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Attendance Record

11/16/25

Sunday AM.....166

Sunday PM.....57

Wednesday.....51

Men Serving Today: November 23, 2025

Announcements: Scott Thacker

Opening Prayer: Shannon Risner

Scripture Reading: Ryder Holbrook

Lord’s Table:

Recite: Scott Thacker (Keith & Tim)

Usher & Count: Charles Hunt & Thomas Coleman

Evening Services:

Announcements: Don Wilcox

Lord’s Table:

Recite: Derek McKenzie

Wednesday Invitation: Marshall Fugate

Prestonsburg Informer

*A weekly bulletin for God’s family
at the Prestonsburg church of Christ*

November 23, 2025

“Having a Heart of Thanksgiving”

Thanksgiving is far more than a holiday on the calendar—it is a posture of the heart. Scripture reminds us that gratitude is not reserved for seasons of abundance but is a discipline that shapes the way we see God, ourselves, and the world around us. Paul wrote, “In everything give thanks; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you” (1 Thess. 5:18). Notice he didn’t say *for* everything, but *in* everything. Gratitude is not about pretending every circumstance is good; it’s about recognizing that God is good in every circumstance.

A thankful heart is a humble heart. When we give thanks, we acknowledge that every blessing—big or small—comes from the hand of a loving Father. We remember that life, salvation, daily bread, forgiveness, and hope are gifts, not entitlements. Gratitude pushes back against pride, entitlement, and worry. It re-centers us on God’s faithfulness.

Thanksgiving also strengthens our faith. When we deliberately call to mind God’s past mercies, we become more confident in His future provision. David said, “Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all His benefits” (Psalm 103:2). Forgetfulness weakens faith; thankfulness renews it.

As we enter this season, may we cultivate the heart of thanksgiving not just with our lips, but with our lives. Let our gratitude be seen in joyful worship, generous giving, humble service, and renewed trust. A thankful heart honors God—and blesses everyone around us.



Prayer Requests & Update

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Arlo Shepherd, Don Hicks, Rexton Blanton, Sue Justice, Ava Gipson, Melinda McAllister, Saul Newsome, Roy Chapman, Wilma Campbell, Mary Lou Bailey, Jennifer Hunt, Teddy & Gloria Powers, Drexel Springer, Bill Ousley, Gary Stiltner, David Scott, Nancy Scott, Steven Crum, Kooper Jewel, Alonzo & Shirley Conley, Annie Poston, Ricky Tackett, Paul Collins, Nathaniel Robinson, Cortney Friend, Matthew Hays, Libby Collins, Mary Bailey, Trish Scott, Hedy Sexton, Nancy Scott, Pam Meek, James Rose, Ken & Sudie Allen, Patrick McKenzie, Amber Goble, Randy Wilcox, Ailene Kent Kidd, Avery Bailey, Linda Reed, Brenda Hylton, Paula Layne, Jeff Kidd, Evelyn Chaffins, Danny Risner, Betty Dutton, Michelle Hagy, Dean Hunt, Joey Samons, Mary Joseph, Paul Hill, Anna Ottis, Pam Whitaker, Matthew Goble, Pat Dye, Barb Lykens, Loretta McCray, Brian Stapleton, Millie Parsons, Sherry Slone, Elizabeth Mulkey, Leland Ousley, Barb Crouse, Roy Hall, Fronie McKinney, Marcie Tomlison, Wesley Hyden, Denise Slone, Lou Hall, Betty Lazenick, Thelma Goble, George Goble, Denver Goble, Peggy Boyd

Our members:

Bud Wireman, Joan Ousley, Bulavene Hall, Judy Adams, Marshall & Jackie Fugate, Rose Young, Rosie Daniels, Veda Fields, Connie Deskins, Ryan Johnson, Merle Marshall, Sparkel Conn, David Mosely, Larry Hall, Dean Cooley, Danielle McKenzie, Eula Stiltner, Charlotte Hall, Curt Jarvis, Leonard & Ethel Sturgill, Glennis Slone-Smith, Geraldine Jennings, Henrietta Orsborn, Katelyn SESCO, John Hall, Jackie Fugate, Roberta Sturgill, Brett McKenzie; Sharon Marshall, Marcie Hays, Velvia Hall, Lora Dingess, Vernon Hall, Judy Hall, Lynn Hill, Jackie Tackett, Candace Tackett, Raymond Daniels, Bethel Click

Friends/Family:

Jimmy Fish, Axel Combs, Nicole Samons, Karson Roop, Wanda Prince, Jerry Kinzer, Terry McCutcheon, Janice Feltner, Danny Patrick, Bonnie Reed, Debbie Samons, Kathy Thomas, Verlie Compton, Irene Ramey, Bucky Ellis, Gilbert Marcum, Wilma Moore, Kevin Hays, Ruth SESCO, Vicky Moore, Rod Sturgill, Donna Boyd, Johnny & Sissy Mosley, Margaret Tackett, Leighanne Hastie, Corbin Harris, Hope Thacker, Gene Ramey; Luke Martindale; Justine Kidd, Liam Moore, Almas Shepherd

Sympathy:

Please remember the family of Steve Shepherd.

Riverview Nursing Home: Debbie Porter and Donald Coleman

Today’s Sermon Topics/Scripture Readings
AM: “Count Your Blessings (Eph. 5:20)”
PM: “What Would the Devil Do?”

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MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Ladies’ Classes: Zoom on Monday @ 10 & In-Person on Tues. @ 11

Riverview Nursing Home: Today @ 2 pm

Men’s Business Meeting: Nov. 30th @ 5 pm

VBS Meeting: Dec. 7th @ 4:45 pm

Area-Wide Singing: Dec. 12th @ Paintsville CoC 7 pm

Have You Obeyed the Gospel of Christ?

Hear the Word	Rom.10:17
Believe in Christ	John 8:24
Repent of your Sin	Acts 2:38
Confess Jesus is God’s Son	Acts 8:37
Baptized into Jesus	Mk. 16:16
Live a godly Life	Titus 2:11-14

Schedule of Services

Sun. Bible Study – 10:00 am

Sun. Worship – 11:00 am

Sun. PM Worship –

Wed. Bible Study – 7:00 pm

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Greeters next week

Main Doors:

Auditorium: Karen Daniels & Brenda Crider

If you haven’t already, please fill out a visitors’ card. We would love to have a record of your visit with us today!