

Ninth Avenue Church of Christ

September 21, 2025

Please don't forget
to be in prayer for
our search for new
elders!



Birthdays and Anniversaries September

17th- Matthew Balentine

20th- Denny & Stacy Tinch

21st- Jarad & Maddie Brimer

22nd- Judy Melton

23rd- Collins Balentine

Rejoice, Pray, and Give Thanks

In 1 Thessalonians 5:16–18, Paul gives us three short but powerful instructions:

“Rejoice always, pray continually, give thanks in all circumstances.” Simple words—yet some of the hardest commands to live out daily.

Happiness comes and goes depending on circumstances, but joy is rooted in the faithfulness of God. When we pray continually, we keep our focus on Him instead of our problems. And when we practice gratitude—even in storms—our perspective shifts back to His promises.

Paul reminds us that these are not burdens to carry alone. God has placed His Spirit within us, and He is faithful to strengthen and guide us. Joy, prayer, and gratitude are not optional extras—they are God’s will for our lives in Christ Jesus.

Youth events

There will be a **movie night** at the youth building on September 20th at 6pm.

Lads to Leaders registration opens up very soon so we will be having a **kick off lunch** on September 21st. Please plan to attend as we will hand out registration paperwork and explain a few changes.

Weekly Assignments

Announcements- Kevin Hood

Scripture Reading - Larry Burleson

Opening Prayer - Dennis Bennett

Closing Prayer - Denny Tinch

Song Leader - Grayson Goddard

Sermon - Matthew Balentine

Worship Attendance - 191

Bible Classes- 130

Contribution In Person - \$4,923

Contribution Online - \$835

Communion Prep- Kaleb McCreless

Communion Lead - Haley Dobbs

Left

Riley Raper

Bradley Tedford

Alex DeLeon

Bryton Frost

Right

Kelly Rushing

Jimmy Dye

Randy Kilpatrick

Ron Harper

Balcony Tim Hill

*** THE TABLE MEMBERS WILL BE THE SAME FOR
THE ENTIRE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER***

Weekly Prayer Needs

Prayers

Tillman Hill, W.C. Dickinson, Evelyn Hicks, Sonny Fell, Linda Howell, Bobbie Hatton, Maddie Bishop, Barry Hill, Linda Cagle, Rhonda Hester, Becky Davis, Glenda Dye, Michael Humphries, Joan Burleson, Jerry Farris, Tim McNutt, Mona Whitt, Judy Postell, Tracy Messer, Sally Gist, Donald Loveless, Sue Scruggs, Jamie Dye, Paul Lisieski

Shut-Ins

Hester Bowley, Becky Davis, W.C. Dickinson, Bobbie Hatton, Mona Whitt, Ara Lou Burleson, Sonny Fell, Betty Dobbs, Michael Humphries, Harold Vickery, Annette Lawler

The birthday party for Glenda Dye will be here at the building on Saturday, September 20th at 2pm. Please let Patti know if you can make it.

Therefore, my dear brothers and sisters,
stand firm. Let nothing move you.
Always give yourselves fully to the
work of the Lord, because you know
that your labor in the Lord is not in vain.

1 Corinthians 15:58

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A Church of Christ Caring for its Community

Service Schedule:

Sunday

Bible Study...9:30am

Worship... 10:30am

Evening... 1:00pm

Wednesday

Bible Study ...6:30pm

Elders

Brian Fortenberry

Jamie White

Deacons

David Albright

Haley Dobbs

Tanner Goddard

Bruce Hood

Will Romine

Minister: Matthew Balentine

Youth Minister: Josh Wade



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