

The Lord's Day

October 1, 2023

Call to Worship: William Hampton
Welcome/Announcements: Pastor Jordan Wright
Invocation: Pastor Jordan Wright
Worship: 'I'd Rather Have Jesus' #506
Pastoral Prayer: Pastor Danny Janes
Special Music: Mark Kenchel
Sermon: Pastor Danny Janes

"A Life Worth Living"

Scripture: Colossians 1:1-10

Closing Prayer: Pastor Danny Janes

Prayer Requests

Tim Belford, Doris Brewer, Frances Caldwell, Nancy Friddle, Cindy Greeson, Angela Holt, David James, Edward Jordan, Jennifer Jordan, Tara Jordan, Barbara McCormick, Julie McCormick, Kevin Middleton, Mike Rash, Barbara Sebastian, Ed Sebastian, Carla Sharpe, Jill Strader, Abby Suggs

YOUNG at HEART TRIP TO MYRTLE

 **BEACH: November 28-30.** If you are planning to go, please let **Barbara McCormick (336-643-9380)** know by **October 1.** Cost is \$215 per person for double occupancy. Payment is due by **October 29.**

"CUP of GRACE" LADIES BIBLE STUDY:

 Please join us **October 3,** at **6:30 p.m.** for a "Cup of Grace". To **RSVP** or for more information contact **Marti Hyatt (336-706-0074), Tanna Janes (336-482-8246),** or **Trish Naylor (336-202-8546).**

RENOVATIONS AND UPGRADES: Please be patient with us as we see a few major renovations, upgrades, and repairs this fall.



Beginning **October 2,** there will be painting in several areas throughout the Church and FLC buildings. On **October 16,** we will begin replacement of the tile flooring in the FLC and completion of the restroom stall upgrades. This will take a couple of weeks to complete. We thank you in advance for your understanding and flexibility as we may need to adjust our location of events during these times.

We also ask if the weather is chilly over the next few weeks, that you dress warm for church. During our inspection/maintenance of our heating systems we were advised we have an issue in a couple of the units. We are awaiting the parts needed to make the repairs needed.

WESLEYAN WOMEN: All ladies are invited to join us on **Thursday, October 12, at 6:30 p.m.** for our October monthly Wesleyan

Women's meeting. **Darlene Deatrick** will be leading us in a food craft this month. Sign-up sheets will be available in the classrooms next Sunday, October 8.

TRUNK-OR-TREAT: Tuesday, October 31,

Join Us For **Trunk or Treat** from **6:00 – 8:00 p.m.,** here in the church parking lot. Old and Young please come out (*in your favorite costume if you wish*) and enjoy the fun. We need

lots of **candy** – and lots of **people** to participate. So, if you can, please donate. Please see or contact **Brad** or **Amy Suggs (336-643-6968)** if you would like to contribute. This is a **HUGE** outreach Ministry for our community!

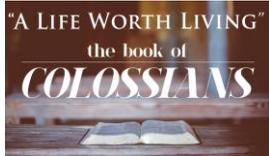


FOLLOW 2023 - YOUTH CONFERENCE:



The Youth are attending the International Youth Conference in Cincinnati, OH, this December. This conference only happens once every four years. If you can help, there is an Envelope Board in the Welcome Center numbered 1-100, please choose an envelope, and return it with the amount corresponding to its number (e.g., 20=\$20).

NEW FALL SERMON SERIES: The book of



Colossians is short—only four chapters—but it is a power-packed book that tells us how to truly experience “*A Life*

Worth Living.” Starting this **Sunday, October 1**, Pastor Danny will be sharing a 10-week sermon series that will include topics like: “*Jesus In First Place,*” “*A Heart for Ministry,*” “*The Danger of Deception,*” “*All Dressed Up – and Someplace to Go,*” and “*Talk Isn’t Cheap!*” Please join us as we dive into becoming all God wants us to be.

CONDOLENCES:



Our condolences and prayers are extended to the family of **Jerry Linville**. Jerry passed away on Monday, September 18. He was the brother of **Vestal Linville**.



Our condolences and prayers are extended to the **James Durham** family. James passed away Wednesday, September 27,

at Moses Cone Hospital. James is the father of **Carolyn (Angel) Manley**. A Memorial Service will be announced at a later date. Please keep his wife, Kay, Carolyn, and the family in your prayers.

WE CELEBRATE the exciting news that as of



September 21, 2023, the adoption of **Cainan Nicholas James** became official. We congratulate **Frankie & Lisa (Holt) James** on the adoption of their new son. God bless

you all!

WESLEYAN MEN~ BOSTON BUTT SALE:



The Wesleyan Men will be selling Boston Butts on **November 4**. Pre-order sheets are in the entry ways until October 27. A whole butt is \$45 and a 1lb. container is \$10. Please see insert for more details.

SUNDAY SCHOOL UPDATE: We are excited



to announce that our **Puppies Class** (ages 3-5 years old & potty trained) has started!

We are still looking for someone (or a team) to lead our Young Adults Class (18-30 years old). Our Sunday School classes begin at 9:00 a.m. and serve all ages from Nursery through Senior Adult.

Offering for Sunday, September 24, 2023

Sunday School	\$30.00
Missions	\$340.00
Offering	\$3,427.00
Online	<u>\$3,465.09</u>
Total Received	\$7,262.09
Children	\$35.00
Youth	\$110.00
In As Much Fund	\$25.00

Budget Conf. Year 2023-2024	\$339,115.00
September 2023 - Budget Assigned	\$26,085.77
Weekly Budget Assigned	\$6,521.44
Amount Rec 4 Sunday(s) in Sept.	\$26,521.75
Amt Rec'd as of Sept. 24, 2023	\$152,163.77
Budgeted amount for week 21	\$136,950.29

Tellers: Rebecca Richardson and Terri Simpson

“A LIFE WORTH LIVING”

the book of

COLOSSIANS

Date: October 1, 2023

Text: Colossians 1:1-10

“And we pray this in order that you may live a life worthy of the Lord and may please Him in every way...” (Col. 1:10)

An outline of Colossians:



1. The _____ of faith, hope, and love

*“We always thank God. . .when we pray for you, because we have heard of your **faith** in Christ Jesus and the **love** that you have for all the saints. . .the **faith** and **love** that spring from the **hope** that is stored up for you. . .” (vs. 3-5)*

2. The _____ of the Gospel

“All over the world this gospel is bearing bearing fruit and growing just as it has been doing among you since the day that you heard it. . .” (vs. 6-7)

- It is _____
- It is _____
- It is _____ and _____
- It is _____ by _____

3. The _____ of God’s Will (vs. 9)

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