



JUNE EVENTS

- June 6th @ 12:15 pm
Wedding Shower for
Carissa Dodd & Marc
Cazares
- June 6th @ 5:00 pm
Deacon's Meeting
- June 6th @ 6:00 pm
CYC Performance &
Fellowship
- June 12th @ 8:00 am
Men's Breakfast
- June 13th @ 5:30 pm
VBS Meeting
- June 13th @ 7:15 pm
Business Meeting
- June 16-19
Love Week
- June 20th
No Evening Services
- June 27th @ 6:00 pm
Church Picnic in Mor-
gan's Point
- June 28th-July 2nd
Youth Camp

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June Newsletter

Dear Church Family . . .

I do not know about you, but sometimes I really feel discouraged and beat up by things I experience in my life. There are times I just want to throw up my hands and be done. Life is often difficult no matter our status, position, age, income level, the color of our skin, or any number of other factors. It is common to mankind to be discouraged and frustrated by many things.

We see discouragement in the pages of Scripture. Even our heroes have weak moments. Even great men like Moses and Elijah had terrible Spiritual failures in trusting God through discouraging circumstances. Certainly among the twelve apostles was some amount of discouragement at times, especially when Jesus had been killed and before He rose again when they thought it might all be over.

One of the most intriguing accounts in Scripture always to me comes from the Book of Acts. Paul and Silas were locked up in jail in Philippi. They were not discouraged however, they were rather singing and bearing tremendous positive witness for Christ to their fellow prisoners and the guards. Acts 28 tells of how Paul taught about the kingdom to all who would listen while being under house arrest for two years in Rome. Paul could have been discouraged, but he seems to always go back to his testimony of encountering Jesus. That encounter was the pivot point of his life. His life was new in Christ Jesus!

Perhaps the greatest challenge for us is to remain positive when we feel discouraged and beat up by what has come our way. How do we do this? Many would say "read the Word," "memorize the Scripture," and so on. I think the real key is to live out and put into practice what it says. The same Paul who seemed so strong when most would be discouraged also wrote "I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that you present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable to God, which is your reasonable service. And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, that you may prove what is that good and acceptable and perfect will of God." (Rom. 12:1-2) A sacrifice is killing an animal, a person, or surrendering a possession as an offering to God. We are told here to present "ourselves" as living sacrifices! The greatest impact we can have is with the sacrifice of our living selves! It is a life totally sold-out to God. We do not want to be "sell-outs" to the world, but we want to be "sell-outs" to God. Just like the hymn says "All to Jesus, I surrender, all to Him I freely give."

It is not easy to surrender what we want to hold on to. Many fear having their guns seized. Others fear other basic human rights being removed from them. Jesus is not threatening to take anything away from us, He is rather asking us to voluntarily present them to Him. It does not stop there; He wants us to literally present our "whole selves" as a "living sacrifice." The words to a song we used to sing comes to mind; "Give of your best to the Master; Give of the strength of your youth. Clad in salvation's full armor, Join in the battle for truth!"

If the world were to see thousands, even millions, of people presenting themselves as "living sacrifices," do you not think it would make a difference? I think it would. Remember, it all begins with where we are. Right here, right now it is time to commit!

In Christ Our Lord,

Bro. Allen

Miss to Mrs

Join us for a church-wide

BRIDAL SHOWER

honoring

CARISSA DODD & MARC CAZARES

Sunday June 6th, 2021
Following the Morning Service

The couple is registered at Target and Bed, Bath, and Beyond

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ChurchWide

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June 27 @ 6pm

Burgers 🍔 Swimming 🏊 Fun

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Please bring a side item to share

Morgan's Point Resort

8 Morgan's Point Blvd. Belton 76513

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LOVE WEEK 2021

June 16th-19th

Please join us as we show love to the community by doing service work, handing out food, praying with people, going on prayer walks, and more.

