

**We Welcome You to our Services  
This LORD's Day!**

*January 8, 2017*

**SUNDAY BIBLE SCHOOL** for the entire family.....**9:45 am**  
Adult Class: "Staying On Course - 1 and 2 Thessalonians".....Auditorium

**Morning Worship Service** **11:00 am**

<b>Prelude</b>		
<b>Welcome &amp; Announcements</b>		
<b>Opening Chorus</b>	<i>I Sing a New Song</i>	<b>257</b>
<b>Hymn</b>	<i>Jesus is Coming Again</i>	<b>153</b>
<b>Pastoral Prayer</b>		
<b>Scripture Reading</b>		<b>See Insert</b>
<b>Hymn</b>	<i>Sooner or Later</i>	<b>159</b>
<b>Offering</b>		
<b>Hymn</b>	<i>What if It Were Today</i>	<b>155</b>
<b>Special Music</b>	<i>Piano Duet</i>	
<b>*Message</b>	<b>"How Should We Wait for the Rapture?"</b>	
	<i>Missionary Dan Mapes</i>	
<b>Closing Hymn</b>	<i>The Meeting in the Air</i>	<b>156</b>

*\*Children ages 4 thru 6<sup>th</sup> grade will be dismissed for Children's Church.*

If you would like a Hearing Aid Headset,  
Please inquire at the Bulletin Table.

**Evening Service**..... **6:00 pm**

Join us this evening as Dan Mapes brings a report and opens the Word to us.

**Quotable:** *True wisdom is the accurate perception of what is really important.*

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**GREETERS:** TODAY: Britt & Lee B. NEXT SUNDAY: Dick & Elaine W.

<b>BUDGET:</b>	General Fund ( <i>Needed Weekly</i> )	\$3,013.00
	Rec'd Last Week:	
	General	\$4,274.73
	Faith Promise	\$525.00
	Deacon Fund	\$110.00



**HAPPENING THIS WEEK**

<b>Tues.</b>	<b>Missionary Prayer Band</b>	<b>12:00 noon</b>
	<i>Join us for a salad luncheon, Karis Mapes will be with us. Ladies, see note below.</i>	
<b>Wed.</b>	<b>Mid-Week Prayer Meeting</b>	<b>7:00 pm</b>
	<i>Kid's Klub</i>	<b>7:00 pm</b>
	<i>Crusaders of Light</i>	<b>7:00 pm</b>
<b>Thurs.</b>	<b>Men's Bible Study</b>	<b>9:45 am</b>

**FAMILY MATTERS**

**Coming Up -**

*Thurs., Jan 26:* Men's Bible Study, 9:45, Blue Room

**Bible Memory -**

Psalm 119:7-8 - I will praise thee with uprightness of heart, when I shall have learned thy righteous judgments. I will keep thy statutes: O forsake me not utterly.

**Missionary Prayer Band Luncheon -**

We are meeting in the fellowship hall for our luncheon at 12:00 noon. Please bring a salad. Karis Mapes will be with us and is our guest speaker. Karis and her husband, Dan, missionaries we support at Bethel, are headed back to serve in Ghana, West Africa. They have four children, all grown, and serving the Lord.

**Missionary Closet Shower -**

The needs for our Missionary Closet have changed over the years. The items we have kept in the closet for our visiting missionaries to choose from are now a thing of the past. The shower items we are now providing are note cards, stationery, postcards, stamps, and gift cards to various local business. A small gift bag with several of these items will be placed in the mission house for visiting missionaries to use. Gift cards can be to local restaurants, stores, grocery stores, activities....just be aware some cards have expiration dates on them, so be sure to notice the expiration date before purchasing them. These items will be collected this Sunday and next. Please place them in the basket in the foyer. Thank you for your help!

**Thank You -**

We would like to thank whoever put the present in our pigeon hole. Fascinating!  
Mike & Trish

*If we do not have the presence of God with us  
in an undertaking—His approval upon it, His assistance in it,  
His blessing upon it—then we find it a snare if not a curse to us.  
From "Gleanings in the Godhead", by A.W. Pink*