

Good morning and welcome to services! We had such a wonderful time at last Sunday evening's Back to School Ice Cream Supper. We so appreciate those who brought ice cream and cookies and especially to those who worked in the kitchen and served ice cream! Our annual spaghetti supper is coming up! Be on the lookout for a sign up sheet for various items needed for the event. It's always such a fun time together. Next Sunday night our youth group will take on the young adult class in volleyball! It should be a great evening of fun and fellowship and some impressive volleyball play. Hope you will all make plans to be there! DOUG

"And not only that, but we also glory in tribulations, knowing that tribulation produces perseverance; and perseverance, character; and character, hope."

Romans 5:3-4

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.

THE DEATH OF MODESTY

Today we buried Modesty. She was born many years ago, living her life with dignity, always honoring God. Teaching her children moral values to live by.

As time went by she was saddened at the changes being made in the world all around her. In her day, she wore clothing that covered from neck to toe. Now it's let everything show.

She grew tired and the burdens became heavy, as she saw her sisters and daughters dishonoring God with their indecent acts and the way they dressed. Modesty died of a broken heart.

No one mourned, or shed a tear for Modesty. A loss we will never replace, unless we keep Modesty in God's hands.

Some will say, "We live in a different time frame." "Yes," but God's Word is the same today, tomorrow, and forever. And His dress code is what we should live by.

As you stand before your mirror, admiring your image, do you dress to please God, or the world?

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

JUST RESPECT OTHERS

In Luke 18:2 a man is described as neither reverencing God nor respecting man. Does that connection have a logical ring to it? A healthy fear of God surely would promote a sense of respect and honor for lesser but worthy objects. Things were different when I was a boy. We respected parents, teachers, policemen, older people, other people's property, institutions, grandparents, customs, other people's space, women if you were a male, other's advice, Bible class teachers and preachers, and a host of other people and things. People did not have to "earn" your respect. That was woven into the very fabric of society. I cringe in our day to see how little respect is shown anyone or anything. The "common courtesies" of an earlier time are certainly not common today. That built in polite, gracious behavior of yesterday has been abandoned for a crude, rude, thoughtless, self-centered insistence on "me first." This lack of respect seems to be a big issue in America and in our world. Let's respect others and teach our children to do the same. DAN

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Great Fellowship at the Ice Cream Supper. Promotion in Bible School on the horizon.



From Dan's desk:

Those who attended the Ice Cream supper last Sunday night, enjoyed a feast of varying flavors of ice cream. Thanks for your comments on my sermon last Sunday night entitled, "WHAT FLAVOR WOULD YOU LIKE". God blesses all His children and brings into our life many tremendous blessings, May we all be thankful. The Summer heat just hangs on and there doesn't look like there is any relief in the near future. Some say it was hotter last year, but I still believe this in one of hottest summers we have experienced here in East Texas. I know you are praying for rain as I have been doing. Surely the Lord will send it soon. Our Bible school promotion will take place on Sunday Sept. 3rd. I hope that each of you will plan to be with us that morning and invite friends to join you in Bible class and worship. We continue to appreciate those who visit our services and we have had several over the last few weeks. Be sure to reach out to them and make them welcome. We have been saddened over the last several weeks because of the death of loved ones in several families. This is always a difficult time for families. May God help us to reach out to them with encouraging words and love. These are the things that are often needed to soothe the heart. We hope to see you tonight at 6 P.M. DAN

PLEASE TURN OFF ALL CELL PHONES





ALEXIS WRIGHT daughter of former member Kristi Brunson remains seriously ill with respiratory problems In the hospital in Galveston.

CECIL STANALAND is recovering from a surgical procedure on his back this last Friday.

JO ANN MORTON, sister of Jane Davis is recovering from a brain hemorrhage and surgical procedure in Christus Mother Francis Hosp.

ROSEANN CARTHEN is recovering from Covid.

CHARLES STEEN is recovering from recent surgery.

RENEE' WHITLEY is awaiting test results on her heart.

