

NEWS+EVENTS

March 17, 2024

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March Verse: “He who did not spare His own Son but gave Him up for us all, how will He not also with Him graciously give us all things?” ~Romans 8:32.

Bible Reading Plans can be accessed on our website or the Welcome Desk.

Pray for the students and leaders that will be serving at Camp Barnabas this week cleaning the camp and doing projects to get it ready for the campers to come this summer. Pray for safety, their time together in the Word, for soft hearts, and relationships to grow deeper.

Reminder: Life Adult Luncheon (60 & up) March 17, Chapel/Café right after the worship service. Lance Humphreys will be sharing on the topic, “Investing For Life—Gospel for Family, Finances and Farthest!”

Spring Break is this week! NO regular Wednesday evening activities on March 20; however, orchestra will meet from 7:15-8:00pm.

Guys Night, March 24, 5-7pm! Join us on the lawn for fellowship around burgers & bacon and to be inspired by our speaker, Mike McGee (bring your lawn chair).

Life Adult “Cowboy Adventure” Waco, Texas, April 19-21

Adults 60+ visit our website to get more information on this upcoming adventure, which includes visiting Trail Ride Ranch and other venues in the area. Cost is \$200 per person; sign up at the Welcome Desk by Mar. 31.

RESURRECTION CELEBRATION WEEKEND!

***Good Friday Service:** Join us in the Worship Center on Friday, **March 29** at 7pm for a reflective worship service focusing on the crucifixion through song, teaching, and the observance of the Lord’s Supper. *Childcare is provided for birth through 4 years old.*

***Easter Sunday:** On **Sunday, March 31** the church body, family, and friends gather for brunch at 9am in Herndon Hall. Then, at 10:30am in the Worship Center, we will celebrate our Risen Lord through the singing and preaching of the Word. *No Sunday School or Adult Bible Fellowship on Sunday, March 31. Childcare for birth through 4 years old for the service.*

Quilting Ministry Need: This ministry meets Tuesday mornings at HBC and makes tied quilts to donate to the YWCA for women who have experienced domestic violence. We have openings for adult women to help. Please call Carol Marley (405-388-0545) for more information.



As a family of forgiven people, we are honored that you have joined with us today as we seek to develop people who delight in God and declare His glory—from our neighborhoods to the nations. Our prayer is that you will connect with God through Christ this morning and that this would be the beginning of a deep connection with other believers as well. Please take a moment to fill out the Communication Card located in the chair pocket near you and place it in an offering pedestal in the back of the Worship Center.

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Call To Worship
Pastoral Prayer

Jim Jackson
Family Pastor

Baptism
Davita Howell

Songs of Worship
O Worship The King
Bless The Lord O My Soul

Scripture Reading
Psalms 23

Songs of Worship
Yet Not I But Through
Christ In Me
Plant Your Word

Message
Marty Brown
Teaching Pastor

Prayer for
Barnabas Trip

Song of Response
Yet Not I But Through
Christ In Me

“Spiritual leadership is not won by promotion, but by prayers and tears. It is attained by much heart-searching and humbling before God; by self-surrender, a courageous sacrifice of every idol, a bold uncompromising, and uncomplaining embracing of the cross, and by an eternal, unfaltering looking unto Jesus crucified. This is a great price, but it must be unflinchingly paid by him who would be a real spiritual leader of men, a leader whose power is recognized and felt in heaven, on earth, and in hell.”

~Samuel Brengle

“The best way to identify potential elders is in the normal flow of church life. They are evident by their response to what’s being taught; by their willingness to serve; by the abundance of spiritual fruit in their lives; and by the many ways their giftedness is manifest in the church before they are ever singled out for leadership.”

~John MacArthur

“The truth is that, though we were justified by faith alone, the faith that justifies is never alone. It always produces fruit, good works... a transformed life.”

~J. I. Packer

“Here is a spiritual principle: We cannot exercise love unless we are experiencing grace. You cannot truly love others unless you are convinced that God’s love for you is unconditional, based solely on the merit of Christ, not on your performance. John said, ‘We love because He first loved us.’ Our love, either to God or to others, can only be a response to His love for us.”

~Jerry Bridges

Final Word on Leadership & Relationships
Titus 3:12-15

Big Truth of this Series: With the saints through the ages, we share a common faith in gospel doctrine that inspires gospel duty that adorns the gospel of God our Savior.

Big Truth of Today’s Message: Paul surrounded himself with and then sent out faithful men who would teach and care for the church. He encourages believers to do good works that are enabled by God’s grace.

“When I send Artemas or Tychicus to you, do your best to come to me at Nicopolis, for I have decided to spend the winter there. Do your best to speed Zenas the lawyer and Apollos on their way; see that they lack nothing.” (v. 12-13)

“And let our people learn to devote themselves to good works, so as to help cases of urgent need, and not be unfruitful.” (v. 14)

“All who are with me send greetings to you. Greet those who love us in the faith. Grace be with you all.” (v. 15)