October 2, 2022

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Pastor

Dr. Bill Blanchard

Worship Leader

Mr. David C. Adams

Ministers

Every Member

TODAY'S SCHEDULE

9:15 a.m. **Bible Study/Sunday School**

10:30 a.m. **Morning Worship** 10:30 a.m. Children's Church **FAMILY WORSHIP -**

(Last Sunday of Month)



This is the Lord's place, and all who are seeking Him are welcome! We strive to make a relationship with God as intelligent as science, as appealing as art, as vital as a good day's work, as intimate as a healthy home, as **inspiring** as genuine love, and as **redeeming** as God's grace!

Remember in Prayer

Betty Belcher — Mulligan Park, Tallahassee Carolyn Bergquist — Carrollton Club **Dale Braswell** Evelyn Cantrell - Presbyterian Home, Quitman Mayra Colon Georgia Egan Cleo Kapilla — Pruitt Health, Lakehaven

Out-of-town Senior Adults:

Sharon Morgan **Bob & Suzy Scheuring**

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Nursery 0 - 3 Years Susan Mitchell

Preschool Andrea and Josh Huguley

CUSTODIAL MINISTRY

September 25 - October 1, 2022 Sue Long and Anna Kate Walker

> October 2 - 8, 2022 Mark and Jackie Heffelfinger

BUILDING FUND \$187,400

MESSAGE NOTES

HOW TO RECEIVE THE POWER OF THE HOLY SPIRIT SEE HANDOUT





Christmas Gifts for Orphanage Emmanuel

It is time to help the children at Orphanage Emmanuel in Honduras to celebrate Christmas!

NCC has been given 20 names of children for gifts this year. Please select a name and get instruction sheets, sizes, and gift suggestions to provide a wrapped box of items for your child. Deadline is TODAY for all wrapped boxes.

Contact Lara Blanchard (404-713-8577) for more information.

Giving is an Act of Worship

Northway Community Church believes giving to your local church should be a planned and willful act of worship. Normally, we do not take up an offering as part of our worship services. Instead, we have an offering box located on the desk near the front door. Gifts to Northway (a non-profit corporation) qualify as tax deductible gifts. If you would like credit for your gift in your name and receive a contribution statement at year end, simply fill out and use our contribution envelopes as a means of depositing your gift into our offering box. Gifts to Northway are an act of worship between you and the Lord. As such, only a few from our accounting department know the giving records of our families. We do not want knowledge of contributions to impact or sway our staff's effectiveness in ministering to the body.

Michael Walker, Dame, Walker, Hardeman & Co., LLC, Certified Public Accountants

Names of God El Shaddai

TLast week I wrote about the significance of names especially in Biblical times. We saw where names actually described the attributes and characteristics of a person. In the next few weeks we will discover several names of God and how His various names depict His attributes. At the end of each week's column I will list a few Scripture references so that you can study the circumstances of why God uses a particular name to reference Him at a particular time. This week's name is, "El Shaddai."

Use in the Bible: In the Old Testament El Shaddai occurs 7 times. El Shaddai is first used in Gen 17:1.

"El" is a name that is translated as "God" and can be used in conjunction with other words to designate various aspects of God's character. That is a given, however, many Christians differ on the exact meaning of Shaddai. The most common translation is "Mighty." El Shaddai ... "God Almighty." Another word much like Shaddai, and from which many believe it derived, is "shad" meaning "breast" in Hebrew. This refers to God completely nourishing, satisfying, and supplying His people with all their needs as a mother would her child. When connected with the word for God, El, this denotes a God who freely gives nourishment and blessing, He is our sustainer. Others believe that the name is derived from the word, Šadu, meaning "mountain." This translation refers to God's strength and power as He appeared to Moses on top of Mt. Sinai.

While all three interpretations describe traits of God, I tend to lean toward El Shaddai – God Almighty! As we move through this series we will discuss other names of God that relate to the other translations listed above.

Further references of the name El Shaddai in the Old Testament: Gen 17:1; Gen 28:3; Gen 35:11; Gen 43:14; Gen 48:3.

Stav Tuned!

Blessings, David C, Adams, Worship Leader

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HOMES GROUPS

5:30 p.m. Fellowship Meal | 6:30 p.m. Bible Study & Worship | Curriculum by David Platt

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