COVECHURCH Newsletter

Week of 1/20/2025

Words of Encouragement

"A true Christian loves Christ for all He has done for him. He has suffered in his stead and died for him on the cross. He has redeemed him from the guilt, the power, and the consequences of sin, by His blood. He has called him by His Spirit to self-knowledge, repentance, faith, hope, and holiness. He has forgiven all his many sins and blotted them out. He has freed him from the captivity of the world, the flesh, and the devil. He has taken him from the brink of hell, placed him in the narrow way, and set his face toward heaven. He has given him light instead of darkness, peace of conscience instead of uneasiness, hope instead of uncertainty, life instead of death. Can you wonder that the true Christian loves Christ? And he [also] loves Him besides, for all that He is still doing."

-J.C. Ryle

Upcoming Nursery Workers

- 1/26/2025: Misti Fowler and Ava Kate Snipes
- 2/2/2025: Helen Coomer and Meghan LaRose
- 2/9/2025: Chet and Bre Peterson
- 2/16/2025: Ronna Snipes and Ava Kate Snipes
- 2/23/2025: Nickie Sacco and Velina Netherton
- 3/2/2025: Keagan and Sarah Monteith

Pray for the Unreached

Berti People in Sudan

Population: 397,000 | Primary religion: Islam

Prayer Requests

- Anne Bond Please pray for my daughter-in-law, Molly, who had surgery last week to relieve symptoms of cervical spinal stenosis. The surgery went really well, praise the Lord! Her headaches and numbness on her fingers are already gone. Swallowing has been difficult, but should improve as the swelling goes down. Please pray for a speedy recovery without complications.
- UPDATE: Jeff Mason received results from his scans that showed no new cancer growth! Praise the Lord.
- Chet Peterson Since getting back on his daily medication, his headaches have been few for the past couple weeks. He goes this week to the pulmonologist to see what treatment is necessary for his sleep apnea.
- Meghan Larose Please pray for a friend of mine who may have to have several toes amputated due to a bone infection. This would put him in a wheelchair. Please pray that some other alternatives will work and this will be a last resort. Please pray for healing.
- UPDATE: Breanna Peterson Please pray for my friend Mary Katherine's baby who is showing signs of trisomy 18. They found out that the baby is a girl. Mary Katherine has an appointment this week. Please pray for no cysts on the baby's brain. Also, please pray for growth of the baby's heart to be able to function with a normal sized body.
- Please pray for Metta Bauman's father. He continues to be in Hospice care.
- Breanna Peterson Please pray for my friend's husband, Justin Wong, who was recently diagnosed with mesothelioma. Thankfully it is not in his lymph nodes. Please pray for him and his family, he is married with three young children.

Calendar

Percent Evangelical Christian: 0.00%

Pray for quality Christian radio to be widely available throughout Sudan. Pray for the funding needed and for access to broadcast facilities. Pray for all of Sudan to experience a just and lasting peace. Pray for an honest and just national government. Pray for the Berti people to find peace in Jesus Christ, leading to a movement to Christ. Pray that Christian relief workers would show the love of Christ in such a way that peoples will come to the King of kings.

- Friday: 6:00 PM Monthly Fellowship Meal at the church
- Sunday: 9:45 AM Prayer Time for the Lost at the church
- Sunday: 10:30 AM Worship Service

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Donate supplies to Cove Shelter <u>here</u> Follow us on Facebook <u>here</u> Submit a prayer request <u>here</u> Listen or watch past sermons <u>here</u>

Scripture Reading

Consider reading Revelation 19 in preparation for this week's sermon.

