

# SHARPEN YOUR SWORD 2024

Sunday, December 22nd: 2 Pet. 1-3

Monday, December 23rd: 1 John 1-5

Tuesday, December 24th: 2 John-Jude

Wednesday, December 25th: Rev. 1-4

Thursday, December 26th: Rev. 5-7

Friday, December 27th: Rev. 8-10

Saturday, December 28th: 11-13

## THOSE PRIVILEGED TO SERVE

	12/22	12/29
<b>Greeter</b>	Art W.	Roger R.
<b>Song leader</b>	Troy W.	Noah R.
<b>Prayer</b>	Noah R.	Kim S.
<b>Table</b>	Steve H.	Troy W.
	Jason T.	Andy K.
<b>Scripture Reader</b>	Liam K.	Jason T.
<b>Speaker</b>	Matthew B.	Matthew B.
<b>Closing Prayer</b>	Terry T.	Art W.
<b>Communion Prep</b>	Kayla W.	Kayla W.
<b>Speaker- PM</b>	Troy W.	Singing
<b>Wed. Song Leader</b>	Andy K. (12/25)	Nate M. (1/1)

## ANNOUNCEMENTS AND DATES

New Year's Eve Party at the building beginning at 7 PM. Bring snacks to share!

The next Potluck is scheduled for January 5th.



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Center Point Road  
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Welcome to

## CENTER POINT ROAD CHURCH OF CHRIST

We are a family whose purpose is to glorify God, lead others to Christ, minister to people's needs, and encourage each other to grow in faith and in His word so we may enjoy eternal life with Him.

## ASSEMBLY TIMES

Sunday

9:30 Bible Classes for All Ages

10:30 Worship Service

6:00 Bible Study

Wednesday

7:00 Bible Classes for All Ages

Available live on the church website or YouTube

DECEMBER 22, 2024

# THE LION KING

By: Matthew Brotherton

In Revelation 5:5, John sees a sealed scroll that only one person can open, Jesus Christ, the Lion of the tribe of Judah. What can we learn about Jesus from this title? The title reminds us of the worthiness of the Lion. The Lion of Judah refers to Jacob's prophecy that Judah would be the royal tribe (Genesis 49:8-10).

Christ was born into the tribe of Judah. As the lion is the king of beasts, Christ is the King of kings and Lord of lords (Revelation 19:16). Jesus came to earth and was slain as the Lamb of God (John 1:29) and He will return as the Lion of Judah in judgment (2 Thessalonians 1:5-12). The title reminds us of the walk of a lion. The lion symbolizes courage, strength, boldness, and fearlessness. Jesus Christ exhibited all of these qualities when he was on earth, even submitting to the terrifying death on the cross (Proverbs 28:1). The title reminds us of the work of a lion. Lions are masters and conquerors (Proverbs 30:30). Jesus conquered death for all, bringing us victory and making eternal life available (1 Corinthians 15:54-57). Jesus Christ is indeed the Lion King.

## *Birthdays and Anniversaries*



12/8: Tanner Wallis  
12/9: Liadan Kennedy  
12/31: Anna Main  
12/31: Elizabeth Lebs



12/18: Andy and Karen Kennedy  
12/20: Troy and Kayla Wallis  
12/22: Gary and Dorothy Slegee

## NOTES

## PRAYER LIST

- **Gerry Moser** - Health
- **Marnetta Tillman** - Health
- **Doug Phillips** - Health
- **Sharla Ashcraft** - MS
- **Patty Forkenbrock** - Cancer
- **Melanie Sides** - Cancer
- **Anthony** - Heart issues
- **Cami Michael** - Cancer
- **Jeff Tracy** - Stage 4 cancer
- **Roger Cronquist** - hip pain, surgery scheduled for January 13th.
- **Marci Lass** - rare cancer, prayers for wisdom as they make some difficult decisions in the coming months.
- **Art Wallis** - recovery from heart surgery.
- **Jacy Saucedo** - Health
- **Isla Powell** - Eye Surgery Jan. 9th
- **Donna Thompson** - Knee surgery Jan. 30th
- **Lois Cronquist** - traveling to Minnesota for family gathering and doctor appointment.

## PLAN OF SALVATION

Hear the Gospel - Romans 10:17

Believe the Gospel - Hebrews 11:6

Repent - Acts 2:38

Confess Jesus as Lord - Romans 10:9-10

Be Baptized - 1 Peter 3:21

Remain Faithful - Revelation 2:10