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# ANNUAL



**SPONSORED BY THE MEN'S MINISTRY**

Everyone is invited to join us in the Outreach Center on Sunday, January 26 at 6:00 for S.E.E. Night. Be ready to eat lots of chili and have lots of fun!

If you plan to compete, contact Daniel Williams and plan to arrive by 5:30 for the chili judging.

During the event, the 150th Anniversary video will be shown.

 **First Baptist Church of Ray City** *The Beacon*  
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Robbie Peay, Pastor Charles Corn, Associate Pastor



Let's remember in our prayers the kids, parents & guardians, and the volunteers taking part in Upward Basketball this season.

The games begin at 9:00 each Saturday morning starting on February 1st thru the end of March. There are 6 teams, with 8 players each (ages 5 to 12) and 18 coaches. Additionally there are 5 concession stand workers.

We invite you to come out and show your enthusiasm and encouragement for these young players.

**Bible Wordsearch**

**THE SERMONS OF JESUS (MATTHEW 16:19-34)**

H H T I A F E T I G S N R A B  
 S L I L I E S Y R E R I F E B  
 S R E T S A M O A E N A L M I  
 Y L I G H T W R K W A B S E R  
 F F U S O L O M O N A S H S D  
 E D G W E A R R H U I E U R S  
 E E E D H V H E L T A R E R A  
 D V S L E T R A A R O S D N E  
 S O D E A M V E T P S M M Y F  
 R T O I V Y E S S E H T O L C  
 E E O F E E I N D R D P D N L  
 R D H N N N I D O G O M G E A  
 O U O T G T R H E U O A N V B  
 T M S L A E A R T H G L I I O  
 S S E T S F L A E T S H K G R

DEVOTED BARNs AWAY BIRDS FIRE  
 DRESSED CLOTHE DRINK FAITH FOOD  
 KINGDOM ENOUGH EARTH FEEDS GOD  
 MASTERS FATHER GIVEN FIELD LAMP  
 SOLOMON HEAVEN GRASS GOOD LIGHT  
 THROWN MONEY HEART GROW MOTH  
 TREASURE SINGLE LABOR LILIES REAP  
 VALUABLE THIEVES STORE SERVE RUST  
 STEAL WEAR

After you find all the hidden words, the leftover letters spell out a Bible verse, reading from top left to bottom right.

PSALM 91

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Altar  
Flowers



**January 26**

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Rice

*In Memory of*

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Parr  
and Mr. and Mrs. Reva Rice

**February 2**

Shirley Wilkerson

*In Memory of*

E.W. Wilkerson,  
L.W. and Ada Wilkerson,  
James and Annie Bell Thompson

**February 16**

Brenda Carter and Family

*In Memory of*

Ray Register

**February 9**

David Clements

*In Honor of*

His Children and  
Grandchildren

**February 23**

Spriggs and  
Patten Family

**Deacons of the Week Schedule**

**January 26—February 1**

AM Phillip Staines  
PM Stan McDaniel

**February 2—February 8**

AM Wayne Peters  
PM David Pope

**Security Team Schedule**

**January 26** Russell Bates & Stan McDaniel  
**February 2** Donnie Brogdon & Mark Worthy

**Upcoming Events**

**Sunday, January 26**

Main Campus: Sunday School for All Ages ..... 9:45 AM  
Sanctuary: Worship Service..... 11:00 AM  
O.C.: S.E.E. Night & Annual Chili Cookoff .....6:00 PM

**Monday, January 27**

Main Campus: Deacons Meet.....7:00 PM

**Tuesday, January 28**

O.C.: Upward Basketball Practice (thru March)..5:30 PM

**Wednesday, January 29**

Social Hall: Adult Bible Study and Prayer .....7:00 PM  
O.C.: Children’s Bible Activities.....7:00 PM  
Youth Center: Youth Worship & Bible Study...7:00 PM  
Main Campus: Infant Childcare.....7:00 PM  
Main Campus: Choir Practice.....8:00 PM

**Thursday, January 30**

O.C.: Upward Basketball Practice (thru March)..5:30 PM

**Saturday, February 1**

O.C.: Upward Basketball Games .... 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM

**Vital Signs - January 19, 2025**

Sunday School Membership ..... 192  
Sunday School Attendance ..... 115

**Usher Schedule**

**January 26**

Donnie Brogdon, David Gilbert  
Archie Hendley, Jerry Rowe

**February 2**

Jeb Paulk, Brinson Paulk  
James Paulk, Ezra Paulk