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## The Power of Your Hand

When we speak of people with power we usually think of kings or world leaders. Yet we all have some power. We also should understand that power can be either good or bad. A lot of people misuse power. David was the king of Israel and typically a very good man. But you probably also remember the time when he used his power to sleep with another man's wife. He then used his power to have that man killed in battle. David showed us that power, if not used properly, can be very bad. However, power can also be a good thing. The Proverbs writer said "Do not withhold good from those to whom it is due, When it is in the power of your hand to do so" (Proverbs 3:27).

We all have some power and should use our power to do good to others.

- Garrett Bookout

**AM – "Pure Religion" James 1:22-27**

**Bible Time with Andy, Room 105 at 4:45 pm**

**PM – "Learn to Do Good" Isaiah 1:16-17**

### Read the Bible in 2 Years in Chronological Cross-Reference Order:

**Sunday** - Zechariah 12:1-13:9, Colossians 1:21-2:5

**Monday** - Zechariah 14:1-21, Ezra 6:14-22, Colossians 2:6-23

**Tuesday** - Esther 1:1-9, Psalm 120:1-7, Psalm 33:1-22, Colossians 3:1-17

**Wednesday** - Esther 1:10-2:23, Colossians 3:18-4:1

**Thursday** - Esther 3:1-4:17 **Friday** - Esther 5:1-6:14

**Saturday** - Esther 7:1-8:17, Colossians 4:2-18

# PRAYER LIST and ANNOUNCEMENTS

## PRAYER LIST

Tina Kelso, Sabrena Sowell's cousin, has been battling stage 4 lung cancer. The cancer has spread to her brain.

Buddy Krech is at Saint Thomas Midtown with an infection.

Laura Weathers, a friend of The Sowell's, is in the hospital due to excess fluid around her heart.

Lincoln, Mary Frances Calix's nephew, has a severe infection.

**Continue to Remember:** Mary Lee Caldwell, Tyler Colgan, Barbara Dees, Jim Duty, Lester Elliott, Kathy Hinson, Beverly Jenkins, Barbara Jones, Richard King, Gail Krech, Jimmy Lincoln, Joseph Lucas, Janice Martin, Janice Maynard, Ronald McRady, Tonja McRady, William Morrison, Michele Pratt, Kendall Redmond, Holly Richardson, Bryant Rimmer, Clinton Robnolte, Ben Shappard, John & Melba Sims, Jimmy Smithson, Mike Vice, Sharon Welborn, Bobbie Wilhoite, Holly Winkler, Shannon Woodroof, Randy Youngblood

**Our Shut-ins:** Jane Brown, Robert Holt (The Somerby), Peggy Loggins (at home), Patricia Marsh



## SYMPATHY

We extend our sympathy to Shaun and Mary Frances Calix on the passing of Shaun's stepmother, Debra Wicker.

## DONATIONS

We are collecting new and used blankets for the homeless. Please place donations in the bins on the green table in Room 102.

### Online Giving Instructions

**Give online:**

<https://donate.stripe.com/6oEcQKqAla0HczS000>

**By App:**

Lightpost App



## THOSE TO SERVE

### TODAY - SUNDAY, November 10, 2024

**USHERS:** Trey Burns, Josh Oppermann, Mike Pope, John Pratt  
**Song Leader:** Matt Lyndoe  
**Reader:** Joe Burns  
**Scripture:** Romans 14:13-23  
**Opening Prayer:** Tyler Atkins  
**Preside at Lord's Table:** Jimmy Davis  
**Serve the Lord's Supper:** Logan Chitwood, John Cottrell, Blake McDaniel, Matt Potts  
**Closing Prayer:** David Pence  
**Nursery Attendants:** Sharon Broome, Rachel Haedge  
**Communion to Shut Ins:** Mike Meade

### TODAY'S EVENING SERVICE

**Song Leader:** Matt Lyndoe  
**Reader:** Frank Welborn  
**Opening Prayer:** Steve Ellis  
**P.M. Preside/Lord's Supper:** Kyle Richardson  
**Closing Prayer:** Caleb Chitwood  
**Nursery Attendants:** Beth Lincoln, Layne Melton

### WEDNESDAY, November 13, 2024

**Devotional Speaker:** Garrett Bookout  
**Song Leader:** Matt Lyndoe  
**Opening Prayer:** Josh Oppermann  
**Closing Prayer:** Reagan Graham  
**Sound for 11/10 Week:** Matt Potts  
**Projector for November:** Phillip McCullough

## THE RECORD

Last Sunday (11/03/2024)	
Morning Worship	211
Sunday School	164
Evening Worship	126
Wednesday Night (11/06/2024)	148
Contribution Last Sunday:	\$17,042.41
Contribution YTD:	\$658,808.42
Contribution Goal YTD:	\$616,000.00

