



Birthdays

Harold Achiman 5/28

Anniversaries

Justin & Kacy Patterson 5/29
James & Sharon Cowger 5/29

May Assignments

Welcome/Prayer: Gary Patterson

Song Leader: Gene Hampton

Scripture Reading: Drew Brown
Luke 16:19 - 26

Lord's Supper Devotional – Carl Lucas

Lord's Table and Communion

Bread Prayer – Marion Farrell
Fruit of the Vine Prayer – Justin Patterson
Offering Prayer – Kerry Jones
Assisting with Communion – Jerry Cannon,
Quint Westfall, Klint Rodgers

Attendance Cards: Kyler Patterson
Luke Smith

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¹⁸ Then Jesus came to them and said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. ¹⁹ Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, ²⁰ and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely, I am with you always, to the very end of the age."

Matthew 28:18-20

TO:

Be sure to tune in to "Let the Bible Speak" Sundays 6:30 am on KTEN NBC 10 and 9:30 am KTEN ABC 9.

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TIME OF SERVICES

Bible Class: 9:30 am
Worship 10:30 am
Evening 6:00 pm
Wednesday 7:00 pm

Have You Made a Deal with God?

You've heard of people trying to "make a deal" with God, haven't you? Maybe you have been one of those people. "Lord, if you will _____, then I will _____." Those "deals" are usually designed for the good of the recipient, aren't they?

Would you ever try to "make a deal" with God for the good of someone else? In Psalm 71, the psalmist does exactly that. We will look specifically at verse 18 but get the feel for the entire psalm first. "In you, O Lord, I put my trust; Let me never be put to shame. Deliver me...cause me to escape...incline Your ear to me...save me...Be my strong refuge...save me...Deliver me...Do not cast me off...Do not forsake me...do not be far from me...make haste to help me...do not forsake me...revive me again...bring me up again...increase my greatness...comfort me on every side."

If you only read those expressions in the psalm, you could easily walk away thinking the psalmist was being very demanding, rather selfish and not very God-centered. But such a conclusion would miss the mark. The question to consider is, "Why? Why was the psalmist making these pleas to his God?" Let's consider the focus in verse 18, and then expand that to the rest of the psalm.

"Now also when I am old and gray-headed, O God, do not forsake me, Until I declare Your strength to this generation, your power to everyone who is to come" (71:18). The psalmist had a goal. He had a purpose. He had a strong desire to "declare" the strength and power of God to his present generation and to successive generations. He was striving to make a deal with God to "deliver" him, "save him" and "not forsake" him, so that he could fulfill his goal of telling others of God!

Look at the rest of the psalm in that light. "My praise shall be continually on You...Let my mouth be filled with Your praise and with Your glory all the day...I will hope continually, and will praise You yet more and more...My mouth shall tell of Your righteousness and Your salvation all the day, for I do not know their limits...I will make mention of Your righteousness, and of Yours only...I declare Your wondrous works...I will praise You and Your faithfulness...My lips shall greatly rejoice...and my soul which You have redeemed...My tongue also shall talk of Your righteousness all the day long."

Have you tried to "make a deal" with God lately? So often those deals are focused on the good of the recipient, but the "deal" that the psalmist was seeking to strike with God was not for his own good but the good of others and of the glory of God. Could you say (or would you say) to God, "Spare my life until I declare Your greatness to this generation and to the generation to come"? That...and that alone...is our purpose!

~David Sproule

Keep in your prayers.

Please keep **Joy Fowler** in your prayers as she finds out more about her cancer.
Marjorie Grady, Pat Jones' mother, has good days and bad days. She is back in Pilot Point.
Lila Beth Davis is home with Hospice.
Mary Nan Cannon's doctor said the biopsies were normal. Next step is a CT scan of abdomen.
Zoretta Smith is back at home.
Layton Hunter continues with his iron infusions.
Butch Johnson, Haley Ross' friend, was in an accident and is in ICU at Harris Methodist in Fort Worth.
Jimmy Garner, Terry & Ann Butler's friend, had a stroke and aneurysm. He is home now.
Donna Fallis, Marion Farrell's sister, has stage 4 cancer and it has spread to several organs.
Saundra Westfall is in the hospital and continues to need our prayers.
Gwenna Kimball, Klint Rodger's mother, is in the hospital with intestinal blockage.
Martha Vannoy was in the hospital in Ft Lauderdale. She saw her doctor on Friday and found out it was a heart attack.
Jill Moala, Linda Barnes' friend, lost her 22 yr. old son to suicide. She is asking for prayer as the family is having a hard time dealing with this tragedy.
Sylvia Goodman has requested prayers for her daughter-in-law's mother, who fell and broke her shoulder. She is 99 and is not a good candidate for surgery.
Tyrena Jones, Kerry Jones' mother, grows weaker each day. Pray for her and her family.

Those to continue to remember in prayer.

