



# THE LIGHT



**Vestaburg Church of Christ**

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## Loving Our Community

### OUR VISION

To be a church that  
Seeks the  
Heart of God  
While  
Serving in the  
Heart of the Community

### OUR MISSION

Worship the Lord  
Evangelize the Lost  
Disciple the Saints  
Fellowship the Family  
Serve the Savior



**NOVEMBER 5**  
SET YOUR CLOCKS BACK 1 HOUR

### CMCMF

November 6 @ 6:15 pm  
Ferris Church of Christ



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## MESSAGE FROM THE MINISTER

### Give Thanks!

November is one of my favorite months in the year. No, it's not because it happens to be the month I was born, but for the holidays that are in it. Both of them have the same focus which is giving thanks. Veterans Day has us giving thanks to our military services while Thanksgiving has us giving thanks for the blessings we have received. Some people even spend the whole month reflecting on things they are thankful for. Let us not forget these holidays as just another day but truly take time to give thanks for those who have sacrificed for us. We especially need to give thanks to God for the blessings He has given us whether great or small because it is because of Jesus Christ that we have life.

*God Bless*  
*Adam Carver, Associate Minister*

### STATISTICS

#### SEPTEMBER 2023

Worship Assembly  
Average: 52  
Total Giving: \$18980.06

## MISSIONS HIGHLIGHT

Benito and Ruth Solis with Central Mexico Evangelism have been busy over the summer months. They have done two weeks of camp as well as doing a Vacation Bible School. They have also made some repairs to their buildings and done some painting. They hosted their Regional Christian Convention earlier this month. Be in prayer for them as they serve.

## MONTHLY SCRIPTURE



<sup>4</sup>Always be full of joy in the Lord. I say it again—rejoice! <sup>5</sup>Let everyone see that you are considerate in all you do. Remember, the Lord is coming soon. <sup>6</sup>Don't worry about anything; instead, pray about everything. Tell God what you need, and thank him for all he has done. <sup>7</sup>Then you will experience God's peace, which exceeds anything we can understand. His peace will guard your hearts and minds as you live in Christ Jesus.

*Philippians 4:4-7 NLT*

# PRAYER LIST



## ASSEMBLY OF THE SAINTS

### Sunday Service

Morning Assembly 9:30 AM

Bible Study 11:00 AM

### CARE & SHARE CORNER

The Care & Share is open every Thursday from 1:30-3:30pm. Contact person, Dee Holley at 517-290-0811.

### Check Us Out!

Vestaburg Church of Christ's

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**Prayer:** Susana Russell (sick), Cara Franks (surgery), Ed Volz (cancer), Judy Volz (dementia), Donna Mc Nerney (flu), Dixie Hawkins (prayers), Kay Peasley (hospital), War in Gaza & Israel, Alyssa (prayers)

**Ongoing:** Clyde Thatcher, Mary Ann Keeney (liver transplant recovery), Bob Austin, Brenda Knickerbocker, Darlene Frost, Joyce Hatinger, Dee Holley, Fred Patterson, Mark Holley, Randy Russell

**Cancer:** Shaun Eddy, Kathleen Perkins, Rhonda Gates, Mary Tubbs, Dee Holley, Jenny Mosier, Elizabeth Foshaug, Chris Steele, Brian Cardwell, Carol Austin, Fred Patterson, Patty Renne

**Grief Recovery:** The families of Leiter, Phil Block, Jim Hofstetter, Carolyn Harrell, & Jennie Skiver

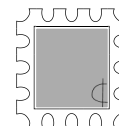
**Also Be In Prayer For:** New Members, The Lost, Our Youth, Missions, Staff & Leadership, Our shut-Ins, Absent Members.

**Praises:** Jesus is Alive!

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