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Morning Worship

The Lord's Day, January 09, 2022

During the prelude, please prepare your heart to worship our gracious, Almighty God together.

Meditation J. KNOX CHAMBLIN "In the Christian life we don't go beyond the cross, only deeper into it."

Prelude JACQUELYN THORNELL, ORGANIST "Take Time to Be Holy" arr. Peterson

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship * ISAIAH 53:4-6 Leader: Surely he has borne our griefs and carried our sorrows;

People: Yet we esteemed him stricken, smitten by God, and afflicted.

- Leader: But he was pierced for our transgressions; he was crushed for our iniquities; upon him was the chastisement that brought us peace, and with his wounds we are healed.
- People: All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned—every

one —to his own way; and the LORD has laid on him the iniquity of us all.

"There Is a Fountain Filled with Blood" **1** There is a fountain filled with blood, drawn from Immanuel's veins; and sinners, plunged beneath that flood, lose all their guilty stains: lose all their guilty stains, lose all their guilty stains; and sinners, plunged beneath that flood, lose all their guilty stains.

2 The dying thief rejoiced to see that fountain in his day; and there have I, as vile as he, washed all my sins away: washed all my sins away, washed all my sins away; and there have I, as vile as he, washed all my sins away.

3 E'er since by faith I saw the stream your flowing wounds supply, redeeming love has been my theme, and shall be till I die: and shall be till I die, and shall be till I die; redeeming love has been my theme, and shall be till I die.

4 Then in a nobler, sweeter song I'll sing your pow'r to save, when this poor lisping, stamm'ring tongue lies silent in the grave: lies silent in the grave, lies silent in the grave;

when this poor lisping, stamm'ring tongue lies silent in the grave.

5 Dear dying Lamb, your precious blood shall never lose its pow'r, till all the ransomed church of God be saved to sin no more: be saved to sin no more, be saved to sin no more; till all the ransomed church of God be saved to sin no more.

Invocation *

Missions Moment

Rev. Rodney and Mrs. Jana Davila

Pastoral Prayer

God's Tithes & Our Offerings

Jacquelyn Thornell

"O, Master, Let me Walk With Thee" arr. Peterson

Doxology *

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him all creatures here below; praise him above ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. *Amen.*

Dismiss Children For Children's Church (3 & 4 year olds)

Reading of Holy Scripture GALATIANS 3:10-14 ¹⁰ For all who rely on the works of the law are under a curse, as it is written: "Cursed is everyone who does not continue to do everything written in the Book of the Law."

¹¹ Clearly no one who relies on the law is justified before God, because "the righteous will live by faith."

¹² The law is not based on faith; on the contrary, it says, "The person who does these things will live by them."

¹³ Christ redeemed us from the curse of the law by becoming a curse for us, for it is written: "Cursed is everyone who is hung on a pole.

¹⁴ He redeemed us in order that the blessing given to Abraham might come to the Gentiles through Christ Jesus, so that by faith we might receive the promise of the Spirit.

Sermon

Dr. John K. Dawson

"Cursed?"

Hymn of Response *

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"Alas! and Did My Savior Bleed" **1** Alas! and did my Savior bleed, and did my Sovereign die! Would he devote that sacred head for such a worm as I! **2** Was it for crimes that I had done, he groaned upon the tree! Amazing pity! Grace unknown! And love beyond degree!

3 Well might the sun in darkness hide, and shut his glories in, when Christ, the mighty Maker, died for man the creature's sin.

4 Thus might I hide my blushing face while his dear cross appears; dissolve my heart in thankfulness, and melt mine eyes in tears.

5 But drops of grief can ne'er repay the debt of love I owe; here, Lord, I give myself away; 'tis all that I can do.

Benediction

*Congregation Standing

Sermon Notes	Announcements
Galatians 3:10-14	CE Committee: The CE Committee will meet today at 11:15 AM in the Fellowship Hall.
"Cursed?" I. Condemnation	Ladies Bible Study: We will meet this Tuesday, January 11 th at 9:30 AM; continuing in the book of James. There are new Bible Study bookmarks; there have been a few changes.
	Devo & Donuts:: All students in $6^{th}-8^{th}$ grade are invited to join us this Wednesday, January 12^{th} at 7:15 AM as we resume our meetings. We will meet every 2^{nd} & 4^{th} Wednesdays that school is in session.
II. Substitution	Sunday Night: The adult and children's Sunday evening activities will resume January 9 th from 5:30-7:00 PM. We will all be learning how to study the Bible. The adults will be led by John and Ashley Belknap through the book <i>Help Your</i> <i>Kids Learn & Love the Bible</i> by Danika Cooley. The 4th - 6th will be led by Nate Inman through the book of Jonah using <i>Wrong Way, Jonah</i> by Kay Arthur and
III. Satisfaction	Janna Arndt. The 1st - 3rd will be led by Scotty and Nancilynn Dickey studying the NT focusing on the continuity of the Old and New Testaments. The 3 yr olds - K will be led by Susan Inman and will study the NT and learn to distinguish between Old and New Testament characters. Angela Wade will lead our nursery age children in a Bible story and song. Dinner will be provided. Flowers: The flower calendar for 2021 has been posted on the bulletin board
IV. Confirmation	 downstairs. If you have a date you prefer please sign up early to reserve that date. Feel free to call the church office to sign up. 2022 Offering Envelopes: 2022 Offering Envelopes may be picked up in the
	breezeway . BELL RINGERS: Today: Hayes Hoge Next Week: Jack Inman
ATTENDANCE & FINANCIAL UPDATES Worship Service (10:00): Jan 2 91 Live Views 14	"Thank you" Jacquelyn sent a thank you card to the church; it is on the downstairs bulletin board.
Total Online Views46Sunday School58	The Flowers in the Sanctuary are given to the glory of God .

