



# BAKER HEIGHTS CHURCH *of* CHRIST

VOLUME 61

NOVEMBER 26, 2023

ISSUE 48

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

**GREETING/SONG LEADER** - Sean D'Entremont  
**KIDS' TIME** - Luke Bower

Psalm 34

**#768** - Jesus, Let Us Come to Know You

**COMMUNION PRAYERS** - Kerry Miller  
**CONTRIBUTION PRAYER** - Kerry Miller

**#63** - I Will Call Upon the Lord

**#469** - Faith Is the Victory

**PRAYER** - James Sumners

**#15** - Step by Step

**SCRIPTURE READING** - Matheo Vergara  
Revelation 3:1-6

**SERMON** - Larry Sullivan  
Sardis: the church at Tombstone Junction

**#909** - There's a Fountain Free

**ELDER'S PRAYER** - Richard Oller

**#23** - Our God, He Is Alive

## WEEK OF NOVEMBER 26, 2023

### SUNDAY - NOVEMBER 26

- Bible Class for all ages - 9 a.m.
- Worship Assembly - 10 a.m.
- Worship Assembly/Bible Class - 5 p.m.
  - Class Topic - Galatians 4
- NO Children's Bible Class - Resumes 12/03/23**
- University Place Services - 6:30 p.m. - Tiner Group

### MONDAY - NOVEMBER 27

- Prayer Conference Call with Floyd Miller - 8-9 p.m.  
Call (605) 313-5695 - Passcode is 718815

### TUESDAY - NOVEMBER 28

- Ladies Bible Class - 10 a.m. - Room 35
- Seniors in Motion Exercise - 1 pm - Fellowship Area

### WEDNESDAY - NOVEMBER 29

- "Feeding the Flock" - Resumes Jan. 10, 2024
- Short Devotional - 6:30 p.m.
- Bible Class for all ages - 6:45 p.m.  
Christopher Hall

### THURSDAY - NOVEMBER 30

- Men's Brown Bag - Noon - Room 10

### SATURDAY - DECEMBER 02

- Kids Bake-Off - 4 p.m. - Fellowship Area
- ALL entries due between 3:30 pm - 3:50 pm

## YOUTH HAPPENINGS

### BIBLE BOWL

Sunday, 5 pm - Rm. 17/19 - 3rd-12th grade

### LTC PRACTICE

Coaches meeting - **TODAY** after service  
Official practices begin Dec. 3rd

### KIDS BAKE-OFF

Saturday, December 2, 2023 - 4 pm  
Sign up in the back of the Auditorium

### COMMUNION TO THE SHUT-INS

Sunday, December 10, 2023  
After AM Service

## MARK YOUR CALENDARS

### MONTY TUTTLE - EEM

Sunday, December 03, 2023  
9 am - All Adult classes - Auditorium  
10 am - Worship

### LADIES NIGHT OUT

Thursday, December 7, 2023 - 6 pm  
Details coming soon

### REDEEMING THE TEARS

Will NOT meet in December

### SENIORS IN MOTION

Monday, December 11th - Meeting/Meal  
(Hamburgers)/Games - 11 am - 2 pm - Rm.10

## MEETING TIMES

### SUNDAY MORNINGS

9 a.m. - Bible Class for all ages  
10 a.m. - Worship Assembly

### SUNDAY EVENINGS

5 p.m. - Children's Bible Class  
5 p.m. - Worship/Bible Class

### WEDNESDAY EVENINGS

5:30 p.m. - Fellowship Meal  
6:30 p.m. - Short Devotional  
6:45 p.m. - Bible Class for all ages

## SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

### SIGN-UPS IN BACK FOR:

**Kids Bake-Off - Dec. 2nd**  
**Ladies Night Out - Dec. 7th**  
**Holiday Baskets - Forms due Dec. 10th**

### ASSEMBLY TIMES DURING HOLIDAY BREAK

**Sunday, Dec. 24th - NO Classes, No PM Service - Just 10 am Worship**  
**Wednesday, Dec. 27th - NO Classes/NO Devo.**  
**Sunday, Dec. 31st - NO Classes, NO PM Service - Just 10 am Worship**  
**Wednesday, Jan. 3rd - NO Classes/NO Devo.**

## PRAYER REQUESTS

### MEMBERS

**Mike & Tracy Lee** - Both COVID  
**Ian & Nancy MacTavish** - Health Concerns  
**Danny & Glendora Myrick** - Health Concerns  
**Jerry & Joyce Smith** - Health Concerns

