

Thanks to the teens who went to Livingston to the Youth Rally last Tuesday night. It was a nice event and I am glad we had the privilege of participating it. Also thanks to those teens who came to V.B.S. And helped last Tuesday morning. It was a wonderful Day. There were 101 present and everyone had a good time. The balloon launch at the end of the other activities was real impressive. We will look forward to our own Youth Rally this Tuesday night. Young people from the area will be here. We still need some parents to help in the kitchen Tuesday night with the meal. See you tonight BEN

A car was involved in an accident in a street. As expected, a large crowd gathered. A newspaper reporter anxious to get his story could not get near the car. Being a clever sort, he started shouting loudly, "Let me through! Let me through! I am the son of the victim."

The crowd made way for him.

Lying in front of the car was a donkey.

Humility

It is my joy through life to find

At every turning of the road

The strong arms of a comrade kind

To help me onward with my load.

And since I have no gold to give,

And love alone must make amends,

My only prayer is: While I live

God make me worthy of my friends.



Those To Serve July 2016

A.M. Opening
3 Danial Plummer
J.B. Matlock
Jeff Sparks
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Doug Lowe
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Jeff Sparks
Doug Lowe
Harold Johnson

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P. M. Opening
George Wooden
10 Brandon Franklin
17 Dale Sparks
24 Robert Duzan
31 Doug Rader

Harold Johnson
P. M. Closing
George Wooden
R.D. Prince
Jerry Thompson
Steve Camp
Richard Giles

Serve Communion

Gary Chambless
Tom Watson
Charles Steen
Mike Howell

Donnie Wells
Larry Finley
Clint Satterwhite
Jayden Townsend

Communion Preparation

3 Mike & Nancy Mooney 10 Fred & Beth Freeman 17 Phillip & Carolina Castillo 24 Andy & Shelia Link 31 Ike & Joyce Weatherly

DOOR GREETERS July 3, 2016 Harold and Bobbie Johnson

COMMUNION PREPARATION July 3, 2016 Mike & Nancy Mooney

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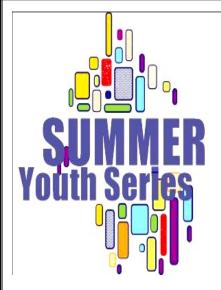
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ASSEMBLY TIMES

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



The Summer Youth Series will be held here at our Building this Tuesday night at 7 P.M. All youth are encouraged to attend. Grilled hamburgers will be served in the activity building after the service. Those who can help make cookies please sign the the list in the foyer.







We will have a Watermelon Supper immediately after evening worship service next Sunday night. Please make plans to stay and enjoy. Watermelons will be furnished.

Join us for a wonderful evening together!

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V.B.S. Great success Thanks to all who helped 101 present for the day



From Dan's desk:



A big thank you to all who helped with Vacation Bible School Super Tuesday. A lot of work goes into this program every year and we are always grateful to those who give of their time and effort. Thanks to the parents and grandparents who came and brought their children. Thanks also to the team who worked in the Activity Building providing lunch for those in attendance. Thanks to Adam Harding for proving balloons for the balloon launch. It was a wonderful and memorable day. We hope and pray that much good will come from our combined efforts to teach the lessons of Jesus to the children in attendance. We had a lot of visitors present last Sunday. If you are visiting with us today, we appreciate you coming to be with us and we hope you will come again soon. Next Sunday evening following the evening worship, we will have the Annual Watermelon Supper. We will be going to the Pennington watermelon shed in Grapeland to get melons. They are the best ever. You will enjoy the melons and the fellowship that will be equal to it. Please plan to join us. Thanks to Ben who will be speaking at the Youth Rally to be held here this Tuesday night. Young people from all over the area will be present. We encourage you to come and be with us on Tuesday night for that period of fellowship. (It means a big Deal) Let's continue to remember and invite others to worship with us. There are many people who would love and invitation worship with us. Think of your friends who are not Christians and make them aware of your concern for their souls. DAN

PLEASE TURN OFF ALL CELL PHONES





TO KEEP IN OUR PRAYERS

HOLLY FRANKLIN had surgery on Monday. She is recovering at home. DEE BELL had hand surgery on Tuesday in Tyler. He is recovering at home.

CARRIE HARDING, sister of Adam Harding, is in the hospital again. NEVARD COLEMAN is back home from the hospital and improving.

What lives in winter, dies in summer, and grows with it's roots upward?

The answer if found in the bulle-

What does this mean?



The answer is in the bulletin SEARCH FOR IT

SYMPATHY

Our sympathy to Charlie and Marjorie Myers on the death of their grandson CALEB.

Our sympathy is also offered to James and Sandy Singleterry on the death of Sandy's brother-in-law ANDY CARR who passed away this last week.

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 SECRET TO A HAPPY LIFE"

The Apostle Paul, writing to the church at Philippi, revealed the obvious when he wrote, "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me" (Phil. 4:13). All across the brotherhood we should be hitting ourselves on the forehead saying, "Why didn't we think of that?" Paul's success emanated from the confidence that he couldn't fail as long as he maintained his connection with Christ. We, too, can do anything that Christ wants us to do. We can succeed at anything that Christ wants done through us. Our problem is not that we seek the impossible. Our problem is that we do not seek what God seeks. Therefore, it is not an issue of whether or not we CAN grow. The real question is, "Do we WANT to grow?" Paul gave himself to the ministry God. This was a man who daily laid his life on the line of service. He withstood the pressures of the world to crush the message he proclaimed. He endured the complacency within the church to resist the transforming power of the Word he preached. He accepted the "thorn" in his own flesh as a challenge towards greater dedication (2 Cor. 11:22-28; 12:7-10). (The answer is "an icicle) His extensive travels took him to the far reaches of society but he was never satisfied with what had already been accomplished while the lost could still be found. He wanted to do more. So do I. That my friend is the secret to a happy life. DAN