Last Week's Offering:

Year-to-Date Giving:

Weekly Budgeted Offering:

Year-to-Date Budgeted Giving

Online Giving:

\$11,867.00

\$286.00

\$7,650.00

\$12,153.00

\$7,650.00 (+4,503.00)

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IN PRAYER

- MTW Missionary of the Month: Rodney and Jana Davila
- Ministry of the Month: Covenant Seminary
- Shepherding Group of the Week: Jim Neill, Nate Inman
- Child(ren) of the Week: Nolan Blakeney
- College Student of the Week: Samuel Hellier
- God would bless us with new conversions, visitors, families, & members.
- Ames Lee (Chad and Wendy Lee's son): was admitted to Blair Batson hospital Thursday; diagnosed with leukemia. Please keep Ames and his family in your prayers.
- **Brady Stewart** (Carol Booth's son-in-law): is dealing with heart problems; he was released from the hospital Friday. Please keep Brady and his family in your prayers.
- James Callicutt (Ranita's son): recovering from recent liver transplant; doing better; still in some pain but that should lessen when he gets to level 2; two months from surgery. Thank you so much for your prayers; they are working.
- Stephanie Daniels (Noel Daniels's wife): had a stroke; talked for the first time on Wednesday; everyone is so excited; prayers are working. Noel thanks everyone at BPC for your prayers .
- **Peggy Jordan:** is back home after rehab at Wisteria; continue to pray for her complete recovery.
- Billie Aldy Stigler Family (Jeanne Monsour's friends): Brad Aldy passed away on Wednesday, December 29. Please keep his sisters, Lucy Horton and Debbie Aldy, his brother Sonny Aldy, and his Aunts and Uncle in your prayers.
- Joy Kemp (Dotsy Peel's daughter): had surgery on December 21st; everything went well and she is recovering.
- Jimmy LeEarl (Steve Hill's Dad): Steve Hill, a former asst. pastor of BPC, and missionary to Peru that we supported for years, had his father pass away recently. Please remember Steve and his family in prayer.
- Bill Glover: is still experiencing pain; he will see a GI this month.
- **Cindy Vredeveld** (Julie Rogers' sister-in law): is now back at home with my brother and doing well. Thank you all for the prayers for her healing.
- Jennifer McDonald (Julie Rogers' daughter): has regained only some of her ability to smell from having covid a year ago; she can smell strong

odors only. Her blood clots are under control as long as she stays on her Eliquis.

- David Anderson (Kerri Matthew's uncle): completed radiation treatment at MD Anderson. Treatment was effective but will need heart surgery in the near future.
- **Danny Fillinger** (Karen Whitney's father): fell & broke 5 ribs; home now on oxygen. Pray for full recovery and strength.

Loved ones battling cancer:

- Jim Smith: pancreatic cancer; doing well. Jim's December 14 scan was stable. We want to thank our BPC family for all the prayer support. We are so thankful for these blessings.
- John (French Camp student): stage 4 Lymphoma; had chemo at St. Jude. He is doing well and is back at French Camp.
- Andrew Gerrard (Jo Stanford's nephew): desmoplastic small round cell tumor(s); Two praises! His fluid retention has decreased by 50%! His latest scan showed no new lesions, the bulk of the disease covering his bowels is slightly less, and overall everything is stable! However this regimen of chemo has caused extreme fatigue, nausea, and a complete loss of appetite. He has also received multiple blood and platelet transfusions after reach round of treatment. He started the same chemo regimen on Nov. 4th, with a slight decrease in dosage to see if that helps make it more tolerable. Please pray that this round will be much different in that regard. And that it will continue to produce positive results. Also please pray for success of fund raising and for federal funding for a research lab at MDA that is very close to starting a clinical trial specifically for DSRCT (desmoplastic small round cell tumor). The family is so thankful for all your prayers.
- Terry McGinty (Kerri Matthews' uncle): prostate cancer; has metastasized to the bone; weak, difficulty walking.
- Andrew McCall (Son of Rev. & Mrs. Perry McCall): acute leukemia; celebrated his 15th birthday, Jan 18, 2021.
- Presbyterian pastors in MS fighting cancer: Alan Stanton, Pinehaven in Clinton (brain tumor); Richard Owens, Westminster Pres, Greenwood (brain tumor)
- Service members: Glenn Stewart (Fort Campbell, KY; Sam Heath's nephew); Jesse Thomas Dickey; Matthew Hellier (Japan); S.T. Heath; Joey Brown (Barbara Fowler's nephew)
- Nursing home residents & shut-ins: Dr. John Adams, Martha Baker, Joe Berryhill, Evelyn Culpepper, Jody Nelson, Laverne Roberts