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PRAYER CONCERNS

APRIL 6TH, 2025

- **Raymond Glendinning** is in Mercy Rm 3260 with a bone infection. He had his left little toe amputated Wednesday. The surgery went well and he hopes to go home soon.
- **Sam Hansen's** sister, Charlotte (Hansen) Lundquist passed away March 26th. Services were held Tuesday. Please pray for comfort for the Hansen's.
- **Lynette Gibby** had hip surgery Wednesday. Everything went well and she is now recovering at home.
- **Paula Christian** remains at Springfield Rehab under hospice care. Please keep her in your prayers, that she may find comfort and peace.
- **David Abell's** mom Elizabeth Abell, passed away April 2nd after a brief illness. She and her husband Mark attended Sunset for a time. Prayers and sympathy to the Abell family.

- Widowhood's April Event (Indoor Picnic) on the 26th
- Little Youth Spring Fling
- Sunset's Community Easter Event

Details on back!

FAMILY FOCUS

Good morning and welcome to Sunset! Jesus says, "Remain in me, and I in you. Just as a branch is unable to produce fruit by itself unless it remains on the vine, neither can you unless you remain in me" ([John 15:4](#), CSB). As we gather for worship today, let's be reminded that this is a perfect opportunity to be in God's presence and learn more about remaining in Him. May we be faithful and fruitful disciples!

This morning's sermon is from Matthew [27:45-56](#), which describes the death of Jesus. As I wrote the sermon this week, I struggled with the fact that this passage is something Christians have heard hundreds, perhaps thousands, of times. With such familiar passages, people can often tune out because they think, "I've heard this before!"

However, I was reminded of an important truth that I want to share with you: The glory and wisdom of the cross are unfathomable and inexhaustible. In other words, you never outgrow the cross! Given a lifetime of meditation, one could only scratch the surface of the significance of the cross and what it means for us. So, as we come to the cross yet again, I pray that God will teach you even more about the love He showed you on Calvary.

I love you all,
Phillip

TODAY'S LESSONS

The Death of Jesus

[Matthew 27:45-56](#)

Phillip Bates

Scripture Reading:

[Matthew 27:38-44](#)

1st Sunday Connect Grps - Building Grp. 5 pm

The Quiet Brother: Andrew

Don Johnson



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WORSHIP TIMES



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Sunday

Worship @ 8:15 & 10:30

Bible Classes @ 9:30 AM

Worship Online @ 10:30 AM &
on demand after noon.

Online @ <https://bit.ly/Sunset-UTube>

Evening @ 5 PM & [Connect Groups](#)

Wednesday

Ladies' Morning Bible Class

10 AM

Evening Classes

7 PM

Iglesia de Cristo

Worship

10:30 AM

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SHEPHERDS

Bruce Chilton

Jeff Klein

Don Johnson

Jeff Treat

Doug Johnson

Bryan Vanwinkle

David Kail

Mark Viguet

DEACONS

Caleb Adams

Mitch Friend

Chase Amyx

John Kail

Michael Axsom

David Kaltenberger

Chris Burris

Terry Lawler

James Cobb

Daniel Prince

Steve Cobb

Logan Staggs

Brian Dahl

MINISTERS

Phillip Bates

Preaching

Dwight Samuel

Associate

Shaun Jordan

Campus/Media

Chris Livingston

Community & Family

Mauricio Vanegas

Hispanic

SHEPHERDS ON CALL

Bryan Vanwinkle & Jeff Treat

Speak with a 'Shepherd on Call' about anything you would like the shepherds to discuss or to arrange to meet with them.

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"Instant Church Directory"
<https://bit.ly/directory-app>

Facebook Group: "Sunset Church Family"
<https://bit.ly/sunset-group>

Grapevine: 417-881-4640

Ministry Sign-up: <https://bit.ly/ministry-signup>

Join Grapevine: <https://bit.ly/sunset-grapevine>

Join Remind Grp: <https://bit.ly/join-remind-grp>

Online Calendar: <https://bit.ly/Sunset-Calendar>

Sunset's New Songs: <https://bit.ly/sunset-songs>

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FAMILY CALENDAR

You can watch our 10:30AM service live at:
<https://bit.ly/Sunset-UTube>

Children's Bible Hour (ages 2-K) Rm 5A

When dismissed. April Teachers: Angie K, Rolanda L, Alayna B, Samantha B, Reagan A, & Mary S.

