

Good morning and welcome to services! We are so glad you are here! It's hard to believe it's already March and you can find a calendar on the bulletin board.

Registration has opened for Camp Red Oak Springs! We will be attending Session 5: July 3 - 8, 2023 and all kids ages 10-18 can attend. Our session will be directed by Tony Fitzgerald, and he has been making camp super fun, very uplifting and a great time of spiritual growth for many years. Camp can be a life changing event for our kids and teens, so we hope you'll consider going!

We are continuing a lot of Lads to Leaders prep and are looking forward to convention. If you have any questions about events you've registered for please let us know and we will be glad to help. Hope everyone has a great week! DOUG

""Honor your father and mother," which is the first commandment with promise:"

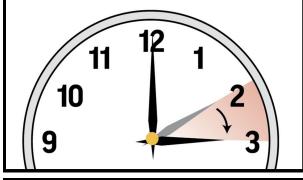
Ephesians 6:2 NKJV

With all the credit cards around these days, the only one who pays cash all the time is the tooth fairy.

Tackling life's challenges is like eating an orange. They're much easier to handle one section at a time.

# **Spring forward**

Daylight saving time starts Sunday at 2 a.m. local time. Set your clocks **ahead one hour** before bed Saturday.



**Saturday Night MARCH 12TH** 

# **THANKS**

Thanks to the ladies and men who went to Mrs. Lee's Gardens (daffodil farm) last Wednesday. We all had a great trip. Thanks to Dan for driving the church bus.

March 12th 2023 **Door Greeters Security Team Communion Preparation Steve and Jill Camp** 

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Sun: 9:30 AM Class 10:30 AM Worship 6:00 PM Evening Wed: 7:00 PM

## A CORRECT ASSUMPTION

A man was being tailgated by a stressed out woman on a busy boulevard. Suddenly, the light turned yellow, just in front of him. He did the right thing, stopping at the crosswalk, even though he could have beaten The red light by accelerating through the intersection. The tailgating woman was furious and honked her horn, screaming in frustration as she missed her chance to get through the intersection, dropping her cell phone and makeup. As she was still in mid-rant, she heard a tap on her window and looked up into the face of a very serious police officer. The officer ordered her to exit her car with her hands up. He took her to the police station where she was searched, finger printed, photographed, and placed in a holding cell. After a couple of hours, a policeman approached the cell and opened the door. She was escorted back to the booking desk where the arresting officer was waiting with her personal effects.

He said, "I'm very sorry for this mistake. You see, I pulled up behind your car while you were blowing your horn, ranting at the guy in front of you, and cussing a blue streak at him. I noticed the 'What Would Jesus Do' bumper sticker, the 'Choose Life' license plate holder, the 'Follow Me to Sunday-School' bumper sticker, and the chrome-plated Christian fish emblem on the trunk, Naturally... I assumed you had stolen the car." Selected

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# Move Your Clock Forward One Hour Next Saturday Night



# From Dan's desk:

Thank you all for being present today, members and visitors among us. It is hard to believe that we are getting ready to move the clock forward one hour next Saturday evening before going to bed. The days will be as short or long as they have always been, but we will have more light at the end of the day. I am excited about the change and glad to know that it will remain that way and that we will not be moving the clock back an hour in October or November. The attendance is pulling back up as was the case last Lord's Day and both services. We appreciate all of you who are attending and encouraging other to do the same. We also are grateful for those of you who are coming to Bible class on Sunday morning and Wednesday evening. This one way to learn more about God. By the way, thanks you for your comments about both lessons last Sunday. It was a wonderful day. Thanks also to those who helped at Monday Night For The Master. Thanks to Jill Camp for preparing the salad last Monday and for the great pizza we enjoyed. Shelly Franklin usually does this, but had a surgical procedure last Monday. She is better. We encourage you to be present tonight at 6 P.M. DAN

# PLEASE TURN OFF ALL CELL PHONES





# TO KEEP IN OUR PRAYERS

SHELLY FRANKLIN is recovering from Kidney Surgery GERALD WILCHER'S surgery had to be postponed at this time.

