Message from our pastor...

To Poplar Springs family and guests,

Good morning, I am so glad you decided to worship with us today and if you are visiting with us, I am thrilled that you are here.

We celebrate Valentine's Day this week. Jesus says in Matthew 22:39, "Love your neighbor as yourself." But we know that it's preceded by another and greater commandment. "Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the greatest commandment. And the second is like it: Love your neighbor as yourself."

Remember we can love Him this way because He first loved us. As love for the Lord overwhelms our heart and soul, the outward actions of our body will be affected. Our attitude toward the things that used to occupy our time, interest, and energy will also change. We love the Lord and want more of Him and more of our time and energy will be spent on pursuing Christ. We will become a positive contributor in our homes, church, workplace, or any place that we walk daily. Every relationship in our lives will be influenced. I encourage you to find your true love in a relationship with Jesus Christ and as you love him above all else, His love for you will infiltrate your life and allow you to love as scripture teaches.

UPCOMING EVENTS

VALENTINE'S FELLOWSHIP Wednesday, February 14, 2024 @ 6:00 pm

MEN'S MINISTRY

Tuesday, February 20, 2024 @ 6:00 pm

SUNDAY NIGHT SINGING

Sunday, February 25, 2024 @ 6:00 pm

For some events, please see the signup sheets on the bulletin board beside the water fountains.

<u>"SOUPER" BOWL CAN DRIVE</u> Deadline: Sunday, February 11, 2024

LOTTIE MOON

GIVEN TO DATE: \$3,385 If you haven't given, please give as you can.

WORSHIP AND PRAISE THROUGH CELEBRATION

PRELUDE CALL TO WORSHIP HYMN My Jesus, I Love Thee #79 GREETINGS WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS MORNING PRAYER – Jerry Crawford HYMN OF PRAISE Jesus Loves the Little Children #447

CHILDREN'S SERMON/PRAYER

WORSHIP AND PRAISE THROUGH GIVING

OFFERTORY HYMN

The Love of God #157

PRAYER

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

WORSHIP AND PRAISE BY HEARING GOD'S WORD

CHORAL MESSAGE I Sing the Mighty Power of God – arr. Winkler SCRIPTURE FOR OUR MESSAGE 1 Corinthians 13:13 MORNING MESSAGE

WORSHIP AND PRAISE THROUGH SURRENDER

HYMN OF INVITATION I Am Thine, O Lord #552 BENEDICTION Closing Prayer CLOSING HYMN The Bond of Love #423 POSTLUDE

Opportunities of the Week

SUNDAY

Choir Practice 5:00 pm Evening Worship 6:00 pm Children/Youth Ministry 6:00 pm

WEDNESDAY

Valentine's Fellowship 6:00 PM

Prayer List

Brent Calvert
Ernistine Boland
Coach Roper
Kenneth Abrams
First Responders
Nursing Homes
Dan Branyon

Pam ShinnChris MedlockMike AbramsBreanna ElliotMilitaryLocal ChurchesBarbara MattisonChurches/PastorsSchools/StaffShut-insCountrySusan MorrisGreg & Dee LonerShirl Smith

Please pray for spiritual leading and wisdom for our church. Thank you, Lord, for hearing and answering our prayers!!

LEADERSHIP

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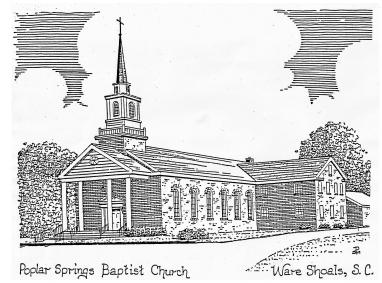
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THE LORD'S DAY, February 11, 2024

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Men's Prayer Time:9:45 amSunday School:10:00 amWorship:11:00 amEvening Worship:6:00 pm