

Teen News

Good morning and welcome to services! We are so glad you are here today. We are gearing up for our spaghetti supper next week. It's such a fun evening and we hope you will join us in preparing and serving the meal. We will be having a Lads to Leaders kickoff party on Sunday, September 18th. It should be a great convention year!

Be sure to get a September calendar for upcoming fall events! DOUG

"The Lord is not slack concerning His promise, as some count slackness, but is longsuffering toward us, not willing that any should perish but that all should come to repentance."

II Peter 3:9

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 IN SEPTEMBER 2022

A.M. Opening

4 Kyle Lock
11 Henry Baker
18 Jack Thomason
25 Clint Satterwhite

A.M. Closing

Steve Camp
Doug Sumrall
Clint Elis
Charles Steen

P.M. Opening

4 R.D. Prince
11 Dwight Franklin
18 Dan Hughes
25 Paul Lewis

P.M. Closing

Don Smith
Doug Rader
Cory Camp
Steve Camp

Serve Communion

Tom Watson	Sam Ellis
Bill Hawkins	Gary Missildine
Brandon Franklin	David Akins
Daniel Dominguez	Andy Link

Prepare Communion

September

4 Dee & Tiffany Bell
11 Wayne & Carol Ann Cartwright
18 Rick & Donna Giles
25 Brandon & Holly Franklin
If you cannot serve please call the church office. 903-723-6291

Sept. 4th, 2022

Door Greeters

Security Team

Communion Preparation

Dee and Tiffany Bell

Gospel Worker

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MINISTERS

Dan D. Manuel
Pulpit Minister
Doug Rader
Youth Minister

ELDERS

Dwight Franklin
Dan D. Manuel
Dale Sparks

DEACONS

Henry Baker
Steve Camp
Kyle Lock
R.D. Prince
Doug Rader

SECRETARIES

Chloe Collins
Eva Walker

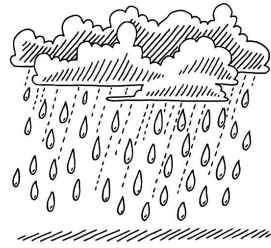
MISSIONS

Brown Trail School of Preaching, Bedford, TX
Jose Cuadras—Mexico
Hershel Bearden—India
Steve Handley—Prison Min.
Central TX Children's Home—Buda, TX
Tipton Children's Home
Tipton, OK
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FOX 29 KSVP
Lake Charles, La
ABC 10 KTEN
Sherman-Tx
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"ARISE AND BE BAPTIZED"

Many people who believe in Christ and are sorry for their sins, put off being baptized, even though they know it is a command of the Lord. In the book of Acts, which contains many examples of conversion, people were baptized immediately, as soon as they believed in Jesus. They did this because they knew that baptism is for the forgiveness of sins (Acts 2:38) and to become a member of the body of Christ: "For by one Spirit we were all baptized into one body" (1 Corinthians 12:13). If you believe that Jesus is the Son of God and if you want to dedicate your life to God and be saved, "Why are you waiting?" *"Arise and be baptized!"* The word "baptize" is a transliteration of the Greek word "BAPTIDZO" which means to immerse or dip. Bible baptism is an immersion in water. Churches that sprinkle or pour a little water on people are not following the Bible. What they do is not baptism, it is not immersion. In reality they do not baptize people at all. Someone who has only received "sprinkling" or "pouring" has not obeyed the command to be "baptized". The substance, water, has no magic power to wash away sins. In the act of baptism however is where we reach the blood of Jesus. Rom. 6. Baptism is not a meritorious work, but a gift of God that we receive, a "washing of regeneration" that cleanses us and saves us by the blood of Christ: "And now why are you waiting? Arise and be baptized, and wash away your sins, calling on the name of the Lord!" Amen DAN

The rainfall a beautiful blessing from God!



From Dan's desk:

Several visitors were among those in worship last Sunday. It is always great to have people visiting our services. It was great to see EVA WALKER doing so well from her recent hip surgery and to have her in attendance. She is doing great and we thank God for her recovery. CHARLES STEEN is also improving every day from his recent hip surgery also. We will have several on the sick list who have asked for our prayers. Some with Covid and other illnesses. If you are visiting our services this morning we are glad you are here. If you are interested in learning more about our God and the Church that He established, please see us after worship today. We would be happy to study with you about the Lord. The wonderful rain this last week has been a tremendous blessing. The God of heaven always knows when to send it our way. The providential care of the Almighty is without question. Thanks to those who met for the Children's Bible Hour meeting last Sunday afternoon. We are thankful for those who continue to promote this program for the children in the church. Much good always results from this program. We hope to see you tonight at the worship service at 6 p.m. May God continue to bless us all.

