

Good Morning everyone and welcome to our services! We had a great time at our Halloween party Friday night. Tonight after services we will have our annual Lads To Leaders kickoff party in the Activity Building. Remember, kids pre-school age and up are able to participate in Lads To Leaders. We will be serving pizza for the kickoff party. We hope to see you there! Our Lads To Leaders family retreat will be Saturday, November 14th. Today is the sign up deadline for T-shirts for the retreat. Have a safe and healthy week!

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“Train up a child in the way he should go, And when he is old he will not depart from it.”

Proverbs 22:6

Teen Commandments

Don't let your parents down; they brought you up.

Choose your companions with care; you become like them.

Be master of your habits, or they will master you.

Treasure your time; don't spend it, invest it.

Stand for something, or you'll fall for anything.

Select only a date who would make a good mate.

VETERANS, WE LOVE YOU.

Veterans are everywhere; we stand behind you in the grocery store line, sit next to you in class, and worship beside you in church every week. What we have in common with one another is not always the easiest bond to understand. Some say the martial fraternity is made up of courage, tenacity, and strength. To be sure, what I saw in my own combat deployment in 2004 reflected heights of human charity I've failed to witness before or since; soldiers standing in the line of fire for one another, risking their lives for civilians and comrades alike. But there is another trait we veterans hold tragically in common. In 2009, CBS conducted a study that found over 17 veterans killed themselves every day (they also explain the numbers), a rate higher than any other recorded in our nation's history. More recently, it was found that current members of the United States military were taking their own lives at a rate of one every day, itself another tragic statistical record of epic proportions. Suicide is currently the leading cause of death among our troops, those men and women we ask God to bless. Perhaps this is true because we do not show our appreciation for their sacrifices made on the part of all U.S. citizens.

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Doug Rader

SECRETARY

Lorelee Reeder
Beth Freeman

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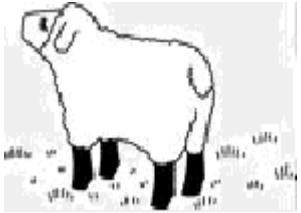
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Jose Cuadras—*Mexico*
Hershel Bearden—*India*
Steve Handley—*Prison Min.*
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Home—*Buda, TX*
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Tipton, OK
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KFXK 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

Sheep Don't Wallow

There was a lamb and its mother. The lamb passed a pigpen each morning on the way to the pasture with its mother. Watching the pigs wallow in the mud seemed like such fun, and on an especially hot day the lamb asked his mother if he could jump the fence and wallow in the cool mud. She replied, “No.”



Then the lamb asked, “Why?”

The mother just replied, “Sheep don't wallow!”

This didn't satisfy the lamb. He felt she was just over-restrictive. So as soon as the mother was out of sight, the lamb jumped the fence and ran to the pigpen. He was soon feeling the cool mud on his feet, his legs, and soon his stomach. After a few moments, he decided he had better go back to his mother, but he couldn't. He was stuck.

Mud and wool don't mix. His pleasure had become his prison. He cried out and was rescued by the kindly farmer. When cleaned and returned to the field, the mother said, “Remember: sheep don't wallow.”

Sin is like that. It looks so nice, we may think we can escape when we wish, but it is not so. Pleasures often become prisons.

Bulletin Digest

**Remember to vote on Nov. 3rd
It is a privilege and opportunity to let
our voice be heard. Our attendance
at the services continues to increase.**



From Dan's desk:

Voting for our elected officials is an important thing. We are privileged in America to choose our civil leaders. Too many people never exercise this right and privilege. I hope that those who are registered to vote will do so and stand for the individual that you know according to the Bible aligns themselves more closely with the teaching of God. "Blessed is the nation whose God is the Lord. The future of our country is based on the decisions that we make today. We must all be concerned about our youth and we must do what we can to insure a better and brighter America. Don't be lethargic and indolent, but make sure that you vote this coming Tuesday, if you have not done so already. Not every candidate espouses everything we would like to see in someone running for public office. Sometimes we have to choose the lesser of the evils. "Maybe that is the case in the Presidential election." In spite of that fact, we must choose someone that should represent more closely the values and principles of God. We need to bring this country back to God. To sit idly by and refuse to let our voice be heard is a total disregard for things spiritual and for the country that God has given us. We must preserve this country and the foundation upon which she was founded. Please go vote. Your vote does count. Thanks for being here this morning. See you tonight.
DAN

PLEASE TURN OFF ALL CELL PHONES



TO KEEP IN OUR PRAYERS

BETH FREEMAN will have additional biopsy's and begin treatments soon on her lung.

OLA PERAL REEVES suffered a fall and has been in the Palestine Regional Medical Center. She is better.

EMALIE TUSCHOFF suffered a fall and fractured her back and is in the Palestine Regional Rehab.

MAUREEN ELLIS, mother of Sam Ellis, had her surgery cancelled because of exposure to Covid-19

GERALD WILCHER is recovering from additional surgery last Monday.

SHERRY WEISINGER (Steve Camp's sister) is recovering from surgery in Tyler.

MARY JO THOMASON is undergoing tests in Tyler.

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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.

"MEEKNESS"

Meekness, one of the fruits of the Spirit, is an attitude toward God. Meekness believes all things come from God, and therefore receives them as good. Humility is her twin sister. The Lord said, "Blessed are the meek." Here are some of the blessings of meekness. "The meek shall eat and be satisfied." "The meek shall He guide." "The meek will He teach." "He saveth all the meek." "The meek shall inherit the earth." "The Lord lifteth up the meek." "The Lord beautifies the meek with salvation." A meek and quiet spirit is said to be of great value to God, a part of the worthy walk, one of the things God's elect puts on, the demeanor of telling others of the hope in us, and the spirit in which we restore our fallen brothers. This is the spirit of receiving His Word. "Receive with meekness the engrafted Word, which is able to save your souls." Perhaps the most beautiful aspect of meekness is that the Lord Jesus Christ is meek. He said, "I am meek and lowly in heart." May we be enabled to be clothed with meekness in our attitude toward God and men.

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Nov. 1, 2020

PLEASE CONTINUE TO REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Beth Freeman-lung surgery soon

Cecil Stanaland-tests

Gary Missildine- lung issues

Mary Jo Thomason is undergoing tests in Tyler

Gerald Wilcher, surgery on his face

Ola Pearl Reeves- recovering from a fall

Emalie Tuschoff recovering from a fall. She is in Rehab.

Sherry Weisinger- (Steve Camp's sister) recovering from surgery

Kenneth Holland-COPD

Rodney Covington- surgery on his foot.

Leonita Wimberly (aunt of Cheryl Ellis) cancer

Hannah Glenn, is undergoing Leukemia treatments in Dallas

Elizabeth Attaway (Beth Freeman's daughter-in-law) cancer

Maurine Ellis (mother of Sam Ellis) Maurine-gallbladder surgery

Jane Ellis Sam's aunt also has cancer

Scott Hilliard (cousin of Dwight Franklin) cancer

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

Please remember those in nursing homes and the homebound in your prayers. They need our prayers. Millie Baur, Billie Bedford, Courtney Bell, Odessa Boyette, Ruth Cox, Blackie Foreman, Jerry Graham, Sue Grubbs, Gerry Hahn, Bobby Johnson, Miki Kiser, Jessie Kraus, George Lester, Ruby Merritt, James and Irma Ray, Margaret Richardson, and Marlene Thompson.

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