

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Today:
8:45 am Donuts and Coffee
9:30 am Sunday School
10:30 am Worship
Sessions Meeting following worship

Monday, Aug. 24th
4:00pm-6:00pm Pickleball

Tuesday, Aug. 25th
6:00 pm-8:00 pm Pickleball

Wednesday, Aug. 26th
9:00 am Mission Quilters
11:00am Bible Study Fellowship Hall
4:00pm Handbells
7:00pm Choir Practice
No WOW, school is out

Sunday, Aug. 30th
8:45 am Donuts & Coffee
9:30 am Sunday School
10:30 am Worship
Promotion Day
Fellowship Potluck after worship

VOLUNTEERS FOR TODAY

Liturgist:
Rev. Dr. Charlene Friedman

Ushers:
Charlsie Reynolds, Hunter Kilby,
Matthew Byrd, and Allson Bone

Acolyte(s):
Adalynn Giordano and Matthew Redman

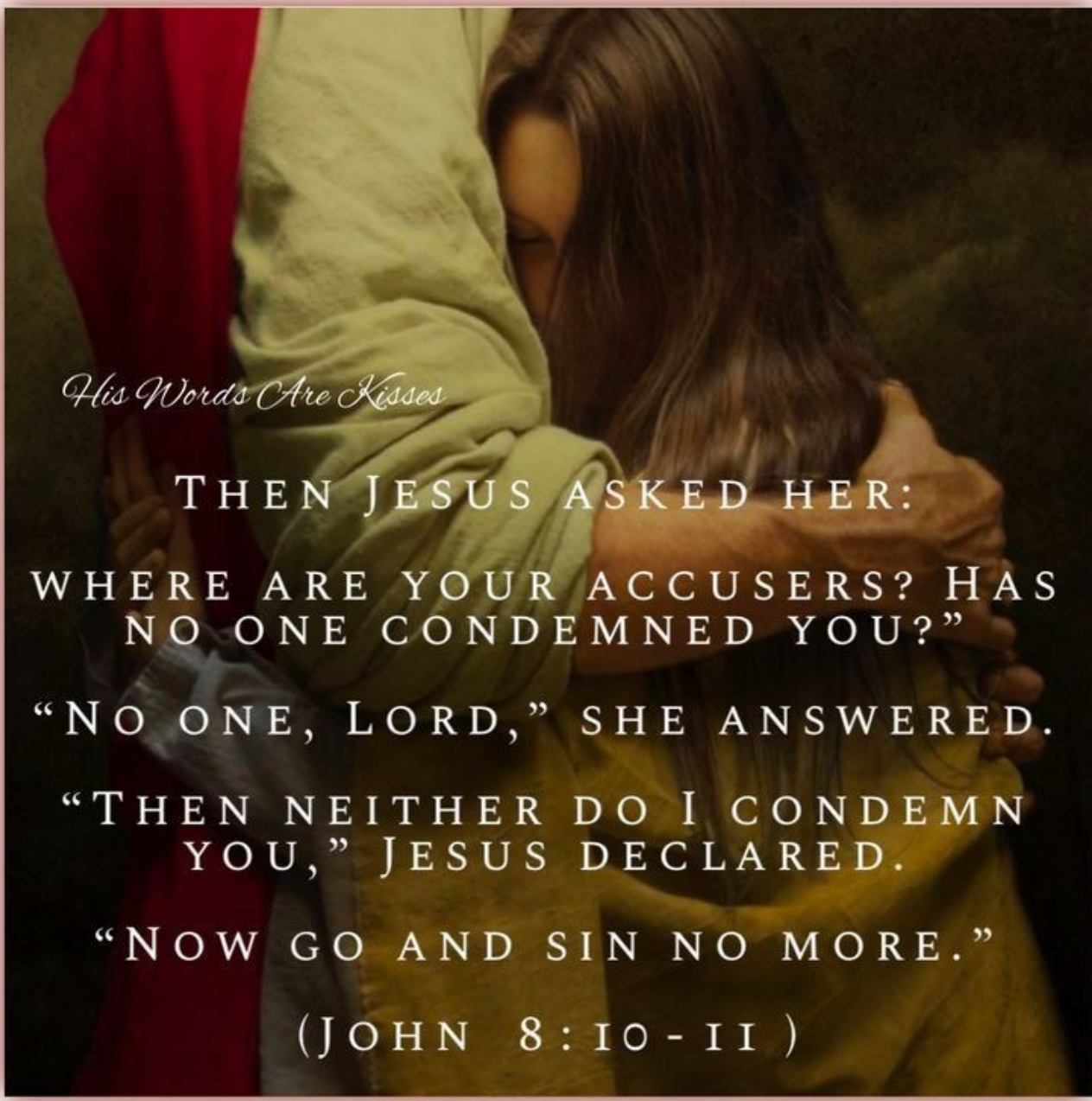
Children’s Message:
Amy Baker

August 16, 2026 Report

Sunday School	109
Worship	189
Online	55
Offering	\$8,324.00
Needed Weekly	\$8,683.00
Billy Griffin Scholarship Fund	\$113,574.15

