

Welcome

October 26, 2025



If you are visiting with us this morning, please take a moment and complete a **C.A.R.E.** +card and drop it in the offering plate **OR** scan the **QR** code.

Morning Worship

“To God Be The Glory”

Welcome

“Trust and Obey”

“Holy Forever”

“How Great Is Our God/ How Great Thou Art”

Offertory Prayer:

Offertory Music: **Johnny and Lyn**

Message: **Sling Of David**

1 Samuel 17:40

Invitation: **“Speak to My Heart”**

Benediction:

Postlude:

Upcoming Events:

- Reception for Johnny in his honor today after the service, light refreshments will be provided.
- Greatest Treat Today at 4 pm at The City Park
- Care Meeting 11/2 @ 5 Also Daylight Saving (Fall Back)
- Refuge Youth Fall Retreat 11-7/9 at Fort Caswell
- Veterans Day 11/11 (Thank you ALL Who Served)
- Midweek Meal 5:45, classes 6:30- Mid-Week goes until Nov 19
- **Tithe and Offering** as of last Sunday: **\$3,906.40**

Greeters: Carolyn Hester & Nina Willis

Next Week – 11/2: Rhonda Newton & Dennis Shull



Point 1: God _____ You in the Past for the Battles Ahead

- The ancient sling wasn't a toy: it was a deadly weapon used by shepherds and soldiers alike.
- David had trained for years protecting sheep from lions and bears.
- The unseen is preparation: What looks like routine, ordinary work is often God's training ground for the extraordinary moment.

Reflect: What unseen places is God using right now to prepare you for the next step of faith?

Point 2: God Uses Your _____, Not Someone Else's Armor

- Saul's armor didn't fit David: it was heavy and unfamiliar.
- If David had fought in someone else's armor, he might have lost, not because God wasn't able, but because David wasn't being who God made him to be.
- You can't win battles using someone else's tools or someone else's faith.

Reflect: Are you trying to wear someone else's armor instead of trusting the tools God gave you?

Point 3: God Gets the _____

- David declared, "*The battle is the Lord's.*"
- The sling was just the delivery system; the victory belonged to God.
- David fought for God's glory, not his own.

Reflect: Who can I share the Gospel with this week?