

# Those To Serve

Nov. 30<sup>th</sup>, 2025

## Morning Worship

### Announcements

Zac Hall

### Song Leader

George Thomas

### Opening Prayer

Steve Phillips

### Preside

Ed Hanson

### Assist

Zac Hall

### Closing Prayer

Ed Hanson

## Evening Worship

### Opening Prayer

Ed Hanson

### Closing Prayer

Steve Phillips

### Lord's Supper

George Thomas

## Wednesday Dec. 3<sup>rd</sup>

### Song Leader

Zac Hall

### Invitation

George Thomas

## Building And Communion for The Week of Dec. 7<sup>th</sup>

Zac Hall

## Lawn And Ground for The Week of Dec. 7<sup>th</sup>

Zac Hall

# The Park Street Proclaimer

## Those Fighting Cancer

Leanna Shafer, Cody Carr, and Don Stephenson

## Prayer List

Barbra Hook, Susan Tigner, Pj McCray, Ed Jones, Drew Shinn, Joe Tigner, and Linda Thomas.

## Shut - Ins

Debbie McGuire, Millie Robertson, and Lee Brunner

## Upcoming Events

Fellowship Meal Nov. 30<sup>th</sup>  
Questions and Answers Nov. 30<sup>th</sup>  
Ladies Class Dec. 13<sup>th</sup> at 10:00am

## Anniversary

Trevor and Sarah Collins Nov. 30<sup>th</sup>

## Birthdays

Linda Thomas Dec. 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Lehya Hall 3<sup>rd</sup>

## Passage to Ponder: John 13:16

Verily, verily, I say unto you, The servant is not greater than his lord; neither he that is sent greater than he that sent him.

## Sunday Sermons

Am – The Portraits of Christ: Jesus the Servant  
Pm – Questions and Answers

## Bible Studies

Sunday Morning – Acts 7:4  
Wednesday Night – Isaiah 29:1



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## WORSHIP SCHEDULE

### Sunday

Bible Study ..... 9:30 AM  
Morning Worship..... 10:30 AM  
Evening Worship..... 6:00 PM

### Wednesday

Bible Study ..... 7:00 PM

**Preacher: Zac Hall**

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### Are You a Christian?

**Do you know what you must do to be saved?**

Hear – Romans 10:17  
Believe – John 8:24  
Repent – Acts 17:30  
Confess – Romans 10:9-10  
Be Baptized – 1 Peter 3:21  
Live Faithfully – Revelation 2:10

## Got a Bible question?

Be sure to submit it in the blue box on the table in the foyer! You can also text your question to 913-764-2325 or email it to [olathecoc@gmail.com](mailto:olathecoc@gmail.com)  
Questions will be answered the last Sunday evening of each month.

## What Does God Expect of Me as a Christian?

Larry W. Grown

God's word is clear in regard to His expectation of Christians. "*According as his divine power hath given unto us all things that pertain unto life and godliness, through the knowledge of him that hath called us to glory and virtue*" (2 Peter 1:3). Often, however, we are quick to adopt the excuse-making attitude exhibited by Moses when he was confronted by the angel of Jehovah at the burning bush (Exodus 3). We say, "I can't do that because..." God, however, has given each of us something which is a constant reminder of His expectations of us, that being a physical body.

God Has Given Us **EARS** With Which To Listen. God's first expectation of us as Christians is that we listen to His Word. God's Word says that "*faith cometh by hearing and hearing by the word of God*" (Rom. 10:17). As Christians, we must have the attitude of God's people in the day of Nehemiah (Neh. 8) whose purpose was to hear (v.1), who made preparation to hear (v.3), who expended effort to understand what they heard (vs.3,8), and who showed respect for what they heard (vs.5,9).

