

### TIME OF SERVICES

#### Sunday:

Bible Classes	10:00 a.m.
Worship Service	11:00 a.m.
Worship Service	6:00 p.m.

#### Wednesday:

Bible Classes	7:00 p.m.
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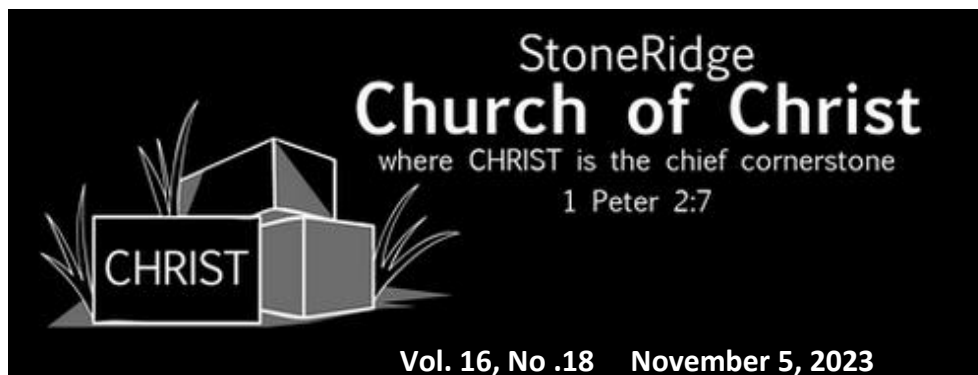
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MAKES CHRISTIANS AND CHRISTIANS  
ONLY. THE CHURCH OF CHRIST IS  
COMPOSED OF CHRISTIANS WHO HAVE  
NOT JOINED A DENOMINATION.**



## Being Thankful

The Thanksgiving Day holiday is here. It is always a good time of year. Usually it brings a warm and loving setting for family and friends. As Americans we have so much to be thankful for. We live in a free democratic society, and we are blessed with abundance. Such blessings are unknown to most of the world. Christians, however, have many more blessed reasons to be thankful to God. Here are a few that come to mind:

1. We are thankful that we are saved. A tremendous sacrifice was given for us that we might have forgiveness of our sins. Great is the love God extended to us in the person of His Son! Christians should really be thankful and rejoice in the Lord for such love (Philippians 4:4).
2. We are thankful for the privilege of prayer. It is a wonderful blessing to be able to talk to the Almighty God. In prayer we can praise His holy name for being so good to us. Through prayer we can ask for help with our problems and struggles. By faith, we know that God hears us and will answer responsively. What a blessing of comfort!
3. We are thankful for His providential care. He has promised to take care of our daily needs if we will put Him first in our lives. In fact, God has promised to never leave us nor forsake us (Hebrews 13:5). What a blessing of peace! →

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4. We are thankful for the family of God. God in His wisdom has given us the church family who loves and cares for us. It is a wonderful feeling when we see our brothers and sisters in Christ showing us deeds of kindness and love. We are blessed with the wonderful sense of belonging!

5. We are thankful for the privilege of worshipping God. God desires our worship (John 4:23). He deserves to be worshiped because of the love that He has shown us in the sacrifice of His Son. Understanding the greatness of the gift, we desire to worship the Giver. In our worship we are given the privilege of expressing our love in a special way. What a blessing to worship God!

God has been so good to us. Let us keep His acts of love ever before us. Let us always be thankful.

## *News/Notes/Quotes.*

**THE SICK.** **Tevonia Richmond** was sick and unable to be out last week... **Debbie Spencer's** back surgery still hasn't been scheduled yet... **Susan Pickens** got a better report from her doctor but is restricted on lifting things. .... **Sherry Horton** is still being treated for back issues... **Gracelyn Lands** will have surgery on 12/6... **Virginia Bishop** will have knee surgery on 11/9... ... **Bob Johnson** is having back issues... **Ruby Vanhooser** (Virginia's mom) is now under hospice care... ... **Corey Ladyman** had foot surgery and has a large wound ... **Sherry Horton** had another back injection and is to have an MRI... **Holly Kortan's** surgery is pending... **Ellie Beth Pierce** (Paul's & Melissa's granddaughter) is still under doctor's care... **Chloe Humblet** is away for awhile for some specialized treatment .... **Shut-ins:** **Rhea Vines** (at Roger's house)... **Gail Brooks** room 423 Lawrence Hall, Walnut Ridge... **Rita Kieffer**, St. Bernard Village ... **Shirley Coots**, Lawrence County Nursing (hospice care)... **Joyce Riley** at St. Elizabeth's Place... **Bob and Jean Evans** at home... **Betty Shrable** at home. Pray for these!

**GROUP MEETINGS.** The meeting for **Group 2** has been changed to Nov 18, 5:30 at the Christenberry's.

**NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS.** 2<sup>nd</sup> – Susan Pickens; 6<sup>th</sup> – Karen Livesay; 7<sup>th</sup> – Levi Hembrey, Madison Suell; 10<sup>th</sup> – MaDonna Vines; 11<sup>th</sup> – Nola Christenberry; 15<sup>th</sup> – Stephanie Camp, Zeke Moody; 17<sup>th</sup> – Steve Richmond; 19<sup>th</sup> - Jonathan Stubblefield; 20<sup>th</sup> – Bob Johnson; 28<sup>th</sup> – Ann Hudson; 30<sup>TH</sup> – Debbie Bearden





