

FRIENDSHIP
CHURCH

GOOD NEWS

April 15, 2020



Drive-in Church

Sunday April 19, 2020 — 11 AM

Come as you are, but stay in your car! A great time of praise and worship to our Healer and Deliverer, the Lord Jesus Christ!

From The Pastor...



Waiting...as Americans, we have been spoiled. We are so accustomed to instant “this” and instant “that.” Then, the Lord says, “wait.” We don’t like that word – to us it is a four-letter word. But this is where we are at.

This reminds me of the disciples and followers of Jesus after He ascended to the Father. He told them to “wait in Jerusalem” for the promised Holy Spirit. (Luke 24:49 and Acts 1:4). He didn’t tell them how long it would be, He just said, “wait.”

So, what do you do while you are waiting? Here are 5 suggestions from God’s Word:

1. Be still (Psalm 46:10)
2. Rest in and be silent before the Lord (Psalm 62:1,2, 5)
3. Worship and adore Him (I Chronicles 16:29)
4. Cry out to the Lord (Psalm 40:1)
5. Get in the Word (Psalm 25:5)

Trust me, it will be worth the wait!

I love you all,

Pastor Mike

HOW TO **STAY CONNECTED**

WITH FRIENDSHIP CHURCH



SERVICES LIVE
ON FACEBOOK
Every Sunday morning at
11am



Online live prayer meetings
every Friday, Saturday and
Sunday evening at 7pm

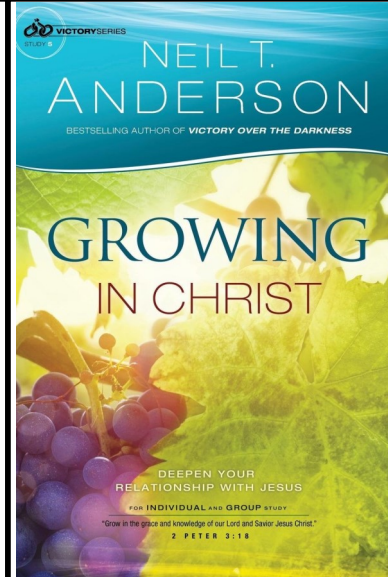
Men's discipleship online
Wednesdays at 6:30pm

Women's discipleship online
Thursdays at 6:30pm

Sunday School groups - check
with your Sunday School
teachers for times



Get updated prayer requests
and announcements. To sign
up, text your name to
479.422.1079



ATTENTION MEN

Men's Discipleship Study on Zoom -
Wednesday, April 22, 2020 - 6:30pm
Victory Series 5 "Growing In Christ"
by Neil T. Anderson. We will cover
Session 2: Spiritual Gifts - pages 35-
58.

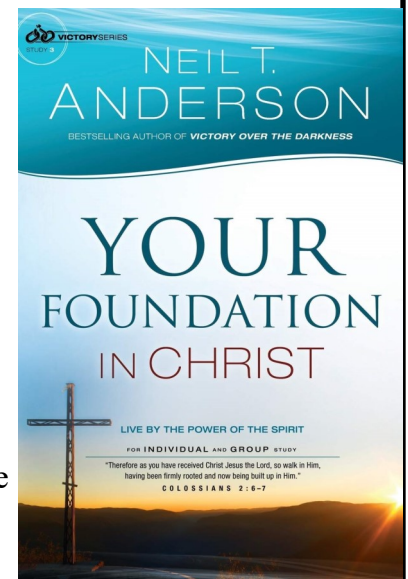
All men, young and old, are invited to
join us on this 6 week adventure! In-
vite a friend to join us!



LADIES!

Women's Discipleship Study on Zoom
- Thursday, April 23, 2020 - 6:30pm
Victory Series 3 "Your Foundation In
Christ" by Neil T. Anderson. We will
cover Session 2: The Nature of Faith -
pages 35-56.

All ladies, young and old, are invited to
join us on this 6 week adventure! Invite
a friend to join us!





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THE
**GOSPEL
PROJECT**

Most classes meeting online using Zoom. Check with your Sunday School teacher for dates and times.

Sunday's lesson "Jesus is Tempted" - [CLICK HERE](#) to download your Sunday School lesson!

Friendship Birthdays - Week of April 19-25

April 20 - Alice McFerron
April 22 - Becky Crosier

April 23 - Linda Penny
April 24 - Angela Gray

Tithes & Offerings

Sunday, April 12 - \$3,875.77

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Friendship K.I.D.s Korner News.....from Mary Ann

AT HOME CHALLENGES

Here are 5 challenges for kids to work on this week. We would love to see pictures of the kids doing these. Share them with us on our **Friendship Church Children's Ministry** Facebook page.

Monday Memory Verse

"He must become greater, I must become less" John 3:30

When you have it memorized, have someone video you saying it. Share it on our Children's Facebook Page.

Tuesday Talent: Take a video of you doing some kind of talent that you have, it could be you doing a cartwheel, shooting a nerf gun at a target, reading a short story, singing or dancing to a song, drawing, cooking, or sewing something. Share it with us.

Worship Wednesday: Watch the videos on our Facebook Children's page or the one that is linked on this page. Be ready to discuss and answer questions when we meet on Zoom.

Thankful Thursday: What are you thankful for? Draw or write them on paper and then make it a prayer to God.

Fun Friday: This week your Fun Friday challenge is to see how many pieces of your Easter candy (or any candy) you can balance on your face. Have someone snap a picture and we will see who did the most and who looks the weirdest.

Blessings!

Mary Ann



Easter Bag Deliveries



Ms Kimmie and I had a fun time delivering Easter bags to lots of kids. It was great to see them in person, but so hard not to give hugs. The bags had activities, books, the Easter story, and Eggs filled with candy. Also, one empty egg to represent the empty tomb! He is Risen!

Homeschooling Tips

Parents/Grandparents are you feeling a little overwhelmed? Here is an article that might help.

THEPARENTCUE.ORG

6 Homeschooling Tips for Amateurs—Parent Cue

[https://theparentcue.org/homeschooling-tips-for-amateurs/?](https://theparentcue.org/homeschooling-tips-for-amateurs/?fbclid=IwAR3QG5bNoHSZu_0klBBFi8IANVQQ6dexKSzykpQi6Bz2YPD_-3FaOzw601M)

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Gospel Project for Kids

Last week on our **Friendship Church Children's Ministry** Facebook page (insert link) we shared videos about Easter, Jesus' crucifixion and resurrection. We hope you and your kids had a chance to watch these.

This week our focus videos are about how John the Baptist told others to get ready for the promised Messiah, and how Jesus' Baptism reminds us of His death and resurrection.

You can watch one of the videos by clicking on this link: <https://curriculum.lifeway.com/#/easy-link/QTPB/371cec20-b7f8-4347-d14c-75182282bdfd>

The links to the other videos are on our Children's Facebook page.