

Elders



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Monthly Servants

Eldership Leader: Mark Johnson

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Weekly Servants

MORNING November 25th

Video: A Member, B McCaughan
Sound Board: L Eastridge, J Gunselman

Greeters: A Rugh, L Rugh, J Oxley

Ushers: B Fields, E Gunselman

Attendance: A Bracht

Communion: N Franklund

Count Aide: G House, K McPartlin

Nursery: A Fieldhouse, A Fieldhouse

Notes/Cards: Ev Goddard

Song Leader: R McPartlin

Kids' Time: A Member

Speaker: G Strawn

Lord's Table: E Bracht

Servers: F Cloutier, J Gunselman, R Bracht

Open Prayer: J Stutzman

Pastoral Prayers: J Shore

December 2nd

R Holland, B McCaughan
F Cloutier, Ca Jensen

T Eastridge

E Eastridge

A McPartlin

G Brown

J Gunselman

N Franklund

B Sorah

R Bracht

K McPartlin

S Smith

A & M Hallas

Ev Goddard

J Bracht

Goddards/Johnsons

G Strawn

J Reyes

L Sorah

J Parker

S Evans

J May

C Long

Evening Schedule

5:00pm

Looking Towards Eternity Part 3

Gregg Teaching

Please Pray For Our Family

Please pray for God's healing hand to be on those with cancer:

Debbie Smith (Florence Purvis' granddaughter)

Les Brooks (malignant leukemia)

Marilyn (Linda Weimer's friend, recurring cancer)

Renee Gunselman's father

Kyle Turney (former member, now in Texas)

Amanda Kirwin (niece of Les & Joyce Brooks, breast cancer)

Clella Boyd, Pearl, Trisha

Please continue to pray for:

Keith Cornell, Phil & Linda Weimer, Paul & Donna Johnson, Merle & Jean Woods, Betty Carter, Andi Graham (Bill Perry's sister, acute rheumatoid arthritis), Virgil Oakes

Please pray for the following members with health needs:

Loretta's aunt Gloria is having many health concerns.

Les & Joyce Brooks would like prayers for their son, Brian, for migraine headache and stomach pain.

Pray for Tim Eastridge, who was sick last Sunday.

Pray for John Johnson, Allen & Linda Rugh's brother-in-law, who was in the ER a week ago with medical issues.

Physical

Pray for Lois Munson's son, Matt, who recently had a custody trial.

Engaged Couples: Jesse Bracht & Erin Foreman, Ryan Rapp & Natalie Eastridge, Ben Hannan & Monica Tanner

Expecting Mothers: Melody Otta, Alicia Gollakner

Military: Jordan Paul, stationed in N Carolina in extensive training; John, Betty Carter's grandson, Navy

Good News:

Joe & Barb praise God for a safe trip to Mexico, and say "It's good to be back with our church family!"

Cyndi Colvin praises God for her father, Jim York, being officially cancer free!

Finger Foods Potluck/Farewell Party for Rouz & Shima

Please join us in the basement tonight right after Evening Worship. We will enjoy some finger foods and celebrate the time that Rouz and Shima spent with us here at Circle. They will be missed very much!



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Family Newsletter

2020 Circle Family Times

Sunday: 9:30AM Bible Classes for all ages
10:30AM Worship

Wednesday: Life Groups, Various Times

Office Hours: S: 2-5; M-R: 8-4; F: 8-12

Each year, we give away 50 boxes of food.



Please continue helping this valuable ministry.



We couldn't do it without your donations!

"The Main Thing"

1. To **love the Lord** our God with all our heart and with all our soul and with all our mind and with all our strength.
2. To **love our neighbors** as ourselves.
3. To **go and make disciples** of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything Christ has commanded us.

Upcoming Events

November 25th, 6pm Finger Foods Potluck/Rouz & Shima Farewell

November 27th, 5-7pm Tuesday Night Eat In/Take Out

November 29th, 6:30pm Empty Nester's at El Sol de Mexico

December 8th, 7:00pm 11th Annual Christmas Sing-A-Long

Deacons: Eric Bracht, Adam Goddard, Ed Gunselman, Rolland House, Eric Jensen, Ryan McPartlin, Bob Parsons, Jose Reyes, Jake Shore, Jordan Strawn, Josh Wise
Outreach Programs: Bay Area Rescue Mission, Christian Relief Fund, Clothing Drive, East Mountain States Children's Home, Orphan Sunday, Quilts for CASA, Special Situations, University Christian Center



Gregg's Good News

My Grandmother used to host some 50 people at her house in Montana for Thanksgiving. As a child, I always marveled at the story of one guest. The woman would overeat until finally laying down on the bench, where people were seated, and moan. She moaned and groaned until she felt better, then she would sit up and eat more.

Overeating on Thanksgiving goes with the holiday. But for the past several years, I've watched people run past our front window on Thanksgiving morning. The run is called the "Turkey Trot." On occasion, I've seen a few Circle members decked out in Turkey costume, starting Thanksgiving with a run.

