

Teen News

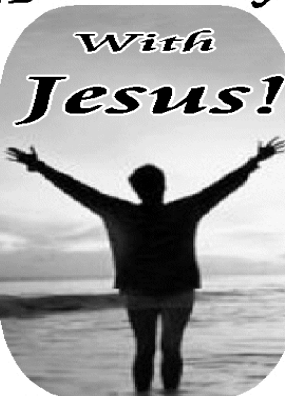
Thanks to those who stayed after church last Sunday night for the devo. We had a great time, the food was good and we had a lot of laughs. Kendall also learned what animal, pork chops come from. HAHA!! We really do have a lot of fun along with learning God's word. If you haven't been coming to the devo's, I want to encourage all of you to start attending and bring a friend along with you. Today after the morning service, we are meeting in the activity building for lunch. After we eat, we will take the bus over to the bowling alley. All youth who would like to go are welcome.

BEN

WAKE UP! CHRISTIAN PARENTS

We have a major spiritual crisis in our nation. The latest polls show that 7 out of every 10 children raised in the church are leaving the church by their second year of college. The two main reasons for this is worldly influences and lazy parents. Many parents have forgotten that it is their Christian duty to raise their children up in the way of the Lord (Deut. 6:6; Prov. 22:6; Eph. 6:4). If you are not teaching your children about God, by your example or teaching them the importance of God's Word, then you may lose your children to the world. If the current trend continues, the church will die out in America. We can defy the current polls by taking action and making time to teach our children about God in our homes. We should not expect our children to get all their education about God at church because it is not enough. Your children are being influenced by the world in many ways. For example, when you send your children to public school, not only are they taught the fundamentals of education, they are taught that evolution is a fact instead of theory. They are being taught to think that we should not oppose worldly views. Instead, we should accept them and just call them alternative lifestyles. They are also being taught there is no absolute truth and many other things that are contrary to God's Word. Many of these teachings are coming from their textbooks. The world understands that if they can train our children with information like this, that they can change our nation. Adolf Hitler understood this, which is why he said: "Let me control the textbooks and I will control the state..." During a speech he delivered on November 6, 1939 Hitler said: "When an opponent declares, 'I will not come over to your side,' I calmly say, 'Your child belongs to us already.... What are you? You will pass on. Your descendants, however, now stand in the new camp. In a short time they will know nothing else but this new community.'" Not only do we have to combat worldly views our children are learning from their textbooks, they are being influenced by their worldly friends. Peer pressure is very powerful because most do not want to stand out from what is popular. On top of this, they are being influenced by Hollywood and by the Internet. Think about it! Selected

START and END Each Day



Doubts and fears arise early in the morning, and late at night.

Start each day by taking Jesus and His love with you. Bring each day to a close by remembering His faithful promise, "I Am With You Always!"

When doubts and fears do arise, He will comfort you, He will guide you, He will keep you, He will sustain you!

Even in the midst of turmoils, you are not alone.

Jesus is with you ---- ALWAYS!

So START and END Each Day With HIM!

DOOR GREETERS –Jan. 25, 2015

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GIVE ME THE BIBLE T.V. Program
KETK-56 Tyler, TX.
FOX 44– Waco, TX.
FOX 33 Shreveport, La.
FOX 29, Bryan-College Station, TX.
NBC 53– Lufkin, TX.
ASSEMBLY TIMES
Sun: 9:30 AM Class
10:30 AM Worship
6:00 PM Evening
Wed: 7:00 PM

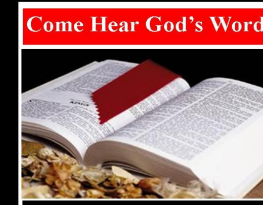
"Give Me The Bible Annual Conference"

"Souls Redeemed In 2015"



John Hafner

Topic
"The Gospel Still Saves"



Join us for a day of spiritual enrichment singing, preaching, and an opportunity to view and purchase books from the Gospel Advocate Bookstore.



Mark Engel

Topic
"The Gospel, Preach It, LIVE IT!"



Saturday Jan. 24th 9 a.m.

Crockett Rd. Church of Christ
1717 Crockett Rd.
Palestine, Texas 75801

The Noon Meal Will Be Catered at \$7.50 per person

Join us for a wonderful day of fellowship and encouragement

GIVE ME THE BIBLE CONFERENCE SET FOR SATURDAY.



From Dan's desk:

Each year we are privileged to host the "GIVE ME THE BIBLE" conference here at Crockett Rd. I am looking forward to the event this year. We have two good speakers and I know that they will do a good job. We hope you will want to join us next Saturday. The event will draw a lot of visitors from other congregations. We hope to have a good representation from the church here. The meal will be catered again this year and the cost is \$7.50 per adult. The Gospel advocate Bookstore from Dallas will also be here with a big book display. He will be bringing Bibles, lecture books, cards, and many other Biblical materials. You will enjoy viewing the materials and many often make purchases for their home congregation. It was good to be a part of the Ft. Worth Lecture series this last week. I spoke on Monday afternoon and Tuesday night.. People gathered from all over the metroplex area as well as from other cities in Texas and many from out of state also. It was a great lectureship. We are currently supporting several young men in the Brown Trail school of preaching. I am thankful for the good work that the church there is doing in terms of training young men to preach the Gospel of Christ. Dale and I feel that this is one of the best works we are involved in at present. Bob Stapleton is the director of the school and doing a good job by encouraging these young men. We are glad you are here this morning. We hope to see you tonight as we gather again for the worship of our Lord.

DAN

PLEASE TURN OFF ALL CELL PHONES



TO KEEP IN OUR PRAYERS

LINDA ALLEN will have her foot amputated on Jan. 28th. in Tyler. **SHERRI CHAMBLESS** saw her oncologist this past week for a complete diagnosis & treatment plan.

MICKEY BOWLES will have a new stent put in this Friday in Ft. Worth.

GENE MASON, nephew of Billy & Liz Mason, has learned he has cancer.

Please continue to pray for those with continuing illnesses. Please pick up a prayer list for these names.

TIPTON CHILDRENS HOME

The Tipton Children's Home truck will be here on January 27th to pick up any donations we have collected. They are asking for paper towels, toilet tissue, Kleenex and napkins again. Please keep this in mind when shopping.

SYMPATHY



Our sympathy is extended to Lois & Robert Duzan in the death of her son-in-law, **Donnie Harmon** of Houston. His services were held on Friday in Houston.

GIVE ME THE BIBLE CONFERENCE

Is coming up next Saturday, Jan. 24th. We are the host congregation and we would love to have a great representation of our members. Please sign the list in the foyer, if you are planning to attend. A poster listing speakers and activities is placed on the bulletin board.

MONDAY NIGHT FOR THE MASTER

Our first Monday Night for the Master for this year will take place on Monday, January 26th. We will meet at 6:15 for a meal, and begin our works at 7 PM. Please make it a resolution this year to get involved in this great work. Everyone can do something! The most appreciated work we do, is the card ministry, where everyone signs cards to the ill, bereaved or thinking of you cards.

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. "It is a small gift, but it comes from big hearts." Thanks again for coming.