# Welcome

A meridian can be defined as "the highest point reached by a heavenly body in its course." Although we are not literally in heaven, we have been placed, as believers in "heavenly places in Christ Jesus" (Ephesians 2:6). As we set our aim of Lifting Christ Higher, focusing on Heaven, and seeking to continually draw nearer to Jesus, then we will begin to comprehend those "heavenly places" as more of a reality than just some words on a page.

Please accept our heartfelt thanks for choosing Meridian as the place for you to give honor and praise to our wonderful Savior on this Lord's Day. We trust that you will come to know and understand more fully the relationship you can have in Jesus Christ.

Webster's New World Dictionary, © 1971.



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# Sermon notes





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## ~ November 3, 2024 ~

We extend a warm WELCOME!

If you are visiting today,

Connect Cards are available for you
to register as our special guest.

SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:30am
MORNING WORSHIP 10:40am
Hymns – (Blue) 65, 14
Scripture Reading – Psalm 18:1-3
• Finance Committee mtg 4:00pm
Choir Rehearsal 5:30pm
EVENING SERVICE 6:00pm Southland Ministry Team

# CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Service

Pickleball Fellowship after the PM

Young people ages 4 - 4th grade are invited to be dismissed before the sermon for age-related teaching.

## THIS WEEK AT MERIDIAN

Tue – 7AM-7PM – Election Day
Wed – 6:30PM – Bible Seekers; Teen
Bible Study; Adult Bible Study and
Prayer

Thur – 7:00PM – Rescue Mission (Tom Hummingbird)

Fri - 5:30PM - New Hope Outreach

#### **LOOKING AHEAD AT MERIDIAN**

Nov 10 (Sun, Noon) - All Church Holiday Dinner - NO PM Service Nov 12 (Tue, 5:30PM) - New Hope Outreach Nov 17 (Sun, 4:30PM) - Deacons mtg. Nov 21 (Thur, 7PM) - Ladies Bible Study Nov 27 (Wed) - NO Mid-week Activities Nov 28 (Thur) - Thanksgiving Dec 5 (Thur, 6PM) - Meridian Ladies Ministries Salad Supper Dec 8 (Sun, AM) - Annual Business mta. Dec 15 (Sun, AM) - Christmas **Emphasis** Dec 22 (Sun, 5:30PM) - All Church Caroling

#### **SOUTHLAND MINISTRY TEAM**

We welcome the following young adults to our services today representing Southland Ministries in Ringgold, LA – Micah and Emily Herbster; Micah and Emaley Gillespie; Joshua Gillespie; and Michael McIntyre. Southland Ministries is a Christian campground that is distinctively different in its focus and goal. According to their Mission Statement. "Southland utilizes the unique influence of the camping ministry to serve local churches by challenging every camper to conform to the character of Christ. through salvation, obedience to God's Word, and surrender to faithful service."

A free-will offering will be received in both services today for you to give as you feel led by the Lord.

#### **VOTER INFORMATION**

Please note the following dates effective for **Harvey County**.

- Early voting in person @ the Courthouse – October 22 -November 4 (Noon)
- Election Day voting at your designated polling place –
   November 5

Voting guidance – ivoterguide.com type in your address and click "View My Voter Guide"; kflpac.org/vote/ – type in your address and click "submit"

See Pastor Kliewer if you need a ride to vote

#### **HOLIDAY DINNER**

Everyone is invited to join us for a holiday feast and fellowship **Sunday**, **November 10** following the AM service. Meat, drink, and table service will be provided. Please bring a side dish and salad or dessert to share and celebrate the blessedness of Thanksgiving with the Meridian church family. There will be **NO PM SERVICE**.

## **READING MATERIAL**

## (Hospitality Desk)

-Frontline magazine – "The Rapture" (September / October issue) dealing with the biblical teaching of the coming of the Lord for His bride, the church.

-Challenger – Published by Sam Slobodian of BIEM Each issue focuses on various ministries of BIEM in Ukraine and Russia.

#### **NURSERY SCHEDULE**

Nov 3 – AM – Karen M. / Peggy PM – Kathy / Ramona

Nov 10 – AM – Deidra / Karen M. PM – NO Service