

January 4, 2026

“More Than Words”

Notes from today's message:

Colossians 3:16-17

Food for Thought:

1. What truth from today's message speaks most to your life right now?
2. How will you respond to what God is showing you?

PRAYER LIST

Prayer List Policy: We will leave each name on the list for 3 weeks.
* First week; ** 2nd week; *** Final week unless otherwise requested.

Rachel Burkett, Mark Deane, James Holt, Beth Smith, Francis Berger, Claude Berger, Tayler Tennant, Don Nodtvedt, Ann Jennings, Judy Bryant, Rachel Whitt, Brenda Harden, Clay Knick, Sandra Hardy, Herb Hardy, Phyllis Mitchell, Karen Ward, Whit Easley, Mike Sims, Ed Caviness, Lee Vogler, Shiloh Stevens & unborn baby, Sandra Darnell, our Church

Family, *Family of Sam Swanson, **Nancy Batterman, ***Jim Chattin, ***Family of Betsy Hall, ***George Allen, ***Kim Pretty, ***June Dillion.

Other prayer requests? Please write them on a Welcome Card located in your pew and drop them in the offering plate. Please include your name to contact for further information.

Remember those in Nursing Homes & Assisted Living Facilities:

Stratford House: Nancy Weatherford Katie Eubank Roman Eagle: Sam Swanson
Nancy Batterman Doug Haraway

Remember our Servicemen and Servicewomen

Jacob Hardy Aidan Hall

THIS WEEK AT FAIRVIEW

Sunday, January 4

9:00 am Traditional Worship
10:00 am Fellowship & Sunday School
11:00 am Contemporary Worship
4:00 pm JUMP for PreK – 5th Grade
4:00 pm Youth Group

Monday, January 5

6:00 pm Trustees Meeting

Tuesday, January 6

6:30 pm Cub Scouts
7:00 pm Boy Scouts

Wednesday, January 7

6:30 pm Choir Practice

Thursday, January 8

Friday, January 9

Sunday, January 11

9:00 am Traditional Worship
10:00 am Fellowship & Sunday School
11:00 am Contemporary Worship
3:00 pm Nursery Workers Meeting
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Total Giving Compared to Expenses as of 12/28/2025

Total year-to-date budgeted giving: \$536,915.90

Total year-to-date budgeted expenses: \$510,965.30

Your Staff Thanks You

Thank you for all of your prayers, cards, and generosity throughout this Christmas season.

Your Staff,

Rev. Ryan Beavers, Debbie Deane, Margaret Snider, Josh Marlowe, Dee Dee Dillard and Sandra Moore

January Missions Project

In January, our mission focus will be on helping replenish the Food Pantry at the Salvation Army. They need canned good and dry goods for their ministry. They currently help by feeding the Warming Center during the winter months so anything that would help them accomplish this will be appreciated. You can drop your donations off at the Missions Drop-Off spot in the Fellowship Room. Here's to meeting needs and helping our community in 2026! Thanks so much for your generosity!

Mark Your Calendars

New Beginnings Class will hold their yearly Brunswick Stew on Saturday, February 7. Cost per quart is yet to be determined but if you'd like to get on the list to order, please see Neal Ragsdale or any member of the New Beginnings Class.

2026 Altar Flowers

The sign-up sheet for placing flowers in the sanctuary is on the bulletin board outside the Church Office. Be sure to stop by and claim your Sunday. Thank you to all who placed flowers in 2025. They were beautiful!

Coming This Month!

We'll start the year with a six-week sermon series called "**Long Story Short**," beginning **Sunday, January 11**. We'll look at the Bible as one story told in six movements, helping us see how the whole narrative fits together.