GWYNETTA STURGESS is recovering from a heart attack and heart procedure in a Hot Springs, Ark. Hospital

All others recently mentioned are better.

OUR SYMPATHY

Our heartfelt sympathy is extended to PAT BAIRD and family in the death of her son THOMAS TEETZ who passed away last week.

You Cannot Waste Time

It is absurd to speak of "wasting time." We cannot! It is as if to say to the fish in the sea, "Do not waste the water." We have no power at all over time -- it "marches on" regardless of anything we can or will do. We are born into a world that is governed by time and after we are laid to rest in the grave, time continues until God sees fit to end it.We can and

we do waste ourselves. What we could be; services we could render; powers we could use; words and deeds we could use in doing good; kindness we neglect to show; happiness we could enjoy—all become waste as we waste away our lives. The starting

point on the path toward useful living lies within our easy grasp. Make now a time of resolution and determination to live a life to the glory and praise of God.

VOLLYBALL GAME between the young adults and the youth next Sunday evening after services. Plan to see the "Old Folks" get whipped on".



"I THOUGHT THE BEST PART OF THE SERMON WAS WHEN THE PREACHER YELLED AND DAD WOKE UP AND FELL OFF THE SEAT!"

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PLEASE CONTINUE TO REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Charles Steen is recovering from hernia surgery in Athens recently Cecil Standand is recovering from a surgical procedure on his back last Friday.

Rick Giles has prostate cancer and will undergo radiation soon.

Doug Sumrall is still undergoing treatment in Tyler.

Kenneth and Ann Holland both continue to have issues with COPD and eye issues.

Larry Baskin is also undergoing tests on his heart. Keep him in your prayers.

Dale Sparks undergoing tests for dizziness.

Ed Compton is recovering from hip surgery at Palestine Medical Rehab.

Renee's Whitley is awaiting results from recent heart tests.

Gwynetta Sturgess is recovering from a heart attack in a Hot Springs, Ark. Hospital.

Alexis Wright daughter of Kristi Brunson Wright is critically ill in Galveston with respiratory problems

Mark Thornton, brother of Cindy Thornton, is having possible hip replacement surgery this week.

Paul Cartwright continues to recover and has started radiation in Houston.

Jo Ann and Herman Morton, sister and Brother-in-law of Jane Davis are both in Christus Mother Francis Hosp. in Tyler recovering from illnesses.

Ann Tillman niece of Mary Stech is having copd problems and asked for our prayers.

Bob Stech had a bone biopsy in the local hospital in Tyler awaiting results.

Bobby and Pat Baird in the death of their son, Thomas Teetz last week.

Jean Whitfield grandmother of Emerald Ellis is back home but requests our prayers.

Trent Barrett, son of Pat Barrett, is hospitalized with a broken neck and paralyzed from waist down.

Gerald Wilcher and Diane Wilcher both continue to have health issues.

James, Angela and Anthony Birdow. All have health issues and need prayers.

Bob Monroe former member has prostate cancer and is undergoing treatment.

Sandy Singleterry is recovering from a fall. She is home and undergoing tests.

Angela Buddin, niece of the Cartwrights, has a brain tumor and having health issues.

Lanova Mitchell is recovering at her home from a recent fall.

Shelia Thompson's granddaughter, Kymber (10 months old) cancer and the family request our prayers.

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

Bob Watts, Kimberly Hawkins uncle had been placed with Hospice care.

Tina Teetz, daughter-in-law of Pat Baird, is improving. Her cancer treatment is working.

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

Deborah Hagemeier (former member) has cancer and 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, George Wooden, Sue Grubbs, Gerry Hahn, Bobby Johnson, Jessie Kraus, George Lester, Joyce Matlock, Annie Lee Birdow, Lanova Mitchell, David Mitchell, John Mottern, Lorelee Reeder, Martha Sims, Monty Todd, Marlene Thompson, Gary and Emalie Tuschoff, Charlie Young, and Frances Lowe.

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