It strikes me that even if those runners overeat a bit later in the day, they've at least made the effort to exercise before eating and relaxing.

Many years ago, I heard a Christian teacher suggest that healthy Christians have a balance of "eat, relax, exercise". He was referring to the practices of consuming the word of God, relaxing in fellowship with other Christians, and doing the exercise of living out what we have learned by sharing our faith and serving others.

It's an interesting analogy. When a person says they really aren't hungry to hear any more of God's word, that may point to the fact that they are never exercising their faith. The person is stuffed with learning but never does anything with it. And no desire to exercise in the presence of non-Christians may signal the need for a little time in the relaxing atmosphere of uplifting Christians.

Eat, relax, exercise. Make room for all 3 in your Christian pursuit.

PM PREVIEW TONIGHT:

5:00pm

Looking Towards Eternity Part 3

Gregg Strawn speaking

Thoughts, Questions, Notes

Lined area for notes and thoughts.



TUESDAY EAT IN OR TAKE OUT

Come to the building on Tuesday, **November 27th**, between 5 and 7pm for dinner! We are having salad, fresh baked rolls, hot dogs, chili, scratch mac n cheese, green beans, and dessert. You can eat your meal here or take it home. Suggested donation: \$3/adult, \$1.50/child under 10 years old. Contact Loretta Hartman if you have questions, and see you here next Tuesday!

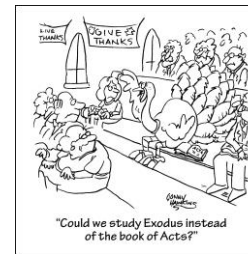


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Holidays can tell us a lot about a country's culture. For example, the three major holidays in the U.S. are Thanksgiving, Christmas, and Easter. These are holidays that almost every American celebrates, and they all point to our roots as a Christian nation. Christmas is when we celebrate Jesus' birth, Easter is when we celebrate His resurrection, and, if Christians had not fled Europe because of religious persecution, we would not celebrate Thanksgiving.

The biggest holiday of the year in China is Lunar (or Chinese) New Year, and another very popular festival is Mid-Autumn Festival. The Chinese culture celebrates new beginnings with these festivals. Lunar New Year celebrations are very similar to our holiday celebrations, in that families will travel to be together, eat traditional foods, and give gifts (although the gifts are red envelopes containing money, and these are given to the youngest members of a family). We also celebrate New Year's, on January 1st, but it is not as prominent in our culture as it is in Chinese or other cultures.

Take some time this holiday season to share your holiday traditions with a person from a different country and learn about theirs. Our customs might seem different, but you may be surprised how similar we actually are!



ALL HANDS ON DECK: Everyone who is available, please come to the building on Wednesday **December 5th at 6pm** to decorate for the Christmas Sing-A-Long. We need all the help we can get!

Sunday Morning Attendance	120
Last Week's Contribution	\$3,854.25
Year to Date Weekly Average	\$4,425.10
Weekly Budget	\$4,846.00

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UCC Office Hours

T 2pm-10pm
W 9am-3pm
F 9am-3pm



Campus Minister
Josh Stutzman

Many Hands Make Light Work...Get Involved!

- Assembly Ministry**.....Gregg Strawn, Casey Long
- Circle Facilitator Inside**.....Eric Bracht
- Outside Circle Facilitator**..... Jim Calkin
- UCC Facilitator**.....Nathan Lopez, Bob Parsons
- Overall Support**.....M Zhang, G Brown, J Wise
- Campus Ministry**.....Josh Stutzman, Eric & Chris Jensen
- Church Safety Ministry**.....Ryan McPartlin, Josh Wise
- Connections Ministry**.....Dale & Tami Brown
- Discipleship Ministry**.....Jose Reyes
- Education Ministry**.....Casey & Darla Long
- Fellowship Ministry**.....Ed, Renee & Joel Gunselman
- Life Group Ministry**.....Jordan & Kellie Strawn, Mark & Nancy Johnson
- Marriage & Family Ministry**.....Adam & Erin Goddard
- Media/Web Ministry**.....Frank Cloutier, Bill McCaughan
- Men of Iron**.....Rolland House, Bob Parsons, Jake Shore
- People Needs Facilitators**.....Tami Brown & Maria Zhang
- Clothing Drive Lead**.....Linda Leslie
- Food Boxes Lead**.....Charlene Franklund
- Publicity Ministry**.....Maria Zhang
- Quilts for CASA**.....Cathy Brooks
- Van Ministry**.....Bob Parsons, Chris Gollakner
- Visitor Experience Ministry**.....See Elders
- Vision Ministry**.....Elders, Deacons, Ministers, Ministry Leaders & Spouses
- Widows Ministry**.....Roger & Loretta Hartman, Loreale Glenn
- Women's Ministry**.....Laurie Eastridge
- Youth Ministry**.....Eric & Jann Bracht and Eric & Chris Jensen