

**2021
Stronger Than Ever**

Our Living Hope
1Peter 1:3-9

HOPE: A desire with _____ of obtainment; to expect with _____.

A _____ Hope

- A hope that never _____.
- A hope assured by the _____ of Jesus Christ. (1:3)
- Over 500 _____ the resurrected Christ including the disciples and Paul himself. (I Cor. 15:6)

A _____ Hope

- A future hope is a heavenly _____ that will not perish, spoil or fade! (1:4)
- We are heirs of God and co-heirs with _____. (Romans 8:17)
- The resurrection of Jesus _____ our full inheritance. (Jn. 14:1-3)
- Our heavenly inheritance is beyond anything we can _____. (1Cor. 2:9-10)

A _____ Hope

- Our present hope is protected by the _____ of God! (1:5)
- Our present hope results in a present _____! (1:6)
- Our faith turns sound doctrine into sound _____.
- Our faith _____ the world (1John 5:4)
- Our joy is independent of _____ (James 1:2-4)
- The farther we walk down the road with Jesus, the more we _____ our hope doesn't lie on this earth, but in heaven!

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SCHEDULE

Sunday

Bible Classes for all ages 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 5:00 p.m.

Tuesday

Ladies Prayer Service 12:00 p.m.

Wednesday

Bible Classes for all ages 6:30 p.m.

ELDERS AND STAFF

Elders

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OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

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|-------------------|------------|
| Nursery Attendant | Bible Hour |
| N/A | N/A |

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| ELDER FOR APR. | Dale Donaghe |
| LADIES COMMITTEE FOR APR | Sharon Donaghe |

WEEK OF MARCH 28TH

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| Bible Class | AM Worship | PM Worship | Wed. Class | Offering |
| 43 | 58 | | | \$2285 |



APRIL 4TH, 2021

Order Of Worship

Song Leader: Jimmy Williams

Welcome.....Dale Donaghe

97 Christ The Lord Is Risen Today
747 'Twas On That Hill

Prayer.....Bob Donald

220 He Lives

Lord's Supper.....Russell Capshaw

184 God Is The Fountain Whence

Offering.....Gabe Falcon

726 We Saw Thee Not

Scripture Reading.....Eric Bliss

Morning Service....."Our Living Hope".....R Senior

746 We He Comes In Glory
876 Jesus Name Above All Names

Closing Prayer.....Cliff Downing

PM Service.....Not at this time

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK

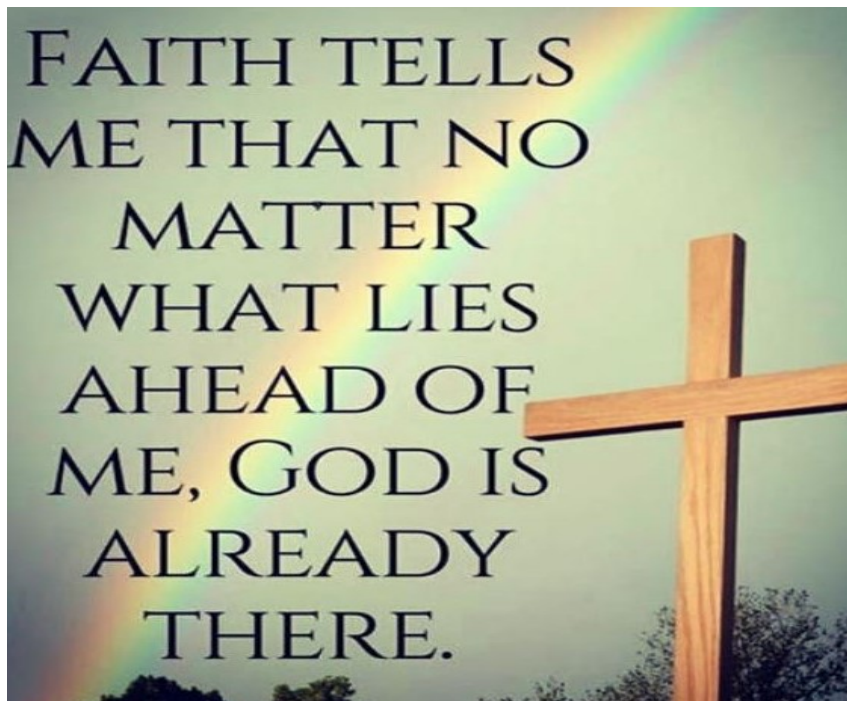
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| Apr. 4th | Morning Class @ 9:30 Happy Easter Worship @ 10:30 AM |
| 5th | Milt Baldwin's birthday |
| 7th | Wednesday evening class available online |
| 10th | Men's breakfast @ Tom's @ 8:30 |

