

Good morning and welcome to services! We hope you all can join us this Tuesday for dinner and an activity. We will be meeting at Mazzio's at 6:30. Bring money for the buffet and we will enjoy fellowship together!

We will be having a devotional in the activity building next Sunday night. Hope you can join us! Also, mark your calendar for June 22nd! This will be our first Summer Youth Series for 2021 and we will be hosting it! More details to follow...

We know summer can be a busy time, but please remember to make plenty of time for The Son. DOUG

Blessed is the man Who walks not in the counsel of the ungodly. Nor stands in the path of sinners. Nor sits in the seat of the scornful: 2 But his delight is in the law of the LORD.

And in His law he meditates day and night" Psalm 1:1-2



One Sunday after Sunday school, a Mom asked her very young daughter what the lesson had been about. The daughter answered, "Don't be scared, you'll get your quilt." Needless to say, the Mom was perplexed. Later in the day, the minister stopped by, and the Mom asked him what that morning's Sunday school lesson had been about.

He said, "Be not afraid, thy comforter is coming."

WHAT ONE MAN DISCOVERED In 1847, Sir James Simpson of Edinburgh discovered the use of chloroform as an anesthetic in surgery. Some claim this to be the most significant discovery of modern medicine. In his later years, Sir James was lecturing at Edinburgh University and a student asked, "What do you consider to be the most valuable discovery of your lifetime?" He answered quickly, "My most valuable discovery was when I discovered myself a sinner and that Jesus Christ was my Savior." The book of Romans makes clear these two significant truths that Simpson articulated. The problem is sin. 'For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God" (Romans 3:23). And the penalty for sin is death (Romans 6:23). Paul declares that the power of God unto salvation is the gospel of Jesus (Romans 1:16). In Christ we have the divine provision: "While we were yet sinners, Christ died for us" (Romans 5:8). The price that was paid? "Being now justified by his blood, we shall be saved from wrath through him" (Romans 5:9). Now what's the process by which we contact that blood? By placing our faith and trust in Jesus (Romans 5:1), and being buried with Christ in baptism (Romans 6:1–4). Then we are to dedicate the rest of our lives in service to Him (Romans

June 20, 2021 **Door Greeters Security Team** Jerame Gipson **Communion Preparation Clint & Jonna Satterwhite** 

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6:12-18; 12:1).

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## **MISSIONS**

**Brown Trail School of** Preaching, Bedford, TX Jose Cuadras-Mexico Hershel Bearden-India Steve Handley-Prison Min. Central TX Children's Home—Buda, TX **Tipton Children's Home** Tipton, OK GBN T.V. NETWORK GIVE ME THE BIBLE-T.V. FOX 44 KWKT-Waco, TX KTAL NBC Channel 6 Texarkana-Shreveport, LA. KFXK FOX 51 Tyler NBC 28 KYLE, Bryan-College Station, TX. FOX 29 KSVP Lake Charles, La ABC 10 KTEN Sherman-Tx KTXD- 47 Dallas, Texas **ASSEMBLY TIMES** 

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

A farmer had some puppies he needed to sell. He painted a sign advertising the pups and set about Nailing it to a post on the edge of his yard. As he was driving the last nail into the post, he Felt a tug on his overalls. He looked down into the Eyes of a little boy. Mister," he said, "I want to buy one of your puppies." "Well," said the farmer, as he rubbed the sweat off the back of his neck, "these puppies come from fine parents and cost a good deal of money." The boy dropped his head for a moment. Then reaching deep into his pocket, he pulled out a handful of change and held it up to the farmer. "I've got thirty-nine cents. Is that enough to take a look?" "Sure," said the farmer. And with that he let out a whistle, "Here, Dolly!" he called. Out from the doghouse and down the ramp ran Dolly followed by four little balls of fur. The little boy pressed his face against the chain link fence. His eyes danced with delight. As the dogs made their way to the fence, the little boy noticed something else stirring inside the doghouse. Slowly another little ball appeared; this One noticeably smaller. Down the ramp it slid. Then in a somewhat awkward manner the little pup began hobbling toward the others, doing its best to catch up...."I want that one," the little boy said, pointing to the runt. The farmer knelt down at the boy's side and said, "Son, you don't want that puppy. He will never be able to run and play with you like these other dogs would."With that the little boy stepped back from the fence, reached down, and began rolling up one leg of his trousers. In doing so he revealed a steel brace running down both sides of his leg attaching itself To a specially made shoe. Looking back up at the farmer, he said, "You see sir, I don't run too well myself, and he will need Someone who understands." **AUTHOR UNKNOWN** 

JUST SOMEONE WHO UNDERSTANDS

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# Many activities planned for the summer months. Plan to be a part of all we do. GREAT FELLOWSHIP!



