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October 9, 2022

### Current Worship Opportunities

#### **Sundays:**

10:00am Bible Fellowship  
11:00am Worship  
11:00am Facebook Live Stream

#### **Wednesdays:**

6:00 – 7:30pm Lit Youth Meetings  
6:30pm Bible Study  
6:30pm Facebook Livestream

#### **OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS**

14 Gage Lyles  
16 Charlotte Bagwell  
17 Zacharia Strange  
21 Angie Crumpler  
21 Kimber Templeton  
23 Lacey Gwinn  
29 Nancy Peddicord  
29 Cindy Gwinn

#### **Nursery Schedule**

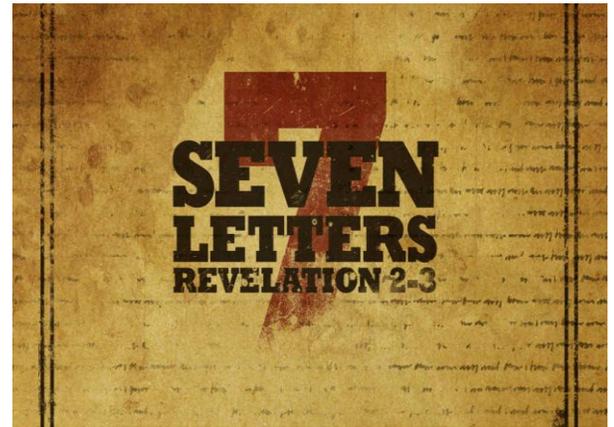
10/9: Stacy Edmonds  
10/16: Patsy Ayers, Deena Marino  
10/23: Christi Harrison, Kayla Strange  
10/30: Kayla Godfrey, Ann Royer

**A BIG “THANK YOU”** to the Rock Solid Children’s Ministry for their donation! The children and their leaders donated \$1,100 towards concreting the area under our picnic shelter.

#### **FOOD PANTRY**

The food pantry needs replenishing. Canned meats, soup, canned pasta, and cereal are all items that would be greatly appreciated. You can also make a monetary donation to help support this ministry. Just ear mark it for the “Food Pantry.” Thank you for your continued support of and generosity towards this very important ministry.

**Series: LETTERS FROM CHRIST**  
“The Church of the Living Dead”  
Revelation 3:1-6 (ESV)



*Welcome!*

*We are glad you are worshiping with us.  
Please take a moment to let us know a  
little about yourself by filling out a  
Connect Card.*

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## *Order of Service*

### **Welcome & Announcements**

### **Minute for Praise**

### **Call to Worship: No. 32**

“Alleluia”

### **Prayer of Preparation**

### **Congregational Hymn: No. 111**

“How Great Thou Art”

### **Deacon and Offertory Prayer**

### **Offertory**

### **Congregational Praise: “Fires”**

### **Message:** Rev. Deane Harrison

“The Church of the Living Dead”

*Revelation 3:1-6 (ESV)*

### **Invitational Hymn: No. 552**

“Where He Leads Me”

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*Please be mindful of the Spirit's work during the time of response by limiting your movement. Let's use this time to pray for each other and what God is doing among us.*

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **CHURCH PICNIC/PASTOR APPRECIATION**

TODAY immediately following the worship service. Come and join us for great fellowship and fun!

### **OCC TOY DRIVE**

Even though we collected many toys during VBS this summer, we still have a need for toys to fill this year's Operation Christmas Child boxes. Our packing party will be on Saturday, 11/12, so start now donating toys to this global outreach effort. The deadline for donations is Sunday, 11/6. Let's pray that God will do great things through these boxes of toys.

### **MAGNOLIA PLANTATION TRIP**

The trip to the Magnolia Plantation in Charleston is this **Saturday, 10/15**. We will depart from Rockvale at 7am. If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Cindy Gwinn.

### **SUNDAY EVENING SERVICE**

A Sunday evening service is scheduled for **Sunday, 10/16 at 6pm**. Join us as we worship the Lord and hear a message from Mr. Karl Holloway. Karl serves as our Ministry Intern, and this will be his first sermon. Let's support Karl on this night as he ministers to us through the preaching of God's Word.

### **FALL FESTIVAL**

Our annual Fall Festival will be on **Saturday, 10/29 from 1-4pm**. There will be food, candy, games, fellowship and, of course, plenty of FUN! This includes a cake auction and Trunk or Treat. Make plans to join us for this exciting festival and bring someone with you. For more information, or details on how you can get involved, please contact our Children's Ministry Director, Rebecca Buchanan.

### **GROVE'S SPOOKTACULAR**

Grove Elementary School will be hosting their Spooktacular event on **Saturday, 10/29 from 5-8pm**. They have asked Rockvale to participate in their Trunk or Treat. This is a great opportunity to serve Grove, meet families in our community and invite them to Rockvale. If you are interested in participating in this community outreach event, please contact Pastor Deane for more details.

### **YOUNG ADULT FELLOWSHIP**

The next Young Adult Fellowship will be on **Saturday, 10/22 at 4pm**. Anyone in their 20s, 30s, and 40s is welcome to join us for fellowship and Bible study. The plan is to go out to eat after the Bible study. Hope to see you there!

### **PRAYER & PRAISE**

Make plans now to attend our next Prayer & Praise service on **Sunday, 10/30 at 6pm**.

### **MINISTRY CELEBRATION CONFERENCE**

Join us for our first Ministry Celebration Conference on **Sunday, 11/6 at 6pm** as we celebrate the Kingdom work we have accomplished this year. We will also look ahead to our ministry goals for 2023. This will be a wonderful time of worship. Rev. Al Phillips from the GBA will bring our keynote message as he encourages and challenges us. Hope to see you there!

### **COMMUNITY MISSIONS PROJECT**

The Rock Student Ministry is participating in a community missions project where they are collecting and distributing essential items for the less fortunate in our community. If you would like to help collect these items, a list is available in lobby on the Welcome Desk. There is a collection box located in the lobby for donations.

### **PRAYER LIST**

Deacons, Pastors, Kat and Oliver Audler, Charlotte Bagwell and family, Tommy Bailey, Balentine family, Doris Bramlett, Jesse Buchanan, Rebecca Buchanan, Hazel Cox, Jim Cox, Frances Crane, Amauri Crumpler, Dexter Drain, Faye Edens, Stacy Edmonds, Lynn Edwards, Michael Gailbrieth, Richard Gibbons, David Gosnell, Tyler Griffin, Christi Harrison, Lisa Harrison, Josh Harvey, Casi Hutcheson, Angie Hyatt, Brandi Locklear, Marie and David Loftis, Gabriel Mendoza, Jaimie Mendoza, Diana Minyard, Gerald Mitchell, Verna Morrow, Rick & Nancy Peddicord, Butch Riddle, Mendall Rivers, Nancy Rizzi, Rockville Community, Jo Satterfield, Patricia Seaborn, Robert Shaw, Shirley Shirley, Tripp Smith, Smith family, Kathy Summey, James & Betty Templeton, Kimber Templeton, Sloan Templeton, Ellen Thompson, Amelia Treadwell, Audrey Vickery, Martha Waldrop, Star Winchester, Doug & Jessica Wintermute, Steve Wood, Turning Point, Tommy Marchbanks, Tim & Debbie Gresham