Darrin Ross Lewis	Lisa Spoon	Loretta Sills
Steve Butler	Michael Keith	Mary Nan Cannon
Kim Rumley	Kadance Rumley	Curtis Walker
Floyce Hunter	Melba Welch	Tammy Sides
Runez Pruitt	Beckett Way Higgs	Benny Hessell
Doris Sides	Billy Don Smith	Lila Beth Davis
Ruby Atkins	Patty Hampton	Chris Price
Charla Lawson	Margorie Grady	Don Swindle
Larry Bice	Martha Flowers	Karen Westfall
Adell Thomson	Braden Rubey	Zoretta Smith
Beryl Mackey	Saundra Westfall	Wilma Tutt
Shirley Walker	Juvean Snell	Charles Snell
Dorothy Jones	Wanda Hackney	Tyrena Jones
Doug Davenport	Eddie Baker	Teresa Davenport
Tony Way	Mark Landers	Dorothy Pawalowski
Johnny Denbow	Don Swindle	Vicki Farrell
Barbara Taylor	Tony Way	Andy Grady
Sylvia Goodman	Chase Reed	Stephanie McWilliams
Darin Graham	Kevin Hampton	

Bible Class Opportunities

9:30 am Sunday Adult
 Auditorium / Harold Achimon
9:30 am Sunday Young Adults with children in school Fellowship Hall / David Davenport
9:30 am various Bible classes throughout the building for all ages.
10:30 am Worship in Auditorium and on Facebook
6:00 pm Worship in the Auditorium and on Facebook
6:00 pm Worship in Fellowship Hall for 3rd -12th-grade students.
7:00 am Tuesday Men's Bible Class
7:00 am Men's breakfast and Bible class will meet on the first Tuesday of every month.
10:00 am Wednesday Ladies Bible Class
7:00 pm Wednesday Bible study for all ages.

**If any of our senior members need help with maintenance around the house, please contact Jerry or Mary Nan Cannon.

June 2nd at 2 pm.
 We will have a Wedding Shower for Cameron and Nikoha Hampton. The couple is registered at Amazon. If you are interested in helping, see Bonnie Patterson, Tammy Sides, Raea Davenport, Cory Jones, or Laurie Davenport.

 We donated \$5379 towards the tornado victims in Sulphur, OK. The check was sent to the Vinita church of Christ.

Long-Term/Rehab

Tyrena Jones is in the memory unit in the Cedar Ridge Rehab Center in Pilot Point.
Wanda Hackney is in Meadowbrook Care Center in Van Alstyne.
Wilma Tutt is in Eagle Ridge Alzheimer Care, 2505 Brinker Rd., Room 104, Denton, TX 76208
Larry Bice is in Just Like Home 6313 Old Sherman Rd., Room 203 in Whitesboro.

Deaths

J.D. Pruitt passed away May 17th. The services were Wednesday May 22nd, at Crawford A. Crim Funeral Home in Henderson, TX. Our condolences go to the family.

MILITARY

J. R. Lance	Zack Turpen
Hunter Brewer	Brock Murray
Chad Lorenz	Christopher Carney
Seth Rodriguez	Matt Upton



May 26th – Youth Devo has been cancelled due to the holidays and rescheduled for another date. Details to follow.
May 27th – Memorial Day
June 2nd – 2:00 pm We will be having a Wedding Shower for Cameron Hampton and Nikoha Derrick. The couple is registered at Amazon.
June 5th – 11:00 am Summer Lunch Bunch will meet at the church before going to Colleen Netterville's home for lunch. Can bring a dessert.
June 12th – 6:00 pm We begin our summer series on Wednesday nights featuring "Homebuilders Summer Bonanza". A meal will be provided between 6 pm and 7 pm.
June 25th – 27th Vacation Bible School. 6 pm – 8:30 pm.
July 13th – 9:00 am N. Union St. church of Christ Whitesboro VBS from 9 am – 2 pm

Branson Trip 2024

Dates: September 24th – 27th. Look for registration forms on the back table of church. Will need to complete registration form and turn into Bonnie Patterson along with your \$50 by June 2nd.

Lauren Alesso, daughter of Steve and Angela Butler, is moving to Ames, Iowa to start Fashion Design School at Iowa State University. You are invited on Saturday June 1st from 2 pm – 4 pm to come send her off as she begins her new adventure. At the home of Terry and Ann Butler in Lake Kiowa.

Vital Statistics

Sunday Morning Bible Class90
Sunday Morning Assembly.....163
Sunday Morning Online Viewership.....131
Sunday Evening Assembly.....103
Sunday Evening Online Viewership.....194
Men's Bible Class.....12
Ladies Bible Class17
Wednesday Evening Assembly.....69
Wednesday Evening Online Viewership.....99
Weekly Budget..... \$5,750
Contribution Last Sunday.....\$5970

~ Know Your Bible ~

Last week's question... What is the origin of the phrase "spoiling the Egyptians"? From the Israelites borrowing of jewels and raiment from them as they left Egypt – slight wages for their long slavery; Exodus 12:35,36.

This week's question.... What does James call "the royal law"?

Acts 2:38

Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit,

Thank you for the recipes we have received for the cookbook. We are still needing more to fill it up. You can give a copy to Patty Hampton or Patty Roberts or email it to collinsvillecofc@gmail.com so we can add it in.

Hello, My name is Kristy Parrott and I'll be taking over Patty Roberts position as the church secretary. If by any chance you need to reach me, you can call my cell 504-444-5118 or email collinsvillecofc@gmail.com.

Sunday Sermon Titles

Sunday AM: "Answer Your Calling"
Philemon 1

Sunday PM: "Prayers and Conditions"
Genesis 28:20 - 22