



January 25, 2026

Our Mission Statement

We are a community of praying Christians called by God to worship Him; intentionally share Jesus' story with others; baptize those who accept Christ, enfolding them into the family of God; and joyfully disciple Christians to think Biblically about life.

(Matthew 28:16-20)

Order of Worship

Call to Worship

Invocation Prayer

Hymns of Praise:

Immortal, Invisible God Only Wise

10,000 Reasons

Scripture Reading: 1 Peter 5:6-14

Confession of Sin & Assurance of Pardon

Hymn: *Come Ye Sinners*

Collection of our Tithes to the Lord

Dismissal of Children: 3-5 yrs. old & K-2nd

Pastoral Prayer

Scripture: *Luke 4:31-44*

Sermon: Saturday At Capernaum

Closing Hymn: *How Great Thou Art*

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Thought for the Week

When your child says “why do we have to go to church?” Here are some answers to give them...

1. We’re not going to church; YOU are the Church – and we go to worship to learn how to be Church.
2. We need you in worship because those who are old and tired need your smiles and youthful energy.
3. The congregation cannot get along without you – the Church needs every single person to be whole.
4. You need the gift of worship because you will learn things there that will make sense to you later. Almost every week I learn something that comes up in the days that follow.
5. If you pay close attention to the words of the songs and the Scripture reading, you will learn all kinds of new things about God. God is infinite and all of life is an adventure in getting to know him better.
6. Attending worship will teach you skills for your Christian life – like how to pray, how to sing, how to sit in God’s presence, how to study the Bible.
7. Most important, God desires you there because he loves to be with you in his house.

Marva Dawn, *A Royal Waste of Time: The Splendor of Worshipping God and Being Church for the World.*

January Bible Memory Verse

Every word of God proves true; he is a shield to those who take refuge in him.

Proverbs 30:5

Confession of Sin & Assurance of Pardon

Leader: Lord Jesus, we praise you for your infinite goodness and power, and we ask you to forgive us for our stubborn unbelief.

Congregation: We can doubt your goodness, Lord. You were so quick to heal others when you walked this earth, but we oftentimes don't see the same quickness when we ask for help, and our sinful hearts become discouraged.

Leader: We call out to you when we are in pain, but our faith is oftentimes mixed with so much doubt. In our quiet despair we wonder, *"Does Jesus really hear me? Do my prayers even make a difference? Does he really love me?"*

Congregation: Forgive us for this. We believe; help our unbelief! You who cast out demons and healed the sick are the same yesterday, today, and forever, and your loving care for us will never come to an end, even when you don't work according to our timetable. Assure us that in the end, every one of our prayers for restoration and healing *will* be answered in the life to come when you take away all our sickness and sorrow forever.

Silent Moment for Private Prayer

Assurance of Pardon: Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls.

Matthew 11:28

Events & Announcements

- ❖ **Systematic theology class** this Wednesday, 7 pm.
- ❖ **All women and girls** are invited to a pizza, donut and bingo night at the church on **Feb. 6 at 6:30 PM**. We need to have a headcount. Please use the sign-up sheet on the table in the foyer or contact Vicki Hall or Debbie Harris by February 2nd. See Sign up sheet and info at guest center!
- ❖ **Community Cupboard** needs: Cans of green beans, Quaker instant oat meals, Nutri-grain breakfast bars, Hamburger Helper packs, cans of tomato sauce. List of needs on Amazon under “Christian Community Cupboard.” Donations payable to Christian Community Cupboard, PO box 511, Hurricane, WV 25526.
- ❖ Upcoming small group dates:
 - **Monday (1/19) @ 6:30 PM** – on the Lord’s Prayer
 - **Sunday (1/25) @ 4:30 and 6 PM** – on the Lord’s Prayer
 - Childcare provided!

Missionaries of The Month

Good News Club – CEF Mountainview Elem.
Community Cupboard – Putnam Co
Woman’s Choice Pregnancy Resource Center
Union Mission Men’s Shelter

Sermon Notes

Weekly Bible Reading Plan

Jan. 25 – Matt. 16:13-17:9 & Psalm 21:1-13

Jan. 26 – Matt. 17:10-27 & Psalm 22:1-18

Jan. 27 – Matt. 18:1-20 & Psalm 22:19-31

Jan. 28 – Matt. 18:21-19:12 & Psalm 23:1-6

Jan. 29 – Matt. 19:13-30 & Psalm 24:1-10

Jan. 30 – Matt. 20:1-28 & Psalm 25:1-15

Jan. 31 – Matt. 20:29-21:22 & Psalm 25:16-22

Volunteer Schedules

Children's Church

Today: Judy Jordan, Barb Treola
2/1 Vicki Hall, Amber Stevens
2/8 Harry Griffin, Miriam Gillispie

Toddler Worship

Today: Betsy Neal, Kate Erwin
2/1 Caleb Carter, Amy Nash
2/8 Sue Hill, Tiffany Carter

Greeting Team

Today: Audrey Gray, Judy Morell
2/1 Ben Stover & Cathy Stover
2/8 Betsy & Brian Plants

Nursery

Today: Monnie Griffin, Alley Cook
2/1 Sandy Finley, Brian Plants
2/8 Amy Potter, Cathy Stover

Church Staff & Leadership

Elders: Barrett Jordan, Kurt Gray, Steve Gray, Jim Mayfield, Carlos Parra, Harry Yates

Deacons: Travis Ballengee, Scott Gray, Harry Griffin, Mike Hall, Tom Lyvers, Craig O'Dell, Tom Ogle, Josh Potter, Bill Stevens (emeritus)

Administrative Assistant: Heather Hall

Youth: Caleb Carter

Praise Team: Bret Johnston

Church Information

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YTD Financial Summary

2026 Total Budget	\$612,376.00
2026 Tithes Collected to Date	---
2026 Faith Promise Budget	---
2026 Faith Promise Pledged	---
2026 Faith Promise Collected	---
Building Campaign Pledged	\$854,037.00
Building Campaign Collected	\$773,591.96