WEDNESDAY NIGHT CLASS STARTS THIS WEEK

We are starting Wednesday evening classes this Wednesday the 7th @ 6:30. Look forward to seeing you there!

THANK YOU

On behalf of the of Kerrol Williams family we would like to thank everyone for the outpouring of love and condolences after Kerrol's passing. We appreciate every single card, Facebook note and personal words of sympathy. We know she has reached her heavenly goal and we will see her there!
Much love from the Baldwin, Federspiel, Graves, Smith & William families.



PRAYER IS IMPORTANT

-Please keep the victims of the **mass shootings** in your prayers. They continue to increase in number each day.

-Ann Thompson asked for prayers for her grandson following his surgery on his foot. Please pray that it heals correctly & he will be back to his normal activities soon.

-Shawn Johnson asked for prayers for his **Uncle Tommy**. He went to the hospital last Sunday morning unresponsive. He is still recovering from COVID19 and is not 100% yet. Also, please keep **Shawn's** brother in your prayers. He came home from the hospital last Sunday following his cancer surgery.

-Jan Hayes reported her husband **Jerry** is doing much better. He has new medication, and it seems to be helping. Praise God!

-Alora Cottam's sister **Sherry's** results came back negative. She will still have to have surgery at a later date. Please keep her in your prayers.

-Laura Crownover asks that we continue to pray for her brother Joe and that he is able to return to his care facility soon.

-Please continue to keep **Bill & Dorothy Cunningham** in your prayers as they deal with health issues for **Dorothy**.

-Please keep **Jerry & Judy Kendall** in your prayers as they continue to deal with their health challenges.



Intelligence is knowing the right answer.
Wisdom is knowing when to say it.

SCRIPTURE FOR TODAY

I, wisdom, dwell with prudence, and I find knowledge and discretion. ~ Proverbs 8:12

ENCOURAGING WORDS

Having Rules is a Sign of Love

There has long been a discussion regarding the Bible as to whether it is "A Rule Book" or "A Love Letter." Some have argued over the years that the Bible is "A Love Letter" from God and should never be viewed as "A Rule Book." The question we need to consider is—What does the Bible teach? Are "love" and "rules" mutually exclusive?!

First, the Bible teaches with absolute clarity that God loves us (**John 3:16** etc.) That thought, in and of itself, just boggles the mind. We are so unlovable, and yet His love for us is unconditional. Yet, unconditional love does not mean unconditional approval.

Second, the Bible teaches that God wants all to be saved (**1 Tim. 2:4**) but His salvation is conditional (**Matt. 7:21-28**). God loves all mankind, but not all of mankind will be saved (**7:13-14**).

Third, the Bible teaches that obedience to the commands of God is absolutely essential in order to be saved (**Heb. 5:8-9**),

Fourth, the Bible teaches that there are commands given by God in the Bible and that God does "require" that we "keep the commandments" (**Deut. 10:12-13**), but what He commands is "for your good" (**10:13**) "always" (**6:24**).

Put all of this together. God loves us! God loves us so much that He wants to save us and has laid out detailed steps for us to take to be saved! God loves us so much that He warned us what would happen if we chose to not respond obediently to Him extending His love to us! He loves us so much that He gave us "commands" so that when we "keep" them, we demonstrate our "love" back to Him (**John 14:15**). Wow! What a loving, wonderful God we have!

R. Senior