2021 Stronger Than Ever

Do Not Fear-Isaiah 43:1-3

Introduction: It can be so easy to give into worry, fear and despair, but with Him we can find strength, and look forward to wonderful things. He gives us hope!

- I. We do not get to choose what happens in our lives. We can plan but there will always be surprises. 2nd Cor. 12:7-10
 Surprised by the vision
 Surprised by the thorn surprised by His grace
- II. Christians do not have to face life alone. Psalm 46:1

We can rely on Him.

Sometimes He calms the storm outside and sometimes He calms the storm inside.

III. God has some wonderful things for us!
In spite of who we are and what we have
done- 1st Tim. 1:14-16
2nd Timothy 4:7-8

Conclusion: Life is full of surprises, the greatest of which is His amazing grace, freely offered, abundant and sufficient for our needs.

Yes, Jesus Loves Me! Yes, Jesus Loves Me! Yes, Jesus Loves Me! The Bible Tells Me So.

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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

on hiatus

Wednesday

Bible Classes for all ages

6:30 p.m.

ELDERS AND STAFF

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OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

Bible Hour Kim Bower

ELDER FOR August LADIES COMMITTEE FOR August Dale Donaghe Jinny Donald

Week of August 22nd, 2021

Bible Class AM Worship PM Worship Wed. Class Offering 36 64 23 14 \$7706



AUGUST 29TH 2021

Order Of Worship

Song Leader: Milt Baldwin

Welcome.....Dale Donaghe

755 When The Roll Is Called 761 Where He Leads I Will Follow

Prayer.....Jerry Hopkins

784 Why Did My Savior Come To Earth

Lord's Supper.....Ryan Bliss

184 God Is The Fountain Whence

Offering......Mike Cottam

502 O They Tell Me Of A Home

Scripture Reading.....Buzz House

Morning Service....."Do Not Fear".....David House

523 Our God, He Is Alive 611 Take The Name Of Jesus With You

Closing Prayer.....Bob Donald

PM Service.....with David House

	WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK
Aug 29th	Morning Class @ 9:30 AM
	Worship @ 10:30 AM
Sept 1st	Prayer Service 6:30 PM
2nd	Men's Retreat Starts
	Loretta Bower's birthday
3rd	Men's Breakfast @ 8:30 AM

COLLECTION FOR BABY JACK

There is a collection being taken up for Jack (Dave Gastellum's new grandson) and his new family. If you would like to contribute, please see Jinny or Shelli Donald. We would love to shower this new little one with love and goodies!

A BIG THANK YOU

Jan Hayes would like to thank everyone for all the prayers, cards and phone calls she has received on behalf of her husband Jerry and her daughter Shauna as they go through their individual health issues. It has meant the world to her and she expressed that she could not have made it through these last few months without her church family. She loves everyone and thanks us again for the love and support!

OUR VISITING FAMILY

It was so great to have the McDaniel family with us Sunday as they passed through taking their son to Pepperdine for college. As it turns out, they were stationed years ago with Jeff & Julia Denton. We have been praying for Julia & her son Matt with their health issues. A small world yet one family of God! They were able to connect again and for that we praise Him! God is good all the time!



PRAYER IS IMPORTANT

- **-Karen Anderson** came forward thankful that prayers have been answered for her. She has found a new doctor & wanted to than everyone for their prayers.
- **-Peyton, Jerry & Sandy Hopkins** great granddaughter had a second open heart surgery this past week. She came through well, still in ICU but eating & walking & her spirits are better. Please keep her and the extended family in your prayers.
- **-Diane Hemeon's** brother **Dennis** had a stroke. Please keep him & the family in your prayers.
- **-Alora Cottam** had an appointment with a neurologist and hopes to have a way forward soon.
- -Shawn Johnson's brother Terry's cancer has spread to his lungs and tailbone. Surgery is not an option but a treatment plan is being planned. Please keep him & the family in your prayers -Please continue to remember Ethel Johnson's nephew Billy & his wife Heather & their son Riley, who was injured in a BMX bike accident a few weeks ago in your prayers. They are back home now but he will have a long recovery.
- **-Bari Federspiel** asked for prayers for her grandsons **Colby & Shannon** and their work as firefighters., i.e. prayers for safety. Also, for the COVID19 to be a thing of the past & for safety as everyone navigates it.
- -Please keep **Jan Hayes** daughter **Shauna**, in your prayers as she does her Chemo treatments and physical therapy.
- -Please keep **Dorothy Cunningham** & Bill in your prayers as they wait for the next step in this process.
- -Please keep **Judith Scharnagel** in your prayers. She has gone to Idaho with Nan for a couple months.
- **-Julia Denton** & her son **Matt**, former members here, are waiting on test results for Matt. Please keep them in your prayers.
- -Please keep all those affected by the **turmoil in Kabul** and surrounding areas in your prayers. Please keep **our troops** in your prayers as they are in eminent dander and in harms way.

THOUGHT FOR TODAY

A person's got to have a code, a creed to live by, no matter what his job. ~ *John Wayne*

SCRIPTURE FOR TODAY

Only God can save me, and I calmly wait for Him.

~ Psalm 62:1

ENCOURAGING WORDS

"Be Still and Know"

We are living in uncertain and troubling times. It seems that everywhere we turn there is something disastrous happening. With all that's going on around us—from our families to our local communities, to our nation, to the whole globe—what can we do? How can we keep from being distressed?

Be still...and know that God is still

God. God has not surrendered His throne. He is still "the ruler over the kings of the earth."

Rev. 1:5 He is still the God of love, peace, and hope. No matter what happens, put your trust in that!

Be still...and know that truth is still

truth. We are told that we are living in a post-truth era and that truth today is subject to "the eye of the beholder" of whatever that truth is. However, God's truth is unchangeable just as God is **Heb. 6:18-20**. No matter what happens, put your trust in that!

Be still...and know that eternity is still real. It is so easy to take our eyes off of the eternal and place them on the temporary, and as a result, lose heart. When that happens, work twice as hard to "Set your mind on things above, not on things on the earth." **Col. 3:2** No matter what happens, put your trust in that!

Be still...and know that Christians still win in the end. You may not feel like you are winning. Around the world it may appear that Christians are on the losing side. But don't put your trust in appearance, Jesus has already crushed the adversary! Satan has already lost! Faithful Christians will be victorious 2 Tim. 4:7-8. No matter what happens, put your trust in that!

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