

Prayer List

Judy Givens is home recovering from her stay in the hospital.

Jason Gore and his family need our prayers for a situation they are facing. (Submitted by Dave Trowbridge)

Harvey Mehling has been diagnosed with prostate cancer; please pray for comfort and healing.

Ardith Townsend, Donnie Townsend's mother, is having surgery on a non-malignant brain tumor. Please ask God for healing and peace of mind.

Denise Griggs asks for prayers for her continued recovery following an extensive hernia surgery three weeks ago. She has had some complications that are uncomfortable and are so far unresolved.

Shirley Malone, Carolyn Gorney's older sister, is having problems with her heart beating too fast. Please pray that the doctors can get it under control.

The Wagner family - in the sudden death of their great-grandmother.

Jessica Davis has applied for job placement with Comfort Keepers; please also pray that she will always remember God's love for her so that she can claim His peace.

Joretta Roloff has been in pain due to shingles. There is no rash, so it's not contagious, but very painful. Please pray that the prescribed medicine will ease her pain and the shingles will clear up quickly.



Those in Hospitals/Rehab/Senior Living

Shirley Miller

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Those Needing Continuing Prayer

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| Leonie Bedward | Casey Chaney | Brad Craig |
| Sarah Griggs | Averie Caruso | Heather Hicks |
| Norma Shaw | Shirley Miller | Betty Weber |
| Ron Trueblood | Carl Robinson | Katy Robinson |
| Carolyn Payne | Elmer Mason | Barbara Mason |
| Waldbieser family | Grace Unverferth | Tony Gorney |

Sunday, December 8, Servers

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| Announcements | David Adamson |
| Guest Connection | Tonya Goff |
| Song Leader | Mike Lammey |
| Opening Prayer | Josh Morford |
| Lord's Table | Eric Austin |
| Scripture Reader | Jacob Adamson |
| Prayer Requests | Joretta Roloff |
| Communion Prep. | Jo TeVault |
| Sound Booth | Wayne Padgett, Jr. |
| Shine Time Leaders | Kim Woodason & Susie Creedon |
| Nursery | Sylvia Adamson & Dana Aaron |
| Closing Prayer | Tom Woodason |

December Communion Servers

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| David Romans | Engy Aaron |
| Greg Goff | Nick Stott |
| Brad Goff | Taylor Bryan |
| Paul Wasson | Ed Warner |



Shine Time

Sunday, December 1: Andrew & Laura Woodason
Wednesday, December 4: DeAnna Carver & Tonya Goff

Jesus Loves the Little Children!

SENIOR SEEKERS

The Senior Seekers invite you to participate in Bible study and singing at 11 a.m. each Thursday and lunch at 12 noon. **All adults are welcome!**

The Tuesday Ladies Bible Class will meet on December 3 at 10:30 a.m. at Eastside.

Our Purpose: TO GLORIFY GOD IN EVERY ASPECT OF OUR LIVES

Weekly Worship and Bible Study
Please see schedule on back page of this Bulletin

Announcements

Please submit announcements by Thursday a.m.

Next Sunday, December 8, there will be a Winterfest Fundraiser Meal available after the worship service. Delicious soups and bread will be served. Teens, please bring a dessert.

Eastside Building Health and Safety

There will be a short meeting in the library after the worship service on **December 8** for everyone that wants to serve on the Health and Safety team. Please see Andrew Woodason if you have any questions.



Saturday, December 14, is our Christmas party which will take place in the fellowship hall. We will gather at 6:00 p.m. and the meal will be served at 6:30. Entertainment will be provided by two members of the Coon Hollar Kids. We will also sing Christmas carols and have other fun stuff! Cost is \$10 per person. Please contact Gordy Bryan or Tom Woodason with questions.

The Men's Prayer Breakfast will be held at Denny's Restaurant tomorrow morning (December 2), at 8:00 a.m. All men are encouraged to come for good food and great fellowship!

Our Mission: DEVELOP COMPLETELY COMMITTED FOLLOWERS



IGNITE will meet from **5:00 to 7:00** tonight at Eastside. Dinner will be furnished. We appreciate everyone who prepares our dinners!

IGNITE'S Christmas party will be held on December 15 from 5 – 9 at Eastside. There is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board by Josh's office if you would like to make a side or dessert for the meal (the meat is furnished.)

The Monday Night Ladies Bible Study class has suspended meeting until further notice.



Before the year is over, we'd like to have one last push to let people in our community know that we care about them and love them. So, for the Christmas holiday, we'll be giving out stockings stuffed with candies and baked goods to our neighbors. **On Friday, December 13**, we're going to have a night devoted to preparing the baked goods and stuffing the stockings, starting at 6:30 p.m. Then, on **Saturday, December 14**, we'll hand them out door to door starting at 11 a.m. So, we need volunteers! You've been great this year, so let's finish the year strong!
Matt

Eastside Team Ministries

| Ministry: | Visitation | Compassionate Care | Community Care | Church Life | Online Presence | Church Safety |
|-----------------------|--------------|--------------------|----------------|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Ministry Lead: | Carol Goff | Vicki Bauer | Matt Carver | Gordy Bryan | Laura Woodason | Andrew Woodason |
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Sermon Notes

What are the three things that Paul connects with peace in Philippians 4? _____

How are these three things related to peace? _____

How is prayer a replacement for anxiety? _____

How does God's peace put us back where we belong, according to this passage? _____

Loose change in today's collection will go to the Shults-Lewis Children's Home.

