

Prayers and Praise \_\_\_\_\_  
Confidential \_\_\_\_\_

September 4, 2022

Worship - Rodney Young

My Faith Looks Up To Thee

Call To Worship

A Wonderful Savior

The Lily Of The Valley

Prayer

The Old Rugged Cross

Communion

My Jesus, I Love Thee

Mansion Over The Hilltop

(dismiss children to children's church)

Sermon - Dean Whaley

A Picture Of Love

Softly And Tenderly

Closing Announcements/Prayer

THE  
**ELDER  
SELECTION**  
PROCESS

**September 11: New elders presented to the  
congregation**



The WiFi password  
for devices during  
services is:  
**Matthew721**

## The Week Ahead

Sunday, September 4

9:30am - Bible Class  
10:30am - Worship Service

Monday, September 5

**OFFICE CLOSED**

Tuesday, September 6

8:45am - Walking Class

Wednesday, September 7

8:45am - Walking Class  
6:00pm - Wednesday Night Meal  
6:30pm - Bible Classes

Thursday, September 8

8:45am - Walking Class  
12:00pm - Chat "n" Chew

Sunday, September 11

**Installations of Elders**

9:30am - Bible Class  
10:30am - Worship Service  
11:30am - Church Wide Potluck

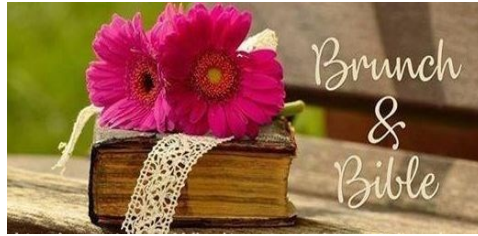
**For the week of August 21**

**Contribution: \$7883**

**Attendance: 219**



Wednesday night at 6:00pm we will begin serving our meal of: **Stacked Beef Enchiladas**  
At 6:30pm our Tiny Disciples Studios will continue as our Wednesday night curriculum for our Children's Ministry. The adult class will be led by Gene Adee and Ken Friemel. They will be talking about their years sojourning!



Ladies Bible Class will kick off for the fall season with a brunch and Bible study at 10:00am on Monday, September 12th. Bring your favorite brunch item to share. We will provide the coffee. The study for this season will be announced that morning.

*Casserole delivery to the High Plains Children's Home Shelter will be made on **Tuesday, September 6th.** Please have your casserole, bread, or whatever you want to prepare at the building by 10:00am Tuesday morning. If you brought something today, please put it in the freezer.*

**We are having a church wide potluck on Sunday, September 11th immediately after church services.**  
**We will be celebrating not only the installation of our new elders, but we will also be celebrating all grandparents—it's National Grandparents Day on the 11th! So bring a covered dish or dessert and let's have a great time of food and fellowship!**

## A PICTURE OF LOVE (John 3:14-17)

**1. PICTURES CAN SAY A LOT!! ... GRANDKIDS!! ...** Those pictures are an expression of how much they are loved, AND Jn. 3:16 HAS ALWAYS BEEN THE SNAPSHOT OF HOW MUCH GOD LOVES US!! Eph. 2:11-13 ... That's The PICTURE God Gave Us So That We'd Know How Much He Loved Us!! Jn. 3:1-3 tells us NOT only that God loves us, but there's a reason why we need that love

**2. READ Jn. 3:14 A SERPENT? IN THE WILDERNESS?** Num. 21:5-9 Israel was wandering in the wilderness, they rebelled against God. And so it was in Num. 21:1-3 God wasn't happy with Israel, and so He decided to get Their Attention. What About The People Of This World??

**3. IS THERE A SOLUTION?... ABSOLUTELY- -YES!!** The Bronze Serpent ... The Only Way Anyone Could Be Healed ... REMEMBER THE GOSPEL??? The Death, Burial, and Resurrection of Jesus! 1Cor. 15:3,4 ... We OBEY the Gospel when we Die to sin; are Buried in Water and Raised to walk in a New Life Rom. 6:3-6 ... Now There Is A Picture!! ... God loved us, so He sent His son to be lifted up on the cross so that we could look to Him to receive the cleansing of our sins!! ... Earlier in Jn. 3:3, we heard Jesus tell Nicodemus- "unless one is born again he cannot see the kingdom of God." ... Then in Jn. 3:5 "unless one is born of water and the Spirit he cannot enter into the kingdom of God." ... We need to post pictures of Jesus in their minds so that they see HIM as their answer!!

**CLOSE:** "Whatever you have done, whatever you have become ... it doesn't matter. Please come home." ... In John ch. 3 God has left us a picture ... a picture of His love on the cross!

Mark all that apply:

Guest

Member

Place Membership

Meal & A Message

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
Home Phone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_  
Do you want a nametag to wear? " ... Greet the friends there by name."  
First and last name on tag \_\_\_\_\_