God Has Given Us **EYES** With Which To See. We are expected to use our eyes to look at the examples we are given. By so doing the Christian gains strength to live the pattern for life he finds disclosed in God's word. The ultimate example for all Christians is Jesus the Christ. We are directed in 1 Peter 2:21-23 to "follow his steps." The Bible assures us in Hebrews 4:15 that Christ has been faced with it all, yet He did not sin. Paul, the apostle, encourages us to imitate his own life even as he imitated the life of Christ (1 Cor. 11:1). Therefore, we are not only expected to see the example of Christ, but also the example of the apostles and beyond that, the examples of other faithful Christians (Phil. 3:17; Heb. 13:7).

Further, we are expected to use our eyes to see false teachers for what they are. The warning from 2 John 9-11 is clear: "*Whosoever transgresseth, and abideth not in the doctrine of Christ, hath not God. He that abideth in the doctrine of Christ, he hath both the Father and the Son. If there come any unto you, and bring not this doctrine, receive him not into your house, neither bid him God speed: For he that biddeth him God speed is partaker of his evil deeds.*" Brethren, there are false teachers among us (Acts 20:29-31; 2 Peter 2:1-2; Phil. 3:18-19). Do you defend false teachers? Do you give them words of encouragement? Do you support them financially? If so, you are in sin and are not meeting God's expectation of you.

God Has Given Us A **HEAD** With Which To Think. Christians are expected to think on good things. Philippians 4:8 stands as proof that the Bible teaches mind control, not mind control that is placed upon us by others, but rather control of our own thoughts and will. Clearly, since the word of God is "*quick to discern the thoughts and intents of the heart*" (Heb. 4:12), we are expected to maintain control over these thoughts and intents.

God Has Given Us A **HEART** With Which To Feel. The Christian is expected to feel compassion for the wayward brother (Gal. 6:1; James 5:19-20) and share in God's desire for the alien sinner's repentance (1 Tim. 2:4; 2 Peter 3:9). Do we love the lost? Do we hurt because we understand the eternal consequences for those who will not repent, or worse yet, for those who have never heard the Gospel (2 Thess. 1:7-9)? Christians must feel the weight of responsibility and the urgency for the action placed upon us.

God Has Given Us **FEET** With Which To Go. We as Christians are expected to use our feet to go and teach. The words of the great commission as recorded in Matthew 28:18-20 demonstrate that each Christian has a personal responsibility to go and teach. Do as much as you can, whenever and wherever you can to tell others about Christ. Tell your friends, your family, your co-workers, and if the opportunity is yours, those in foreign lands about the eternal nature of man, the eternal blessing of Heaven, the eternal punishment of Hell and the Gospel plan of salvation.

God Has Given Us A **MOUTH** With Which To Speak. Christians are expected to use their mouths to speak in confession of their belief in Christ as the only begotten Son of God (Rom. 10:10; Matt. 10:32), and in proclamation of the Word (2 Tim. 4:1-2; 1 Peter 3:15). We are also expected to speak in defense of or to "*contend earnestly for the faith*" (Jude 3) and to do so unashamedly (Rom. 1:16). Never let anyone walk over the truth, be he an intentional false teacher or a brother in error. Remember what James wrote: "*But the wisdom that is from above is first pure, then peaceable...*" (James 3:17).

God Has Given Us **HANDS** With Which To Do. Looking to the example we find in the great book of Nehemiah (4:17), God expects the Christian to use one of his hands to work by providing for the work of the church (1 Cor. 16:1-2), by providing for our families (1 Tim. 5:8), and by providing for the needy (Eph. 4:28). The other hand is to be filled with the greatest weapon of all, "*the sword of the Spirit*" (Eph. 6:17) and with it God expects us to "*Fight the good fight of the faith...*" (1 Tim. 6:12).

Goebel Music quoted Leroy Brownlow as saying: "The medical marvel of the ages is how that so many men have lived so long without a backbone." Truly, Christians are expected to use the blessings each has been given, our *ears*, our *eyes*, our *head*, our *heart*, our *feet*, our *mouth*, and our *hands* with courage and steadfastness.

First Corinthians 15:58 says: "*Wherefore, my beloved brethren, be ye stedfast, unmovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, forasmuch as ye know that your labor is not vain in the Lord.*"