

SONDAY INFORMER

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Mission Statement:

Sunday School is FBC's primary Great Commission strategy for reaching, teaching and ministering to the people of Winnsboro.

Go, therefore, and **make disciples** of^l all nations, **baptizing them** in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, **teaching them to observe** everything I have commanded you. **Matthew 28:19-20 (CSB)**

Thanksgiving is About More Than Just Being Thankful

It is almost Thanksgiving Day and there will be a lot of people that talk about being thankful. They will talk about being thankful for family, jobs, homes, children, possessions, and many other things. Being thankful is important, but there is one key detail about being thankful that is often overlooked.

On the surface, you may be thinking that I am meaning to be thankful to God for the things that we have been blessed with. That is certainly part of it. Most Christians, however, are thankful to God for the things that he has given. They are thankful for His blessings and they often say that in their Thanksgiving Day prayers or meditation.

That is exactly what David says here in the statement “call upon his name.” It means to say specifically that God gave you the blessings that you have. It is extremely important that we recognize and make known to God that we are appreciative of His blessings. But that’s not what I am talking about in the missed detail.

The very next statement David makes is, “make known his deeds among the people.” He continues later on saying, “talk ye of all his wondrous works.” David says it is important to be thankful and it is important to be thankful to the source of our blessings. He specifically says to tell someone else about these blessings and make known the wondrous works of God.

This goes much further than simply being thankful. The idea that David suggests is to sing a song so that anyone around you will know what God has done for you. Tell them the things He has done for you in the past. Share with them what He is doing for you now. Make sure that everyone knows you are more than thankful, but specifically, that God is the source for all the blessings in life.

I am reminded of a children’s song and hymn that I heard so much growing up and perhaps it is worth singing today so that everyone can hear. The words are, “God is so good, God is so good, God is so good, He’s so good to me. God answers prayer, God answers prayer, God answers prayer, He’s so good to me. He cares for me, He cares for me. He cares for me, He’s so good to me. I love Him so, I love Him so, I love Him so, He’s so good to me.”



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PRAYER

Our Pastoral Search Committee (PSC) would like to encourage the church to remain in a season of prayer as we, as a church, seek the man God has for us as our new pastor. This prayer and scriptures are being sent out by Remind messages daily at the request of the Pastor Search Committee. This week's prayer and scripture is below. Take time each day to pray the following prayer:

Heavenly Father, we praise You who are so good and whose love is eternal! We thank You for Your word and Holy Spirit that points us to this truth. Help this body of believers trust in Your love and proclaim it to all those around us. In Jesus' holy name, Amen.

1) Oh give thanks to the Lord, for He is good, for his steadfast love endures forever! 2) Let the redeemed of the Lord say so, whom he has redeemed from trouble

Psalm 107:1-2

Weekly Church Announcements



Let's Pray!

Let's Pray! Join us for a time of corporate prayer for our church body. Sunday mornings, 8:00 am, in the GMRC.

Red Kettle Time! Salvation Army Red Kettle drive begins Friday, November 28, after Thanksgiving, and will be each Thursday, Friday & Saturday through December.

There are times available, Monday-Wednesday, December 22-24. See David Henry to sign-up for a time between 10 am & 6 pm on those days.



Bell Ringers Needed!



(Some dates may be subject to change)

November 27-28 – Thanksgiving Holiday
 November 30 – First Sunday of Advent
 November 30-December 7 – Week of Prayer for Lottie Moon
 December 7 – All Sunday School Classes in Sanctuary
 December 7 – Budget Discussion – Evening Service
 December 9 – Ladies' Christmas Banquet
 December 14 – Budget Vote (No Discussion)
 December 14 – Adult Christmas Music
 December 16 – Office Open House
 December 17 – Children's Christmas Music
 December 21 – Candlelight Service & Table Fellowship
 December 24-26 – Christmas Holiday
 December 31 – Office Closed for New Year's



A weekly **REACH, TEACH, & MINISTER** schedule

9:00—9:10
Fellowship & Announcements

9:10—9:20
"REACH" Spotlight

9:20-10:00
"TEACH" People God's Word

10:00—10:15
"MINISTER" in Care Groups/Prayer Time