

# Church Newsletter

## February 2025



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**Weekly Services**  
 Bible Study     9:00 AM Sunday  
 Worship        10:00 AM Sunday  
 Worship        6:30 PM Sunday  
 Worship        6:30 PM Wednesday



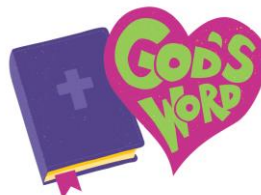
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*Psalm 119:130*



### God’s Love Letter

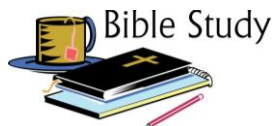
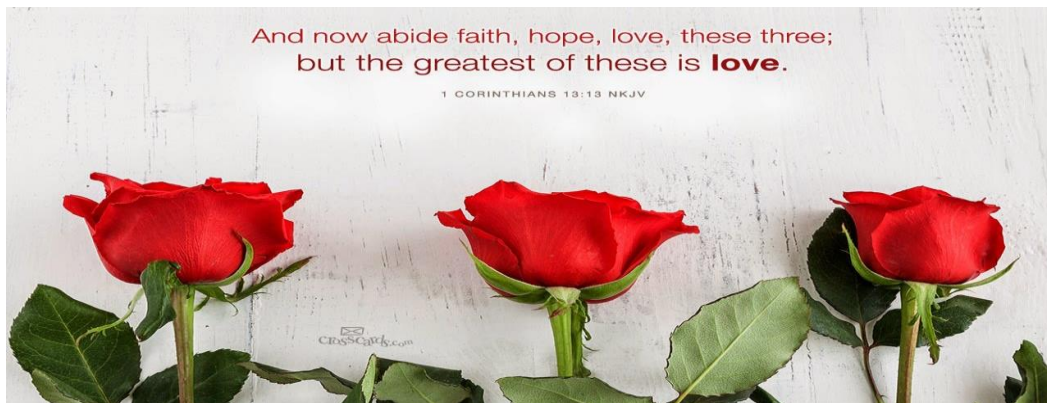
Sometimes parents, near the end of life, pen a letter to their children to be opened after the parent is gone. They are love letters in which the parent conveys words of love, dreams for their future, gratitude for their time together, and words of encouragement about making the most of their time on earth.



The Bible, in a sense, is such a love letter—from God to us. Take the words of the psalmist: “The entrance of Your words gives light; it gives understanding to the simple.” When children are born, they are “simple,” or naïve, about life. Every parent’s goal is that their children transition from “simple” to “wise” through years of teaching by words and examples. The apostle Paul expands on this idea in 2 Timothy 3:14-17 where he says the “Scriptures...are able to make you wise for salvation.” But it’s broader than just salvation. He says the Bible is for doctrine, reproof, correction, and training in righteousness.

Everything a godly parent wants for their child, God wants for us. The Bible is His love letter to us, a letter to be treasured.

*The Bible is a letter God has sent to us; prayer is a letter we send to him. Matthew Henry*



*Community Bible Study*  
*Monday mornings, 10:30 to Noon.*

We meet in the fellowship hall. Please join us, bring your Bible and bring a friend with you.

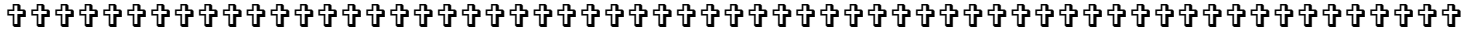


# Sermon Series

Sunday Mornings – The “Book of Acts”

Sunday Evenings – “The Book of the Revelation”, verse by verse

Wednesday Evenings – “The Sever Churches of Revelations” followed by “The Book of Joel”



## WMU

We are now meeting on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of each month @ 5:00 pm, before the Sunday Evening Worship service. We got off to a great start in January with great attendance. We are focusing on “women of faith” this year and each month a different woman will be spotlighted.

February’s woman of focus is Corrie Ten Boom. All ladies are invited and we hope to see you at our next meeting.



## Hand in Glove

Nothing is as useless as a pair of gloves without hands. They may be made for either high fashion or hard work. But they are limp and idle without a pair of hands. Their very existence is pointless. But once fingers fill the fabric and a hand stuffs itself into the material, the glove can do anything that a hand can do. It can swing hammers, grip railings, open doors, and point out dangers or delights.



We are the gloves of God in this world, but we’re useless unless we are filled with Him. We don’t even have the strength to lift ourselves up. But when we are pervaded and permeated with His Spirit, we operate in His power, not our own.

When we try to serve the Lord in our own strength, we struggle and end up failing. We must yield ourselves to Him, surrender to His total occupancy of our personalities, and let His power sustain and strengthen us as we serve Him. Rely on your all-powerful God to empower your Christian life and labor. His love fits into your soul like hands in a glove.



<i>Let us be Faithful Stewards.</i>			<b>Welcome New Members</b> <b>Ronnie &amp; Jennifer Camp</b> <b>We’re glad to have you!</b>
<b>Financial Report thru January 19, 2025</b>			
	<u><b>Required</b></u>	<u><b>Received</b></u>	
Yearly	\$214,715.85	\$ 13,522.00	
Weekly	\$ 4,129.15	\$ 4,507.33 (Wkly Avg.)	
<i>A Giving Church is a Living Church!</i>			



### FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

Donna Piper 2/1, Jan Wilson 2/6, Nancy Redmond 2/14, David Heery 2/17,  
Ginger Laughner 2/19

### FEBRUARY ANNIVERSARIES

Sherry & Mike Hosti 2/12



**Daylight Savings Time begins Sunday, March 9th**

