

Teen News

Good morning and welcome to services! We hope everyone who started school this week had a great start! We are praying for those starting this week and hope everyone has a wonderful school year. We have a lot of upcoming events including the L2L spaghetti supper, trip to Yesterland Farm and more. Be watching the youth board for more. DOUG

“How can a young man cleanse his way? By taking heed according to Your word.”

Psalms 119:9 NKJV

THE DEATH OF SOMEONE ELSE

Our church was saddened to learn this week of the death of one of our most valued members, Someone

Else. Someone's passing creates a vacancy that will be difficult to fill. Else has been with us for many years and for every one of those years, Someone did far more than a normal person's share of the work. Whenever there was a job to do, a class to teach, or a meeting to attend, one name was on everyone's list, "Let Someone Else do it." Whenever leadership was mentioned, this wonderful person was looked to for inspiration as well as results; "Someone Else can work with that group." It was common knowledge that Someone Else was among the most liberal givers in our church. Whenever there was a financial need, everyone just assumed Someone Else would make up the difference. We will really miss Someone Else.

SELECTED

What One Must Do To Be Saved

HEAR THE GOSPEL OF CHRIST *John 20:30; Rom 10:17*
BELIEVE THAT JESUS IS THE SON OF GOD
Rom 10:16; Acts 18:8; Heb 11:6
REPENT OF SINS *Luke 13:3; 24:47; Acts 3:19; 17:30*
CONFESS FAITH IN CHRIST AS GOD'S SON *Matt 10:32; Acts 8:37; Rom 10:10*
BE BAPTIZED (IMMERSED) IN WATER *Matt 28:19; Mark 16:16; Acts 2:38; 10:47-48; 22:16; Rom 6:1-6; Gal 3:27; Col 2:12; 1 Peter 3:21*
CONTINUE FAITHFUL UNTO DEATH *Matt 25:21, 34; 2 Peter 1:1-11; Rev 2:10; 1 John 1:6-9*

The Bible

August 21, 2022

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SECRETARIES

Chloe Collins
Eva Walker

MISSIONS

Brown Trail School of Preaching, Bedford, TX
Jose Cuadras—Mexico
Hershel Bearden—India
Steve Handley—Prison Min.
Central TX Children's Home—Buda, TX
Tipton Children's Home
Tipton, OK

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College Station, TX.

FOX 29 KSVP Lake Charles, La
ABC 10 K TEN Sherman-Tx
KTXD—47 Dallas, Texas

ASSEMBLY TIMES

Sun: 9:30 AM Class
10:30 AM Worship
6:00 PM Evening
Wed: 7:00 PM

Emerging Church Movement

A few years ago Audrey and I visited Vicksburg, Mississippi on our way to a gospel meeting. One sight we could not miss was the Mississippi River. The United States Geological Service estimates that approximately 373 billion gallons of water flow by Vicksburg every day. That water comes from the thousands of lakes, rivers, streams, and creeks that flow into it, creating the river's distinctively muddy character. Christians today live in a world that, not unlike the muddy Mississippi, is influenced by multiple streams of ideas, thoughts, and philosophies. This period has been characterized as postmodern because of its anti-rational thinking and its complete acceptance of any and all ideas regardless of how ridiculous they may seem. This is illustrated for us in the chorus of a Charlie Daniels' song entitled, "Muddy Mississippi." "Everybody is alright / Ain't nobody up-tight / Dancing in the moonlight / Muddy Mississippi roll on." It should not surprise us that some are placing a special emphasis upon taking the gospel to the postmodern world. This effort is known as the "Emerging Church." It is a pan-denominational effort to engage the postmodern world around us with the gospel, but with a subtle twist. The "Emerging Church" wants to do this with the acceptance of postmodern presuppositions. "Emerging Church" adherents do not believe that we ought to characterize the message of the gospel as either true or false. This, they claim, buys into a failed system of knowledge. Instead, they seek to engage the postmodern culture "non-confrontationally." This entails that we simply sit down to have a "conversation" about things; no one is right or wrong; no one is exhorted to give up false doctrine and embrace truth. All ideas and philosophies are equally legitimized and somehow the postmodern culture is evangelized. equated with an effort to solve social problems such as hunger, homelessness. Some Christians have even been caught up in this kind of thinking. They need to be reminded that Jesus didn't die for the philosophies of men, but for man's salvation from the philosophies of men (1 Corinthians 2:1-5). Jesus proclaimed His message as "truth" (John 8:32) and severely chastised those who did not believe it (John 8:44-45).

DAN

WELCOME TO OUR SERVICES AND WE HOPE YOU WILL COME AGAIN SOON.



