SUNDAY SERVICE TIMES 9 A.M. / FB LIVE 9:05 A.M. BIBLE CLASS 10 A.M. /SUNDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY 6 P.M. WEDNESDAY EVENING CLASS 6:30 P.M.

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> **OFFICE HOURS: MON-FRI 8AM-3PM**

SERVICE & WORSHIP HELPERS FOR NOVEMBER 26

David Preslev

Travis Prewitt

Chris Quattlebaum

Rick Quattlebaum

Sunday Service 9 a.m. / Bible class 10 a.m. & 6 p.m.

SERMON: Steve Powers

PRESIDE OFFERING PRAYER: Heath Gipson

SCRIPTURE: Hutch Gipson **CLOSING PRAYER:** Larry Keener

SUNDAY & WED. USHERS: Carl Curtis & David Kernodle

Servers: Maddox Bell, Titus Ellis, Dustin Hedrick, Twig McKinney, Jerry

Peters, Richie Poe, Raymond Stills, Robert Williams **GREETERS:** Rain Wilson & Cris Williams

SERVICE FOR COUNTRYSIDE ASST. LIVING 1 PM

Sawyer & Tead Deakins/ Heath & Hutch Gipson

SONGLEADER: 9 a.m David Bell

TECH Booth: Michael Tomlinson **Streaming AV:** Austin Harris

NURSERY: Willmott family **WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 29**

Scripture & Prayer: Rick Quattlebaum (Gen. 37)

ANNOUNCEMENTS: Ron Lenderman

SONGLEADER: Lucas Collins

Attendance: WED. 11/15-131 -SUN. 11/19-9 a.m. 265

BC: 176 p.m.: **Contribution** 11/19- \$7,774.00

COMMUNION & BUILDING: David Glenn **WORSHIP LEADER:** Travis Prewitt **ELDER OF THE MONTH:** Larry Keener



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NO LOOKING DOWN NECCESARY

It is hard to imagine our world without the cellphones we are now all so used to. It is as though the entire world is experiencing the rest of the world through handheld screens. People walk around with their noses glued to their cellphones; I've chuckled at video clips of people so focused on their phone that they trip into fountains or run into things. And even in restaurants, it seems as though people not actually round the table may have a better claim on our attention than those physically present! And yet, the smartphone, as we now know it, only appeared in 2007 (Apple)/2008 (Android), a mere 16 years ago. The telephone per se was invented in 1876 by AG Bell, but it would be another while before the trend fully caught on. For those my age, talking on the (landline) phone meant being tied to a long cord. Private calls required unraveling a 25 foot cord from the wall phone and taking the receiver into a private room.

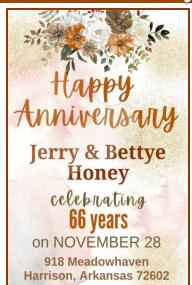
But now we can all talk directly (and through video calls, also see directly) anyone anywhere in the world who has one of these small staples of modern life. They have come a long way in a short time: one of my first cell phones (late 1990s) was a heavy bag phone with an antenna magnetically placed on the roof of the car!

Is there a lesson to be learned for us Christians here? I believe there is: we regularly speak to God through prayer. No intermediary device is necessary; wherever we are, we can refer ourselves to God, share with him, ask for counsel and help, and above all submit ourselves to his will, worshiping him in the way we reminded ourselves about, this last Sunday in the sermon (Revelation 5:11-13). What's more, in communicating directly with God, we do not need to glue our faces to a screen - we can look up, and around ourselves, admiring God's work, or bow our heads and offer a prayer to

In the early years of the telephone, social critics warned of the dangers of a device that would "fray" the "old forms of civility." But the yearning for contact and communication would not be denied. By the 1920s, one third of all US households contained phones.

May we cultivate a yearning for contact and communication with God that will not be denied: no looking down necessary. Stephen Powers

Family News



Welcome



Ethan Middleton

Ethan's email is: emiddleton38@gmail.com

Northside Family, Thank you for all the acts of kindness and prayers. Jerry L. Honey



Prairie God!

Kara Hedrick was baptized into Christ Friday, November 17 at Northside. Please keep Kara in your prayers as she continues to grow in her faith. Her address is:

7071 Hwy 7N Harrison, Arkansas 72601

thank you.

Dear Northside Family, Thank you for the calls, prayers,cards and visits. Especially thank you Rick Quattlebaum and group for the lovely lap blanket and visit.

In Christian love, Faye Kisner

Thank you

To our Northside family, We cannot tell you what it meant to have so many of our church family at the "True Character" premiere. Did you notice that Rick Watts interview, Brandon's youth minister, was filmed at Northside, making it even more special.

Please know that we are forever blessed to call Northside our home. Love you all. Marty and Vickie

Prayer Request

ONGOING

Joan Drewry

Marsh Garza

Dawn Greer Richard larrett

Rav Mathis

Rodney Dinwiddie

T.J. & Whitney Pulliam

NURSING HOME

& ASST. LIVING

Barbara Burlsworth

Charlotte Gregory

Sharon Ballard

Mike Eckhart

Sue Mangrum

Toppy Parker

Donnie Patton

Ruth Pratt

Ann Warren

Faye McLaughlin

Curt & Reba Shaddox

CURRENT

Family of Shannon Brit- *Rain Wilson's niece,* passed away.

Jane Brown family- Jane's brother, Paul Rose, from Springfield, MO. passed away. Please keep the family in your prayers.

Mary Gibson – is at home now and has begun at home therapy.

Richard Jarrett- Keep Richard and the family in your prayers through his struggles.

Family of Donnie Patton- Donnie was a member of Bellefonte, he passed away 11/17.

Jillian Willis- 2nd grader at Skyline, was diagnosed with a rare brain tumor.

THERE WILL BE NO SMALL GROUPS THIS SUNDAY. WE WILL ALL MEET AT THE CHURCH.

The Bereavement Support
Group will be meeting
Wednesday, November 29 in
the Activity Building
@ 5 p.m.

At Home

Grace Brisco Mary Brown Herb Gipson Dawn Greer Faye Kisner

Shirley Jordan Marjorie Malone Kathleen Mullens James Reddell

November Funeral Dinner Coordinators

Jo Alexander, Brenda Clark, Emily Rhoads

Announcements





and a finger-food.



WE ARE IN NEED OF VOLUNTEERS

We have some warm blankets that we would like to pass out while visiting some of our widows, widowers and shut-ins.

Please sign-up on the bulletin board if you can help.

MEET DECEMBER 16 @ 11 AM IN THE ACTIVITY BUILDING AND WE WILL LEAVE FROM THERE.

This is a 6th-Under sponsored event but we would love for all members to participate.



Family Dinner Night
December 9
@ 6 p.m. in
The Activity Building

TEENS AND THEIR FAMILIES COME JOIN US AS WE DISCUSS ALL THE ACTIVITIES WE ARE PLANNING FOR 2024

