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Sunday, October 5

Sunday School	9:15 AM
Morning Worship Service	10:30 AM
Celebration Rehearsal Choir	4:00 PM
Children's Missions	5:00 PM
Bible Studies	5:00 PM
Evening Worship Service	6:00 PM
Monday, October	6
Piecemakers (Barrager Home)	9:30 AM
Tuesday, October	7
Ladies Bible Studies	9:30 AM
Wednesday, Octobe	r 8

Sunday morning services can be viewed **LIVE**

Children's Activities

Youth Activities

Adult Bible Study

by going to the church website:
go2believers.com
and clicking on the media tab

From the Pastor's Pen

Last week we began to look at faith focusing on the Bible as the foundation for our faith. It is inspired by God so we might know Him. What God does with and through His Word gives it great value and authority in our lives. I've had people simply look at me and say, "It can't be God's Word, because there is no God!" Before we go any further in this discussion of faith, I want you know about the reality of God!

Someone may be thinking in this moment, "I've got you now Preacher! You can't prove the existence of God!" That's true but you can't disprove Him either! But I'm talking to you about **FAITH!** Even the Bible does not argue the existence of God; it just states His existence as a fact. To Biblical writers the existence of God was self-evident as revealed by the words, "In the beginning God..." which sets the stage for everything yet to come.

Isaiah recorded some words (Is. 45:18-25) we will consider today. They don't try to prove God's existence but rather, to show His presence by His acts within His creation. In all God has done, He has been shouting to the world, I AM REAL! The reality of God is proven...

By what He has done! (45:18-20) Most who deny the existence of God rely on the argument that they've never seen, heard, or touched Him. They ignore the fact our universe didn't just happen or assemble itself; it was designed to support every life form and provides each necessity for life. Some of us have heard His voice, felt His touch and heard His calling. God says in the last line of v. 18 that "I am the LORD, and there is none else." If you begin to examine the evidence before you and start asking the Spirit of God to open your eyes, you'll find God is real, personal, loving, and gracious. Not only is God proven by what He's done, but the reality of God is proven...

...By His revelation of Himself! (45:21-23) Everything we know about God has been revealed to us by Him. He revealed Himself known through the His acts of creation and the history of nations. And, He has made Himself known in our personal experiences with Him through Jesus Christ! Jesus is the One to whom "every knee will bow" and "every tongue will swear allegiance" (23). We could debate the Lordship of Jesus all day. But I, along with many of you here, know the reality of God is proven . . .

...By our personal relationship with Christ! (45:24-25) Not all will believe and many of those who don't will be angry and violent. Verse 24 says that "Men will come to Him (Jesus), And all who were angry at Him (Jesus) will be put to shame." God knows this and He also knows that those who believe in Jesus by faith "will be justified and will glory" (25). The word "justify" means it will be "just as if I'd never sinned." In Him, Paul says we will become "a new creation" (2 Co. 5:17).

By faith, and only by faith can we know God and be called His sons and daughters. Do you long to be His today? Do you hunger to know the One who loves you? Call on Him in confession and turn to Him in repentance. Hear Him, follow Him, trust Him, and you will . . . Be Blessed!

Under His wing,

Pastor Tim

6:30 PM

6:30 PM

7:00 PM

A New Song

I was blessed to attend the Heartland Worship Conference in Yukon, OK at Together We Church with 5 others from our church. It was sponsored by Oklahoma Baptist University. We had 4 adults and 2 youth that participated in some great times of worship, preaching and breakout sessions Friday and Saturday. It was a wonderful time of renewal and learning.

One of the preachers was Matt Boswell who wears a lot of hats in ministry. He is the Lead Pastor at "The Trails Church" in Celina, TX, Professor of Worship at Midwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, songwriter and clinician at multiple conferences each year. I think that he is just about as well rounded in theology and musicality as anyone that we could have heard from this weekend.

The title for his topic was "Why

Christians Sing Together". There were many sub points but one that I appreciated was the section on we should be singing new songs. This is a man that teaches hymnology at seminary, so he loves hymns and many of the songs he writes are very hymn like even though they are modern. I don't have time to flesh out the entire message but one statement that really spoke to me was, "We should be singing new songs as a church because it is a command of scripture. It shows we are having a fresh experience with God, and the outpouring of that experience often leads to the

He reminded us that there are at least 9 times when the Bible tells us to sing a new song.

birth of a new song".

Sing to the Lord a new song; Sing to the Lord, all the earth. Psalm 96:1

He put a new song in my mouth, a song of praise to our God; Many will see and fear And will trust in the Lord. Psalm 40:3

These are just a few examples with others in Psalms, Ephesians and Revelations. There are 50 direct commands in the Bible for us to sing and 9 of those include the singing of new songs. So, remember as we sing new songs it is because we follow God's Word.

Serving Him,

John

2025 Weekly Budget Requirement: \$16,596.15

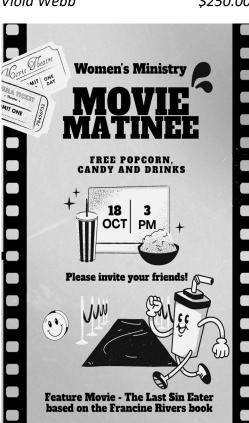
2025 World Mission Offering YTD: \$20,623.05

Attendance for Sep 28, 2025

Sund	lay School	147
Mori	ning Worship	224
Fello	wship	<i>75</i>
Attendance for Sep 30, 202		
Ladie	es Bible Studies	21
A	Attendance for Oct	1, 2025
Chila	lren's Activities	53
Yout	h Activities	27
Adul	t Bible Study	39

Receipts for Sep 28, 2025

Budget Offerings	\$14,431.00
World Missions Offerings	\$515.00
Building Fund	\$529.00
Horseshoe Ministry	\$1,030.00
Kids Camp	\$250.00
KNCSB Disaster Relief	\$250.00
Pastor Appreciation Love	Off \$355.00
Piecemakers	\$250.00
Worship Ministry	\$50.00
Viola Webb	\$250.00



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Roxanne King
Michela Caruso
Stacy Otto
Emma Morgan
Ken Yost
Mary McLaughlin
Dixie LaBrue
Don Dodds
Michael Taylor
Gail Kiser
Ezra
Mary Barker
Elaine
Jail & Prison Ministry

The Nation of Israel Long Term Illness

Law Enforcement

Our Countries Leaders

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Dale Bernhardt
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Carolyn Catlin
Mike Edwards
Dennis Ensley
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