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Weekly Schedule

Sunday

Sunday School, 9:30 AM
Morning Worship, 10:45 AM
Children's Church
Prayer Time, 5:00 PM
Evening Worship, 6:00 PM

Monday

Ladies Bible Study, 10:00 AM

Tuesday

Prime Time Choir, 10:30 AM
Prime Time Luncheon, Noon

Wednesday

Prayer Meeting, 6:00 PM
Youth IMPACT, 6:00 PM
Sanctuary Singers, 7:00 PM

GIDEON SUNDAY

This Sunday is a very special time in the life of our church. Our very own Mike Asher will be bringing a heartfelt message about the work of Gideon's International in the Ukraine. The Gideons have placed more than 2 Billion Bibles around the world since 1908.



FORERUNNER

September 29, 2022

DOES ALL THIS PRAYING REALLY CHANGE ANYTHING?



Last night in our Wednesday Night Prayer Meeting we actually had more praises than petitions! It was wonderful to hear how the Lord was bringing relief and good news to some we continue to pray for. Several times our folks erupted in applause at the realization our prayers were really

getting through. As we walk this Christian journey, there are so many challenges to pray about and sometimes we get tired of trying. We run out of new ways to pray about the same thing, day after day. Isn't it wonderful when we hear another voice lifting up our concerns for us.

Exodus 17:8-15 illustrates the power of friends who will lift us up when we have grown weary of our burden. Their prayers and support may be just the extra word we need for spiritual victory. *"Then Amalek came and fought against Israel at Rephidim. So Moses said to Joshua, 'Choose men for us and go out, fight against Amalek. Tomorrow I will station myself on the top of the hill with the staff of God in my hand.' Joshua did just as Moses told him, and fought against Amalek; and Moses, Aaron, and Hur went up to the top of the hill. So it came about, when Moses held his hand up, that Israel prevailed; but when he let his hand down, Amalek prevailed. And Moses' hands were heavy. So they took a stone and put it under him, and he sat on it; and Aaron and Hur supported his hands, one on one side and one on the other. So his hands were steady until the sun set. And Joshua defeated Amalek..."*

May we take encouragement from the praises we hear from God's people as we gather in prayer each Wednesday. PRAYER MEETING – it's the place to be! *May the Lord Bless You and Keep You, Claire*

MEMORIALS and HONORARIUMS

In Memory of Jackie McGee

By George and Laverne Smith Budget

In Memory of Pam Gates

By Jimmy and Leesa Sitter Children's Ministry

In Memory of Katie Reed

By Faith Sunday School Class Georgia Barnette
Mike and Judy Gaddis Georgia Barnette
Carl and Martha Morgan Georgia Barnette

In Memory of Rev. Bill Stowell

By Virginia P. Williams Budget

In Memory of Wanda Richardson

By Brad and Ellen Richardson Budget

In Honor of Patty Stowell

By Cheryl Procell Georgia Barnette

Please remember Sharon Wheless this Friday, September 30th at 7:00AM. She will be having a stent procedure at Christus Highland.



Congratulations to Bro. Gary and Linda Palmer in the birth of their great grandson! Noah Rhett Clark was born today at 12:36pm at WK Bossier.

THROUGH THE BIBLE IN A YEAR

Friday, September 30

Isaiah 64 - 66, Galatians 6

Saturday, October 1

Jeremiah 1, Ephesians 1

Sunday, October 2

Jeremiah 2, Ephesians 2

Monday, October 3

Jeremiah 3 - 4, Ephesians 3

Tuesday, October 4

Jeremiah 5 - 6, Ephesians 4

Wednesday, October 5

Jeremiah 7 - 8, Ephesians 5

Thursday, October 6

Jeremiah 9 - 10, Ephesians 6

Friday, October 7

Jeremiah 11 - 12, Philippians 1

Saturday, October 8

Jeremiah 13 - 14, Philippians 2

Our Ladies Bible Study meets on Mondays at 10:00AM in the FLC. We are studying "Jonah - Navigating a Life Interrupted" by Priscilla Shirer. This study is facilitated by Grace Kelly. Books are \$17.

UPCOMING EVENTS

CHURCH WORK DAYS, Tomorrow, September 30th and Saturday, October 1st, 8AM - Noon each day, Weather Permitting. We'll be trimming hedges, weed eating and working in the flower beds so bring your favorite gardening tools, gloves, shovels, etc. and join in the fun!



Our Prime Time Singers be meeting this Tuesday, October 4th at 10:30AM. Prime Time Luncheon will



follow at Noon in the FLC - starring none other than our very own Emmanuel Men's Quartet! You won't want to miss it!

FALL FAIR 2022

Saturday, October 29th 2:00 - 4:00 PM

We will have our annual Fall Fair Trunk-n-Treat in our back parking lot. (Don't worry, LSU is not playing that weekend, I've already checked!) Our friends with old-time cars will also be joining us and we'll have Fair Food for everyone to come and enjoy.

Ways you can help:

- 1.) Trunk-n-Treat - sign up to decorate the trunk of your vehicle and pass out church-provided candy.
- 2.) Donate individually wrapped candy - the candy bins are in the hallways.



- 3.) Invite your family and friends!
- 4.) Come and enjoy the fun, food and fellowship!

Branson at Bethany Tickets go on sale beginning Tuesday, October 4th in the church office. The tickets are originally \$17 but we will be selling them to our members for \$10 each. First come, first serve. Showtime will be Tuesday, November 29th at 9:30 AM with a meal following the show. There will be a sign-up sheet in the office. Posters in the hallway.