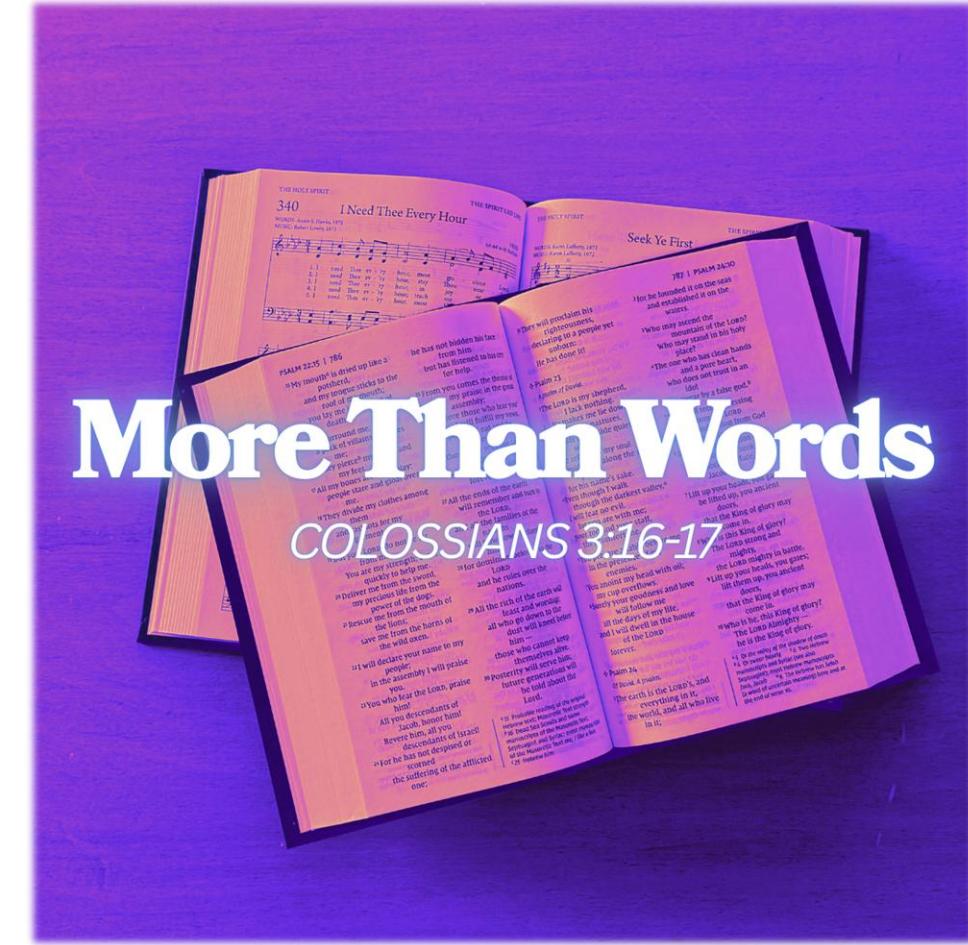
Starting on Wednesday, January 14, Pastor Ryan will begin a Bible study called "**Bible Unpacked**." These sessions will move through Scripture slowly and thoughtfully—exploring context, history, and literary details. We'll offer an **11:00am morning session and an evening gathering with dinner at 5:45pm and study at 6:30pm**. Please make plans to join us!

Nursery Team

Our Nursery Ministry Team will meet Sunday, January 11 at 3:00 in the J.U.M.P Room. We will talk briefly about Safe Sanctuaries and look at our Nursery Curriculum. If you have signed up to be part of the Nursery Team or want to learn more about serving in the Nursery, come join us!

2026 Offering Envelopes

2026 Offering Envelopes are available by monthly and weekly donors. They should be alphabetical. If you need envelopes and don't find a set for you or you need a change from weekly to monthly or vice versa, please let Debbie know or email Bonny at baconbbs@comcast.net.



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Epiphany Sunday

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Call to Worship

Arise, shine for your light has come! The glory of the Lord has risen among us.

**Nations shall come to the brightness of His dawn,
and kings to the splendor of His rising.**

Like the Magi, we have followed the star, seeking the one who brings hope and salvation.

**The mystery once hidden has now been revealed –
Christ is for all people, near and far.**

Let us bring our gifts of praise and open our hearts, for the Light of the World has come!

**We worship the Christ who draws all people to
Himself – our King, our Savior, our Light!**

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