

We Welcome You To

SPICELAND FRIENDS CHURCH

January 12, 2025

God, I come to you with many preoccupations. Settle my spirit in the embrace of your love and peace. Amen.

PRELUDE Tim Wilkinson, Pianist

WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS Bob Rust

* OPENING HYMNS Tasha Crandall, Song Leader

“Surely the Presence” – #219

“Since Jesus Came into My Heart” – #503

PRAYER OF INVOCATION Bob Rust

PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

CHILDREN’S STORY Janet Putnam

All children will be worshipping with us until after the Children’s Story. Children (preschool – 5th grade) may go downstairs for Jr. Church. The nursery is available for parents with babies or toddlers.

SHARING OUR HEARTS IN PRAYER

SONG OF CELEBRATION #779

“I’ll Fly Away”

SCRIPTURE Priscilla James

Romans 1:1-17

MESSAGE Eric Bowman

“My New Buddy”

COMMUNION AFTER THE MANNER OF FRIENDS

For in the gospel, the righteousness of God is revealed – a righteousness that is by faith from first to last, just as it is written: “The righteous will live by faith.” *Romans 1:17*

* SONG OF DEDICATION #358

“Because He Lives”

* BENEDICTION

David Brock

* POSTLUDE

#704

“God Will Make a Way”

* All who are able may stand

THIS WEEK’S ACTIVITIES

MONDAY – WALKING GROUP – 10:00 a.m. in the Family Center.

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MONDAY – MINISTRY & OVERSIGHT MEETING – 6:30 p.m.

THURSDAY – BIBLE STUDY – 11:00 a.m. in the Mary M Room. We are starting a new book, *Jesus at Walmart*, by Rick Leland. Everyone is invited.

THURSDAY – “DIGGING DEEPER” BIBLE STUDY – 6:00 p.m. Details on back of bulletin.

THURSDAY – CROCHET GROUP – 4:00 p.m.

NEXT SUNDAY – “DIGGING DEEPER” BIBLE STUDY – 9:30 a.m.

NEXT SUNDAY – **Eric Bowman** will be preaching on “Why God?”
Scripture – Romans 1.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

If you have a **Prayer Concern or Celebration** that you would like to share, please fill out, sign, and date a green card found in the pew rack and place it in the offering plate. You may pick up a sheet listing Prayer Concerns in the Welcome Center or at the west door.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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2025 Church Directory – Please turn in any changes or additions to Carol as soon as possible for the 2025 church directory so that it will be accurate and up to date.

Digging Deeper – Eric Bowman will be offering a new small group Bible Study and discussion as he begins his series on the book of Romans. Each session will allow for a deeper study, questions, and discussion about the previous Sunday's message. There will be two opportunities offered each week. The discussions will be available on Sundays at 9:30 a.m. or Thursdays at 6:00 p.m. Digging Deeper Studies will begin on Thursday, January 16, and Sunday, January 19. Sign-up sheets are on the book table. These studies will last through April. All adult ages and teens are welcome to sign up.

Food Donations – During this cold weather, be extra mindful of those who need assistance. Continue to bring non-perishable food items which will be given to either Heaven's Bread Basket which serves the South Henry School District or the Titan Children's Fund which serves needy students at Tri Elementary School. A collection box is in the Welcome Center.



Life Lifter to Share: "I have said these things to you, that in me you may have peace. In the world, you will have tribulation. But take heart, I have overcome the world. *John 16:13*

Happy Birthday to: Cassie Crandall, Carissa & Colten Reno (10th); Brynlee Southerland (6th), Jan. 12; Jeanine Mathes, Jan. 13; Collin Ash, Jan. 16; Helen Rust, Jan. 18; Claudia Garner, Jan. 19.

Happy Anniversary to: Glen & Debbie Denny, Jan. 16.

Greeters: New Horizons Sunday School Class
Ministry Coordinator: Nancy Wadman
Communications Coordinator: Lisa Knotts



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Morning Worship – 10:30 A.M.

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