And pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests. With this in mind, be alert and always keep on praying for all the Lord's people.

-Ephesians 6:18

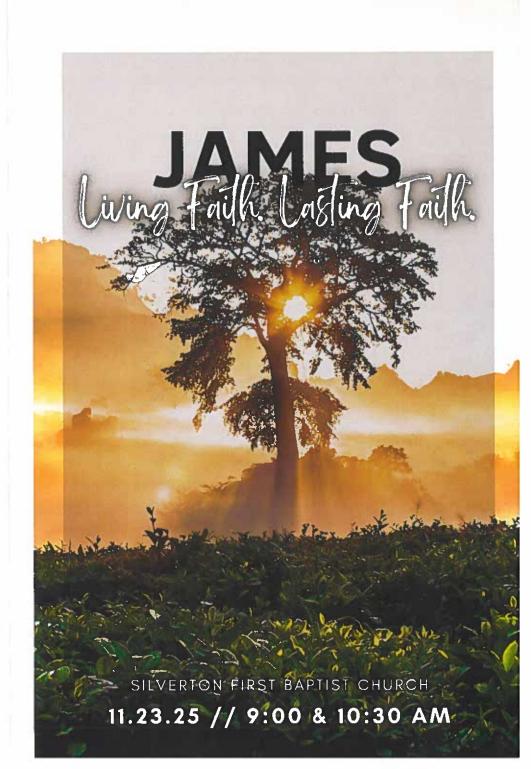
Therefore, in order to keep me from becoming conceited, I was given a thorn in my flesh, a messenger of Satan, to torment me. Three times I pleaded with the Lord to take it away from me. But he said to me, "My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness." Therefore I will boast all the more gladly about my weaknesses, so that Christ's power may rest on me. That is why, for Christ's sake, I delight in weaknesses, in insults, in hardships, in persecutions, in difficulties. For when I am weak, then I am strong.

-2 Corinthians 12:7-10

This is the confidence we have in approaching God: that if we ask anything according to his will, he hears us. And if we know that he hears us—whatever we ask—we know that we have what we asked of him.

-1 John 5:14-15

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#### **UPCOMING EVENTS & INFO**

Children's Christmas Program

Our kids have been practicing for our annual Christmas Program We hope you'll join us at 6:00pm on Sunday, December 14<sup>th</sup> to hear the story of God's redemption and the true meaning of Christmas!

#### Testimonies from James

Sharing how God is working in our lives is an important part of life together in the church. Please consider taking a moment to share what God has been teaching you during our study in the book of James.



#### **Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes**

Tomorrow, 11/24, is the final day to return your Christmas boxes to Silver Creek Fellowship. If you have not yet dropped yours off, please take them to Silver Creek Fellowship between 9am-11am on Monday.

**Thanksgiving Office Hours** 

Please note that the church office will be open until noon on Wednesday, November 26th and will be closed Thursday, November 27th as our staff celebrates the Thanksgiving holiday. Thank you!

#### **WEEKLY OPPORTUNITIES AT SFB**

WEDNESDAYS Ladies' Bible Study at Margaret Ghiglia's from 10am-noon

#### AWANA and Youth are off on 11/26 for Thanksgiving

**THURSDAYS** Join together for weekly prayer - Fireside room, 7-8pm

SUNDAYS Adult Sunday School Classes

- "Reframing Your Worldview" Raoul Robles Room 111 9:00am
- "Acts: The Church Begins" Duke Ricketts Room 207 10:30am
- "Acts and the Letters of Paul" Pam Warmack Room 111 10:30am

Office Hours: Monday - Thursday from 9:00am-3:00pm (This is the best time to find someone in the office to assist you.)

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#### PRAYER REQUESTS

**OTHER QUESTIONS?** infoesilvertonfirstbaptist.org

# Sunday, November 23, 2025

## **Opening Scripture**

Psalm 34:4-8, 17-19

## **Corporate Worship**

Forever
Ancient of Days
Goodness of God

## **Offering**

Be Thou My Vision

#### Sermon

Faith Unites and Seeks

James 5:12-20 JD Winters

## **Closing Song**

Yet Not I but Through Christ in Me

## A WEARY WORLD REJOICES

HOPE, PEACE, JOY, LOVE.