

Teen News

We will have a sandwich supper tonight to recognize all of those who went to L.T.C. with us last week. We will not have a devotional tonight after worship due to the fellowship supper. Hope to see all of you tonight.

Blake

• BIBLE TRIVIA GAME

What was the first recorded miracle done by Peter in the name of Jesus? (Acts 3:6)

- 1. healed a blind man
- 2. healed a lame man
- 3. cast out a demon
- 4. cured a leper

About what time of day did the Holy Spirit first appear? (Acts 2:15)

- 1. dawn
- 2. late afternoon
- 3. noon
- 4. midmorning

How many were gathered with the disciples after the ascension of Jesus (Acts 1:15)

- 1. 100
- 2. 50
- 3. 70
- 4. 120

ANSWERING MACHINE MESSAGES

Hi! Tom's answering machine is broken. This is his refrigerator. Please speak very slowly and I'll stick your message to myself with one of these magnets.

Hi. I'm probably home. I'm just avoiding someone I don't like. Leave me a message and, if I don't call you back, it's you.

Hi. This is John. If you are the phone company, I already sent the money. If you are my parents, please send money. If you are my financial institution, you didn't lend me enough money. If you are my friends, you owe me money. If you are a female, don't worry – I have plenty of money.

Please leave a message. However, you have the right to remain silent. Everything you say will be recorded and used by us.

Our sympathy is extended to Mickey & Patti Boles in the death of Mickey's father, MICKEY L. BOLES. He passed away last week and the services were last Friday in Edmond, OK.

DOOR GREETERS April 22

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ASSEMBLY TIMES

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

What Is Hell Like?

By Ron Boatwright

People very seldom consider what it will be like to be lost in Hell. Jesus taught more on Hell than He did on any other subject. Hell is something Satan would like for us to forget about. Satan would like for us to reason Hell out of existence. Death is not the supreme tragedy because there is life after death. Everyone will continue to live either in Heaven or Hell after this life is over. But to stand before the Lord in judgment and to hear Him say, "Depart from Me, you cursed, into everlasting fire prepared for the Devil and his angels" (Matthew 25:41) will be the supreme tragedy. The tragedy of tragedies is a person lost in Hell.

Hell is a terrible place. There is no way to describe how dreadful it is. It is beyond our comprehension. There is no way our human minds can ever begin to imagine how horrible Hell will be. We read in Revelation 20:10,15 that those who are lost in Hell will be "Cast into the lake of fire and brimstone...and they will be tormented day and night forever and ever." Also we read, "And the smoke of their torment ascends up forever and ever and they shall have no rest day or night" (Revelation 14:11). Have you ever burned the tip of your finger? Remember the excruciating pain. Try to imagine what it would be like to be burning over every square inch of your body. Try to imagine you are also burning all on the inside and even your soul is eternally on fire, always burning, but never consumed. You are screaming and pleading for just one drop of water on the tip of your tongue. This goes on forever and ever. In Hell there will be no relief. Hell is a place where there is no hope. Hell is a hopeless and a helpless place.

Hell is permanent. It would be bearable if you knew that in a billion years it would end. But after one has been in Hell a billion years, Hell will have just begun. There is no way out of the place. There is no appeal to a higher court. It will never end. Hell is eternal and everlasting. Our Lord says in Matthew 25:46, "And these shall go away into everlasting punishment, but the righteous into eternal life". Everlasting punishment will last as long as eternal life in Heaven. Hell is ugly and horrible. Heaven is wonderful and beautiful. What Heaven is on one hand, Hell is the direct opposite.

Everyone in Hell will be constantly screaming and begging for mercy, but there will be none. Jesus says those who are lost "will be cast out into outer darkness: there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth" (Matthew 8:12). With all of the weeping, screaming, wailing, and gnashing of teeth, there will be no hope that the continued pain and suffering will ever end. In Mark 9:47-48 Jesus says the lost will be, "Cast into Hell fire, where their worm does not die, and the fire is not quenched". The fires of Hell will never go out. Now is the time to make a change in your life, before it's too late!



