

Good morning and welcome to services! We enjoyed a busy week as a youth group this past week, but it's always wonderful spending time together. Our group had a wonderful time at the Summer Youth Series in Bullard. There were over 160 in attendance and 20 of those were from Crockett Road! We are looking forward to this week's SYS at Broadway in Tyler. We will be leaving the building at 5:15 on Tuesday. I hear that Thursday night's girls' Bible study was a success. Alison is leading our girls in study in "Developing Godly Thoughts" this summer and all girls in middle school and high school are encouraged to attend. Yesterday's car was a lot of fun! We are so appreciative of our generous congregation. Our kids worked really hard and had a lot of fun, as well. We hope all of our Bible class teachers and their spouses can join us for our appreciation dinner tomorrow night. For all youth helping out, we will meet at 5 to begin decorating and preparing food and the dinner will begin at 7. Hope everyone has a great DOUG week!

"Watch, stand fast in the faith, be brave, be strong."

I Corinthians 16:13 NKJV

WELCOME VISITORS

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.

Quotes & Quips

Children have more need of models than critics.

When Christians work together, they divide the effort and multiply the effect.

Criticism, like rain, should be gentle enough to nourish one's growth without destroying the roots.

Men do not reject the Bible because it contradicts itself, but it contradicts them.

Kind words are short to speak, but their echoes are endless.

Most gossips get caught in their own mouth traps.

The task ahead of us is never as great as the power behind us.

The best exercise program is to walk with God!

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

ATTENTION

So what does God have to do to get our attention?

On September 16 of last year dairy farmers in Belgium dumped 790,000 gallons of dairy product onto their fields to protest low prices. Couldn't they have just called a meeting to get the government's attention? Just think of all that milk being soaked into the ground, all of the hungry people who could have been served by that milk...I guess that's the point. They got our attention. Does God have ours? The apostle Paul preached that God "made every nation of men, that they should inhabit the whole earth: and he determined the times set for them and the exact places where they should live." (Acts 17:26) Why? "God did this so that men would seek him and perhaps reach out for him and find him, though he is not far from each one of us." (Acts 17:27) God wants our attention. If creation isn't enough to garner it, the apostle Paul adds, "For he has set a day when he will judge the world with justice by the man he has appointed. He has given proof of this to all men by raising him from the dead." (Acts 17:31) A day of judgment? A man resurrected from the dead? What else does God have to do to get our attention? Spill his own blood on the earth?

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Next Sunday is Father's Day. Plan to be with us for this special lesson on Fathers



From Dan's desk:

We welcome each of you today to our services. If you have come as a visitor, please know that we are grateful and we hope you will want to frequent our worship services again. You will find a loving atmosphere and a friendliness that is not so common in other churches. Next Sunday is "Father's Day" and we hope that you will want to join us for this important lesson on "Fatherhood". God has placed a huge responsibility on Fathers and we must be about the Father's business. Fathers are taught to "Bring up your children in the nuture and admonition of the Lord". Eph. 5. May God help every father to be the right example before his children and teach them the Way of Jehovah God. The future of our children rest with us. It was decided to not have "Super-Tuesday" that we normally have each year. This year there were so many scheduling conflicts with those who teach and the youth also. In lieu of this we are having a program called "LAMP CAMP", which will be held on June 25th,26th and 28th. Our kids will be involved and other from the community as well. This will take place on the evening of those dates. My thanks again to Ben and Dwight for preaching in my stead last Sunday and to David for teaching the adult class in the auditorium. Thanks also to JOE HANCOCK for speaking last Wednesday. Joe is quite capable and we heard good remarks from others. Our meeting in Mississippi went great and it was great to see so many we have known in the past. We encourage parents to have their children in participation. It is good to see you all this morning and we hope to see you tonight at 6 P.M. DAN

PLEASE TURN OFF ALL CELL PHONES



TO KEEP IN OUR PRAYERS

DOUG SUMRALL continues to undergo treatment in Tyler
GLENDA BASKIN is in Christus
Mother Francis Hospital in Tyler
recovering from foot surgery.
GERALD WILCHER FELL at his
home, but is improving.
PAUL CARTWRIGHT is undergoing radiation in Houston.
COOPER McCLUNG, grandson of
Sturges's has cancer and is undergoing chemo.
DELMER WILSON had a biopsy
last Thursday and is awaiting results.

