

Good morning and welcome to services! We hope you all are feeling well and planning to join us today for lunch and a devotional following this morning's worship service. It's always such an uplifting time when we are together. We are so glad that Lily Rader made the decision to be baptized into Christ Wednesday before last. It is such a joy to see a young person decide to put on Christ and choose to live for God. Thanks to everyone who joined us for our service project this past Wednesday night. We made "busy bags" for our younger children to use during worship. Our youth group will be handing them out on Sundays between Bible class and worship. There is a lot of activity happening over the next month or so. Stay up to date by checking GroupMe, social media and our youth bulletin board! DOUG

"This is a faithful saying: For if we died with Him, We shall also live with Him." II Timothy 2:11

> Little Johnny's father said, "let me see your report card." Johnny replied, don't have it. "Why not?" His father asked.

> "My friend just borrowed it. He wants to scare his parents."

Be sure to give correct information on the directory posted on the glass windows in the fover.

#### **Don't Absent Yourself From** Church

If you were to take a leaf from a tree and watch. Slowly the color fades — the leaves go limp, curl up, and it is...DEAD! Take a fish out of the lake. Lay it carefully on the shore and watch. Frantically it twists, struggles, gradually weakens, moving its gills slower and slower, then quivers and it is...DEAD! Take a church member. Carefully let him or her be separated from God in worship... fellowship... prayer... and active service. Gradually his conscience quivers as it misses the Lord's Supper. He frets at himself for missing as questionable activities began to occupy his time. Soon, there are many hypocrites in the church — the church is always asking for money — generally he takes a stand against Christian living — and he is... DEAD! Brethren, DON'T LET THIS HAPPEN TO YOU! There are many who were active members of our Lord's church — who have isolated themselves — and DIED SPIRITU-ALLY. Brethren, DON'T LET THIS HAPPEN TO YOU! "Therefore, my beloved brethren, be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that your labor is not in vain in the Lord " (I Cor. 15:58). DAN

Keep Worshipping on a regular basis, as you will receive the blessing from God.

**January 30, 2022 Door Greeters Security Team Communion Preparation Bill & Linda Hawkins** 

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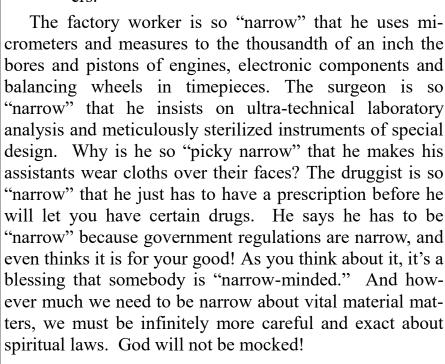
#### **MISSIONS**

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

#### "How Wide And Open Is Your Mind?"

I don't know about you, but I get a little weary of hearing the word "narrow" used as a slur against preachers who adhere to the Bible in their preaching. Sure they are "narrow," but so are factory workers, surgeons, druggists, and teach-



**Jeremy Frost** 

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### ONE BAPTIZED **Give Me The Bible Conference A Great** Success.



#### From Dan's desk:

PLEASE TURN OFF ALL CELL PHONES

The Give Me The Bible conference and luncheon was a great success. It was great to have all the preachers from the "Give Me The Bible" program present for the day. They all did a great job and we appreciate their love for the Lord and their dedication to His cause. Thanks to Sandy Singleterry and the other men and women who helped prepare and serve lunch. It was delicious. We had numerous brethren from other congregations in Texas, Louisiana and Arkansas. It was just a wonderful and memorable day. We didn't know just how many to expect considering the Covid pandemic, but we had a commendable attendance. We were so happy about the baptism of LILY RADER last Wednesday a week ago. It was a joy to see her obey the Gospel of Christ. She comes from a wonderful family of dedicated Christians. May God continue to bless her with a long life in His service. The Elders have asked Chloe Collins to work in the office as Secretary along with Eva. She will do a good job and will be going to college here until transferring to U.T. in Tyler in a couple of years. She has coordinated her hours with her classes and we are thankful that she has agreed to help. We had a large number of people out last Sunday, as was reflected in the attendance figures. We have a large number of our church family that have Covid and have been sick for several days. Hopefully they will be better in a few days and will be able to be back with us. Thank you all for being present for Bible Class and Worship this morning. See you tonight. DAN







DAVID MITCHELL is in Scott & White hospital I.C.U. in Temple. He is still critical with pneumonia.

