

Gratitude: How to Be Grateful to God

(The outline for this sermon is in the handout distributed with the bulletin)

Notes:

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HOW DOES ONE BECOME A MEMBER OF THE CHURCH?

One does not “join” the church. **The Lord adds** to the church those who are being saved (Acts 2:47). To be saved, one must do the will of God (Matt. 7:21-23). The will of God as expressed by the New Testament, for the sinner outside the body of Christ must:

HEAR THE GOSPEL
Romans 10:17

BELIEVE IN CHRIST
John 8:24 Hebrews 11:6

REPENT OF THEIR SINS
Acts 17:30 & 26:20

CONFESS FAITH IN CHRIST
Matt. 10:32 Rom. 10:10

**BE BAPTIZED FOR THE
REMISSION OF SINS**
Mark 16:16 Acts 2:38 Acts 22:16

BE FAITHFUL UNTO DEATH
Rev. 2:10

MINISTER

Fernando Barraza

ELDERS

Tommy Thompson
Leroy Smith
Guillermo Melendez

DEACONS

Franchot Randolph
Fernando Barraza
Bradley Rhodes

WORSHIP SERVICES

Sunday
11:00 A.M.

BIBLE STUDY
10:00 A.M.

SPANISH SERVICES
Sunday Worship 2:00 P.M.
Spanish Bible Study
Postponed due to COVID-19
Thursday Bible Study 7:00 P.M.
via ZOOM

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THANK YOU FOR ATTENDING TODAY!!

On June 15, 2021 the state of California and Cal OSHA lifted their mask mandate in most settings. The church leadership has decided to follow the state's example. Effective immediately, if you have been fully vaccinated, you no longer have to wear a mask while attending worship services, unless you choose to do so. No other changes to the order of services, or our worship schedule, will be made at this time.

Thank-you from the Melrose Elders & Deacons.

PRAY REQUESTS:

MATTHEW MELENDEZ, Guillermo & Irma's son, was found to have a cancerous tumor and had preventive surgery on Friday. The doctor assured the family that they removed all that was found. They didn't find anything else spreading around the area. The next step is a full body CT scan and bloodwork. Please pray that this tumor is at a lower level of cancerous cells. Matthew is just 24 years old.

DEE STARR is now under Hospice Care. Please continue remembering Dee in your daily prayers.

TERRY NEWMAN, Bonnie's husband, discovered that the peritoneal dialysis is no longer working for him. but he continues to do his treatments daily in order to clear that very small amount of toxins from his body. Please keep Bonnie & Terry in your prayers.

GUILLERMO MELENDEZ has been in El Salvador for a couple of weeks visiting his family as well as visiting the local churches. Please pray for a safe trip home.

CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR:

MICHAEL MORENO as he go thru procedures necessary for future heart transplant

SANDY WATTS that injections in her eye will prevent or delay blindness.

BONNIE NORFLEET NEWMAN to keep improving after having a stroke

JAN THOMPSON to continue to have health improvements.

SARAH MULLER to continue health progress.

ANN SMITH, that her anxiety continues to improve.

LENA TOLBERTSON to have her left knee heal without having surgery.

DEBBIE YENAWINE to keep progressing every day.

ADA GAGEN, 5 yrs. old, to have improved health conditions.

FREDDY MUNOZ as he has been deployed to South Korea.

CATALEYA, 9 months old, that her medical issues subside.

Send prayer requests, news & updates to: melcobulletin@yahoo.com

COMING EVENTS

CHRISTOPHER QUINN will deliver the message this morning: "*Gratitude: How to Be Grateful to God*".

Order of Morning Service

Opening Announcements

Song # 1

Lord's Supper

Offering

Song #2

Sermon

Song #3 / Invitation

Closing Announcements

Closing Prayer

The upcoming schedule of church gatherings will be as follows until further notice:

Sunday Morning Bible Study - 10:00 am

Sunday Morning Worship - 11:00 am to 12:00 pm

Sunday Evening Worship - Not Offered

Wednesday Evening Bible Study - Not Offered

THE LADIES CHRISTMAS PARTY was a joyous and merry event! Everyone had a great time, complete with great food & great fellowship. A humongous Thank You to *Betty & Franchot* for opening up their home to all.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT are on table in foyer for you to take and review.

THE LADIES BIBLE CLASS have completed their series of bible study for 2021. Classes will resume on January 8, 2022.

IN SEARCH OF THE LORD'S WAY with **PHIL SANDERS** will be shown on **KFMB @ 7:00 am on Sunday mornings.** *This program is a wealth of info, resources and the preaching of Christ & you are encouraged to see for yourself.*

DECEMBER ANNIVERSARIES

19 Fred & Gloria Schultz

22 Leroy & Ann Smith