

2026

WALKING IN THE LIGHT

Living in God’s World

Matthew 5:13-16

God Has Always Cared About All Nations

- God created ALL nations from one _____.
(Acts 17:26)
- God allowed ALL nations to make their own _____.
(Acts 14:16-17; 17:30)
- God _____for ALL nations to come to Him.
(Mark 11:17)
- God promised to bless ALL nations through _____.
(Gal. 3:8; Rom. 4:17-18)
- God sent Christ to _____ for ALL nations.
(John 11:49-52)
- God provided _____ for ALL nations to be saved.
(Acts 10:34-35; Rom. 1:5)
- God commands His people to _____ to ALL nations.
(Luke 24:47; Matt. 28:19)
- God will _____ ALL nations.
(Matt. 25:32)

Righteous People Have Always Made a Difference

- Nations are in danger when they _____ God.
(Psa. 9:17)
- Righteousness _____ a nation.
(Prov. 14:34)
- Upright people _____ the places where they live.
(Prov. 11:11)
- A few righteous souls can matter _____ to God.
(Gen. 18:32)
- One righteous person can _____ an ungodly nation.
(Gen. 41:38-40; Dan. 1:8; 6:10, 25-27; Esth. 4:14)
- God’s people are intended to _____ and _____ the world.
(Matt. 5:13-16)
- The righteous (that’s us!) must _____.
Heb. 10:24-25; Deut. 6:6-7; Eph. 6:4;
Col. 3:17, 23; Gal. 6:10

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SCHEDULE

Sunday	
Bible Class	9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship	10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship	5:00 p.m.
Wednesday	
Devo and Bible Class	6:30 p.m.

ELDERS AND STAFF	
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OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE	
Bible Hour Shannon Cottam	
ELDER for October	Dale Donaghe
LADIES COMMITTEE for October	Debbie T Nelson



OCTOBER 18TH 2026

Order Of Worship

Song Leader: Bob Chadwick

Welcome.....Dale Donaghe

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Prayer.....Dave Gastellum

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Lord’s Supper.....Mike Cottam

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Offering.....Bob Murray

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Scripture Reading.....Dan Donaghe

Morning Service.....”Living In God’s World” with Roy Senior

103 Come To Jesus
139 Far And Near

Closing Prayer.....Mike Darnton

Potluck and Devo following Morning Worship.....

Oct. 18th	WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK
	Morning Class @ 9:30 A
	Morning Worship @ 10:30 A
	Potluck and Devo Following Morning Worship
21st	Evening Worship @ 6:30 P
	Ursula Crosby's birthday
24th	Men's Breakfast @ Tom's @ 8:30 A
	Ladies Luncheon @ Noon @ the Building
	Kevin Thompson's birthday

MONTHLY POTLUCK

Our monthly potluck is today following morning worship. A short devo will directly follow the potluck and conclude our services for the day. Any questions, please see one of the Elders.

THE BUDGET FOR 2027

The Elders presented the budget for the fiscal year 2027 last Sunday evening. If you would like a copy, there are some on the back table.

NEWS AND NOTES

- 1) Our “We Care” bags are available upon request.
- 2) The project of refurbishing the rod iron railing is in works.
- 3) Repairs and painting on the left side of the auditorium began yesterday and will complete by Saturday.
- 4) The fellowship hall will support polling again Nov. 3rd.

THOUGHT FOR TODAY

Leave a small note behind for someone to find. A kind word at just the right moment can brighten someone's day and in still **Hope**.

SCRIPTURE FOR TODAY

Anxiety weighs down the heart, but a kind word cheers it up.
~ Proverbs 12:25

PRAYER IS IMPORTANT

-Cheryl Bliss asked for prayers for her friend **Melanie's** daughter **Johanna**. She is in Cottage ICU with a liver laceration from a gymnastics injury. Please keep her in your prayers as well as her family.

-David House was fitted for a brace for his foot this past Thursday. He should receive it in the next couple weeks. Prayers it gives him more stability moving forward.

-Eddie and Ursula Crosby asked for prayers for their friend **Sonja**, who recently had surgery. Please keep her in your prayers.

-Please keep Holly Lueck in your prayers with her daily challenges she faces.

-Continued prayers for Vickie Wadlington and her ongoing health challenges.

-Many of our number were under the weather last week. Bob and Billie Jean Chadwick, Shannon Cottam, Dan Donaghe and Janice Weidman.

-Debbie Nelson left yesterday for a cruise with a friend. She will return this Saturday. Prayers for a safe and blessed trip. Also, her daughter **Kara** had hip surgery this past Monday. Prayers it was successful and that she heals quickly.

-Prayers offered for those waiting for surgery, i.e. Christy Dodson, Julie Pickles, among others. Prayers they will be scheduled soon.

-It was so good to see Robin Murray with us last Sunday. She is healing well. Prayers for **Bob** as he takes care of her.

-It's great to have Loretta and Tracy Bower and Kevin and Ann Thompson back from their trips. **Don Ribble** and his fiancé **Lorna** leave Thursday for a trip. Please keep them in your prayers for safe travels.

JINNY'S CLOSET HAS ALL NEW ITEMS.
PLEASE COME IN AND SHOP!

ENCOURAGING WORDS

What's With the Nine?

It's difficult for us to imagine the emotions of the ten lepers who met Jesus in Luke chapter seventeen. For years, they had been outcasts, and then they stood before the Lord. He saw them and said, "Go, show yourselves to the priests." As they went, they were cleansed. Luke tells us that only one returned to express gratitude to the Savior, and he was the Samaritan. Jesus' questions to him deserve our careful consideration. "Were there not ten cleansed? But where are the nine?" Where would we have been if we had been cleansed by Him? How often do we fail to express gratitude for what He does for us?

When have you given thanks for the blessing of living in this great land? Think of the strife that is around the world. Contrast that with the peace we have in our lives in this land of freedom. We had nothing to do with the land of our birth. Are you among the "nine" who had failed to give thanks?

When have you given thanks for your health? Even if it is bad, there are thousands and thousands of others who are worse off than you are. Think of how blessed we are to have the medicines and doctors to help us. Are you among the "nine" who had failed to give thanks?

When have you given thanks for your salvation by grace? Think of the events which brought those who taught you the gospel and lead to your relationship with the Lord. You did not arrive at the point of your salvation on your own. Paul's words, "By the grace of God I am what I am," are so true of each of us. Yet so often we tend to take this greatest gift for granted. Are you among the "nine" who failed to give thanks?

When have you given thanks to all those who do so much behind the scenes? It is not just our elders/ deacons/ who have the heart of a servant, but there are scores of others who have that kind of heart. There are so those who work with the youth, provide transportation, prepare for events, teach Bible classes, etc. and often are never mentioned. Are you among the "nine" who failed to give thanks?

The "nine" had to be happy that they were cleansed, but what was lacking was a heart of thankfulness. The Bible is filled with admonitions to be thankful for what we have. May we never be among the "Nine."