Kitterman Wedding Shower April 6th from 1-3 PM

Meet in the Fellowship Hall. Jed & Mackenzy are registered @ Amazon.com.

Sunday Evening Prayer Group Today @ 4:30 PM

Meet in multi-purpose Rm 4B.

Connect Groups Wk # 14 - April 6th

1st Sunday, Building Group meets @ 5pm

Ladies' Sewing - Monday Morning @ 8:30 AM

Monday Mornings—Everyone is welcome.

Ladies' Wednesday Morning Bible Class

Meet at 10AM in room 4B.

Ladies' Monthly Breakfast April 8th @ 6:45 am

Meet at Jimmy's Egg, 3837 S Campbell.

Little Youth Spring Fling—April 13th @ 11:30 AM

Meet in the Fellowship Hall after 2nd Service.

Sunset Easter Event—April 19th @ 2-4 PM

3rd Sunday, Building Group meets @ 5pm

Connect Groups Wk # 15 April 20th

3rd Sunday, Building Group meets @ 5pm

Ladies Fellowship Craft & Game Night April 25th @ 6:30

Meet in the Fellowship Hall. Bring Snacks & Friends!

Monthly Widowhood Event April 26th @ Noon

Indoor Picnic (Burgers, Dogs & Buns Provided) Sign Up on the round table to attend! Sunsetters are invited!

CURRENT PANTRY NEEDS

Macaroni & Cheese, Jelly, Jiffy Corn
Bread Mix, Cake Icing, Canned Pinto
Beans, and Spaghetti Sauce.



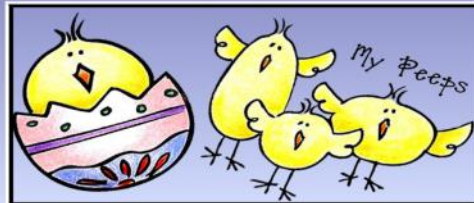
ONGOING PRAYER

Anita Allen, Linda Sievers (Miranda Amyx's mom),
Sue Andrews, Melissa Bates (Phillip Bates' mom),
Ariana Brooks (Debi Crowley's granddaughter),
Paula Christian, **Alma Cummins**, **Maxine Ghan**,
Raymond Glendinning, **Bob Hancock**, **Dorothy Haskins**, **Edith Hudson**, **Clifton & Judy Jewell**, **Brian Horton & Les Horton**, **Joe Ryan**, **Shirley Ryan** (Joe Ryan's mom), **Jessie Seavers**, **Ramona Farrell**,
Rhonda Foutch, & **Randy Franklin** (Karen Scott's sister, cousin, & brother), **Maegan Sanders**, **Ken Stewart**, **Jessica Tate**, and **Pat Wiseman**.

LAST WEEK'S STATISTICS

Worship Total	530
(1 st — 141 & 2 nd — 277 & SPARK 112)	
(Online 73)	
Sunday Bible Classes	213
Evening Service Total	74
(Connect Groups DNM)	
Wednesday Classes	204
Hispanic Worship	24
Giving Options — https://bit.ly/Give2Sunset	
Contribution	
Budget	

Little Youth Spring Fling



April 13th
After 2nd Service

Sign Up
Here!

Kitterman
Wedding Shower
Today! — 1 to 3
In the Fellowship Hall

Jed &
Mackenzy

Widowhood Ministry

Connecting...
Connecting...
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Sunsetters are Invited!
Sign up on the round table.



Monthly Widowhood Event
April 26th—Noon

COMMUNITY
Easter Event
SATURDAY
APRIL 19TH
1PM-4:30PM

SIGN-UP TO SERVE



20,000
EGGS

Sign up on the Round Table!!