**Morning Worship**

January 20, 2019

**Call to Worship**

**Come, Christians Join to Sing** (Hymnal, #231)

**Jesus Shall Reign** (Hymnal, #587)

**Scripture Reading** Ephesians 1:3–23

**Pastoral Prayer**

**Come, Behold the Wondrous Mystery** (Bulletin Music)

**Prayer & Offering**

**The First Place** (Bulletin Music)

**Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus** (Hymnal, #77)

**Sermon**  Colossians 1:1–2

**Reflection & Response**

**Am I a Soldier of the Cross?**  (Hymnal, #481)

**Announcements & Benediction**

\*All songs are available in this booklet by permission. Upcoming events and other announcements can be found at the end of the booklet.



THIS WEEK’S EVENTS

**Adult Bible Class**. Sunday, 9 a.m. In this class we are exploring the topic of Biblical interpretation. Our goal is to become more skilled in the interpretation of the Bible as we seek to follow it as our rule of faith and practice.

**Stay & Study.** Sunday, 12:45–1:15 p.m. In this study we are exploring the Navigator’s Bible study curriculum. Consider joining us as we seek to grow in the faith together.

UPCOMING EVENTS

**Church Family Discussion Forum.** February 3, 12:45–1:15 p.m. Following a church meal, we will have a roundtable discussion about important issues relating to the life of our church. This meeting is particularly geared toward those who are members or are considering joining in membership with us.

**Men’s Breakfast.** February 9, 8­–10 a.m. All men are encouraged to attend.

**Bible Conference.** On February 24, Leo Endel, the Executive Director of the Minnesota-Wisconsin Baptist Convention will join us as a special speaker for Bible Class, the Morning Worship Service, and Stay & Study. All are welcome, but we especially encourage members of CLBC to consider making this day a priority.

ITEMS TO NOTE

**Thank You** to those who invested their time and resources in the stewardship of our property yesterday. May God bless our work together.

**Christianity Explored Study.** If you are interested in participating in Christianity Explored (a study through the gospel of Mark, particularly structured for new believers or unbelievers), please contact Aaron Downs *by January 27*.

**Resource of the Week.** *For the Church* is a ministry of Midwestern Baptist Theological Seminary that exists to engage, encourage, and equip the Church with gospel-saturated resources that are pastoral, practical, and devotional. You can access this resource at ftc.co.

IN OUR PRAYERS

**IMB Missionary:** Classified (South Asia)

**NAMB Church Planter:** Jason & Anna Allen, River South Bible Church (Savage, MN)

**IMB Highlight: Classified**

The International Mission Board sends missionaries to countries that are considered “closed countries,” meaning that in those countries Christianity is illegal.

The IMB has sent two missionaries to an undisclosed location in South Asia where the gospel is opposed by the governing authorities. While we cannot know many of the details, we can know that the gospel is being proclaimed and that people are coming to faith.   
  
Pray for our missionaries in South Asia, along with all the other un-named missionaries in un-disclosed locations, putting themselves in dangerous locations for the sake of the gospel of Jesus Christ.

**NAMB Highlight: Jason & Anna Allen**

Jason & Anna Allen helped plant River South Bible Church in 2014, along with two other families, through the Send City Network (NAMB). They desire to worship Jesus through gospel-centered teaching and preaching, community, and outreach.

The Allens are supported, in part, by the Cooperative Program. You can see more about their ministry at the church website, [www.riversouthbiblechurch.com](http://www.riversouthbiblechurch.com).

**Crystal Lake Baptist Church Information**

Gathering Times

Coffee & Conversation…...............................................9:00 am

Bible Class…………….......................................................9:30 am

Worship Service …………………...…….…………………………..10:45 am

**Stay & Study………………….……………......………..…..….……**12:00 pm

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