CHURCH STAFF

Senior Pastor.....Rev. Jimmy Byrd
Associate Pastor....Rev. Dr. Charlene Friedman
Pastor Emeritus.....Rev. Dr. Steve Louder
Choir Director.....William Hoekstra
Pianist.....Ethebet Gibson
Organist.....Dr. Susan Jones
Youth Director.....Allison Bone
Children’s Ministry Director.....Katie Duke
Office Administrator.....Pattie Hedrick
Session Clerk.....Kendyl Kilby
Preschool Director.....Alicia Terrell
Child Care Staff..... Darby Sims



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Sunday: Fellowship - 8:00 A.M. ~ Sunday School - 9:30 A.M. ~ Worship - 10:30 A.M.
Wednesday: W.O.W. - 5:15 - 7:00 P.M. ~ Choir Practice - 7:00 P.M.

August 23, 2026

Service for the Lord’s Day

10:30a.m.

Welcome and Announcements

Liturgist

Prelude

Susan Jones

(As the prelude is played, please begin to prepare your hearts in silent prayer for worship.)

Light of Christ Enters

Acolytes

Call to Worship

Liturgist

L: Life can sometimes be very difficult.

P: We look around and wonder where God is.

L: In the midst of our trials and tribulations, God is with us.

P: God surrounds us with love and courage.

L: Come, let us praise God for His abiding presence.

P: Lord, thank you for always being with us, even when we don’t recognize your loving presence. AMEN.

Opening Prayer

Liturgist

*Hymn of Praise

I Will Sing of the Mercies ”

No. 30

*Apostles’ Creed

In Unison

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, the maker of heaven and earth, And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived of the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. The third day he rose from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty, from thence He shall come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy *Christian church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

(* also holy catholic/universal church – however you want to say it is fine)

*Gloria Patria

No. 80

Call to Confession

Liturgist

It is so easy for us, Lord, to diminish the gifts you have given us. Each of us has been given special talents and gifts that can be used to spread the Good News, but sometimes we choose not use these gifts, deciding that they are unimportant or not needed.

Prayer of Confession

In Unison

Forgive us when we make decisions not to act. Help us look at the blessings that you have poured into our lives and to discover the special talents that we have. Open the doorways of service and let the gates swing wide, that we may go forth to serve you in this world. In Jesus’ Name we pray. AMEN.

Words of Assurance

Each of us has been blessed with unique talents. The Lord has need of our talents, our energies, our spirits in the world in which we live. Place your trust in God’s loving guidance and open your hearts to serve God. AMEN

Children’s Message

Amy Baker

Children fifth grade and younger are invited to come forward for the Children’s Message. Worship and Wonder will follow in the Worship Center upstairs in the Education Building for children ages 3-10 who would like to attend. Session Title: “The Good Shepherd”

Special Music:

“Standing on the Rock”

Choir

Offertory Sentence

Liturgist

With gratitude for blessings received, we present our blessings in time of offering. May God guide us to give generously of our time, talent, service, and treasure, that we may be blessings for the world.

Offertory

Ethebet Gibson

*Offertory Response

“Doxology”

No. 809

*Prayer for the Offering

Rev. Jimmy Byrd

*Call to Prayer

“Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy”

No. 451

Prayers Of the People

Rev. Jimmy Byrd

Lord’s Prayer

In Unison

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.

Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors.

Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen

Scripture Reading

John 8: 10-11

Liturgist

Prayer for Illumination

Liturgist

Sermon

(Sermon Series) I Wish Jesus Hadn’t Said That # 3

Rev. Jimmy Byrd

*Invitational Hymn

(Worship and Service) “Redeemed”

No. 249

*Extinguishing of the Candles

Acolytes

*Benediction

Rev. Jimmy Byrd

Taking Forth the Light of Christ

Acolytes

Recessional

Postlude

Susan Jones

- Bailey Elliott

Ray Greene

Joe Jerles

Dudley Marklin

Ricky Mixon

Eddie Wallace

Brenda Emerson

Chuck Cates

Paul Lippert

Laura Turner Vien

Prayer Concerns

Patsy Wilshire

Faye Littleton

Connie Deere

Carol Stephens

Matt Shad

OK Drees

Arin Vaughn

Dwayne Coffee

Jackie Rogers

Family of Joann Pollard

Linda McGregor

The disabled, homeless, homebound, missionaries, law enforcement, first responders, school staff, our students, our youth, our military, our nation, and our world.