### PREPARE COMMUNION - November

Wilma Cooley

### COLLECT COMMUNION CUPS - November

Vi Waldrep

### BUILDING LOCK-UP - November

Jimmy Davis & Jared Street

### MONTHLY ELDER CHAIRMAN - November

Clint Oppermann

# ANNOUNCEMENTS and UPCOMING EVENTS

**Please contact the Church office to schedule an event**

**southernhillscofc@gmail.com**

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

### **Church Wide**

**Today** - Rodger's Compassion Card Team #2 - Room 102  
- Diva Devo for Youth Group Girls 6th-12th grade

**November 11, 2024** - Monday Night Fellowship

**November 19, 2024** - Ladies Digging Deep Devotional

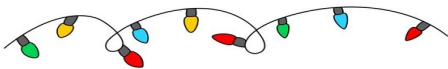
**November 23, 2024** - Holiday Lights at Cheekwood

### **MONDAY NIGHT FELLOWSHIP**

Everyone is invited to the Broome's on Monday night to fellowship together, play games and watch football. If you have any questions, please see David.

### **HOLIDAY LIGHTS AT CHEEKWOOD**

Everyone is invited to enjoy the Holiday Lights at Cheekwood on Saturday, November 23rd. Admission is provided for our Southern Hills Family. We will meet at the building at 5:00 pm for soup and sandwiches. Please bring a pot of soup or a dessert, sandwiches and drinks will be provided. We will leave for Cheekwood at 6:00 pm. Our tour of the mansion and gardens begins at 6:30 pm. This is a ticketed event so please sign up on the sign up sheet in the foyer or let Andy know that you will be attending. We must have a final head count by November 16th.



### **GIFTS FOR THE WOODS FAMILY**

Please place gifts purchased for Shaquella Woods in the marked bins in Room 102 by Sunday, December 1st. Gifts do not need to be wrapped. Please see the message in Lightpost for the link to sign up.

### **FOOD DRIVE**

Columbia Academy is having their annual canned food drive. Donations can be placed in Andy's office through Sunday, November 17th. Please see The Reames or Bookouts if you would like to make a monetary donation.

### **BACK TO SCHOOL CLOSET**

We are accepting new clothes for the Back to School Closet. We are especially in need of boys and girls size XL. Only children's clothes are needed. If you have any questions, please see Kendra Rodgers.

## **MISSIONS MEMO...**

**Paul Gerber**

**Somerset West, Cape Town,  
South Africa**

*Paul is the full-time minister who serves under two qualified elders. The congregation oversees a preaching school where students are taught by local preachers and one instructor via Zoom from the USA.*

Hettie and I greet you fondly from Hampshire, Tennessee. We arrived yesterday and today we climatize and "settle in". The Guthrie family, where we are staying, is so generous and hospitable. Please pray for us that we will be able to maximize our time here. We plan on stopping by to see you!

Good news from Waterford: We spent 3 weeks with the church in Waterford, Ireland. We were impressed with their dedication and zeal. Sunday last, we baptized 4 precious souls into Jesus. One teenager expressed a desire to be baptized so I arranged a "breakfast with Uncle Paul" with the teens after which we had a study on baptism. As a result, 3 others then concluded they were ready to make a commitment.

On Sunday morning they were emersed in the cold water of the Atlantic. We had 22 in morning worship attendance. We spent the 3 weeks visiting each family. Everyone was so very happy with the church, and I could leave them with further instruction and motivation.

Good News from our son Rudi: He saw the oncologist yesterday and received great news as his cancer count after 6 months is normal and the smaller growths being absorbed by the body.

Please continue to keep the evangelistic efforts in South Africa in your prayers!

May God Bless Southern Hills! Paul





## ...from Drew

### UPCOMING EVENTS

#### **Today - Diva Devo**

6th-12th grade girls are invited to stay after church today for lunch, Hawaiian Fluid Art, devotional and service project. Please bring \$20 to cover the cost of the art.

#### **November 16th at 5:00 pm - Friendsgiving**

The Burns are hosting our first annual "Friendsgiving." Both parents and kids are invited. Please plan to bring a dish to this potluck-style Thanksgiving meal.

#### **December 27th - 30th - Exposure Youth Camp (EYC) in Huntsville, AL.**



## ...from Andy

### UPCOMING EVENTS

#### **December 6th - Holiday Party**

At The McDaniel's

#### **December 7th - Breakfast with Santa**

## TIMES SERVICES

SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP - 9 AM  
BIBLE CLASS - 10 AM

SUNDAY EVENING WORSHIP - 5PM

WEDNESDAY EVENING SERVICE - 5PM & 7PM

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