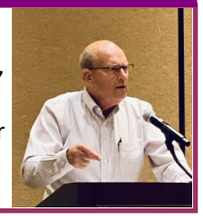
WEDDING SHOWER

A wedding shower for **Eleanor Love** and Nick Ewing will be held February 22 at the home of her parents, **Paul and Joli Love**, 605 E. Race Avenue. Everyone is invited to join them at 6 p.m. for gifts and a grilled cheese sandwich bar. Selections are at Bed, Bath and Beyond and Amazon.

Bridal shower for Megan Ivy, bride elect of Caleb Spears, son of Marty & Glenda Spears and grandson of **Shannon & Wanda Spears** will be held TODAY at the home of Kelsie Turley, 106 Twilight Drive. Selections are Bed, Bath and Beyond, Walmart and Amazon. Gifts early, please.

TO ROCK HOUSE: THANKS FROM 80 MEN



Besides good food and fellowship, the Men's Prayer Breakfast (Feb. 1), featured three "messengers": Isaac Baker, who testified to the positive influence of male role models, **John W. Smith** (pictured), who urged us to "accept the challenge of daily holiness," and Patterson Morgan who transported us to Jericho and the exhilaration of losing our fear by trusting God. We left chastened, stronger, inspired.

DIRECTORY UPDATE

MOVED

Woody & Linda Wilson, 901 Greenwood Drive.



LAST WEEK

Attendance 2/2/2020:
Worship—1255/ Bible Classes— 1027
Children's Worship—58
Worship p.m.—356/ Worship 7:15 p.m.—25

FINANCES

Budget for 2/2/2020.....$52,250.00
Giving for 2/2/2020.....$75,464.11
Budget through Week 23.....$1,087,000.00
Giving through Week 23.....$1,168,584.30

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BIBLE CLASS INFORMATION

Visitors! (and members): If you missed our Bible Class brochure in the Welcome Center, you can use your phone to access a complete list of classes and their locations. And if you don't know how to get to those rooms, just ask us and we'll show or take you there. Classes start at 9:45 a.m.

Scan here for our Bible Class information.

February 9, 2020

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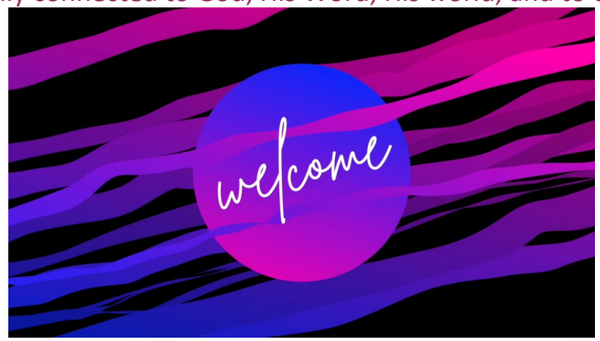


Worship Service
8:15 a.m./10:45 a.m.

Song Service – Al Frazier
Song – "Glorify Your Name"
Song – "Salvation Belongs to Our God"
Welcome – Mike James
Prayer – Darren Mathews/Tim Westbrook
Song – "Wonderful, Merciful Savior"
Scripture – 1 Peter 5:1-4 – David Cole/Sherrill Bennett
Prayer of Blessing for New Elders – David Bangs/Larry Long
Song – "How Beautiful"
Lord's Supper & Offering – Glen Metheny/Byron Howell
Song – "Lord, Take Control"
Song – "Boundless Love"
(Children's Worship dismissed during this song, 8:15 only)
Charge from the Elders – David Burks
Song – "We Bow Down"
Response from New Elders – David Collins
"Good Leaders Need Good Followers" – Noel Whitlock
#389 – "Let Him Have His Way with Thee"
Shepherd's Prayer – David Burks/Charles Ganus

Worship Service
5:00 p.m.

Welcome – Greg Brooks
Song Leader – Jim Randolph
#248 – "How Firm a Foundation"
#258 – "Hungry and Faint and Poor"
Prayer– Don Hood
#895 – "Thy Word"
"Does it Really Matter What We Believe?" – Noel Whitlock
#59 – "Break Thou the Bread Of Life"
#423 – "My God, My Father, Though I Stray"
Lord's Supper served in Room 100
Closing Prayer – David Lawyer

7:15 p.m. Worship Service

Song Service – Barry Rucker
Lord's Supper – Austin Bishop
Devotional – Cade Williams
Shepherd's Prayer – Don England

NEW HERE?

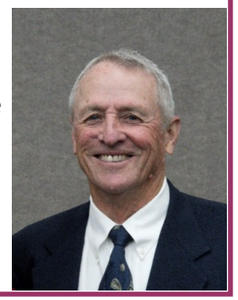
Welcome! For your convenience, training rooms are located in the back of the auditorium. An attended nursery is located on the east side of the building.
Children's Worship is located on the west side of the building.