# From Dan's desk:

My thanks to Ben for preaching last Sunday evening while I was in Gilmer. I have been holding meetings with the church there at Shady Grove for probably 25 years. Perry Cowan is the Minister there and has done a great work with the congregation there. Perry and I have been friends for a long time. We both attended college together and were best men at each other's weddings. Many of you are aware that we are not haveing the V.B.S. Super Tuesday this year due to a number of reasons. Getting enough staff members to help and with the young people being involved in so many different activities like Lads To Leaders, and other youth activities. We will attempt to resume with the V.B.S. next Summer. We continue to see many others coming back to be with us in person inasmuch as the Pandemic is getting better. We are so thankful that our nation is being able to resume their normal activities. There are so many trouble spots around the world with the Coronavirus and we pray that things will be better soon. Speaking about activities we will again have our fourth of July "watermelon fellowship" on July 4th. This year it falls on Sunday. We will do this following the evening worship service. The watermelons will be furnished. We will go to Pennington's to get the melons that week and have them ready for the fellowship. Make plans to be with us that Day. Thanks you all for being present today. I hope you enjoy your summer, and wherever you may go on vacation be sure to worship God. See you tonight. DAN

# PLEASE TURN OFF ALL CELL PHONES





# TO KEEP IN OUR PRAYERS

LORETTA YOUNG recently fell and is going through rehab at the Christus Rehab in Tyler.

MARY ANN COLLING (mother of Doug Rader) had a pace maker implanted last week.

GLENDA BASKIN is having issues with her foot and possible surgery soon.

All others who have been ill are improved.

**Prayer list is in the foyer** 

## **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.

## **AREA WIDE YOUTH RALLY**

The Youth of the congregation here will host an area wide youth rally in conjunction with the Summer Youth series on Tuesday evening June 22nd. If you can prepare cookies, please sign the list on the bulletin board.

## NO PAIN, MEANS NO GAIN"

There is an expression among those who exercise regularly, "No Pain, No Gain." The expression basically means that if you are not willing to work hard and suffer a little for your efforts, then you are not going to accomplish very much. Just doing the easy and simple exercises that don't challenge one's body won't lead to lasting results. The same principle is true in life as well. In order for one to be productive in business, for example, one must be willing to make sacrifices of time and money; one must make an effort in order to do well. In our personal relationships also, we understand this to be true. The more we put into a relationship the better it is going to be. The parent who makes an effort to spend time with his children is going to have a better relationship with his child than the parent that doesn't. The husband who spends more time with his wife will have a better relationship than one that is always gone. Should it cause us to wonder, when we come to the spiritual world, that if we don't make an effort at serving the Lord that we're not going to get anything out of our relationship with God? The same principle is true here as well. "No pain, no gain." Sometimes I think that people expect church to be some kind of spiritual playground where we can just relax and have fun in the glow of God's goodness. While I certainly believe that coming to church can be rewarding, it doesn't quite work like a playground. Our worship and service requires of us some effort, both mentally and physically. The more effort we put into our worship and service, the greater our relationship with God will become.

**DAN** 

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# PLEASE CONTINUE TO REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Lorelee Reeder has been undergoing additional tests on her back and will have surgery soon.

Christine Oliphant– Frankya Cooper's daughter and friend to many– has breast cancer& undergoing tests

Eddie Stanaland (Cecil & Virginia's son) had a heart procedure.

Mary Ann Colling (Doug Rader's mother) is recovering at home from a heart procedure Jimmy Allen is improving following a recent stay in the local hospital Virginia Standand fell and dislocated her shoulder. She is better and recovering at home.

Glenda Baskin is having issues with her foot and will have possible surgery soon.

Mary Jo Thomason is having therapy treatments on her legs Emerald Ellis is having problems with her pregnancy.

Loretta Young recovering in Christus Rehab in Tyler from a fall last recently.

Jennifer Sparks is recovering from her recent accident and surgery

Leilani Leonard mother of Adam Krumnow recovering from surgery in Waco.

Jo Ann Henry (sister of James Henry) health issues in Ft. Worth

Ike and Joyce Weatherly are both having health issues.

**Kenneth Holland-COPD** 

Scott Hilliard (cousin of Dwight Franklin) cancer

Wesley Wellborn (brother-in-law of Kyle Lock) cancer

Joe Radford( friend to many) is recovering from brain surgery he is doing much better.

Beatrice Lusk mother-in-law of Daniel Plummer recovering from a stroke

Please remember those in nursing homes and the homebound in your prayers. They need our prayers. Courtney Bell, Odessa Boyette, Ruth Cox, Blackie Foreman, Jerry Graham, Sue Grubbs, Gerry Hahn, Ola Pearl Reeves, Bobby Johnson, Miki Kiser, Jessie Kraus, George Lester, Ruby Merritt, James and Irma Ray, Emalie Tuschoff and Patsy Bush.

**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