

Teen News

Good Morning!!! I hope all is good in your life.
What good is it for someone to gain the whole world, and yet lose or forfeit their very self? – Luke 9:25

Many times we put a lot of importance on what we do. We want to date the right person, drive the right car, or wear the right clothes. Sometimes our whole life is consumed with getting all the 'right things'. If your success and worth is defined by what you have or what you do, you will always be disappointed. True happiness and success is found in knowing Jesus. Congratulations to those who recently figured this out and surrendered their life to Jesus!

The youth will host the annual Chili Cook-Off and Cake Auction on Sunday, March 11th. If you would like to enter your famous chili in the contest, please sign up!!!

BEN

SYMPATHY

Our sympathy is extended to Katie Holmes. Her grandmother CARON HOLMES passed away and memorial services were held in Paris this last week. Our prayers are with Katie and her family.

SYMPATHY

Our sympathy is extended to AUSTIN and JENAE EVANS in the death of Austin's grandfather who lived in Jacksonville, Texas. He was buried in Alvin, Texas last Tuesday. Our prayers are with the family.

A husband tells his wife, "Since it is your birthday, remember that yellow dress that you really wanted?". The wife screams in joy and starts crying tears of joy. Then the husband says, "Well I got you a toothbrush, same color".



Those To Serve March 2018

A.M. Opening

4 J. B. Matlock

11 Doug Lowe

18 Wayne Cartwright

25 Charles Steen

A.M. Closing

Doug Rader

Kermit Grimsley

Luke Lane

Jerry Sturgess

P. M. Opening

4 Robert Duzan

11 George Wooden

18 Henry Baker

25 Kyle Lock

P. M. Closing

Brandon Franklin

Rick Giles

Tom Watson

Billy Lane

Serve Communion

Marty Nash

Kolby Radford

James Singleterry

Richard Giles

Jody Radford

Jeff Sparks

Doug Rader

Billy Lane

Communion Preparation

4 Wayne & Carol Ann Cartwright

11 Danial Plummer

18 Doug & Alison Rader

25 Doug & Kayanne Lowe

DOOR GREETERS

March 4, 2018

James & Sandy Singleterry

COMMUNION PREPARATION

March 4, 2018

Wayne & Carol Ann Cartwright

Gospel Worker

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Dan D. Manuel
Pulpit Minister

Ben Rhone
Youth Minister

ELDERS

Dwight Franklin

Dan D. Manuel

Dale Sparks

DEACONS

Henry Baker

Johnny Jenkins

Kyle Lock

R.D. Prince

SECRETARY

Lorelee Reeder

MISSIONS

Brown Trail School of
 Preaching, *Bedford, TX*

Jose Cuadras— *Mexico*
School of Preaching

Hershel Bearden
India Mission

Central TX Children's
 Home—*Buda, TX*

Tipton Children's Home
Tipton, OK

GBN T.V. NETWORK
 GIVE ME THE BIBLE
 T.V. Program

KETK-NBC 56 Tyler, TX.
 FOX 44 KWKT—Waco, TX
 FOX 33 KMSS

Shreveport, LA.
 NBC 28 KYLE, Bryan-
 College Station, TX.

NBC 53—KLSB Lufkin, TX.
 FOX 29 KSVP Lake
 Charles, LA.

ABC 10—KTEN
 Sherman-Denison, TX

ASSEMBLY TIMES

Sun: 9:30 AM Class

10:30 AM Worship

6:00 PM Evening

Wed: 7:00 PM

COMFORT FROM OUR FATHER IN HEAVEN

God's presence is a constant comfort! David wrote, "Where can I flee from Your presence?" (Psa. 139:7). A child of God learns that no matter where he finds himself, "Even there Your hand shall lead me, and Your right hand shall hold me" (139:10)! It doesn't get any better than that! God is omnipresent! That comforts me when I'm depressed!

God's knowledge is a constant comfort! David wrote, "O Lord, You have searched me and known me. You know...You understand...You comprehend...You know it altogether" (139:1-4). God knows everything that I have faced, am facing or will face! When I've lost a loved one, when a friend has hurt me, when I've suffered a major financial loss, when my health is failing, when I'm lonely, my God knows! God is omniscient! That comforts me when I'm depressed!

