

The Lord's Day
Sunday, November 19, 2023
Sandy Creek United Wesleyan Church
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Thanksgiving Prayer

On Thanksgiving Day, as we bow our heads to pray, may we give You thanks and Praise Your glorious name. May we thank You, Lord for family, friends and all the blessings that come from above. May we give thanks for the food prepared by loving hands. When we partake of this food, may we pray for health and strength to carry on and try to live as You would have us.

This We Ask In Jesus Name, Amen

The Morning Message

Reverend Brian Snyder

PRAYER REQUESTS FOR

The Family and Friends of Kenney LaRue

Emma • Betty Lou Pickett • Ron Pickett
Nancy Casler • Julie Pierce • Dustin Blodgett
Mrs. Mavery • Dorice Stewart • Stanley Perzan
Burt Goodnough • Tina (Paula's daughter) • Jared Eldridge
Carl & Danielle • Daniel Shirley • Mary Hesford • Ron Latella
Helen Potter • Laura Paddock • Beverly Snyder • Dan Race
Bonnie VanDyke • Mark Freeden • George Steven • Randy
Norm Kepner • Lynn & Stan • Shaun Hull • Patricia Myers
Doris Bates • Donna Thurston • Stanley Kepner • Karen Ross

MISSIONARIES: Mozambique: Rev. Jim Pickett

ALL MILITARY SERVICE PERSONNEL

NEXT WEEK: SUNDAY, November 26, 2023

Greeters: Steve Berkman / Marilyn Poole

Security: Fred Poole / Jerry Weed / Wayne Davis

If anyone is interested in being on the Missions Committee, please contact Karen Snyder or Margaret Blodgett.

Monday, November 20, 6:00 PM: Ladies Bible Study

Tuesday, November 21, 9:00 AM: Men's Bible Study

Tuesday, November 21, 6:00 PM: Grief Share Holiday Program

Wednesday, November 22, 6:00 PM: Men's Bible Study

Wednesday, November 22, 7:00 PM: Brian Derby Prayer Study:-
Talking with God thru Prayer.

Saturday, November 25, 10:00-3:00 PM: Christmas Bazaar– Volunteers needed to Help Work, donate Food, make Bake Goods. Please sign-up at Welcome Desk.

Saturday, December 2, 1:00 PM: Baby Sprinkle Shower for Leah Strader, Everyone is Welcome.

1 Chronicles 29:13

“Our God, we give you Thanks, and Praise your Glorious Name.”

Giving thanks to God is not just something we do on Thanksgiving Day. We can thank God every day, in both big and small ways. We can express our gratitude through prayer or by taking time to appreciate the world around us. We can also show our thanks by helping others and spreading kindness. Whatever way you choose, giving thanks is a meaningful way to recognize the blessings in our lives and show our appreciation for them.

Being genuinely thankful requires us to look beyond our current circumstances—whether blessings or struggles—and look to God, our true source of blessings. It's easy to thank God when we can physically see and touch his blessings—food, money, clothes, good health, family. . . but what happens when feeling thankful is hard? How can we truly live a thankful life?

It may not be Thanksgiving Day yet, but we can learn from Thanksgiving Day all year long. The pilgrims suffered great hardships and loss, yet they chose to celebrate and thank God, believing they were blessed. There will always be circumstances, events and news for which we are not thankful.

But, we can always express our gratitude to God through prayer and experience the power that comes from letting go of negativity and opening our eyes to the blessings surrounding us.

Gratitude is the inward
feeling of kindness received.

Thankfulness is the natural
impulse to express that feeling.

Thanksgiving is the following
of that impulse.



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