

Order of Worship

A Wonderful Savior

Welcome

Holy, Holy, Holy

Prayer of Worship

By Christ Redeemed

Communion

Prayer of Thanks

The Love of God

1 Samuel 2:27-30

“Honoring God”

Jesus Paid It All

Shepherd’s Prayer

The Steadfast Love of the Lord

Members can access the member directory and other features on our website and mobile app. Register at rscoc.org or contact June Meredith for assistance.

THE NUMBERS

Sunday 03/12/23

Bible Class: 75

Worship Service: 131

Sunday Evening: No Service

Contribution: \$4,993.00

Wednesday 03/15/23: 71

Ministry and Activity

Ladies’ Bible Class— Tuesday, March 21, at 10:00 am.

Men’s Coffee—Thursday, March 23, at 9:30 am. Come and have a cup of coffee and a donut, and fellowship together.

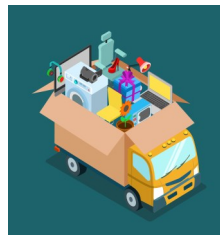
Mark your calendar for Sunday, April 2. We will host a New Member luncheon after morning worship service. More details will follow.

If you know of a **need for meals** for the month of March, please contact **Susan Kasperek** at (918) 470-5879 .

Pantry Need: Boxed Mac and Cheese; Pork and Beans

Senior Ministry — If you have a need, “How Can Riverside Serve You?” forms are available on one of the tables in the front foyer, and also on the table at the back entrance.

!!HELP NEEDED!!



Volunteers are needed to help soon-to-be new members, Mitch and Sandy Bradshaw. They will be unloading their two moving vans into storage on Saturday, March 25th. Helpers are to meet at the church building at 9am.

Many helping hands will finish this job quickly!

Daily Bible Reading Plan

March 19-1 Corinthians 7-8

March 20-Genesis 44-47

March 21-1 Samuel 6-10

March 22-Psalm 33-35

March 23-Job 23-24

March 24-Isaiah 62-66

March 25-Mark 3-4

Riverside

CHURCH OF CHRIST

625 Harper Rd. Kerrville, TX 78028 (830) 257-5445

Sunday Bible Study: 9 AM Sunday Worship: 10 AM

Sunday Evening Worship 5:00 PM Wednesday Bible Study: 7 PM

March 19, 2023

Welcome, Guests!

Welcome to Riverside! Thank you for joining us as our special guest as we worship God together today. Please remain briefly after the service if you are able so that we can welcome you personally. Gather to praise and worship God through Jesus Christ and to encourage one another. At Riverside, the Bible is our sole standard for worship and the Christian life. We would be happy to answer any questions that you may have about the Riverside church family. Please visit us again whenever you have the opportunity!

ROCK BOTTOM

It might be said that King David experienced the highest of the highs and the lowest of the lows. But within that spectrum, David learned the greatest lessons when he reached rock bottom. In one psalm David wrote, “For though the LORD is high, he regards the lowly” Ps 138:6. It is ironic that when we reach those low places we may feel as though God has abandoned us. But David assures us that God is there with us. In another place the psalmist wrote, “It is good for me that I was afflicted, that I might learn your statutes” Ps 119:71. He does not say that it was exciting or enjoyable, but merely, ‘it was good for me’. You may feel at rock bottom right now, but be assured, God’s ever present grace will sustain you.

—Kevin

Minister

Pulpit

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Orlando Barraza

Doyle Brown

Cody Bush

Jerry Durbin

Darrell Fudge

Tommy Hayes

Clint Hyde

John Tittle

Ron Watson

Pray For Others

Lift up **Vickie Shawver** in prayer. She will have back surgery on Tuesday, March 21.

Dennis Odle fell recently, and is experiencing back pain. Pray that those ministering to him will be able to help him, and that he may have healing.

Janis Banner is now at home, but will have surgery at Texan Heart Hospital in San Antonio on March 23. She will have one stent unblocked, and then a new stent placed at a later date.

Pray for **Jerry and Reba Durbin**. Reba is dealing with new medication for atrial fibrillation. Jerry's mother, Pauline Durbin, has been put in hospice care. She is 93 years old and lives in Shallowater, TX.

Let's remember all of the health care workers and public servants and their families at Riverside: **Rona Barrozo, Ashton Bosse, Jolene Fudge, Karen Wootton, Karla (Wootton) Carter, Debra Zink, Natalie Kingston, and Zac, Tyler and Mark Copeland** (sons of Jim and Melissa Copeland), **Chad Lovelady**, and those around the nation and world, who face possible exposure to the virus each day.

Pray for our members who are in independent living /nursing/assisted living facilities: **Doris Burton, Ann Marshall, Kathy O'Hara, Mariethel McConal, Dennis Odle, and Granville "Granny" Cobb**.

Sermon Scripture

27And there came a man of God to Eli and said to him, "Thus says the Lord, 'Did I indeed reveal myself to the house of your father when they were in Egypt subject to the house of Pharaoh? 28Did I choose him out of all the tribes of Israel to be my priest, to go up to my altar, to burn incense, to wear an ephod before me? I gave to the house of your father all my offerings by fire from the people of Israel. 29Why then do you scorn my sacrifices and my offerings that I commanded for my dwelling, and honor your sons above me by fattening yourselves on the choicest parts of every offering of my people Israel?' 30Therefore the Lord, the God of Israel, declares: 'I promised that your house and the house of your father should go in and out before me forever,' but now the Lord declares: 'Far be it from me, for those who honor me I will honor, and those who despise me shall be lightly esteemed.

1 Samuel 2:37-40

And Keep Praying

Landry McGuire, the grandson of **Linda Plaster** and **Cheryl Brown**, is in bootcamp in San Antonio. They would appreciate cards of encouragement and prayers on his behalf. AB McGuire, Landry R; 322 TRS/FLT 232; 1320 Truemper St; Lackland, TX 78236.

Please pray for Kerry Tilton in Baytown, **Krista Bosse's** lifelong friend, who has been diagnosed with an aggressive form of cancer. The chemotherapy is making her very sick.

Steven Spangler, son of **Vida Spangler**, asks for prayers for his friend named Tina (no last name was given to Vida), who lives in San Antonio. She has been diagnosed with cancer.

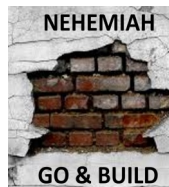


The new April, May and June "Power for Today" daily devotional booklets are available in the front foyer and the table at the back entrance.

Annual Evening Fellowship Sunday Gathering

- When:** Sunday, March 26, 3:00pm—??
- Where:** Ethan Lafferty's Ranch—Heaven's Doorstep
485 Kemp Road West
Mountain Home, TX
- What:** Food, Fun & Fellowship (There will be no evening service at the church building)
Ethan is providing pulled pork tacos, with all the trimmings, and beans. Dinner will be served at 5:00pm.
- Bring:** Chairs; Water/Drinks for your family; Side Dish or Dessert to share.

Sign-up sheets are on tables in the front foyer, and the back entrance.



On Sunday morning, April 2nd, **Richard McAlister** will begin teaching a series of lessons from the book of Nehemiah entitled "Nehemiah - Go and Build." This series is designed to motivate Christian leaders and encourage followers of Christ to work diligently and wisely in the fulfillment of God's mission for Riverside Church of Christ.

- David Moore** will be presenting a Sunday morning Bible study in Second Corinthians beginning April 2. The study will focus on Paul's missionary theology, the struggles and hardship of the Christian life, and Paul's relationship with the church in Corinth.