## From the Pastor

## February 14, 2021



Thanks to those who go the "extra mile" in serving the Lord. It is always a blessing to see those that GIVE of themselves. We all have different abilities and gifts. May we use them for His glory.

Jesus commanded us to go the *second* mile in Matthew 5:38-48. The context is about how we should respond in loving those that display evil toward us. If we are to love our enemies, how much more should we love the family of God? Loving the brethren is one of the ways that we KNOW we have passed from death unto life (I John 3:14).

May we go the *extra mile* in every area of life. We are to be servants just as our Lord was a servant. He came to serve and not to be served. Let's all strive to be *second milers* in every area of our lives. Thanks to all who give of themselves so that the ministry can excel.



We are looking forward to having the TIM STALCUP FAMILY with us next Sunday night. They are missionaries going to New York City. In addition to Bro. Tim's sharing their burden, the family will also provide special music. We have already added the



Stalcups to our Faith Promise Giving. Please prepare to give them a great Faith welcome.





Let's intensify our prayers for the raising of funds for the ROOF PROJECT! We need \$34,000 more to reach our goal of \$60,000. Make this a daily request. We are trusting God to supply the need.

May all of us give as prompted by the Holy Spirit. God is working! May we be faithful and continue to PRAY.

- PRAY for our SUNDAY SCHOOL ministry. Sunday School is an opportunity to study the Word of God by classes. This is a good time to get involved!
- PRAY for our BUS MINISTRY. Remember all those that faithfully visit riders each week and those who drive the buses.
- PRAY for SURVIVOR KIDS CLUB to resume in the very near future.
- PRAY for the CHOIR to once again be able to provide our special music.





THESE are challenging days! May we rise to the challenge and see the CHURCH TRIUMPHANT.





We are planning a time of REMEMBRANCE for those who have been a part of our church family and are now deceased. On Memorial Day Sunday we would like to remember all these along with remembering those who died serving our

country. We are requesting pictures (along with names and birth/death dates) of your relatives who have been a part of our church in the past. Please turn these in at the church office as soon as possible. Thank you!

## **Serving In The Nursery:**

Sunday Morning: Terri Marlowe

Sunday Evening: Judy Berryman



Wednesday Evening: Melissa Marlowe 

## Stewardship Report

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