

## MEN WHO SERVE

	SERVICE	FEBRUARY 22	NEXT WEEK
MORNING	<b>Song Leader</b>	Eddie Nuckols	Phil Forrest
	<b>Announcements</b>	Tom Davenport	Jered Markman
	<b>Opening Prayer</b>	Oscar Koontz	Edwin Boger
	<b>Scripture Reading</b>	Paul Davenport	Matthew Brown
	<b>Sermon</b>	Claude Pharr	Claude Pharr
	<b>Closing Prayer</b>	Matthew Brown	Steve Anderson
EVENING	<b>Opening Prayer</b>	Wesley Frick	Oscar Koontz
	<b>Sermon</b>	Claude Pharr	Claude Pharr
	<b>Closing Prayer</b>	Rick Brown	Daniel Forrest
	<b>Lord's Table</b>	Eddie Nuckols	Phil Forrest
	<b>Wed Song Leader</b>	Eddie Nuckols	Phil Forrest

## LORD'S SUPPER

<b>Center Servers</b>	Ortie Boyd	Matt Maurer
	Scott Tesh	John Davenport
	Jered Markman	Paul Davenport
	Steve Anderson	Daniel Forrest
	Mark Koontz	Matthew Forrest
<b>Prepare/Cleanup Bread</b>	Oscar & Sara Koontz	The Maurers
	Terri Maurer	Terri Maurer

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## THE BLESSED LIFE

The opening words of the Book of Psalms are: "Blessed is the man..." Who is this prototype of a blessed man? What traits does he possess? And is it possible for each of us to be such a person?

First, there is the negative side. This blessed man does not walk "in the counsel of the ungodly." There are plenty of people in this world who will give you bad advice on how to live your life. But the only correct way to live is to follow the Creator's manual, that is, the Bible. Also, this blessed man does not stand "in the way of sinners." He does not follow the bad example of others in their speech, dress, behavior, entertainment, etc. Exodus 23:2 warns, "Thou shalt not follow a multitude to do evil." Proverbs 1:10 offers this advice, "My son, if sinners entice thee, consent thou not." And further this blessed man does not sit "in the seat of the scornful." Today's English Version translates it this way – nor does he "join those who make fun of God." It's not uncommon at all in our world for people to ridicule God and religion. Of course, we must never condone such. (Psalm 1:1)

Second, there is the positive side. The blessed man delights in God's word – "But his delight is in the law of the Lord; and in his law doth he meditate day and night." (Psalm 1:2) In stark contrast to following the counsel of the ungodly he lets God's word be his meditation, counselor and guide.

And what's the result? His will be a fruitful, blessed life. Just as surely as "a tree planted by the rivers of water" is fruitful, even so the man who plants his life upon the word of God will enjoy a rewarding life. (Psalm 1:3)

*Claude*

## WELCOME VISITORS

Visitors, you are our honored guests! We are so very happy that you have joined us. Please fill out a visitor card and place in collection plate.



## UPCOMING EVENTS

**February 23** Monday **Just Christian Missions Bible Study** at 7:00 in Gary Dull's office. Topic will be "Why We Do What We Do"

**April 26-29** North Main Street Gospel Meeting

### AREA EVENTS

**March 19** Carolina Men's Fellowship at Gold Hill Road church of Christ

**March 21** Ladies Day at South Stokes church of Christ

**April 17-19** Lake Norman church of Christ Youth Rally

## NEWS

Yvonne and JR's oldest son, Craig Stroud, was recently baptized. His address is: 3249 Pinecroft Lane East Bend, NC 27018

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Jo Pharr Monday Feb 23

Dorothy Smith Thursday Feb 26



## HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Melinda & Jered Markman Thursday Feb 26



## PRAYER LIST

**Patsy Boyd** had a cancer removed from her leg this past Wednesday. Continue to pray for her healing.

**Tracy Harmon**, friend of Deborah Dull, has stage 4 brain cancer.

**Teresa Johnson** continues therapy.

**Glen Koontz** is suffering with knee problems.

**Nancy Koontz** has a very bad case of the shingles and is in a great deal of pain.

**Sadie Rice**

**Chuck Owens**, friend of Eddie and Belinda, has a staph infection in his knee.

**Wanda Scott**

**J.R. Stroud** continues to recover at the Elms on Harper Rd in Clemmons.

**Terry Tesh**, Scott Tesh's father, is receiving chemotherapy for cancer.



**Bob Freeman**  
**Rick Seamon**  
**Joe Koontz** (Glenn's brother)  
**Charles Condra**  
**Kenneth and Elsie Condra**

**Joey Condra**  
**Bobby Dalton**  
**Jerri Ennix**  
**Joyce Kimbrell**  
**Nettie Kimbrell**  
**Mary Powell**  
**Nell Richardson**

## SHUT-INS

Vergie Farmer (Steve Anderson's mother)  
Bertha Graves

Sadie Rice  
Elizabeth Seamon  
Dorothy Smith