**GOOD MORNING
BRETHREN**
We are glad you are here today.
Greet Our Visitors



From Dan's desk:

The Easter rush is over. It was good to see so many in worship Sunday. I know that many come to worship God only once a year and feel that it is sufficient. How tragic. They miss the blessing of God when they do not attend regularly. It is good to see you this morning. We are glad to have you in worship this morning. If you have come as visitors, we are truly thankful that you are among us. We hope and trust that the service this morning will be helpful to you and that you will join us again for such services. The rain has been a welcome sight. Last Sunday night, during worship services it really rained. It has rained several days this last week and what a difference a year makes. The horrible drought we experienced makes us appreciate the rain even more. Several of our congregation remain ill and in the hospital at the time of this writing. We want to remember them, as well as those with ongoing illnesses in our prayers. Some have come home from the hospital, while others remain in rehab for additional treatment. Let's continue to do for these folks what we can and do our best to make them feel loved. If you are able to be present this morning, you are blessed. I hope you do not take this one blessing for granted. We hope you will want to be here tonight at 6 P.M. Following the evening service we will have a sandwich supper and recognize our young people who went to L.T.C. Please plan to be present. DAN

PLEASE TURN OFF ALL CELL PHONES



**TO KEEP
IN OUR PRAYERS**

**PLEASE REMEMBER THESE IN
YOUR PRAYERS:**

SANDRA IVES remains in East Texas Medical Center, Room # 5804.

GARY OLIVER and Martha returned home from Baylor today.

TED MISSILDINE is feeling very bad. He is at home.

BOBBIE HOUSE, sister of Lois King, was in Houston undergoing cancer treatments last week.

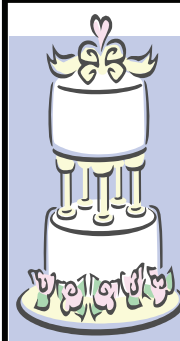
CLINT ELLIS has been undergoing treatment for his kidney

CHECK THE TABLE IN THE FOYER FOR THE NAMES OF THE MEMBERS AND THEIR FAMILY WITH CONTINUING HEALTH PROBLEMS.

REMEMBER THE SERVICEMEN!

Blaine Kline, David Sims, Dustin Delsi, Jim Griffith, III, Tyler Griffith, & Joseph Griffith.

Tonight immediately after evening worship we will honor our youth who went to L.T.C. with a sandwich supper and present the awards they earned. Please make plans to attend. Please bring either sandwiches, chips, dips, or desserts.



RENEWAL OF VOWS

This Saturday, April 21st, at 4 PM, Jimmy & Linda Allen will renew their vows here at the building. If you will be attending the wedding and dinner afterward, please sign the sheet across from the office.

100 + YEARS OF FATHERHOOD

In 1900, fathers prayed their children would learn English.

Today, fathers pray their children will speak English.

In 1900, if a father put a roof over his family's head, he was a success.

Today, it takes a roof, deck, pool, and 4-car garage. And that's just the vacation home.

In 1900, a father waited for the doctor to tell him when the baby arrived.

Today, a father must wear a smock, know how to breathe, and make sure a new tape is in the video camera.

In 1900, fathers passed on clothing to their sons. Today, kids wouldn't touch Dad's clothes if they were sliding naked down an icicle.

In 1900, fathers could count on children to join the family business.

Today, fathers pray their kids will soon come home from college long enough to teach them how to work the computer and set the VCR.

In 1900, fathers shook their children gently and whispered, "Wake up, it's time for school."

Today, kids shake their fathers violently at 4 a.m., shouting: "Wake up, it's time for hockey practice!"

In 1900, a father gave a pencil box for Christmas, and the child was all smiles.

Today, a father spends \$800 at Toys 'R' Us, and the kid says, "But I wanted an X-box!"

In 1900, a father came home from work to find his wife and children at the supper table.

Today, a father comes home to a note: "Jimmy's at baseball, Cindy's at gymnastics, I'm at gym, Pizza in the fridge."