

Teen News

Good morning and welcome to services! This past week was a busy one, but we had a great time serving God and one another together. Lamp Camp was a great success and we so appreciate all the work put in by our young people. You all did a great job leading songs, serving food, helping with the lesson and assisting with crafts and games. Our last SYS trip of the summer was a fun one! We enjoyed a great meal at Cracker Barrel on the way home from Van. This Tuesday we will be heading to the Rangers game as a group! We are really looking forward to it. Be on the lookout for a message about departure time. This Saturday we will be having our car wash and hope everyone can join us. It's always a blast! Have a great week! DOUG

"Forever, O Lord, Your word is settled in heaven." Psa. 119:89

SYMPATHY

Our sympathy is extended to DAPHNE PRINCE and family in the death of R.D. PRINCE, faithful servant of God. Services will be held in Clayton, Okla. On Monday.

LADIES MEETING

The Summer ladies Bible class and fellowship will meet this Tuesday at 10 A.M. Please bring your favorite snack. Cheryl will conduct the class. Games will follow the devo.

Only One 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" (1 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.

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ASSEMBLY TIMES

Sun: 9:30 AM Class

10:30 AM Worship

6:00 PM Evening

Wed: 7:00 PM

"God-Centered Home Life"

In creating a strong family life centered on God, there must be shared time together. Moses commanded Israel: "*You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your might. These words, which I am commanding you today, shall be on your heart. You shall teach them diligently to your sons and shall talk of them when you sit in your house and when you walk by the way and when you lie down and when you rise up*" (Deuteronomy 6:5-8). Moses' timeless advice is the foundation for Biblical spirituality in the home. Time together is the bonding mortar that brings us together before God in our lives. You never know when you are making a memory with your children. Deuteronomy repeatedly emphasizes the need for parents to heartily "love" God, to avoid another lost generation as in the wilderness wandering (Deuteronomy 10:12 - 11:32). For God to be first in our lives, His will must be regularly discussed and applied in our daily home life. What we truly love most of all will show up in our priorities, what we talk about, and how we use our time.

To communicate the priority of loving God, we must spend time together. The daily "family hour" needs to be kept in homes that glorify God. Family traditions and shared activities need to be instituted and kept. Working at such togetherness can be memorable and enjoyable! In Deuteronomy 6, Moses urges us to discuss God's will "*when you lie down*." This refers to daily bedtime. Kiss your children goodnight. Read to them or listen to them read from the Bible or a Bible devotional. "*When you rise up*" is beginning the day with God. Besides giving thanks at breakfast, give your child a Bible verse for the day, like from (Proverbs 9:10) "*The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom*."

**Thank you for joining us in
the worship of Jehovah God
today. Do come again.
R.D. PRINCE HAS DIED**

From Dan's desk:



We have had a number of members our congregation that have been ill or in the hospital as of late. Please check the list and continue to pray for them. In spite of those being ill and those who have been vacationing, the attendance at the services has been good and we appreciate those who continue to come and be a part of our worship services. Our nation has been undergoing a lot recently with the attempted assination of President Trump. It is hard to imagine our country facing these types of crisis. There needs to be a return to the values that made our country great. Somewhere along the way people have abandoned their need for God and the church. David said, "Blessed is the nation whose God is the Lord." He also said, "The wicked shall be turned into hell and all the nations who forget God. The thing we must do is return to the Godly principles upon which our country was established. Continue to pray for DAPHNE PRINCE in the death of R.D. He was a Faithful Deacon and servant of God. If you are visiting with us, we hope you will come again. Our congregation is a loving, caring group of people seeking to do God's Will . See you tonight. DAN

PLEASE TURN OFF ALL CELL PHONES



**TO KEEP
IN OUR PRAYERS**

KERMIT GRIMSLEY has been undergoing tests this last week.

KAYEANNE LOWE has been moved to a rehab facility at Trinity, Texas .