DAN

PLEASE TURN OFF ALL CELL PHONES



**TO KEEP
IN OUR PRAYERS**

**CHARLES STEEN continues to convalesce at home from his recent hip surgery
GEORGE WOODEN is recovering from hand surgery this last week.**

All others who have been mentioned as of late are listed on the prayer list that is available in the foyer. Please get a copy.

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.

In a recent survey, what did Americans reveal was their favorite smell?

Answer in Bulletin.

Search for it.

Where Could I Go But To God

The Bible tells us to be aware of becoming weary and quitting the Christian faith or becoming unfruitful in our lives. The Lord commended the church at Ephesus for their labor for the gospel, perseverance, patience and not becoming weary. "To the angel of the church of Ephesus write, 'These things says He who holds the seven stars in His right hand, who walks in the midst of the seven golden lampstands: 2 'I know your works, your labor, your patience, and that you cannot bear those who are evil. And you have tested those who say they are apostles and are not, and have found them liars; 3 and you have persevered and have patience, and have labored for My name's sake and have not become weary' (Rev 2:1-3) What does the Bible say we should do when we feel wearied and discouraged? First, we should consider the perseverance of Jesus as He was faced with a hostile mob of sinners who succeeded in having Him crucified even though the governor Pontius Pilate declared that Jesus was not guilty of any of the charges made against Him. The Bible says in Heb 12:3-4: "For consider Him who endured such hostility from sinners against Himself, lest you become weary and discouraged in your souls. 4 You have not yet resisted to bloodshed, striving against sin." Secondly, We should pray for God to strengthen us. Luke 18:1 Jesus said, Men ought always pray and faint not". Thirdly, we should persevere because in due season we shall reap if we faint not. Gal 6:7-9: "Do not be deceived, God is not mocked; for whatever a man sows, that he will also reap. 8 For he who sows to his flesh will of the flesh reap corruption, but he who sows to the Spirit will of the Spirit reap everlasting life. 9 And let us not grow weary while doing good, for in due season we shall reap if we do not lose heart." We must understand that our present sufferings are nothing compared with the "far more exceeding and eternal weight of glory" - 2 Cor 4:16-18: "Therefore we do not lose heart. Even though our outward man is perishing, yet the inward man is being renewed day by day. 17 For our light affliction, which is but for a moment, is working for us a far more exceeding and eternal weight of glory, 18 while we do not look at the things which are seen, but at the things which are not seen. For the things which are seen are temporary, but the things which are not seen are eternal ". Remember, the Apostle Peter said to "take you burdens to the Lord for He careth for you". Think of the old hymn, "Where Could I Go But To The Lord". Don't Quit!
DAN

August 28, 2022

PLEASE CONTINUE TO REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Ranette Vargas, sister of Roseann Carthen, is awaiting radiation therapy for cancer. She is recovering from surgery in Loving Tx.

Eva Walker is recovering from Hip replacement surgery. She is in Athens.

Charles Steen had hip replacement surgery and is recovering at his home.

George Wooden is recovering from hand surgery this last week.

Randy Foreman has been in the hospital this last week undergoing tests and treatment.

Sam Ellis has prostate cancer and has started treatment.

Ralph Wilcher, Gerald Wilcher's brother is recovering from a punctured lung. He also has a mass on his kidney and undergoing tests.

Robert James, son of Linda Wilson is undergoing tests for prostate cancer.

Vernell Johnson's 4 year old daughter, Victoria is having open heart surgery soon. He is a friend of Clint Satterwhite.

Jamie Flores, niece of Ann Sparks is having health issues and requests our prayers.

Rosanna May's mother died last week. Our prayers go out to the family.

Kimmie Sims husband died this last week and she requests our prayers.

Meltha Adam's, aunt of Scott Roberson is seriously ill in South Carolina.

James Moore, son of Peggy Young is in serious condition in San Antonio following a heart attack and pancreas surgery

Vonda Simmons, cousin of Lue Gannon has serious health issues.

Clayton Steen, son of Charles and Betty is cancer free but still has some health issues.

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

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

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, Blackie Foreman, Jerry Graham, Sue Grubbs, Gerry Hahn, Bobby Johnson, Miki Kiser, Jessie Kraus, George Lester, Lanova Mitchell, David Mitchell, John Mottern, Lorelee Reeder, Irma Ray, Martha Sims, Marlene Thompson, Gary and Emalie Tuschoff, Charlie Young and 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