

**Praise and Thanksgiving
November 25, 2023**

*9:00 a.m. **11:30 a.m.

Opening Hymn *Come, Christians, Join and Sing* Hymn #10

Welcome & Announcements Jimmy Cook

Praise Hymn *For the Beauty of the Earth* Hymn #565

Worship in Prayer *Now Dear Lord* (Hymn #671) Jimmy Cook

Call to Praise
Responsive Reading *Shout With Joy to God, All the Earth!* #697
Praise to the Lord Hymn #1

The Importance of Praise
Reading Pastor Jared
My Maker and My King Hymn #15
Reading Victoria Hall

Praise Him for His Creation
Responsive Reading *The Heavens Declare the Glory of God* #717
I Sing the Mighty Power of God Hymn #88
All Things Bright and Beautiful Timothy Tillman

Praise Him for His Redemption
Reading Pastor Scotty
Responsive Reading *Praise the Lord, O My Soul* #711
I Will Sing of Jesus' Love Hymn #183
Children's Story Linda Mowery
Jesus Loves Me (First Verse, Children Only) Hymn #190

Praise Him for His Leading in Our Present
Reading Pastor Jared
Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Hymn #694
Offering Appeal Jimmy Cook
Georgia-Cumberland Ministries/Loose Offering: Church Budget
Reading Pastor Scotty
It Is Well With My Soul Victoria Coulter

Praise Him for His Leading in Our Future
Reading Pastor Jared
Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing Hymn #334
Reading Pastor Scotty
The Lord is Coming Hymn #200

Benediction Pastor Jared
Postlude

WELCOME to our members and guests to Bowman Hills Church's Praise and Thanksgiving Service. A special thank you to Tyson and Kristy Hall for putting this program together. May the Lord grant us all a heart of continual thanksgiving and praise!

MEMBERSHIP TRANSFERS: First Reading
To Join Elsewhere:
Douglas & Tammy Cropf to Cedar Ridge SDA (Georgetown, TN)

CHURCHWIDE FELLOWSHIP DINNER IS POSTPONED for next week. Next fellowship dinner will take place on December 23 to coincide with the special Christmas music program that is planned for that Sabbath.

WOMEN'S MINISTRY will be hosting an evening on November 27 in the Fellowship Room for all the ladies and teen girls to come and dine at the Master's table where the enemy is not invited. Food will be provided. Please RSVP to Carleen Zalabak at 423-314-3860.

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS FOOD BOXES: It is time for our annual "Food for Friends" drive, where boxes of food items are given to families in need. Bring your non-perishable food items (remember to check the expiration date) and monetary donations (for monetary donations, mark a tithe envelope, Food for Friends) by December 2 for distribution the following week. Please note that we will use milk crates for the food baskets this year and we need these as well. If you know of someone in need who you could personally deliver a basket to, please put your name on Linda's desk.

THE FLOWERS TODAY are in honor of our families' November birthdays. We praise God for the gift of life – we are "fearfully and wonderfully made!" Psalm 139:14 *Carol Magboo*

SERVING TODAY

ORGANIST Tyson Hall
PIANIST Kristy Hall
PRESIDING ELDER Jimmy Cook
PRESIDING DEACON *Mike Reams **Wyatt Leonard
CHORISTER Harold Mowery
RECEPTIONIST *Rosie and Axel Mehrhoff / Jeanne Sudduth
 **Brian and Jacquie Frimpter

*First Service
**Second Service

A BABY CELEBRATION will be hosted by the Cradle Roll department for the four expecting mothers we are blessed with in Cradle Roll at this time. We will have a potluck meal at Jamie and Barry Hall's home ~ 412 Brook Bryson Rd. Cleveland, TN. Please come join us on December 2, following Sabbath School. If you would like to contribute to a group gift, please contact Jamie at 423-504-0134.

SCHOOL CHRISTMAS PROGRAM: Bowman Hills School students will present *The Best Christmas Present Ever*, a musical that highlights Jesus as the best gift from God, which is for everyone! There are two times to enjoy this wonderful program: Friday, December 8 at 8:30 a.m. and Saturday, December 9 at 6:30 p.m. in the school gym.

PRAYER REQUESTS

PRAYERS OF HEALING: John Anderson, Kiera Barnard, Bob Brown, Christy Cabrera, Dean Coulter, Beverly Crigger, Phil Davis, Terry Garrett, Diane Grindstaff, Tom Griswold, LaRayne Hall, Lennox McConnell, Patti Miller, Evan Paradis, Eric Reion, Kasi Schreuder, Jean Shira, Nellie Stearley and Lori Tomer.

OTHER PRAYERS: Remember our Bible studies, Bowman Hills School, our church leadership, and the 2024 evangelistic series for our church.

AREA NEWS

JAIME JORGE IN CONCERT Join us for a free concert, *A Thanksgiving of Hope*, tonight at 6 p.m. at the Collegedale Community SDA Church to benefit the people of Cuba. Jaime will share music, tell inspiring stories of what God is doing, as well as delight you with special guests, pianist legend Tim Parton and 3ABN host and singer Jason Day.

GRIEF RECOVERY SEMINAR: for all who have experienced loss to death or divorce, presented by Karen Fordham on December 9 from 2:30-4 p.m. at the Standifer Gap School. Free materials with an RSVP through sgsda.org/family "Contact Us", call the church office at 423-892-6013, or standifergapsda@gmail.com. Please RSVP by Tuesday, December 5.

The offering next week is for Local Church Budget

WORSHIP IN GIVING TO CHURCH BUDGET

	GOAL	RECEIVED	DIFFERENCE
Last Week	4,943	3,948	(995)
Year to Date	222,435	230,900	8,465

10:15 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.

Adult Sabbath School Lesson Title: *Mission to the Needy*

SABBATH SCHOOL CLASSES

Children

Adults

- 101 – Kindergarten
- 106 – Youth
- 206 – Earliteen
- 207 – Primary
- 208 – Junior
- 302 – Cradle Roll

- 102 – Young Families
- 104 – Young Adults
- 107 – Hall
- 109 – McCartney/Willis
- 201 – Sudduth
- 202 – Library – Women’s Class
- 205 – Conference Rm. – Sullivan Sanctuary – Chesney

TUESDAY, November 28

Women’s Small Group Study (Conference Rm.) 11 a.m.

WEDNESDAY, November 29

Pathfinders (School Gym) 6:00 p.m.

Prayer Meeting (Sanctuary) 6:30 p.m.

Church Office Hours

M & T 10:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.

W 12:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Th 9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Please call before coming to the office to make sure that someone is here.

***Parents:** Relax! God put the wiggles in children; don’t feel you have to suppress it in God’s house. Raising our children is a most important and challenging ministry given by God. Might we suggest sitting toward the front where it’s easier for your little one to see and hear. Take time to quietly explain the parts of the service and invite them to participate. If you feel you must leave the service with your child, feel free to do so, but please come back. Jesus said: “Let the children come to me.” We are grateful you and your little ones are here. We also have activity bags for children in the Parent’s Room available to check out for the sermon time.*

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Sunset Tonight 5:28 p.m.

Sunset Next Friday 5:27 p.m.