

**THANKFULNESS**

Thankfulness is being glad  
For good things every day;  
It's showing joy by sharing  
In a kindly, thoughtful way.

It is remembering God gives  
And cares for every need;  
Thankfulness is loving God  
In heart and word and deed.

——Author unknown



**CHURCH OF CHRIST**

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**Charles Kelsey**  
**David Kelsey**  
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A Thanksgiving Hymn (Author Unknown)

“Have you cut the wheat in the blowing fields,  
Have you gathered the berries from the vine  
And the fruits from the orchard trees,  
The dew and the scent from the roses and thyme  
In the hive of the honey-bees?”  
“The peach and the plum and the apple are ours,  
And the honey-comb from the scented flowers.”

“The wealth of the snowy cotton-field  
And the gift of the sugar-cane,  
The savory herb and nourishing root -  
There has nothing been given in vain,  
We have gathered the harvest from shore to shore,  
And the measure is full and running o'er.”

Then lift up the head with a song  
and lift up the hands with a gift!  
To the ancient giver of all  
The spirit of gratitude lift!

For the joy and promise of Spring,  
For the hay and clover sweet,  
The barley, the rye, and the oats,  
The rice and the corn and the wheat,  
The cotton and sugar and fruit,  
The flowers and the fine honeycomb,  
The country, so fair and so free,  
The blessing and the glory of home,  
“Thanksgiving! Thanksgiving! Thanksgiving!”  
Joyfully, gratefully call,  
“To God, the preserver of men,”  
The bountiful Father of all.”

**Worship And Study Opportunities**

**Sunday:**  
Bible School.....9:30 A.M  
Worship.....10:30 A.M  
Evening Worship....6:00 P.M

**Wednesday:**  
Ladies Bible Class.....10:30 A.M.  
Mid-Week Bible Class....7:00 P.M.

**ELDER OF THE MONTH:**.....Charlie Kelsey

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**.....Bryan Cain

**RECORDS OF THE WEEK**

Bible School: .....76  
Morning Worship: .....109  
Evening Worship: .....61  
Wednesday Ladies' Class:.....  
Mid-Week: .....66  
Contribution: .....\$4,066.00  
Weekly Budget: .....\$3,752.00

**THOSE WHO SERVE:**

**Sunday Morning:**

Opening Prayer .....Glen Wampler  
Closing Prayer: .....Jerry Golson

Scripture: .....Don Marcum

**Sunday Evening:**

Opening Prayer: .....Keith Parrish  
Closing Prayer: .....Leroy Horn

Scripture: .....David Kelsey

**Wednesday Evening:**

Opening Prayer: .....Terry Ball  
Closing Prayer: .....Jerry Doughty

Scripture: .....Caleb Sharum

**PRAYERS:** Herb Parrish was released from the hospital on Tuesday. Don Marcum is recuperating from his surgery. Donna Caldwell is recuperating after her accident. LaDonna McKinzie has not been feeling well.

**THANK YOU NOTE:** Dearest Brothers & Sisters, We would like to thank the elders & each & everyone of you who contributed money to Sarah and the mission work in Chemnitz, Germany. We are so grateful to have a Christian family such as University who cares so much for our family and who is so willing to support the Lord's work in other countries. We love & appreciate each of you so much. You have always been there to support our family and offer a helping hand when needed. Again, thank you so much for your offering of love and support for Sarah. Love in Christ, David & Cindy Byrd

**WESTVIEW CHRISTMAS:** Information lists and sign-up sheets are on the bulletin board in the back hall for seven Westview Boys. Please sign up if you'd like to provide a gift for a boy.

**Westview will pick up the presents and the food the week of December 6th.**

**THE WEDNESDAY MORNING LADIES CLASS** will meet next Wednesday, December 1st at 10:30 a.m. at the Student Learning Center.

**SERMONS:** Justin Davis is putting the Sunday sermons on Podcast. Go to universitycoc.Podomatic.com

**Study your Bible daily.**

**WESTVIEW BOYS' HOME** grocery truck will be back the week of **December 6th.**

**Shopping List:**

Cheez Its  
Fruit Snacks  
Chili No Beans  
Candy Bars/Gum  
Capri Sun/100% Juice  
Tropical Fruit/Pineapple  
Potato/Tortilla/Frito Chips  
Honey Buns/Debbie Cakes  
Tub Margarine/Stick/Squeeze Parkay  
Hidden Valley/Catalina/Italian Dressing  
Grated Cheddar/American Sliced Cheese

**Non-Food:**

Toilet Paper  
Paper Towels  
Styrofoam 16 oz. Cups  
Styrofoam Divided Plates

**CONTINUED PRAYER LIST:** Roy Bennett, James Bolton, Joslyn Burch, Tim Doughty, Donna Fletcher, Bill & Marvenia Harrington, Leroy & Pat Horn, Peggy Leverett, Brad & LaDonna McKinzie, Chesley & Jeannie Montague, Letha Owens, Herb & Jean Parrish, Kenny Richardson, Marie Sexton, Kimberly Taylor, Juanita Turner, Dwaine Zacharias, Erin Bryan, Lauren Caldwell, Johnny Fitzsimmons, Donna Flower, Jason Hamlin, Sally Hayes, Dortha Adler, Marvin McCathern, Keith McIntyre, Paige Mitchener, Geraldine Nettles, Adam Ray, Chuck Ray, Martha Smith, Shirley Mueller's aunt, Wanda & Niece, Emily.

**November Birthdays**

4 - Marie Sexton                      22 - Jacob Morris  
15 - Michael Jackson                26 - Caleb Sharum  
16 - Rylee Jackson                    30 - Tyler Brandon  
18 - Sherrie Morris                    30 - Tim Doughty  
21 - Tommy Bowden

**MONTHLY ASSIGNMENTS FOR DECEMBER MORNING TABLE**

Brad McKinzie                                      Bryan Cain  
Shawn McKinzie                                    Tommy Bowden

**ALTERNATES FOR COMMUNION TABLE**

Kenneth Richardson                              **SCRIPTURE READING**  
Ed Valdez    **BEFORE COMMUNION**  
James Brennan

**NIGHT TABLE**

Jarred Kelsey  
**ANNOUNCEMENTS**                              **SCRIPTURE READING**  
Glen Wampler                                      **BEFORE AM SERMON**  
Coy Watson

**GREETERS**

Weldon & Dolores Flanagan  
Jerry & Brenda Golson

**USHERS & ATTENDANCE**

Jerry Doughty  
Greg Ray

**PREPARE COMMUNION**

David & Cindy Byrd

**COUNT CONTRIBUTION**

Tim Curtis

**ATTENDANCE CARDS**

Travis Burch  
Mitch McLauray

**NURSERY ATTENDANT**

Debbie Bowden

**NURSERY & BAPTISMAL LINENS**

Katie Jackson

**AUDIO/VIDEO**

Justin Davis

**ELDER OF THE MONTH**

Brad McKinzie