

## The Authority and Qualifications of the Deacon

1 Timothy 3:8–13



SUNDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2025

### ORDER OF WORSHIP

Call to Worship	<b>Isaiah 9:1–7</b>
Hymn 218	<b>O Come, O Come, Emmanuel</b>
Scripture Reading	<b>Micah 4:1–5:5a</b>
Corporate Prayer	<b>Jacob Andrews</b>
Hymn 246	<b>It Came Upon the Midnight Clear</b>
Hymn 242	<b>O Little Town of Bethlehem</b>
Message	<b>The Authority and Qualifications of the Deacon</b> <i>1 Timothy 3:8–13</i>
Hymn	<b>Jesus, with Thy Church Abide</b> <b>The Lord's Table</b>
Hymn 332	<b>Oh, How Good It Is</b>
Doxology	<b>Ephesians 3:20–21</b>

*If you would like to contribute to our offering this morning,  
an offering box is located at the rear of the sanctuary.*

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## THIS WEEK @ CORNERSTONE

Children's Sunday School - The Holy Spirit Arrives / Acts 2:1-47

Junior High Sunday School - 1 Peter / Chapter 5

Adult Sunday School - Prayer / Stewardship & Volunteers

Home Fellowship Groups - Dec. - n/a

Cleaning - Everyone...after Corporate Fellowship Meal

Logos - Systematic Theology (Grudem) / Chapter 48

Women's Study - Romans (MacArthur) / n/a

## NEXT WEEK @ CORNERSTONE

Children's Sunday School - The Pre-Existence of the Son / John 1:1-5

Junior High Sunday School - Worldliness (C.J. Mahaney) / Chapter 1

Adult Sunday School - Prayer / Stewardship & Volunteers

Home Fellowship Groups - Dec. - n/a

Cleaning - Jones/Fry

Logos - Systematic Theology (Grudem) / n/a

Women's Study - Romans (MacArthur) / n/a

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## CORNERSTONE APP



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New to Cornerstone? Be sure to pick-up a visitor guide from one of the vestibules before you leave this morning!

## LOOKING AHEAD

**Lottie Moon Offering. Last day for offering extended to Dec. 21.**

The Chronicle has a link to the IMB page and more information about Lottie Moon's work in China. If you would like to give please designate your gift to "Lottie Moon" and place in the offering box by Dec. 21

**Sparkle in the Park Hot Chocolate/Coffee Kiosk - December 12.**

Slight change in plan, we are going to set up a little stand for hot chocolate and coffee in the park to serve the community. We will also have fliers available about the Christmas concert. See Chronicle for details.

**"Christmas at Cornerstone" Concert - December 19.** This is an outreach event that we're opening to the community. At the concert, the children will be performing a selection of Christmas songs as well as some congregational Christmas carols.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Sunday School Quarter 3 Begins - December 7.** Quarter 3 Sunday school teachers will start this day.

**Corporate Fellowship Meal - December 7.** See Chronicle for meal-train.

**Congregational Meeting - December 7.** There will be a short meeting during the Corporate Fellowship Meal.

**Deacon Nomination - December 7.** At the congregational meeting there will be opportunity to nominate more deacons. Think and pray about who you may want to nominate.

**Logos - December 8.** The men are discussing Wayne Grudem's Systematic Theology at 6:30pm in the conference room.

**Council (Elders & Deacons) - December 10.**

**Sparkle in the Park Hot Chocolate/Coffee Kiosk - December 12.**

Come be a part of this outreach event. See Chronicle for details.

**"Christmas at Cornerstone" Concert - December 19.** 6:30pm