#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

AWANA - Tonight's theme: Valentine's Night

**AYM WILL NOT BE** meeting today. Please enjoy this night with your families. Next week we will be having Nerf Battles and make your own ice cream sundae night.

**MID-WEEK POWER** will not be meeting this week due to Pastor Todd being out of town for a Pastor's Conference.

**THE SENIOR MINISTRY** will be having their monthly meeting on **Thursday**, **February 16th**. Bob Grymes will be the guest speaker. Afterwards the church will supply ham and BBQ for lunch. Please bring a side dish to share.

PASTOR STUDY PARTNERS will not be meeting on Friday, February 17th, from 12:00 - 1:00 PM.

CRISIS PREGNANCY CENTER BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN
Please return your baby bottles to the church office by
February 19th.

**OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD WORKDAYS** will be held on the **third Monday** of each month from 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM in the Suburban Kids room. The next workday is **February 20th**.

**FELLOWSHIP BOOK UPDATE** The last Sunday to turn in your form listing any contact information changes will be **Sunday, February 26th.** 

**OFFERING ENVELOPES** The offering envelopes are on backorder. When they arrive, we will let you know.

**MESSIAH IN THE PASSOVER - March 5, 2023 -** There will be a love offering taken up for Chosen People Ministries on this day. Flyers are available in the foyer.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS MEETING** will be held on **Saturday**, **March 11th**, at **9:00** AM.

BLOOD DRIVE - March 21, 2023

#### **OUR PURPOSE**

We exist to make disciples by pursuing:
Intimacy with God,
Community with One Another
and Ministry to Others

Intimacy. Community. Ministry

Our services and programs are working together to move every believer along the process of discipleship as we work together to fulfill the Great Commission.



"Oh, taste and see that the Lord is good! Blessed is the man who takes refuge in him!"

Psalm 34:8



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#### **ADULT BIBLE STUDY**

#### **Taught by Ron Raymer**

Fellowship Hall B

#### **Church History**

Ron Raymer will present a study of the major events in the history of the Christian church from Christ's Resurrection to today. The study is on based on information from Justo Gonzalez' "Church History: An Essential Guide," Everett Ferguson's "Church History" and Roger Olson's "The Story of Christian Theology." Examples of major events include ministry of the Apostolic Fathers, expansion of the church under Roman persecution, the church after Constantine, church in the Middle Ages, the Crusades, the Inquisition, the Reformation, the Great Awakening and contemporary church.

\*If you would like to join in the Adult Sunday School class via conference call, please call 612-746-7360. The conference code is 809549.

### **The Discovery Class**

Fellowship Hall A

### Taught by Bill Cofer

**The Book of Galatians -** Paul's letter of salvation through faith, by grace. Please consider joining our group as we joyfully study God's Word and fellowship together.

#### SUNDAY WORSHIP

## February 12, 2023

Welcome to Suburban Christian Church!

**WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS** 

**SCRIPTURE READING** 

**HYMN OF PRAISE** 

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling NO. 172

Love Lifted Me NO. 107

Living Hope #7106807

CHOIR SPECIAL

MESSAGE Pastor Todd

INVITATION I Love You, Lord NO. 555

**CLOSING PRAYER** 

# **TODAY'S MESSAGE**

**PURSUING UNITY** 

Philippians 4:1-5

#### MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

THE NEXT DATE FOR THE FOOD PANTRY is Tuesday, February 21, 2023. Food pantry needs: cereal, canned fruit, Rice-A-Roni, Jell-O and pudding mix.

### THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

#### **TODAY**

9:00 A.M	Sunday School
10:15 A.M	Worship and Praise
5:00 P.M	AWANA

Monday 1:00 P.M. Senior Choir Tuesday 7:00 P.M. Choir Practice Wednesday NO MID-WEEK POWER 6:00 A.M. Men's Bible Stu

6:00 A.M. Men's Bible Study
11:00 A.M. Senior Ministry Mtg.

Friday NO PASTOR'S STUDY PARTNERS Saturday 8:00 A.M. Men's Breakfast

#### "Love Lifted Me" Hymn History

"Sometimes hymns are reborn. "Amazing Grace" is rediscovered with every generation. "O Happy Day" was given new life in the 1970's. "Love Lifted Me" written by James Rowe a century ago, had successful recordings made by Ray Stevens, B.J. Stevens and Kenny Rogers also in the late 1970's. Rowe came to America in 1890 and made his living writing verses for greeting cards when he wrote the poem that became this beloved hymn. Secular artists have adapted the hymn emphasizing the word "love," but Rowe emphasized Jesus Christ. It is the love of Jesus that can lift us up, not the garden variety of love." The Complete Book of Hymns, c. 2006