



We strive to Be: A church devoted to making disciples of Jesus Christ, growing in knowledge and relationship with God and each other.

Today's Events

Parent Meeting/LTC Meeting immediately following worship in the youth room.

LTC Practices

Upcoming Events

Feb. 22-FISH @ The Smith's
7-8:30

Feb. 23-No Ladies Class, next week's class will be Lesson 12.

Feb.24-Wednesday Meal-
Chicken Pot Pie, Fruit Salad, Rolls, Dessert

Feb. 27-Service Saturday, 9-12

Feb. 28-LTC Practice

Feb. 29-FISH @ The Smith's

Mar. 2-Wednesday Meal

Mar. 6-Youth Devo, 5-7

Mar. 7-FISH

Mar. 7-Missions Meeting

Mar. 9-Wednesday Meal

Mar. 12-WinterJam in OKC.
We will meet at the building and leave around noon.

Mar. 13-Daylight Savings
Time, Turn your clocks UP 1 hour

Mar. 13-Elders/Deacons
Meeting, 8:00

Mar. 14-FISH

Mar. 16-Wednesday Meal

Mar. 19-Easter Egg Hunt & Picnic

Mar. 20-LTC Fundraiser
Banquet following morning worship in the education building.

Order of Worship

Song Leader.....Glenn Walker
#789.....Father
#118.....God Has Smiled On Me
Welcome.....**Adam Smith**
Scripture.....1 John 4:7-21
Opening Prayer.....Terry Sherrill
#790.....Lord, Take Control
#383.....Jesus, Keep Me Near The Cross
Communion Talk.....Brian Wright
Brian Wright Gene Schroeder Dennis Hartman Ahmed Groce
Shawn Tuohy Brent Dittmeyer Link Setser Joe Steffens
.....Dismiss to Children's Church
#123.....The Steadfast Love Of The Lord
#122.....The Love Of God
#121.....Come, Let Us All Unite To Sing
Sermon.....Erik Granberg
#3.....Hallelujah Praise Jehovah
Announcements.....Gordon Jantz
Shepherd's Prayer.....Jerry Rogers

Nursery.....Brigitte Elledge, Jesse Elledge
Lock Up.....David Burford & Dudley Darrow

Life Group Questions:

Thought: In the beginning God put man in the garden of Eden and told him to work and take care of it. God has also given man dominion over all of the animals. One mentality when talking about nature and natural resources is a "user" or "consumer" mentality...how can I get the most, the fastest, from what I have. The other is that of "responsibility" or "care taker" of the world.

1. What stood out to you from today's sermon?
2. How do we as Christians find the balance between using up the world and protecting the world?
3. What difference can we make in the world and how?



Prayer List

Tyler Weldon-went home Wednesday. He is Debbie Martin's son.

Emily Rousey-has 2 tumors on her liver and is in liver failure. She is in the hospital in Dallas, TX. She is the daughter of Ken & Jo Edwards.

Johna Wright-is recovering from neck surgery.

Carol Jantz-had a heart cath Thursday. She has 80 % blockage in the right coronary. She will have a stent put in this week at Oklahoma Heart Hospital in OKC.

Cathy Berry-had gallbladder surgery Friday and is home recovering.

Karianne Myrick-is having a lot of back pain.

Birthdays

February:

21st...Joey Burnett, Jlm Diel,
.....Cheryl McNabb
22nd...Makenna Wright
23rd...Renny Hartman
25th...Chase Coldwater
26th...Jovita Lang

Pantry

The pantry is in need of **paper** sacks. If you have some you don't need, please bring them and put them in the kitchen.

We helped 80 families this past Thursday in pantry.

Record for 02-14-16

Morning Worship.....201
Bible Class.....134
Life Groups.....nc
Contributions.....\$4,904.71
Budget.....\$7,211.52
2016 YTD Cont.....\$49,449.16
2016 YTD Budg.....\$50,480.64

The God of Love

So many neat and interesting stories are found in the Bible. From prophets performing crazy sign-acts to elaborate their teachings, to Jesus feeding thousands of people for dinner. The Bible has so much to teach us about how we interact with the Divine. There's a really cool story near the end of Exodus.

By the time of this story both God and Moses are worn out dealing with the Israelites. Moses has already helped God calm down from the anger of the golden calf incident. But Moses is tired too. He's tired of the bickering. He's tired of the complaining. He's tired of having a brother who is supposed to be a spiritual leader helping the people in following the Lord actually help the people worship an idol!

In Exodus 34 the Lord appears to Moses. Exodus 32 contains the story of the golden calf incident. In chapter 33 Moses meets with the Lord. And In chapter 34 Moses sees the glory of the Lord. What a great privilege Moses is allowed. Most likely no one has seen the Lord in this way since the garden. Not since humanity first began interacting with the Divine has the Lord been willing to be present in this way. Yet with Moses the Lord shows up. But why?

I think the Lord provides the answer in 34:6-7: "Yahweh! The Lord! The God of compassion and mercy! I am slow to anger and filled with unfailing love and faithfulness. I lavish unfailing love to a thousand generations. I forgive iniquity, rebellion, and sin. But I do not excuse the guilty. I lay the sins of the parents upon their children and grandchildren; the entire family is affected -- even children in the third and fourth generations." God needs Moses and the Israelites to know the kind of Divine Presence they are following. This is the same God we serve and follow. The Lord who is present. That's the kind of love the Lord has. That's the kind of love we are to have. -Adam Smith

Red River Family Encampment

If you are interested in going as a group to Red River Family Encampment this Summer June 25th-28th, please let Cathy know by February 28th, so housing arrangements can be made. For more information, please see Pam Denney.

Please check the kitchens for your dishes. We have had 3 funeral dinners in the last month and the dishes are piling up. Be sure to take your dish home.

Interested In doing a devotional for the Men's Breakfast? If so sign the sheet on the welcome center in the foyer. For any questions, please see Shawn Tuohy.