NOEL'S NOTES

Today we are excited to reaffirm our present eldership and install additional elders, and induction that will take place in both morning assemblies. The following 12 men have been selected with input from the congregation and are all willing to serve:

Jim Adams	**David Collins**	**Darren Mathews**	**Jeff Montgomery**
Sherrill Bennett	**Brad Francis**	**Glen Metheny**	**Barry Rucker**
David Cole	**Byron Howell**	**Kenneth Mills**	**Tim Westbrook**

We will also reaffirm two former elders who desire to serve again: **Richard Duke** and **Mike Justus**. The present eldership will be instrumental in assisting the new elders to assume their responsibilities, but they will also need your help. Please pray for these men and take every opportunity to encourage them.



This is my first opportunity to commend **Steve Smith**, who is stepping down as an elder. Steve has faithfully served since 1992 and continues to have the respect of everyone who knows him. I count it a privilege to share a leadership role with godly men like him. We love and appreciate you, Steve!
I want to commend one of our shepherds, **Jim Carr**, who has been appointed to the U.S. Commission on International Religious Freedom, a bipartisan governmental body that analyzes and reports on threats to our religious freedom. Thank you, Jim!

ELDERS, DEACONS & MINISTERS

All elders, deacons, & ministry staff are invited to a breakfast, Saturday, February 15, from 7:30 a.m.-10:00 a.m. in the Family Room. The purpose of the breakfast is to engage these three groups in providing and gathering information that will strengthen our work together. The cost is $5 per person.

PRAYER & PRAISE

PRAYER CONCERNS

Nancy Collins is in Compassionate Care Center and would appreciate visits and calls; **Louise Ganus** remains in rehab at The Crossing at Riverside. **Laveda Perdue** is homebound. Cards, calls and visits would be appreciated.



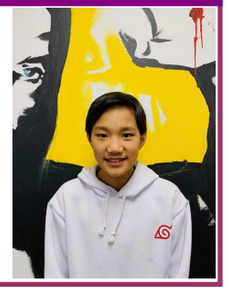
SYMPATHY

Mary Johnson, mother of **Rick Watson**, passed away Wednesday, February 5 in Tulsa, Oklahoma. Mary was a member of Glenpool Church of Christ in Tulsa. Services are pending.

NEW BABY

LaVera Ritchie would like to announce the birth of her great great granddaughter, Emery Rose, born December 2019.

CALEB JOHNSON: WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE SCRIPTURE?

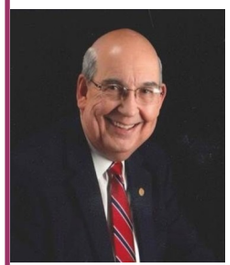


2 Timothy 3:16-17 "All scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, so that the servant of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work."
7th-grader **Caleb Johnson** moved to Searcy 3 years ago, but it was earlier, at Camp-of-the-Woods in Massachusetts, that the passage became etched in his mind. Campers there sang the words to a favorite melody of his. By the time he was mature enough to obey the gospel, attraction to the song had blossomed into appreciation for the meaning of the words.

FOR ALL GENERATIONS

"Stand up in the presence of the aged, show respect for the elderly and revere the Lord." Lev. 19:32

The Jewish tradition of respect owed the elderly by the young carries over into the New Testament—and is alive at College Church. Consider these ministries:



Senior Ministry (**Harry Riggs**)

Psalms 92:14 "They will still bear fruit in old age..."

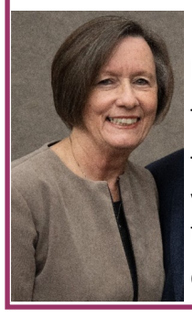
They socialize (3 dinners a year); they work (service opportunities galore), they learn (the "Empowering Seniors" guest-speaker program), and they grow spiritually (a rich variety of Bible study). They're Seniors; they're evergreen.



Young-At-Heart Ministry (**Tracy Bailey**)

James 1:27 ". . . pure and faultless religion is this: to look after orphans and widows in their distress . . ."

Young and old volunteers unite in this ministry to help widows in need. In return, they meet charming, wise women who make the visits, calls, and cards an edifying two-way street.



Heartfelt Friends Ministry (**Jan Milner**)

Titus 2:3-4 "Older women . . . teach what is good [to] the younger women . . ."

Through relationships, speakers, and other programs, Heartfelt brings older and younger women together "to pass on the legacy of faith and family to the next generation."

Contact Harry, Tracy, or Jan to learn how you can take part!