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Weekly Services Sunday Morning Prayer 9:15 & 10:00 am **Sunday School** 10:00 am Sunday Morning Worship 10:45 am Sunday ikidz 10:45 am Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 pm Tuesday Prayer -The Hedge 7:00 pm Wednesday Family Enrichment 7:00 pm Wednesday Youth: The Edge 7:00 pm Wednesday Choir Practice 8:00 pm **Thursday Prayer Meeting** 10:00 am Please visit our website for additional information.

How Can I Be Saved?

Acknowledge You Have Sinned. "If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us" (I John 1:8) "For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God" (Romans 3:23)

Believe In Jesus. "Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved, and thy house" (Acts 16:31). "For God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life" (John 3:16).

Confess and Renounce Your Sin. "That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved" (Romans 10:9). "If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness (I John 1:9).



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John 12:32



TODAY'S MESSAGE:

"MAKING HIM LORD"

John 12:32 And I, if I be lifted up from the earth, will draw all men unto me.

Upcoming Events & Opportunities to Serve

CONDOLENCES: Our condolences to Jack Broughman over the passing of his Father, Jack L. Broughman Sr.; to Chris Collins over the passing of his Mother, Rev. Clara Collins and to Raymond Tenant over the passing of his Father, Jerry Tennant. Our prayers are with each of you and your families.

EASTER SALVATION PRAISES: We had 11 saved on Friday night and 54 saved on Sunday morning at our program "All My Hope" and we also had 52 saved Saturday at our Easter Family Day. That's 117 souls saved this past Easter weekend! PTL PTL PTL!!!!!!!

PEARLS OF WISDOM (WOMEN'S MINISTRY): (56 and over) Will meet this Tuesday night in room 102.

DIAMONDS & RUBIES (WOMEN'S MINISTRY): (Ladies up to 55) and: will meet this Tuesday, April 10th at 7:00 pm with western theme. Bring fixins to go with BBQ chicken. Guest speaker is Rachel Ward.

MEN'S MINISTRY: is this Tuesday, April 10th at 7:00 PM. Bring fixins to go with BBQ chicken. Guest speaker is Rev. Cecil Browder.

YOUTH CAMP POWER RALLY: "LIGHT IT UP" youth camp power rally will be here next Sunday night on April 15th at 6pm. Our State Youth Director, Rev. Scottie Hager will be our special guest speaker. Plan now to be here and help support our youth.

WONDERFULLY MADE MINISTRY: is requesting that we wear blue Sunday April 29th in recognition of Autism Awareness. Let's light it up blue!

BAPTISM CERTIFICATES: If you were baptized, please go to the Welcome Center and pick up your certificate. Congratulations for taking such a wonderful step in following Christ.

TAX HELP: If you earn \$54,000 or less, free tax preparation is offered at the Downtown Sumter Library at 111 N. Harvin St. Services are available thru April 16th, Mon. & Tues. from 5p-730p. Photo ID and Social Security cards are required to file.

HEDGE PRAYER SERVICE: Every Tuesday at 7p.m. This is a powerful time of Intercession and spiritual breakthrough. Come experience God with a Prayer Encounter.

BUILDING FUND DRIVE: "TOGETHER WE WILL" pay off \$2.3 million in less than 24 months. GOD is doing mighty things, be a part of this great move of GOD. We want to have 100% of our members tithing.

ATTENTION: Today, Altar Team 2 will be ministering in the altars!



STATE WOMEN'S CONFERENCE: Registration April 20: 5:00 - 6:30 pm; Friday Service:7:00 pm; Saturday:9:00 am-12:00 Registration: \$40 (price includes t-shirt) After March 20: \$50 (t-shirt not guaranteed) Registration forms are at the Welcome Center.



SENIOR ADULT RETREAT REGISTRATION: Early Bird payment of \$30 has been extended until April 23, 2018 and from April 24 thru May 11 the payment will be \$35. You may contact Pastor Sims or Pastor Owens for more information concerning Retreat and available lodging in dormitory. If you are staying in a hotel you still need to register for retreat through the Church. Payments can be made at the Welcome Center or See Pastor Howard Owens.

Please keep these in prayer: Marie Baker, Larry Barnes, Peter Connor, William Dunaway, Terran Dupree, Jesse Edwin, Doris Estep, Kristina Everett, Vickie Ford, Larry Harrington, Paul Hostetler, Diana Jacobs, Sarah Lee, Kristi Mullen, Jan Nance, Theresa Pruett, Ed Pugh, Evelyn Ryan, Theresa Ryan, Emma-Kate Shirah, T.C. Smith, Sherry Spencer, David Ward, Karen Kaufman Watts, Diana Wilkie.