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Fear is the darkroom where negatives are developed.

"Father's do not provoke your children to wrath" Eph. 6

A RESCUE SHOP

Jesus still intends for His church to spread the gospel and thus enrich the world. The Lord's parting command should constantly ring in the ears of every elder, preacher, and Christian, "Go into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature. He who believes and is baptized will be saved; but he who does not believe will be condemned" (Mark 16: 15-16). The prayers and purposes and plans of local congregations should always be guided by the primary goal of spreading the gospel and saving the lost. In Luke 19: 10, Jesus said about Himself, "...for the Son of Man has come to seek and to save that which was lost." Though the devil tried constantly to deter Him, Jesus refused to be distracted from His central and consuming mission, and "gave Himself to rescue us from the present evil age" (Galatians 1:4 NIV). "Some want to live within the sound of church and chapel bell; I want to run a rescue shop within a yard of hell." A rescue shop. That's a pretty good metaphor for the church of Christ. Or at least it should be. The church of the Lord is not primarily about bigness or buildings or budgets. It is not primarily about carpet and comfort and convenience. It is not primarily about potlucks and programs and preachers and pews, nor is it about what we want in singing and sermons. The church that follows Christ is about seeking and rescuing the lost from hell. "Ecclesiastical corpses lie all about us. The caskets in which they repose are lined with satin, and are decorated with flowers. Like other caskets, they are just large enough for their own occupants with no room for converts. These churches have died of respectability and have been embalmed in self-complacency. If, by the grace of God, our church is alive, be warned of our opportunity or the feet of them that buried their sisters will be at the door to carry thee out." Praise be to God, Jesus has rescued us from sin. **ADAPTED**

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PLEASE CONTINUE TO REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Doug Sumrall is still undergoing treatment in Tyler.

Paul Cartwright continues to recover and started radiation this week in Houston. Glenda Baskin is recovering from surgery on her foot this last Thursday in Tyler.

Jessie Krause has been sick with upper respiratory problems at Brookdale.

Kenneth Holland continues to have issues with COPD

Delmer Wilson had a biopsy on his face last Thursday in Tyler and is awaiting the results.

Cooper McClung grandson of Jerry and Gwynette Sturgess has cancer and is taking chemo.

Gayle Hamilton is recovering from surgery and rehab. She is home improving.

Gerald Wilcher is recovering from a recent fall at his home.

Prayer for Donna Richards and Jennifer Moore in the death of their mother Virginia, this last week.

Shelia Thompson's granddaughter, Kymber (8 months old) has stage 2 cancer and the family request our prayers.

Becky Barnes' great grandson had a bone marrow transplant. He is under observation.

Prayers for Tara Patton, sister of Robin Covington. She will have heart procedures this week.

Tina Teetz, daughter-in-law of Pat Baird, is improving. As a result of her cancer treatment her tumors are shrinking.

Sympathy to the family of Sharon Grizzle on her recent death. Services were held last Friday.

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

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

Jerry Thornton of Canton, brother-in-law of Bill Rawson has cancer & requests prayer.

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

Courtney Bell, Patsy Bush, Mary Chambless, Opalene Chapman, Mary Ann Colling, Ed and Kathleen Compton, Ruth Cox, Blackie Foreman, Jerry Graham, Sue Grubbs, Gerry Hahn, Bobby Johnson, Jessie Kraus, George Lester, Joyce Matlock, Lanova Mitchell, David Mitchell, John Mottern, Lorelee Reeder, Martha Sims, Monty Todd, 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