



**PASTOR BRANDON PHILLIPS**



# **Sunday, December 5th**

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## **ORDER OF WORSHIP**

### **Announcements & Call To Worship**

Sing We The Song Of Emmanuel  
Angels From The Realms Of Glory (118)

**Scripture Reading - Luke 19:28-40**  
**Prayer of Response**

God, The Uncreated One  
Lead Me To Calvary (60)

**Sermon - Brandon Phillips**

Come Behold The Wondrous Mystery (116)

**Benediction**

"When a Christian shuns fellowship with other Christians, the devil smiles, When he stops studying the Bible, the devil laughs. When he stops praying, the devils shouts for joy." ~ Corrie Ten Boom

# PREPARING FOR BATTLE, PART II

## The Soldiers' Prayers

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### *Ephesians 6:18-20*

After encouraging the Ephesians saints to put on the armor of God to stand firm, Paul further encourages the church at Ephesus to pray. In doing so, he gives them seven indispensable characteristics of the believers' prayers.

Your prayers must be:

- Conscientious (diligent) – with every prayer and petition (v. 18)
- Constant – praying at all times (v. 18)
- Controlled by the Spirit – in the Spirit (v. 18)
- Cognizant – be on alert (v. 18)
- Continuing – with all perseverance and petition (v. 18)
- Comprehensive – for all the saints (v. 18)
- Caring – and pray on my behalf (vv. 19-20)

Four things let us ever keep in mind: God hears prayer, God heeds prayer, God answers prayer, and God delivers by prayer ~ Edward McKendree Bounds

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Sunday Morning Gatherings at GACAR

- Face coverings are not required at our Sunday gathering.
- Disposable masks are available.
- Visit our *COVID-19* page for the latest information.

## Today

- 12/5 Men's Study at 8:00 AM - Galatians Study
- 12/5 Sunday Service with Communion at 10:30 AM
  - Potluck Lunch at 12:30 PM
  - Congregational Meeting during potluck lunch

## Upcoming Bible and Book Studies at GACAR

- 12/12 Women's Bible Study at 8:00 AM - Phillipian's Study
- 12/12 Youth's Bible Study at 12:30 PM - *How to Study the Bible*

## Upcoming Events

- 12/18 Church Christmas Party at The Louw's Home
- 12/24 Christmas Eve Service at 5:00 PM at GACAR
  - Dessert Following Service at 6:30 PM
- GBC Winter Retreat 2022
  - January 7-9, 2022 at Lake Swan Camp in Melrose, FL.
  - Online registration is now open!  
[gracegainesville.org/event-registration](https://gracegainesville.org/event-registration)

## GBC Bookstore Now Open

Visit our GBC Bookstore at [us.10ofthose.com/gracegainesville](https://us.10ofthose.com/gracegainesville)

## Prayer

*Join Our GBC Prayer Band* - Contact Omar López, or the announcement in the General GBC BAND group, if you are interested in joining.

## NEW VISITORS

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