know perfectly that the day of the Lord so comes as a thief in the night.
For when they say, "Peace and safety!" then sudden destruction comes upon them, as labor pains upon a pregnant woman. And they shall not escape.
But you, brethren, are not in darkness, so that this Day should overtake you as a thief.
You are all sons of light and sons of the day. We are not of the night nor of darkness.
Therefore let us not sleep, as others do, but let us watch and be sober.
For those who sleep, sleep at night, and those who get drunk are drunk at night.
But let us who are of the day be sober, putting on the breastplate of faith and love, and as a helmet the hope of salvation.
For God did not appoint us to wrath, but to obtain salvation through our Lord Jesus Christ,
who died for us, that whether we wake or sleep, we should live together with Him.
Therefore comfort each other and edify one another, just as you also are doing.

Young Disciples

***Hymn: # 15** *"O God Our Help in Ages Past"*

Apostles Creed

Message: "You Snooze- You Lose!" Pastor J. Paul Bruhn

***Closing Hymn: # 49** *"Be Thou My Vision"*

***Benediction**

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