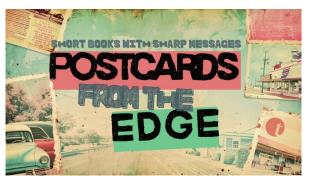


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#### Fill-In Sermon Notes

Take notes as you listen, and if you'd like, email them to yourself.



http://tiny.cc/tccnotes

#### **ORDER OF WORSHIP**

We Shall Assemble

Sermon......Mark Adams

Boundless Love
He Gave His Life for Me

#### The God of All Grace

"And the God of all grace, who called you to His eternal glory in Christ, after you have suffered a little while, will Himself restore you and make you strong, firm, and steadfast." I Peter 5:10

"In the grand narrative of our lives, suffering is an inevitable chapter. It's a plot twist that can leave us feeling disoriented,

wondering how the story could possibly end well. Yes, we will suffer for a little while. But our suffering is not the defining theme of our lives. It's a page, not the whole book. And the Author? He's the God of all grace

This grace isn't a weak wish or a trite platitude. It's a transformative force that meets us in our deepest pain and whispers, "This isn't the end." It's the grace that called us to eternal glory in Christ, and it's the same grace that will carry us there.

And here's the stunning promise: after we have suffered, God Himself will restore us. He will take the broken chapters of our lives and weave them into a story of redemption, strength, and unshakable hope. Our pain will become a platform for His power.

So today, if you find yourself in a season of suffering, remember this: your story isn't over. The God of all grace is still writing, still working, still restoring. Trust in His unfailing love, lean into His promise, and let hope rise. The best chapters are yet to come." ~Our Daily Verse

~Rick Hatcher

## Spanish Speaking Ministry

The Spanish speaking ministry of Tusculum would like to invite you to come and enjoy authentic foods from Honduras, Mexico, El Salvador, Venezuela, Guatemala, and Peru TODAY. We will serve after church until 12:30 p.m. in the main hallway. Our purpose is twofold: to help the member of Tusculum experience different cultures through their foods and help raise funds for the Backpacks of Opportunity trips to Guatemala and Mexico in 2026. Our goal is \$8,000 which will help us deliver 400 backpacks. We ask only that you consider giving a donation. Donations can be made on church app Subsplash: Backpacks of opportunity

### New Winter Quarter

The new winter quarter brochure listing Sunday morning and Wednesday night adult Bible classes are in the Great Hall and at each table. The new quarter will begin Sunday, November 2

M & M's Thanksgiving Dinner 49er's, our Thanksgiving dinner will be Saturday, November 15 at 1:00 p.m. in the TYM. Please sign up on the sheet in at Sign Up Central by Sunday, NOVEMBER 9! Everyone who wants to attend MUST sign up by the deadline. We have to confirm our number with the Caterer!

## Thanksgiving Sunday

Our annual Thanksgiving Food Drive is set for Sunday, November 9. We need everyone to participate in providing food. We are also collecting money to purchase hams to go along with these meals. You may give your money to Mary Pomeroy or Melanie Moon. If you know of a family or individual who would benefit from a Thanksgiving meal, please call the church office (615-833-1660).

#### Remember Our Sick....

**Bo Newcomb** has been moved to McKendree Rehab, 4343 Lebanon Pike, Room 155, Hermitage 37076.

Beth Santymire had thumb surgery on Thursday, October 23.

Hollis Tackitt's surgery went well on Thursday. The line they were concerned about was ok without replacing it. Praise the Lord!

Beth Burgess is in an assisted living facility now. Her new address: C/O Clarendale at Bellevue Place, 7632 Highway 70 South, Apartment 148, Nashville 37221.

Patty Augustus has returned home. She is waiting on test results. Continued prayers.

**Yvonne Cantrell,** a long time janitorial staff member, has been diagnosed with bone cancer. She has four more months of chemo to go. Her address is 1433 Tempany Ct., Nashville 37207. She would cards!

RETURNED HOME: Gavin Marshall

#### A No-Cost Way to Increase Your Giving

If you happen to shop at Kroger, did you know that you can designate the Tusculum Church of Christ to receive a portion of all your spending there? You must have a digital account with Kroger, meaning you have a log -in with their website, and you want to be sure you have connected your Kroger Shopper card to your online account. For most people, this happens when setting up your Shopper card.

Once you log in to the Kroger website, you click your name on the top right > My Account > Community Rewards. From there, you select our church as the organization to which you wish to donate. Take a few seconds to set this up, and every time you buy groceries, you can simultaneously support our church since they will give us a portion of their proceeds. All funds we receive from Kroger go to benefit our ministries for young people. Thanks for considering and let us know if we can help! - Mark Adams

## Date Change of Ladies Breakfast

Ladies, please mark your calendars, this year's Ladies Breakfast will be on February 28. Our speaker will be Becky Kegley. This will be just this year.

# Tech-tober at Tusculum: Tech Support and Photo Updates

Maybe technology isn't your thing, and you've felt a bit left out. We want to help catch everyone up to speed. That's why this October, we're offering Tech Support TODAY between worship and class. Volunteers will be in Adult Classroom 3 to help you install and log in to the Tusculum App, the Instant Church Directory, join the Prayer group, and answer any other questions you might have.

Also, Rebecca Foster will be set up in the Great Hall to take new photos for our households, deacons, and ministry leaders.

To assist you, please come prepared. Ensure you are logged in to your email account on your phone. If you know how, be sure to update your phone's software. Bring along any usernames or passwords that you need to access your email. Also, bring your phone, your tablet, and any other device on which you want to install the apps.

## Happy Birthday

We want to wish a big "Happy Birthday" to Gwen Watson, who will celebrate her 95<sup>th</sup> birthday on TODAY and to Ruby Darks, who will celebrate her 92<sup>nd</sup> birthday on Tuesday, October 28.

#### **TUSCULUM YOUTH MINISTRY**

#### Sundays

Come join us as we study God's word.

#### Wednesdays

We will have a time of fellowship and study in the TYM. Great time to invite your friends.

#### Life Groups

We will have life groups from 5-7 p.m. at the home of the Flanigan's. Please bring \$5 for food and a friend.

#### Unite

We will have an area-wide at Rural Hill Church of Christ on November 9. It will start at 5 p.m. and end at 8 p.m. The bus will leave the church at 4:30 p.m. We will have a time of worship, and we will have dinner.

#### Recharge

Our fall retreat will be **November 14-16**. Please sign up in the app! Friends come free! Deadline to sign up is **October 30**.

#### Tusculum/Smyrna Winter Formal

Joins us from 3 to 9 p.m. on December 6 for our Winter Formal. The last day to sign up is **November 16**. More details on the app.

#### Mission Trip

Please sign up in the app! More details are in the app and GroupMe. More details to come soon! The LAST DAY to sign up is **November 9** 

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Greg Petree	615-891-9433
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#### **Kids Praise**

Following communion, children ages 3-kindergarten are invited to join us in the children's wing for Kids Praise

Children's Bulletins and color sheets are available in the racks on the left side of the Great Hall.

## Nursery

An attended nursery is available during worship for infants through 2 years old.

October 26—Carolina Adams and Jamie Frankum

November 2-Ruth Fox and Barbara Seals

Email dburgesstcc@gmail.com and let her know if you would like to help.

 MAIN LINE
 615-833-1660

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 615-833-1869

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## Attendance and Contribution October 19, 2025

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Attendance	383
(includes online and Spanish)	)
Bible Class	139
Contribution	\$10,530.70
Weekly Budget	\$16,400.00
Average YTD Contribution	

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