JOYCE WEATHERLY is improving following a procedure in Tyler on her abdomen.

IKE WEATHERLY has been in the hospital this last week in Tyler.

He is better

GLENDA BASKIN is improving from her recent stay in the hospital.

CINDY THORNTON is undergoing tests at this time.

HOUSE WARMING

There will be a sandwich supper and house warming for Debbie Warren and Amanda Holcomb next Sunday night following the worship service. This is the first time for them to purchase a house and several wanted us to get together and shower them with things for their new residence. We appreciate them and this would be a great time to help. Please bring either sandwiches, chips or dessert and plan to stay.

FINDING FAULT

One of the favorite "pastimes" for many is that of "FINDING FAULT". It is true of people in America, in the home, the church, at the work place, and often among friends. Instead of searching for flaws, wouldn't it be better to search for the good things. Some are chronic complainers and the greatest JOY they often experience is endeavoring to search for the worst in folks instead of looking for the redeemable ones. Some complain about the food and service at the restaurants, weather conditions, length of sermons, song service. If someone gets preferential treatment, some are so envious and jealous they can't stand it. When they do search for the good, their main focus is on themselves, and not on others. What a horrible way of life. Those too often who are unhappy with themselves, do their best to make others feel that way. Such folks are known and often avoided by many. It might be well to take a look in the spiritual mirror to determine if our attitude might need an adjustment. With an attitude of looking for good and promoting others instead of self, one might find life worth living again and just might dismiss a lot of unhappiness from their lives. HOW ABOUT YOU?

**"A merry heart doeth good like
medicine"**

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

PLEASE CONTINUE TO REMEMBER IN PRAYER

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Cindy Thornton has been undergoing medical tests this last week.

Kayeanne Lowe has been moved to a rehab in Trinity, Texas. She will be there for two weeks.

John Martin, friend of Steve Powell, is recovering from heart surgery at Christus in Tyler.

Daphne Prince in the death of R.D. Prince.

Glenda Baskin is recovering from bypass surgery. She is back home for rehab

Ann Sparks continues to make progress from her recent hospitalization. . She is home

Levi Pritchett, a friend of Jan Dugan, an 8 year old, is awaiting open heart surgery and needs our prayers.

Sam Ellis has been having heart tests and a heart procedure.

John Booth, friend of the Hawkins is gravely ill and desires prayer.

James Henry has been having problems with sleep apnea and asked for our prayers.

Mason Johnson (great grandson of Linda Johnson) has Cortical Dysplasia, eventually needing brain surgery.

Delmer Wilson has Covid and is recovering at home.

Lu Gannon is recovering from Covid at her home. Continue to pray for her.

Ike and Joyce Weatherly have both been having health issues and have been in the hospital in Tyler. They are at home and better.

Bryan Titlow, cousin of Jim Ricard, has cancer & undergoing treatment.

Ann and Ken Holland both continue to have health issues at home.

Molly Ray is a little improved, but still at home with health issues.

Jay Mays, relative of Doug Lowe has cancer, desires prayers

Lori Tanner Richardson, cousin of Cindy Thornton, has breast cancer

Diane Wilcher continues with health concerns. She is at home.

Jerame Gipson's friend, Lisa Safronoff, is having health issues.

Becky Barnes' great grandson continues to have health issues. Tina Teetz, daughter-in-law of Pat Baird, is still undergoing tests and treatment

Remember those in nursing homes and home bound in your prayers.

Courtney Bell, Patsy Bush, Mary Chambless, Opalene Chapman, Mary Ann Colling, Ed and Kathleen Compton, Ruth Cox, Blackie Foreman, George Wooden, Gerry Hahn, Bobby Johnson,

Joyce Matlock, Lanova Mitchell, David Mitchell, John Mottern, Martha Sims, Marlene Thompson, Gary and Emalie Tuschoff, 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 improve. Please notify us in the church office.