



# PHILEMON

THE GOSPEL CHANGES THE WORLD:  
THE GOSPEL CHANGES OUR RELATIONSHIPS!

**July 28, 2024**

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# 9:00am Worship Service

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Welcome

\*Opening Prayer & Call to Worship

One: Jesus calls us to receive others in love.

**All: Let the Gospel help us to love others more fully!**

One: Jesus calls us to release debts.

**All: Let the Gospel make us more ready to forgive!**

One: Jesus calls us to be in fellowship.

**All: Let the Gospel allow us to gather with others in love and grace!**

\*Opening Hymn & Entrance of the Light of Christ

*"I Love to Tell the Story"*

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Praises and Prayers

Scripture Reading

Philemon 1: 8-25

Children's Time

Sermon Hymn

*"Freely, Freely"*

#389

Message

Pastor Heath Wilson

*"The Gospel Changes the World: The Gospel Changes Our Relationships!"*

Response to the Word/Offering

Offertory

Owen Dickerson, Trumpet

\*Doxology

*"Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow"*

#95

The Lord's Prayer

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread.**

**And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

\*Closing Hymn

*"O for A Thousand Tongues to Sing"*

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Benediction

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**Participants**

**Today**

**Next Week**

Greeters:

Sarah Stith

Mary Cranford

Acolytes:

Jessica & Harley

Ashley & Owen

# Prayer Concerns

## July 28 thru August 4

Rock Catterton - health concerns

Ashley Dickerson - recovering from oral surgery

Sue Hines - recovering well from TAVR heart valve replacement

Allen Kammer - medical concerns

Nancy Lane - South River Healthcare Center, Edgewater

Al MacDonald - continued strength

## Our Extended Prayer Concerns – Family & Friends

Donald Beall - medical concerns

Leslie Ellis - health and healing

Steve Ellis - health and healing

Susan Fox - pancreatic cancer, finished chemo, awaiting test results

Jeff Fullerton - recovering from a recent stroke

Dougie Greenwell - 17-year-old with cancer

Heathere Kautz - Praise! healed from car accident, prayers she can return to work soon.

Megan Kinner (U. Ford) -migraines every day, doctors unable to find a treatment that works

Melissa Kilpatrick – continued strength

Abby Lerch - recovering from a fracture in her arm from riding accident

Michael Lowe - early stage of Alzheimer's

Luke Nethers - 5-year-old has Leukemia and starting chemotherapy

Danielle Reuter - family matters

Nancy Reinhard - dementia anxiety, needs to gain weight

Gina Richardson - receiving more chemo treatments

Dennis Schiavone - kidney dialysis and health concerns

Harold Schlemmer - cancer has spread, new treatments, IV infusion

St. Clair family (T. Seibel) - loss of Laurie

Jimmy Talbert - cancer

Jayson Wellman - 31 years old and had a stroke

Mike Wilkins - treatments for throat cancer

Linda Wright - cancer of the kidneys

# Announcements

**There will be no Adult Sunday School today, July 28 & Sunday, August 4.**

## **Today, Sunday, July 28 - ASP Testimony Time**

Join us today for our fellowship breakfast today and immediately following at 10:40am, the ASP team will share pictures and testimonies about their trip to Wise County Virginia, during the week of July 15-19.

## **Sunday, August 4 - Meet Our New Potential Christian Education Director**

On August 4th our potential new Christian Education Director will be coming to lead a children's sermon, meet with our little ones during worship, and meet with our older kids after Fellowship Time. Please bring your kids so they can be part of this process.

## **Back to School Program- Name Tags Are Available**

We will help 36 local school children from Tracey's Elementary in Kindergarten through the 5th Grade have the supplies they need to start the school year. There are school bus tags to purchase a backpack and a pencil tag for the supplies listed for each student. These are on the bulletin board in the foyer.

Please bring backpacks and supplies back to the church no later than Sunday, August 18th and place them under the coat rack. Please make sure to tie the tags securely to the backpack and to the bag of supplies. If you have any questions, please contact Christi at 410-212-5256. Thank you for your generous support of this ministry.

## **Sunday, August 11 - Hymn Sing**

There will be a Hymn Sing on August 11. Everyone has been giving Ms. Sarah lots of favorite hymns. Make sure you join us for this music filled day of worship.

## **Saturday, August 24 - 10am-2pm - Blessing of the Harvesters**

There will be the Blessing of the Harvesters event on the Field of Grace on Saturday, August 24 from 10:00am-2:00pm. Food, Farm Equipment and activities for the Kids. Mark your calendars for this awesome annual event. This is a free community event.

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**Birthdays: 7/29 Jimmy Willson; 7/30 Mary Cranford; 8/2 Kent Cole**