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(812) 359-0173

Church Address

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 Terre Haute, IN 47803
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Assemblies - Sunday

Bible Study 9:30 a.m.
 Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Evening Worship 5:30 p.m.

Assembly - Wednesday

Bible Classes at 7:00 p.m.

Church Website

www.eastsidechurchofchrist.us

Elders

David Adamson 812-841-4411
 Frank Jones 812-240-8135
 Tom Woodason 812-230-7678

Elders and Ministers are available for prayer before and after Bible Study.

Deacons

Eric Austin B & G Outside
 Gordon Bryan Church Events
 Wayne Padgett Missions
 Ed Warner Benevolence
 Seth Woodason Interior Maintenance



ORDER OF WORSHIP December 1, 2019

SONG LEADER: Rob Woodason

#460 I Love My Savior, Too
 #273 Walk with Me

WELCOME/OPENING PRAYER: Josh Morford

#635 Farther Along
 #807 I'll Fly Away
 #458 He Paid a Debt

COMMUNION: Frank Jones

ANNOUNCEMENTS: David Adamson

SCRIPTURE READER: Patrick Goff
Philippians 4:4-9

SHINE TIME: Andrew & Laura Woodason
 #476 I'm Standing on the Solid Rock

SERMON: Matt Carver
Peace: How Jesus Puts Us Back Where We Belong
"Joy, Prayer, and Peace"

CLOSING SONG
 #883 O Heart Bowed Down with Sorrow

CLOSING PRAYER: Bob Williams

Deacon in Charge: Eric Austin
Guest Connection Center: Polly Bryan
Greeters: Mike Lammey & Barb Lammey
Sound Booth: David Adamson
Prayer Requests: Joretta Roloff
Health and Safety Team: Group 4

There is an attended nursery for ages 6 to 36 months

Welcome to Worship!
We're so glad you're here!



"We Shall Understand God"

Marius Victorinus, a fourth-century Christian scholar, once commented on the peace of God, "When the peace of God has come upon us, we shall understand God" (Epistle to the Philippians, 4.7). That's quite a claim. When we experience God's peace, shall we truly understand God? In one sense, I think this is exactly right.

In our text today, Paul will recommend prayer as a remedy for anxiety. And as one prays with thanksgiving, making their needs, worries, and fears known to God, God's peace will quietly move in to guard their hearts like a company of soldiers guards a fort. How, then, might this give an understanding of God himself? It tells us that the God revealed to us through Jesus Christ is committed to the wholeness of the human person. This God is not a god who himself remains in a state of turmoil and unrest. He is a God at rest, a God calm and at peace. And, as a means of sharing himself with his human creation, he desires to share his peace, especially in moments when that peace is threatened by the bad circumstances of a fallen world.

This peace comes in connection with prayer, which also offers an understanding of God. Prayer is the foundation of the "relational" aspect of our relationship with God. Prayer is where we give God specific moments of our day. It's when we specifically dedicate time to keep company with God. So, God, speaking through Paul, is telling us this: "Spending time with me will give you peace." God, then, calls us into his presence to experience him, an experience which imparts his own inner peace to us. This is his ongoing gift to us. Today, we'll spend time unwrapping this gift and exploring how this peace from God opens up a fresh understanding of God.

Matt Carver

Guests: Please fill out a yellow attendance card and drop it in the collection plate.

| Classes | | | Message | Vital Statistics |
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| Adult Bible Study | Matt Carver | Fellowship Hall | December 1, 2019 | November 24, 2019 |
| College Class | Wayne Padgett | Room 1 | Sunday Morning Worship | Total Bible Classes 79 |
| Men's Class | Frank Jones | Library | 10:30 a.m. | Total Worship 140 |
| Ladies' Class | Glenda Jones | Room 10 | | Small Groups 71 |
| Middle/High School | Josh Morford | Teen Room | Peace: How Jesus Puts Us Back Where We Belong | 2019 Avg Wk Budget \$ 3,500 |
| Nursery, Pre-School & Elementary | | Educational Wing | "Joy, Prayer, and Peace" | 2019 Avg Wk Actual \$ 3,673 |
| Children's Bible Hour - "Shine Time" - | age 3 to 5th grade | | | Benevolence \$ 504 |
| Attended Nursery --- ages 6 to 36 months, during worship | | | Sunday Evening Worship | Wednesday --- |
| December 1, 2019 | Victoria A. and Devon A. | | Small Groups | Senior Seekers --- |
| December 8, 2019 | Sylvia Adamson & Dana Aaron | | | |
| | | | <i>A Small Group meets at the Church building at 5:30</i> | |

A reminder: Prayer requests will be published in the Bulletin for two weeks. Please resubmit requests if you wish the listing to continue for an additional two-week period. Prayer will continue as long as there is need.

Please put the words "Prayer Request" in the subject line of your Email.
 Call the church office (812) 235-9322 or Email eastsideprayer@gmail.com