From Dan's desk:

“RELIGIOUSLY ENTHUSED”

One of the things of which I am impressed with the Crocket Rd. congregation is the zeal and enthusiasm of our membership. To be enthusiastic religiously is not enough. We must have enthusiasm that is motivated by and from the Word of God. Fanatics abound in the world of religion. Who will deny but what they are enthusiastic? But what profit is such if they are not following the truth? Thank you all for being present this morning. I hope you are eager to learn more from God's Word. Paul wrote of his own countrymen: "Brethren, my heart's desire and prayer to God for Israel is, that they might be saved. For I bear them record that they have a zeal of God, but not according to knowledge. For they being ignorant of God's righteousness, and going about to establish their own righteousness, have not submitted themselves unto the righteousness of God." (Romans 10:1-3). They had a zeal of God, but such was not according to knowledge. It was not grounded in the faith of God's word. Had it been they would have been Christians and contending for the truth that is in Christ rather than contending for the law of Moses. Their enthusiasm was to no avail! What about your life? As members here are we learning more of how to honor God? Do you have enthusiasm that is grounded in faith? Are you doing those things that are authorized by the Lord? Those of Matthew 7:21-23 were no doubt enthusiastic but such was vain in that they failed to do the will of God. Thanks to Hershel and to Buddy Ray for presenting lessons last Sunday evening and Wednesday evening. I know that you appreciated their lessons. We are glad you are zealous enough to be present this morning. DAN

PLEASE TURN OFF ALL CELL PHONES



**TO KEEP
IN OUR PRAYERS**

A Prayer list is available in foyer
JAMES MOORE, son of Peggy Young remains in critical condition in a San Antonio hospital.
EVA WALKER is recovering from hip replacement surgery last Thursday in Tyler.
CHARLES STEEN will have hip replacement in Tyler next week.
CLAYTON STEEN son of Charles and Betty is cancer free and doing better.
DAVID CARDER has been ill at home.

WELCOME VISITORS

A big hearty welcome to those visiting today. Allow us to meet and greet you following the worship service this morning. At the end of the service today you will be given a gift bag from our congregation.

A hat was passed around a church congregation to take up an offering for the visiting minister.

Presently, it was returned to him...embarrassingly empty.

Slowly, the preacher inverted the hat and shook it meaningfully. Then, raising his eyes heavenward, he exclaimed, "I thank you, Lord, that I got my hat back from this congregation."

THE \$20 vs THE \$1.

Two well worn bills arrived at the Federal Reserve Bank to be retired - a twenty and a one. As they traveled down the conveyor belt, they struck up a conversation. The twenty reminisced about the interesting life he had, traveling all over the country. "I've been to the finest restaurants, Broadway shows, Las Vegas, Atlantic City," he said. "I even went on a Caribbean cruise. Where have you been?"

"Oh," said the one dollar bill, "I've been to the Methodist church, the Episcopal church, the Lutheran church. The Church of Christ"

"What's a church?" asked the twenty.

*This is the day
the Lord has made
let us rejoice and be glad.*
Psalm 118:24



August 14, 2022

PLEASE CONTINUE TO REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Eva Walker had hip replacement surgery this last Thursday in Tyler.

Charles Steen will have hip replacement surgery in Tyler next week.

Carl Rutledge has a torn retina in his eye and is receiving treatment.

Roger Sandoval, brother in law of Rodney Covington, is seriously ill with cancer. Keep him and his family in your prayers.

Dale Watson, cousin of Reba Whitley and Toni Warren, in the death of his wife, Carolyn.

David Carder is having health issues at home.

Sam Ellis has prostate cancer and is still awaiting treatment.

Ralph Wilcher, Gerald Wilcher's brother is recovering from a punctured lung. He also has a mass on his kidney and undergoing tests.

Jeannette Alford is improving following shoulder surgery. She is at home.

Meltha Adam's, aunt of Scott Roberson is seriously ill in South Carolina.

James Moore, son of Peggy Young is in serious condition in San Antonio following a heart attack.

Debbie Warren continues to recover from surgery. She is doing better.

Rick Giles is recovering from elbow surgery. He is home.

Clayton Steen, son of Charles and Betty Steen, is cancer free still awaiting a liver transplant. Pray for him.

Mary Ann Colling (Doug Rader's mother) has been moved to Windermere

Daniel York has cancer and has asked for prayer. (friend of Mary and Bob Stech)

Jerry Thornton of Canton, is undergoing additional cancer treatment for cancer.

Deborah Hagemeyer has cancer and asked for our prayers.

Kenneth Holland is still having breathing issues.

Remember those in nursing homes and the homebound in your prayers.

Courtney Bell, Odessa Boyette, Patsy Bush, Mary Ann Colling, Ruth Cox, Blackie Foreman, Jerry Graham, Sue Grubbs, Gerry Hahn, Bobby Johnson, Miki Kiser, Jessie Kraus, George Lester, Lanova Mitchell, David Mitchell, John Mottern, Irma Ray, Martha Sims, Marlene Thompson, Gary and Emalie Tuschoff, Charlie Young and Loretta Young, and Mary Ann Colling. **NOTE:** We try to update the prayer list each week. When people are improving and doing better we remove their names and add new ones who have asked to be on the list. We need those of you who are acquainted with those on the prayer list to let us know when they are improving. If you know of someone who needs to be on the supplement prayer list or removed, please notify us in the church office. The Elders