**BRETT NASH & MARTY NASH both have** Covid at home.

DOUG AND KAYANN LOWE have had Covid this last week.

JEFF AND EMILY SPARKS have had Covid this last week.

SONYA ROSE has Covid. She is at home.

VIRGINIA STANALAND has been ill with an upper respiratory infection.

DANNA COLLINS has been ill this last week. She is home.

SYLVIA and GRACE GURGANUS have Covid at home.

MIKE & RENEE WHITLEY have been ill at home with Covid-Omicron this last week.

> "A GOOD PLAN TODAY IS BETTER THAN A PERFECT PLAN TOMORROW."

#### **RESPONSES**

**BAPTIZED** LILY RADER

#### "Nothing Through Strife Or Vain Glory"

In his letter to the saints at Philippi, Paul reminded them of the importance of possessing the proper attitude regarding spiritual matters. "Let nothing be done through strife or vainglory; but in lowliness of mind let each esteem other better than themselves. Look not every man on his own things, but every man also on the things of others. Let this mind be in you, which was also in Christ Jesus:" (Philippians 2:3-5). I have made the statement that the word "attitude" was not found in the Bible. I was referring to the King James Version of the Bible, and I believe that it is not to be found in this version. However, we are to be careful when making such a statement when so many different versions and translations now exist. Rather than the word "mind". the New American Standard Version uses the word "attitude" in Philippians 2:5. Regardless of whether mind or attitude, the meaning is that we are to have the disposition or mental position which Jesus possessed if we hope to be like Him. It is good to take a check or examination at times. "Examine yourselves, whether ye be in the faith; prove your own selves. Know ye not your own selves, how that Jesus Christ is in you, except ye be reprobates?" (II Corinthians 13:5. B. Thompson

## Jan. 23, 2022 PLEASE CONTINUE TO REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Christine Oliphant is recovering from radiation and chemo treatment in Houston recently.

Jerry Thornton of Canton, is undergoing additional cancer treatment of the brain & bones in Canton

Doug and Kayeann Lowe have both been ill with Covid at home.

David Mitchell is critically ill in the Scott and White hospital in Temple, Texas ICU

with pneumonia

Sam Ellis has Covid. He is recovering at home.

Sonja Rose has Covid at her home.

Jeff and Emily Sparks both have Covid at home.

Virginia Stanaland has been ill at home with upper respiratory problem.

Danna Collins has been ill this last week with an upper respiratory illness.

Glenda Baskin has been undergoing tests recently.

Sharon and David Carder have both been ill at home and undergoing tests.

Ike and Joyce Weatherly's son (Aaron) is ill with Covid.

Cindy Pace (daughter of Lanova Mitchell) is having kidney problems.

Charles McCullough has continued to have back problems and will have injections this week in Tyler.

Bob and Mary Stech's grandson and wife and their son have Covid, and

Stacy, their daughter also has Covid.

Brett Nash and Marty Nash both have Covid-19 at home. They are some better.

Mary Stech will have back surgery soon in Tyler.

Emily Davis (granddaughter of the Hollands) has brain cancer

Kenneth Holland is still having breathing issues.

Sylvia and Grace Gurganus have Covid. They are recovering at home.

#### 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, Marlene Thompson, Bob Johnson, Miki Kiser, Jessie Kraus, George Lester, Irma Ray, Patsy Bush, Gary and Emalie Tuschoff, Martha Sims. NOTE: We try to update the prayer 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 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 removed, please notify us in the church office. The Elders