

Good morning and welcome to services! The last week has turned out differently than we planned, but our family appreciates all of your prayers, calls, cards and food. Alison and Lily are feeling much better after testing positive for COVID and are glad to be over it! We are so sorry that COVID kept us from going to camp, but we are glad we didn't spread the virus there. We are now easing back into our summer calendar and are so excited to head to Whitehouse this week for Summer Youth Series! This week's topic in our Inside Out series is "Trust" and we look forward a wonderful lesson, singing and fellowship. We will meet at the building at 5:15 to head that way. Have a great week! DOUG

"Behold, God is my helper; the Lord is the upholder of my life."

Psalm 54:4 ESV

### Walking Out

"I hope you didn't take it personally, Preacher." an embarrassed woman said after a church service.

- "when my husband walked out during your sermon."
- "I did find it rather disconcerting," the preacher replied.
- "It's not a reflection on you, sir," insisted the church goer.
- "Ralph has been walking in his sleep ever since he was a child."

What's the difference between a hunter and a fisherman? A hunter lies in wait. A fisherman waits and lies.

## **Only One Addiction**

People are addicted to many things, alcohol, drugs (legal & illegal), nicotine, gambling, food, pornography, etc. All of these things can ruin your life. Look what Peter says, "promising them freedom while they themselves are slaves of corruption; for by what a man is overcome, by this he slaved." (2 Peter 2:19). So the goal of the Christian is not to be overcome or enslaved to anything. This is a principle that not only Peter taught, but the apostle Paul said, "...I will not be mastered by anything" (I Cor. 6:12b). But the big problem is that the alcoholic will not admit that alcohol controls him. We must continue to examine our own lives - that we have but one who has overcome us, only one who has enslaved us by His goodness - that is, Christ. May the love and goodness of Christ overcome you always, and happily I will be enslaved to Him who loves me so. **SELECTED** 

> July 10, 2022 **Door Greeters Security Team Communion Preparation July 10, 2022 C.T and Hailey Brooks**

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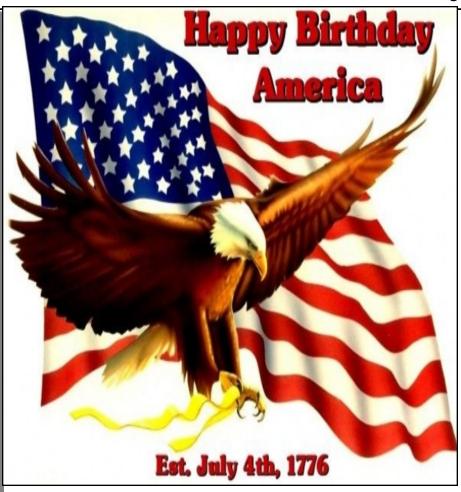
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Sun: 9:30 AM Class 10:30 AM Worship 6:00 PM Evening Wed: 7:00 PM



May God continue to bless our great country. Please join us this evening for watermelon following the evening worship

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# HAPPY BIRTHDAY AMERICA. WATERMELON FOLLOWING THE EVENING SERVICE. PLAN TO JOIN US.



## From Dan's desk:

It appears that Covid 19 has raised its head again. We have had several in the city and a few in the church recently diagnosed with Covid. The trip to the youth Christian Camp at Harding University had to be cancelled because of illness. The young people will be going to Camp Read Oak Springs near Jasper, Texas next month. Please remember the Watermelon Supper tonight after services. We always have a great time and we hope you will want to join us for services and for watermelon. Tomorrow our nation will celebrate our independence. I am so grateful for the Supreme court having the courage to stand up and do what was right in God's sight. Think of all the countless lives that will be saved as a result of this decision regarding abortion. I am happy to see many people returning back to God. The future of our country is dependent on Godly mothers and fathers who guide their children in ways that are right and honorable. We are so glad you have joined us in worship this morning and if you are visiting with us, please stay for a few minutes and allow us to make you welcome. See you tonight. Continue to pray for our country and the leaders on America. DAN

PLEASE TURN OFF ALL CELL PHONES



## TO KEEP IN OUR PRAYERS

AUDREY MANUEL is recovering from Covid-19. She is at home.

DEBBIE WARREN is recovering at home from colon surgery in Tyler at U.T.

KIM HAWKINS, The Hawkins daughter-in-law is recovering at her home from a heart procedure last week.

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THE RADERS have had Covid at home.

All others who have been ill are improving.

## **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.

**Keep smiling, God loves you and we do to.** 

## "Braving Storms"

The story is told of a giant tree in Colorado, which fell to the ground after having stood majestically on a hill for over 400 years. A mere sapling when Columbus landed in San Salvador over the centuries it had been struck by lightning 14 times, braved great wind storms, and even defied an earthquake. In the end, however, it was killed by some little beetles. Boring under the bark, they chewed away its mighty fibers until one day that lordly king of the forest came thundering down. So, too, apparently insignificant things often make substantial inroads into our spiritual lives, and if left unchecked may cause our downfall. The idle word spoken, the prayer time omitted, and the occasional fleshly pleasure indulgences these things "spoil" the vineyard much more than we realize. If Satan gets an entering wedge on inconsistency, the leverage he then has is unstoppable.

## **July 3, 2022**

### **PLEASE CONTINUE TO REMEMBER IN PRAYER**

Clayton Steen, son of Charles and Betty Steen has liver cancer. Pray for him.

Audrey Manuel has had Covid-19 over the last several days. She is doing better.

Mark Lambert had has been undergoing tests on his neck this last week.

Oleta Lambert (mother of Mark Lambert) of Mabank passed away this last week.

Myrtice Cobb (mother of Lisa Lambert) passed away and funeral set for July 9th.

Levi Satterwhite fell and broke his arm and is recovering from surgery

Sam Ellis has prostate cancer and will begin treatment soon.

Meredith and Meltha Adam's, aunt and uncle of Scott Roberson are seriously ill in South Carolina.

Debbie Warren is recovering from surgery at her home. She is doing better.

Daniel York has cancer and has asked for prayer. (friend of Mary and Bob Stech)

Sharon Holmes friend of several in the church here has cancer and needs prayers

Jerry Thornton of Canton, is undergoing additional cancer treatment for cancer.

Cody McAdams (23 years old and friend of Mike Whitely) suffered a heart attack and has asked for the prayers of the church.

Gerri Peeples, (mother of Sheryl McLen) has dementia and has asked for our prayers.

Deborah Hagemeier has cancer and asked for our prayers.

John Mottern has health issues at his home.

Pat Gillyard mother-in-law of Arnold Shellenbarger is recovering from surgery and requests prayer.

Sharon Grizzle (friend of many) has cancer and is recovering from surgical procedure and asked for our prayers.

Kim Hawkins (daughter-in-law of the Hawkins) is improving at her home in Okla.

Tamam Al Ali (friend of William Hawkins) health issues

Bryce Stewart (former member) is improving and still request our prayers.

Kenneth Holland is still having breathing issues.

## Remember those in nursing homes and the homebound in your prayers.

Courtney Bell, Odessa Boyette, Patsy Bush, Mary Ann Colling, Ruth Cox, Charles Young, Blackie Foreman, Jerry Graham, Sue Grubbs, Gerry Hahn, Bobby Johnson, Miki Kiser, Jessie Kraus, George Lester, Lanova Mitchell, David Mitchell, John Mottern, Irma Ray, Martha Sims, Marlene Thompson, Gary and Emalie Tuschoff, Charlie Young, Loretta Young.

**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