

Welcome everyone to our services this morning. We are so glad you are here and we pray you benefited from our Bible classes this morning. We will have a devotional this evening following our evening service. All youth fifth grade and up are welcome to stay. Pizza will be served so we hope you will stay for the fellowship. Have a great week at school and we will see you Wednesday night! DOUG

"Come to Me, all you who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take My yoke upon you and learn from Me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls."

Matthew 11:28-29



CHILDREN'S
BIBLE HOUR
will meet Sunday
At 6 P.M.

## **Running To Church**

A little girl, dressed in her Sunday best, was running as fast as she could, trying not to be late for Bible class. As she ran she prayed, 'Dear Lord, please don't let me be late! Dear Lord, please don't let me be late!'

While she was running and praying, she tripped on a curb and fell, getting her clothes dirty and tearing her dress. She got up, brushed herself off, and started running again!

As she ran she once again began to pray, 'Dear Lord, please don't let me be late...But please don't shove me either!'

#### **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.

**DOOR GREETERS** 

Sunday Sept. 20, 2020 Security Team <u>PREPARATION</u> Sunday Sept. 20, 2020

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

## "A BIBLE CLASS COULD MAKE A BIG DIFFERENCE YOUR CHILDREN'S SPIRITUAL CONDITION"

One 40 minute Bible study class each week at church or two if they attend Wednesday evening Bible study does not give our children enough spiritual food to fight off the world's influence they receive at school, TV, etc. Our children spend 30 hours per week in public school preparing for life in this world, but less than 2 hours per week in trying to prepare for eternity. Which is the most important? We become upset if our children make bad grades on their report cards, but it doesn't seem to bother us if they fail to study their Bible class lessons. We closely watch their scholastic and athletic progress, but what about their spiritual progress? We have become passive about allowing our children to grow up without a soul saving knowledge of the Bible. We need to know that the greatest thing we can do for our children is to instill in them a lasting faith in God and the Bible so they can be eternally saved. There is nothing greater we can do for our children.

We should help our children with their school subjects at home, but studying the Bible with them is of much greater importance than their school subjects. Why do children fall away and become lost when they leave home? God's word says, "My people are destroyed for a lack of knowledge" (Hosea 4:6). If our children are lacking in a knowledge of God's word they will most likely be eternally lost in hell. If they are lost, we as parents will have to give an account to God for our failure to teach them (Romans 14:12).

Bible study with our children will increase their faith in God, because "faith comes by hearing and hearing by the word of God" (Romans 10:17). God's inspired word says, "Train up a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not depart from it" (Proverbs 22:6). It is the difference between LOST or SAVED.

DAN

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# It was great to reassemble last Lord's Day. Thanks for being here today! Children's Bible Hour Tonight.





## From Dan's desk:

God bless you for being with us today. Wasn't it great to be together last Lord's day after the suspension of worship services for a period of two weeks. Everyone is doing well and all is good. We thank all of you for following the guidelines for safety. Following these guidelines will help prevent others from getting ill. In spite of the holiday weekend and those who have been out we had 155 present for the morning worship service. That is great. Promotion in Bible classes took place and the good Lord continues to bless our congregation. My thanks to Ben Rhone and Dwight for always being willing to step in when needed to fill the pulpit. My tests were all good and I am grateful. Both these men have a servants heart and I applaud their spirit. God bless you both. Remember that Children's Bible Hour will resume tonight at the 6 o'clock hour. We hope that all of the parents and grandparents will make sure that your children are present for these lessons that will be presented. We will be practicing social distancing in the chapel and will be making every effort to keep your children safe. We are grateful for Clint and Jonna as well as others who are working in this program each week. Our special thanks to the men who met last Monday morning to help distribute the produce boxes to members of the congregation. We appreciate getting them and they have sincerely been a blessing. In the future we will keep you abreast of other distributions for food items, milk, dairy boxes, etc. The month of September is moving right along. I know you are thankful for the cooler weather over the last several days and the promise of additional cooler temperatures in the coming week. Autumn is around the corner, and about another week, it will officially arrive. Better days yet to come. We hope to see you at the service tonight. Make the special effort to be here at 6 P.M. DAN

### **PLEASE TURN OFF ALL CELL PHONES**





**BETH FREEMAN** got good results from her lung biopsy.

LORI HOWLAND, mother of Tiffany Bell is recovering from a stroke and undergoing therapy

ADALINE HENDRIX, four month grand-daughter of Billy and Sonja Rose is awaiting a liver transplant. She is on life support.

HANNAH GLENN is back in Texas Children's Hospital for chemo. She has been very ill again. She is in Dallas, Texas.

WANDA BEIL fell and broke her arm and had surgery in Tyler this last week on Tuesday.

Others who have been ill are improved. Remember that we have a prayer list available in the foyer with updates each week.

#### **OUR HEARTFELT SYMPATHY**

Our sympathy is extended to the family and friends of DEANNA CHAPMAN who passed away this week. Her memorial service was held yesterday at the church building with interment in Sulphur Springs, Texas

"I couldn't decide between going to church and going to the football game. So I tossed a coin," said Bobby. "But that shouldn't have taken too long." said the friend. "Well, I had to toss it 35 times."

## The Circle of

## **Giving**

In all life we see this circle of giving, which is the law of love. Consider electricity: when electricity moves through metal wires it does so by the movement of electrons from one atom to another. They flow in what we call a current, but they can only do so if the current forms a complete circle, which we call a circuit. When you flip the switch to turn on a light, you have "closed" the electrical circuit, thus forming a complete "circle" allowing the electrons to flow and the light to come on. Conversely, when you flip the switch to turn off the light, you break the circle, and the electrons cannot flow. It is only when the circles (circuits) are complete that electricity flows. This is how nature was built to operate. The law of love is the design template for all God's creation because all life flows from him and God is love.

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## **Sept. 20th, 2020**

#### PLEASE CONTINUE TO REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Beth Freeman-Test and Lung Biopsy results were good Linda Lippold, still undergoing tests and doing better. Adeline Hendrix granddaughter of Billy & Sonja Rose- awaiting liver transplant on life support. **Gary Missildine- Lung issues** Gerald Wilcher, kidney disease & COPD

Larry Finley in death of his brother Jim Finley Carol Bolt (sister of Harold Johnson) Lung and Brain Cancer

Kenneth Holland, COPD

Ebony Campbell friend of Marlene Thompson was in auto accident seriously injured

**Ruby Merritt Moved to Trucare– health issues** 

Lori Howland- mother of Tiffany Bell- recovering from a stroke

Leonita Wimberly (aunt of Cheryl Ellis) cancer

Hannah Glenn, is undergoing Leukemia chemo treatments in Dallas

Elizabeth Attaway (Beth Freeman's daughter-in-law) cancer

Howard & Maurine Ellis (father & mother of Sam Ellis) Howard-fell & broke several ribs, Maurine-gallbladder surgery

Scott Hilliard (cousin of Dwight Franklin) cancer

Wesley Wellborn (brother-in-law of Kyle Lock) cancer

Please remember those in nursing homes and the homebound in your prayers. They need our prayers. Millie Baur, Billie Bedford, Courtney Bell, Odessa Boyette, Ruth Cox, Blackie Foreman, Jerry Graham, Sue Grubbs, Gerry Hahn, Bobby Johnson, Miki Kyser, Jessie Kraus, George Lester, James and Irma Ray, Margaret Richardson, and Marlene Thompson.

**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