God's ability is a constant comfort! David wrote, "You formed...knitted...embroidered" (139:13-15). Knowing that God was so intricately capable of so much in my life even before I was born, how capable is He in my life right now? "Marvelous are Your works, and that my soul knows very well" (v. 14). "My God is so big, so strong and so mighty! There's nothing my God cannot do!" (Eph. 3:20-21; Mark 10:27). God is omnipotent! That comforts me when I'm depressed! **God's Word comforts (Rom. 15:4). God's promises comfort (1 Thess. 4:13-18)! God's people comfort (2 Cor. 1:3-7; 1 Thess. 5:14)!**

When I'm around God's Word, His promises and His people, I am encouraged and comforted.

DAN

**Monday Night For The Master
Tomorrow Night at 6:15 P.M.
Join us!**



From Dan's desk:

Thank you for being present this morning for Bible Class and Worship. The attendance, conversions and contributions have been great since the beginning of the year. We commend each of you for your faithfulness. Tomorrow night is the time for "Monday Night For The Master" again and we hope that each of you will want to join us for the evening meal at 6:15 and then work for the hour following. Much can be done when we work together. We are always grateful for those in attendance. The month of February is just about over and Spring is approaching. Some of the flowers are already raising their heads. I am sure you are ready for the warmer weather. It is always nice to see the change. It is hard to believe that in just about two weeks we will again move the clocks forward an hour. I always prefer to have more light at the end of the day. Those who have difficulty driving at night, will now be able to attend the evening services. We continue to be blessed by visitors on Sunday morning and Sunday evening. Lets be careful to greet them and give them a warm welcome. This congregation is always good about reaching out to others and we are grateful for the attention given to others. The Children's Bible Hour continues to grow and the workers are continuing their efforts to teach the young children about God. They are doing a fantastic job. Many of your children have learned to say the books of the Old Testament and New Testament and this is so encouraging. This will stay with them for life. We hope to see each of you tonight at 6 P.M. DAN

PLEASE TURN OFF ALL CELL PHONES



**TO KEEP
IN OUR PRAYERS**

BRIDGETTE HARBOUR is recovering from surgery in Medical City Dallas Children's Hospital.

ED COMPTON is recovering from gall bladder surgery in Palestine Regional hospital this last week.

KIM MILUM, niece of Lois Duzan) is critically ill in Pasadena, TX

Please pick up a copy of the prayer list in the foyer.

CONGRATULATIONS

To Daniel and Bridgette Harbour on the birth of their new baby girl KENLEE JO who was born last Friday in Dallas. Mother and baby at the time of this writing are doing good. They are still in Dallas at Medical City Children's hospital.

MARCH BIRTHDAYS

- 2 Pat Baird, Kayanne Lowe, & Mary Chambless
- 4 Reba Whitley
- 9 Tristin Brooks
- 12 Jennifer Sparks
- 14 Frankya Cooper
- 15 Adelle Bengé
- 19 Brock Evans
- 20 Hailey Brooks
- 21 Bobby Baird
- 24 Dan Manuel, Johnny Jenkins
- 28 Tanner Gibson
- 29 Hudson & Avery Bell
- 31 Sherri Chambless

"Let Me Bless Others"

We should all want to be a channel of blessing to others. Paul expressed his desire to be used as a channel of blessing in Philippians 1:20-21, "According to my earnest expectation and my hope, that in nothing I shall be ashamed, but that with all boldness, as always, so now also Christ shall be magnified in my body, whether it be by life, or by death. For to me to live is Christ, and to die is gain." The song "Make Me A Channel Of Blessing" conveys the lesson that the servant of the LORD can be the useful instrument, the channel of blessing, from God to those in need. Consider the first stanza, "Is your life a channel of blessing? Is the love of God flowing through you? Are you telling the lost of the Savior? Are you ready his service to do?" Paul wrote by inspiration to the church at Corinth, the church that did not always appreciate his leadership. "And I will very gladly spend and be spent for you; though the more abundantly I love you, the less I be loved" (2 Corinthians 12:15). This is Paul's way of saying, "I will lay everything, even my life, on God's altar for you." Your life can be a channel of blessing if you will take up your cross and follow Jesus daily (Luke 9:23-24). If you follow the selfish, fleshly path, your life can also be a stumbling block (I Corinthians 8:9). Let us every day make that effort to bless someone else as God has blessed us. You will reap what you sow in life. Gal. 6. What are you sowing in your life? DAN