“Love Week” Schedule

Wed. 6/16

Prayer Walking the city 5:30 – 6:15 PM

Dinner honoring police, fire-fighters, etc. 6:15- 7:00 PM

Group meetings (kitchen, projects, food distribution, door to door) 7:00 PM

Thur. 6/17

Breakfast – 8:30 AM

Service Project Work; Food Distribution 9 AM to 12:30 PM

Lunch – 12:30 PM

Dinner 6:00 PM

Service Project Work; distribute info. bags door to door; 6:45 – 8:30 PM

Fri. 6/18

Schedule the same as Thursday

Sat. 6/19

Breakfast 8:30 AM

Service Project Work 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Ongoing Bible Studies

**Sunday Morning Discipleship
Classes @9:45am**

Wednesday Evenings @ 6:30pm
Adult Discipleship Class in Prayer Chapel

We are studying "Easy Ways to Share Your Faith"

Youth Power Hour Wednesdays @ 6:30pm
Bible Study with Robert

Children's Church Volunteers

- 6/6 Pat Griffith
- 6/13 Carolyn Gunter
- 6/20 No Children's Church/
Father's Day
- 6/27 Kim Marek

Deacon of the Week

- 6/6 Todd Marek
- 6/13 Brian Ray
- 6/20 Jeremy Pelley
- 6/27 David Sanderson

Operation Christmas Child

Invites you to take a box or two and start filling them with items.
Then, return the box/boxes by the beginning of November.

If you prefer to bring individual items,
they are in need of socks of all sizes.

Contact Dell Day for more info at 983-1000 or 913-8226

Please continue to collect change at home and bring those donations to the church each week through Father's Day on Sunday, June 20th.

The Pregnancy Center is also in need of size 3 diapers if you would like to bring those items as well.



Please pray for the youth and the camp sponsors as they travel to Youth Camp June 28th-July 2nd

Sunday, June 6th at 6:00 pm
CYC Musical Performance
Followed by a Fellowship

Men's Breakfast
Saturday June 12th @8am

Ministry Opportunities
We encourage you to be thinking about how you can help with VBS, and Love Week 2021

Love Week is June 16-19
VBS will be July 12-16

Congratulations Graduates!

Rylan Kieffer
Tarleton Class of 2021
Bachelor's of Animal Science

Robert Copeland
Southwestern Baptist
Theological Seminary
Class of 2021
Master's in
Theological Studies

Meetings

In June

Deacon's Meeting

June 6th @ 5pm

VBS Planning Meeting

June 13th @ 5:30pm

Business Meeting

June 13th @ 7:15pm

Right Now Media is like the "Netflix of Video Bible Studies" and has a HUGE library of faith-based videos that you can access whenever and wherever you want—on your phone, tablet, computer, or on your TV at home.

You have FREE access to thousands of video resources to help you with parenting, marriage, discipleship and more.

It includes content for all ages and stages of life.

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June Birthdays

2nd Landon Pelley

3rd Logan Bedrich

5th Evelyn Radle

5th Jorja Bruyette

7th Brayden Metcalf

10th Carolyn Gunter

11th Stephanie Werner

13th Aubrey Gasaway

13th Baylee Pelley

15th Virginia Holder

20th Caitlynn Dodd

21st Bonnie Hancock

25th Brayden Gasaway

25th Joseph Bedrich

Wedding Anniversaries

16th Garret & Jenna Marburger

22nd Jeremy & Stephanie Pelley

29th Mark & Rachel Raynor

We want to remember you on your birthdays and anniversaries! If we have missed your special day please call (254) 642-3327 so that we can update our records. Thank you!

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Sunday Schedule

9:45am Discipleship Classes
11:00am Worship
6:00pm Fellowship
6:30pm Evening Service

Wednesday Schedule

6:30pm Youth Power Hour
with Robert in Gym
6:30pm Discipleship Class with
Bro. Allen in Prayer Chapel

Looking Ahead...

7/10 Men's Breakfast
7/11 Lord's Supper
7/11 Deacon's Meeting
7/12-7/16 Reach Texas Week
of Prayer
7/12-7/16 VBS
7/16 Block Party
7/18 Reach Texas Ingathering
7/18 Council Meeting
7/21 CYC Meeting
7/25 Music Night