## 2024

#### United together with christ

### **Famous Last Words**

2 Timothy 4:1-8

<b>Keep</b> (2 Tim. 3:10-15)	
•	Christians shouldtrials and tribulations
•	Persevere and endure by on God.
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	our own good. (Romans 8:28)
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	His plan for our life. (Eph. 2:10)
K	eep (2 Tim. 3:15-17)
•	If Scripture is then life without
	Scripture is!
•	God's Word is our of!
•	We must feed ourselves from the "" (Jn. 6:35)
K	<b>eep</b> (2 Tim. 4:1-4)
•	It's about every Christian being prepared to tell the "" of Jesus Christ!  We are to be His "" (1 Pet. 3:15)
•	We are to be His "" (1 Pet. 3:15)
•	We need to be busy about our "
K	<b>eep</b> (2 Tim. 4:6-8)
•	Paul describes his as an offering being
	"poured out" for Jesus Christ.
•	•
	well.
•	Make your everyday life a
	to God.

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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.

### Wednesday

Bible Classes for all ages

6:30 p.m.

# **ELDERS AND STAFF**

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# Opportunities to Serve

Bible Hour Ann Thompson

ELDER for Apr. LADIES COMMITTEE for Apr.

Dale Donaghe Sharon Donaghe





# APRIL 14TH, 2024

## **Order Of Worship**

Song Leader: Ryan Bliss

Welcome.....Dale Donaghe

25 All Things Praise Thee 75 Blessed Redeemer

Prayer.....Eric Bliss

86 By Christ Redeemed

Lord's Supper.....Mike Bryant

207 Hark The Gentle Voice

Offering.....Bob Chadwick

961 On Bended Knee

Scripture Reading.....Mike Darnton

| Morning Service....."Famous Last Words!"......Roy Senior

627 The Gloryland Way 456 No Tears In Heaven

Closing Prayer.....Buzz House

	WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK
Apr. 14th	Morning Class @ 9:30 AM
	Worship @ 10:30 AM
16th	Mike Darnton's birthday
17th	Evening Worship & Class @ 6:30 PM
	Kim Bower's birthday
20th	Men's Breakfast @ Tom's @ 8:30 AM
	Mary Grimm's birthday

### MONTHLY POTLUCK

Our monthly potluck is next Sunday following morning services. A short devo will directly follow. If you have questions, please see Sharon Donaghe. This will conclude our services for the day.

### LADIES DAY @ LINCOLN & TUNNEL

There is a Ladies Day scheduled for April 20th @ the Lincoln & Tunnel congregation in Santa Maria. The event starts @ 9:30 AM. If you would like to attend & are in need of transportation, please contact Ethel Johnson.

### THANK YOU

A big thank you to those that prepared the meals for the Senior Saints last weekend. They were much appreciated!

## THOUGHT FOR TODAY

When something bad happens, you have three choices: You can let it define you, let it destroy you, or you can let it strengthen you.

### SCRIPTURE FOR TODAY

Though the fig tree may not blossom, Nor fruit be on the vines; Though the labor of the olive may fail, And the fields yield no food; Though the flock may be cut off from the fold, And there be no herd in the stalls—Yet I will rejoice in the Lord, I will joy in the God of my salvation. ~ Habakkuk 2:17-18

### PRAYER IS IMPORTANT

- -Angels rejoicing in **Paso Robles for the baptism** that occurred there last Sunday! Welcome to our new member of God's family
- **-Linda Bryant** came through her gum grafting surgery this past Monday well. She is in a bit of pain but doing well. Please keep her & the family in your prayers as she recovers.
- -Diane Hemeon asked for prayers for her son Scott. While going for is prothesis fitting, the doctor placed a sleeve on his leg after warming it up. This ended up giving him 3rd degree burns & caused him to go to the emergency room & then be referred to a burn center in LA. Please keep him & the extended family in your prayers as they deal with this latest setback. Also, Holly had a doctor's appt. for her ankle injury from the accident back in February. She also had the court date with her son concerning the same accident. Again, please keep them all in your prayers.
- -Please keep **Debbie Nelson** in your prayers. She went this past Thursday for her special contact lenses. Her sight is almost perfect! We have an awesome God! She has another eye appt. @ UCLA the 24th. Prayers that things will continue to move in the right direction.
- **-Joanie Lehman** came home from the CCC Tuesday as planned. Prayers of thanksgiving for her & her healing.
- **-Loretta Bower** asked for prayers for her friend **Heide Spradley**. She is battling high blood pressure and heart issues. Please keep her in your prayers.
- **-Kassie Gladden** asked for prayers for the Robles family in the loss of their dad, **Michael Robles.** Please keep them in your prayers as the move forward without him.
- **-Alora Cottam** asked for prayers for her cousin **Bill** & his wife **Sandy Spanne**. Sandy is in the hospital on oxygen, suffering with COPD & is very weak. She is a lot of pain.
- -Prayers of thanksgiving offered by **Eddie & Ursula** for the many prayers, cards, calls & flowers they received following **Ursula's** retina surgery. God is good!
- -Prayers of thanksgiving for **Janice Weidman** & her great granddaughters being back with us last week! We are so glad **Janice** is finally feeling better.
- -Please continue to keep **Sandy & Jerry Hopkins** in your prayers as **Sandy** as she had her 5th Chemo treatment this week.

#### ENCOURAGING WORDS

#### God Knows!

For the last several years, the President of the United States has made proclamations observing the "Transgender Day of Visibility" on March 31. This has largely gone unnoticed by many until this year when it fell on Easter. Given that Easter is a long-standing tradition for believers in Christ to recognize the miracle the Resurrection, this caused many to criticize the White House's decision as insensitive.

However, Christians are not really concerned about what holiday this "Day of Visibility" falls on. What we are concerned with is the lie of progressive Gender Ideology. In the White House's proclamation, the President writes, "Today, we send a message to all transgender Americans: You are loved. You are heard. You are understood..." None of this is true. Is it loving to affirm someone's confusion about the body they were born in? Are we really hearing the cries for help from those suffering from the pain of gender dysphoria by offering experimental drugs and surgeries to children? Can a man, even as powerful as the President, understand who another person really is in spite of their biological characteristics?

There is only One who knows who we are deep inside. He is the God who made us in His image. Throughout the Bible we are told of the personal involvement God has in the making of each individual boy and girl.

God takes a personal role in our physical development. In **Psalm 139**, David famously spoke of how by the God of heaven we are fearfully and wonderfully made. **(v. 14)** Each human life is an amazing miracle that the Lord intricately wove together, and every part of your body was designed by Him to be there.

If we want to hold a day of visibility, then let's love, hear, and understand others as God sees them. We are not spiritual accidents. We are the miraculous creations of God.

R. Senior