### FRIENDS AND FAMILY

Nona Barton - Health issues  
*(Aunt of **Christopher Hall**)*  
 Zoey Courtright - Leukemia  
*(Daughter of Kye & Lydia Courtright - They work w/the church in Leipzig, Germany)*  
*(Friends of **Larry & Pam Sullivan**)*  
 Jim Elkins - Hip surgery - went well  
*(Friend of **Larry Taylor**)*  
 Stacy Ferris - Breast cancer treatments  
*(Sister-in-Law of **Tracy Lee**)*  
 Rueban Mora - Kidney issues  
*(Former Member of BHCC)*  
 Jeri Robertson - Surgery - 11/20/23  
*(Sister of **Gary Robertson**)*

### SYMPATHY TO THE FAMILY OF

**Laveta Youngquist** - 10/28/23, Abilene  
*(Member of BHCC)*

### HOMEBOUND MEMBERS

Pauline Baskett	Phyllis Bonner
Billie Brown	Janet Bruns
Johnnie Feaster	Jim & Connye Hays
Curtis Johnson	Mary Mason
Perry & Shirley Neely	Jo Potter
Melinda Simmons	

### CANCER FIGHTERS

Judy Clifton	Jena Madeley
Lewis Maness	Larry Sullivan
Jesse Thomas	

### FRIENDS AND FAMILY CANCER FIGHTERS

Faith Barnes	Zoe Courtright
Ann Guy	Stacy Ferris
Curtis Lynd	Abby Martin
Edna West	Fred Wooten

## FOOD PANTRY NEEDS

### NEXT PANTRY PALS SUNDAY

**December 10, 2023**

**Holiday Basket Items  
Needed:**

**Canned Sweet  
Potatoes,**

**Carrots, Green  
Beans, Instant  
Potatoes (box),  
Instant  
Potatoes (Packet),  
Stuffing, Gravy,  
Cranberry Sauce**

## TRUE THANSGIVING

As we enter the holiday season, I thought it would be good to consider what the Bible tells us about "thanksgiving". As we celebrate time away from work and with our families consider these things.

### Good Deeds Produce Thanksgiving

Part of the work of Jesus in us, is to guide us towards the works that God had prepared for his people to do (Eph. 2:10). The results of doing the works God prepared is to affect the lives of others. When we walk with God and do His works, there is an outpouring of thanksgiving towards God, both by those who are a part of God's family, and those who only see our works.

**Matt. 5:16 – "...so that they may see your good works and give glory to the Father who is heaven."**

**2 Cor. 9:11 – "You will be generous in every way, which through us will produce thanksgiving to God."**

### Prayers of Thanksgiving

When we pray and express our thoughts and concerns to God, thanksgiving should always be a significant part of our prayer. We need to remember and be thankful for the manifold blessings of our Father. A life filled with prayer is a thankful life. If we fail to pray, we are living without regard for the love poured out onto us.

**Phil 4:6 – "...do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God."**

**Col 4:2 – "Continue steadfastly in prayer, being watchful in it with thanksgiving."**

**1 Th. 5:16-18 – "Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you."**

**Remember..... the tomb was empty!**

**Every day is Thanksgiving for Christians!**

*Richard Oller*

*BHCC Elder*

## OUR LEADERSHIP

### MINISTERS

Larry Sullivan  
*(Preaching)*  
 Luke Bower  
*(Youth and Family)*

### DEACONS

Will Claxton  
 Hank Davis  
 Marty Gray  
 Christopher Hall  
 John Hanson  
 Eric Hunt  
 Chris Jeter  
 Kenneth Longley  
 Scott McGaha  
 Dean Newman  
 Justin Rosenquist  
 James Sumners  
 Gregg Taylor

### ELDERS

Richard Bower  
 Ed Cowart  
 Robert Dennis  
 Charles Goodnight  
 Richard Oller  
 Larry Taylor  
 Stuart Tiner

**ELDER OF THE MONTH**  
*Richard Oller*

## LAST WEEK

All numbers reflect  
 In-Person attendance

**Bible Class - 120**

**AM Assembly - 170**

**PM Total - 120**

*Assembly - 48*

*CBC/Other - 46*

*University Place - 26*

**Wednesday Devo - N/A**

**Contribution - N/A**

**Weekly Goal - \$8,951**

**Average YTD - N/A**