



Welcome!

***“Thanks to the Father”***

Sunday, April 12, 2025

Morning Worship 10:30 am

Call to Worship: Hymn #51 *“Alleluia! Alleluia!”*  
 Welcome, Announcements, & Prayer

Reading God's Word: Colossians 1:12-14 (Pew Bible p. 1023)  
 Worship in Giving  
 Hymn #43 *“Rejoice, the Lord Is King”*  
 Greeting  
 Children's Story

***“Thanks to the Father”***

Gene Speer, speaking  
**Colossians 1:12-14** (Pew Bible p. 1023)

Hymn #560 *“Give Thanks”*  
 Hymn #650 *“I Love to Tell the Story”*  
 Hymn #79 *“To God Be the Glory”*  
 Hymn #11 *“I Sing the Mighty Power of God”*

Testimonies  
 Hymn #651 *“We've a Story to Tell to the Nations”*

Benediction

- \* Nursery Care Ages 0-3 / Today: TBD
- \* In need of Prayer? Fill out the Prayer Card and drop in the offering bag.
- \* New to our Church Family? Fill out the Welcome Card.

**We Believe The Gospel**

**\*\* It Makes a Difference \*\***

**Living by the Law:**

*Merit based on what I do*

**Living by Faith in Jesus:**

*Merit base on Whom I know*

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Sunday School Classes 9:30 am

**Adults:**

**Adult 1:** 1 Peter - Steve Smith, teacher  
**Adult 2:** James – Daniel Johnson, teacher  
**Jr & Sr High:** Paul Peabody, teacher

**Children:**

**2-4 year olds:** Roycé Peabody , teacher  
**5-8 year olds:** Rebecca Smith, teacher  
**9-12 year olds:** Patrick Peters, teachers

**Later Today**

Bible Study ~ 6:00 pm

**This week at Grace**

Mon/13	Tue/14	Wed/15	Thu/16	Fri/17	Sat/18
Centershot 6:30 pm		Men's Prayer 6 am Senior Connections 11 am Prayer Mtg. 6:30 pm	Ladies' Bible Study 10 am		

**Next Sunday, April 19<sup>th</sup>**

9:15 am Sunday School  
 10:30 am Morning Worship  
 12:30 pm Potluck  
 2:00 pm Annual Ministry Meeting

**Coming Events**

Sat., April 25, 7:00 am	Men's Breakfast
Wed., April 29, 10:30 am	J.O.Y. Fellowship
Thurs., April 30, 9:00 am	Elder Board Meeting
Fri., May 1, 6:00 pm	Ladies' Spring Dinner
Sun., May 3, 10:30 am	Communion Fellowship
1:30 pm	Monthly Potluck
Sun., May 10	Mother's Day

*For Information & Spiritual Help*

**Church Leaders:**

**Elders:** Steve Smith (chair), Gene Speer, Paul Peabody, Dave Germond

**Pastor/Staff Elder:** Gene Speer / **Music Director:** Chris Dortignac

**Church Administrator/Deacon:** Gerald Innes

**Prayer Chain:** Call or email the church office

*Please see your directory or call the church office for contact information.*

*Open Office Hours*

9:00 am – 5:00 pm, Monday-Thursday  
*Office Closed on Fridays*

**Welcome/Prayer Cards**

If you are new, we would like to get to know you. There are welcome/prayer cards in the pew rack in front of you. Please fill out your information or any prayer requests you may have.

**Senior Connections: God, Friends & Ministry**

Folks 55ish and up, join us THIS **Wednesday, April 15 at 11:00 am.** The church will provide the main dish (sliders) so please bring a side or dessert to share and we will have lunch, music with the Boohers, time in God’s Word and guest speaker Tim Remington. Please sign up in the back of the sanctuary.

**Annual Ministry Meeting**

Our annual meeting is scheduled for NEXT **Sunday, April 19 at 2:00 pm.** We will have a potluck before the meeting at 12:30 pm. Members, check your boxes in the foyer for the agenda. All are welcome, members expected!

**Men’s Breakfast**

Men, join us on **Saturday, April 25 at 7:00 am.** We will have breakfast, fellowship and time in God’s Word. Please sign up in the back of the sanctuary.

**Wednesday Prayer Group**

Come join us on **Wednesday evenings from 6:30-7:30 pm** for a time of corporate prayer here in the church.

**Lost and Found**

Please check the table in the foyer for any items you may have.

**Library Corner ~ Please return these books to this table. Thank you! ~**

- 1) **The Case for a Creator**, by Lee Strobel
- 2) **Beyond Belief to Convictions**, by Josh McDowell & Bob Hostetler
- 3) **Questions God Asks – Questions Satan Asks**, by Douglas J. Rumford

Giving thanks unto the Father, which hath made us meet to be partakers of the inheritance of the saints in light: who hath delivered us from the power of darkness, and hath translated us into the kingdom of his dear Son: in whom we have redemption through his blood, even the forgiveness of sins: ~ Colossians 1:12-14

**Birthdays & ANNIVERSARIES**

- April 12     SHENTON, Randa Speer
- April 13     OWENS/J-G, SPEER
- April 17     WEBER

**Missionaries for This Week**

**Bill and Joy Baxter** – Retired, living in South Dakota, ministering to friends and neighbors

**Ed and Sylvia Christy** – Church planting in France, with Baptist Mid-Missions

**Kent and Marion Fuller** – Ministering in Belize

**Dick and Carol Lynne Grover** – Retired, living in Georgia, ministering to friends and

neighbors

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Income:     \$28,077

Income:     \$347,983

EXPENSES:     \$22,100

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**Building Fund Balance:** \$1,421,497

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