JAMES HENRY continues to recover from recent eye surgery

A prayer list is available in the foyer of others who have been ill.

Reach out to others with your prayers and kindness.

At an Optometrists Office:
"If you don't see what you're looking for, you've come to the right place."

On a Taxidermist's window: "We really know our stuff."

In a Podiatrist's office:
"Time wounds all heels."

At a Car Dealership:
"The best way to get back on your feet - miss a car payment."

# Addiction

People are addicted to many things, alcohol, drugs (legal & illegal), nicotine, gambling, food, pornography, etc. All of these things can ruin your life. Look what Peter says, "promising them freedom while they themselves are slaves of corruption; for by what a man is overcome, by this he is enslaved." (2 Peter 2:19). So the goal of the Christian is not to be overcome or enslaved to anything.

This is a principle that not only Peter taught, but the apostle Paul said, "...I will not be mastered by anything" (I Cor. 6:12b). But the big problem is that the alcoholic will not admit that alcohol controls him. We humans have the ability to deny the obvious. We must continue to examine our own lives - that we have but one who has overcome us, only one who has enslaved us by His goodness - that is, Christ, and happily I will be enslaved. to Him who loves me so.

## **WELCOME VISITORS**

Dan

A big hearty welcome to those visiting today. Allow us to meet and greet you following the worship service this morning. At the end of the service today you will be given a gift bag from our congregation. "It is a small gift, but it comes from big hearts." Thanks again for coming.

# **March 5th 2023**

## PLEASE CONTINUE TO REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Gerald Wilcher's surgery is on hold at this time.

Bill Hawkins niece Bettis is recovering from Abdominal surgery and request prayer.

Linda Lippold is improving at home.

Nancy Miller continues to undergo heart tests and treatment.

David Carder is recovering from brain surgery. He is doing better at his home.

Kenneth Holland continues to have issues with COPD and remains at home.

James Singleterry is improving. He is home now following a heart oblation in Tyler last Monday.

Rick Giles is still having health issues at his home.

Audrey Manuel had an MRI last Monday in Tyler.

Fred King is recovering from neck surgery and he is recovering at his home.

Cindy Thornton is improving following eye surgery

Former members, Johnny and Carolyn have been having heart and neurological issues.

Kenneth Whitley cousin of Mike Whitley has been seriously ill with cancer.

Becky Barnes great grandson is awaiting a bone marrow transplant.

Tracy Thornton, brother of Gerri Peoples, is in ICU after an emergency surgery to remove a cancerous brain tumor.

Tina Teetz, daughter-in-law of Pat Baird, has stage 4 cancer that has spread to her lungs.

Bryce Stewart former member is still undergoing tests and cancer treatment.

Jamie Flores, niece of Ann Sparks, is having health issues and requests our prayers.

Deborah Hagemeier (former member) has cancer and requests prayer.

Jerry Thornton of Canton, is undergoing additional oral cancer treatment.

# Remember those in nursing homes and the homebound in your prayers.

Courtney Bell, Patsy Bush, Mary Chambless, Opalene Chapman, Mary Ann Colling, Ruth Cox, Blackie Foreman, Jerry Graham, Sue Grubbs, Gerry Hahn, Bobby Johnson, Jessie Kraus, George Lester, Lanova Mitchell, David Mitchell, Joyce Matlock, John Mottern, Ed and Kathleen Compton, Lorelee Reeder, Irma Ray, Martha Sims, Marlene Thompson, Gary and Emalie Tuschoff and Charlie Young. **NOTE:** We try to update the prayer list each week. When people are improving and doing better we remove their names and add new ones who have asked to be on the list. We need those of you who are acquainted with those on the prayer list to let us know when they are improving. If you know of someone who needs to be on the supplement prayer list or removed, please notify us in the church office.

THE ELDERS