

December 17, 2017

We extend a Christian Welcome to you!

Our Mission: The Riverview Congregation exists to glorify God and proclaim Jesus Christ. In love, we invite all to experience Christ in worship, truth, and hospitality.

Pastor: Merlin Miller (260) 336-3210 merlinwm@riverviewcf.org

9:30am Sunday School

Classes for all ages

Adult: The Spirit of Truth and Generosity

10:30 am Worship Service

Welcome & Prayer

Special Music: Briana Byler

Offering for the Christian Education Fund

Worship: Merlin Bontrager

Message: *The Church Scattered, Acts 9:32-43*, Merlin Miller

6:00 pm Sunday Evening

Christmas Hymn Sing

Upcoming Events

- **JANUARY 20, 6-8PM Men's Meeting:** Come out and join in a time dinner, fellowship around the WORD and prayer. All men young and old are invited.

Scripture Prayer for the World

Lord Most High, you are awesome. You are the great King over the _____ . May the _____ sing praise to you for you are King of all the earth. You reign over the _____. You sit on your holy throne.

Psalm 47:2, 6-8

Church Related

- **MAILBOXES** have changed so please double check to make sure you're grabbing the right mail!
- **TODAY** is the last day to turn in calendar or directory information to Heidi Miller - if you are intending to provide that please make sure you talk to her today.
- **STEVE EICHER** was unanimously supported as the choice for our next overseer. His term will begin January 1, 2018 and extend three years to December 31, 2020.
- **PRESALE SIGN UP SHEET** for California citrus fruit is on the information table. See John Jones if you have any questions.

Prayer Requests

David Stevens
Ted Bierdeman
Larry Mast
Ora Hochstetler

Sunday Evenings

Dec 24- Ministry Night
Dec 31- Skit Night
Jan 7- Message, Jeff Stevens

Special Music

Dec 24- Glen Gingerich
Dec 31- Kaitlin Martin
Jan 7- Children's S.S. Dept

Greeter Schedule

Dec 17 & 24- Jeff Stevens
Dec 31- Daniel Reckers

Last Week:

Attendance: 143

Pastoral Support:

\$600.00

General Fund:

\$3493.00

Benevolence:

\$300.00

Christian Education Fund:

\$150.00

Building Fund:

\$150.00

India Trip:

\$1335.00

Next Sunday's Offering:

General Fund

For the Youth:

- **SUNDAY, DECEMBER 31:** Following the evening service, the youth are invited to Caleb & Kayla Miller's home for a New Year's Eve party. Please bring a snack and a 2 liter of pop to share.
- **SAVE THE DATE:** The youth winter retreat will be held at Camp Friedenswald from January 26-28. The cost is \$65 if you sign up and pay by Wednesday, January 3.

This Week

Today 17	Monday 18	Tuesday 19	Wednesday 20	Thursday 21	Friday 22	Saturday 23	Sunday 24
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 9:30am Sunday School • 10:30am Worship • 6pm Christmas Hymn Sing 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • John Jones 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 7pm Outreach Night, no service at church • Melissa McNamara 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3pm RMM Prayer Chapter @ Siloam 			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 9:30am Sunday School • 10:30am Worship • 6pm Ministry Night, no service at church

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The Church Scattered

Acts 9:32-43

Now as Peter went here and there among them all, he came down also to the saints who lived at Lydda.

v 33

Matt 9:6, Acts 3:6, v 34

v 35

Now there was in Joppa a disciple name Tabitha, which, translated, means Dorcas.

v 36b

Pro 31:30-31, 1 Tim 2:9-10

Eph 2:10

v 40

v 40-41

v 42

Concluding thoughts

- The _____ of God
 - *Anistemi* =
 - The _____ of God
- v 43



HE has made everything Beautiful

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