



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

Today's Events

May 13-Mother's Day

Upcoming Events

- May 16-Wednesday Meal-Soft Tacos, Chips, Dessert**
- May 20-Senior Sunday**
- May 23-Wednesday Meal-Pizza, Salad, Dessert**
- May 23-Blood Drive**
- May 30-Salad Supper**
- June 1-2-LCCC Beginner Session (Grades 3-4)**
- June 5-Sumer Ladies Class**
- June 10-16-LCCC Junior Session (Grades 5-7)**
- June 24-30-LCCC Oasis Session (Grades 4-12)**
- July 3-Summer Ladies Class**
- July 8-14-LCCC Xtreme Week (Grades 8-12)**
- July 15-21-LCCC Senior Session (Grades 8-12)**
- July 22- Week of VBS**
- Aug. 7-Summer Ladies Class**

Order of Worship

Song Leader **Sean Sellers**
 Come Let Us Sing
 #390 Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah
 #226 Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing
Welcome/Scripture: Ephesians 1:3-4 **Erik Granberg**
Opening Prayer **Gene Denney**
 #276 Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus
 #376 He Paid a Debt
Communion Talk **Jim Long**
 Jim Long Robb Mills Alan Lindsay Clay Calfee
 Brett Thornton Bryce Thornton Roger Owen Zach Guymon
 #885 How Beautiful Heaven Must Be
 **Dismiss Children**
 #610 I Love My Savior, Too
Sermon **Erik Granberg**
 #359 I Love the Lord
Welcome/Announcements **Gordon Jantz**
Shepherd's Prayer **John Wright**

Children's Worship **Lisa Granberg**
Nursery **Mary Sherrill; Kim Spencer**
Sound Booth **Robb Mills**
Slides **Terry Sherrill**
Lock Up **Wayne Williams; Brian Wright**

Sermon Scripture: James 3:13-18

Sermon Thought: Wisdom and knowledge are not synonyms. Though many people aspire to obtain knowledge in our world today, few pursue wisdom. In reality, knowing the scriptures is much different than actively applying it to our daily lives. As evidence of genuine faith, James charges the believers to act wisely.

Sermon Questions:

1. How has knowledge, even that of the Bible, become a false measurement of wisdom?
2. Listed are several themes, take a couple minutes and, for each topic, discuss where have you absorbed most of your learning for it: finances, parenting, marriage, work, relationships, or insert your own.
3. What are some tangible ways you seek to incorporate wisdom in your life?

Prayer List

Those affected by the wildfires.

Margaret Jenkinson- Is in Golden Oaks Skilled Nursing #144

Roy Ball- Leonard Ball's brother; multiple health issues

Debbie Martin-continued problems from eye surgery

Record for 5-06-18

Bible Class.....	105
Morning Worship	155
Life Groups	NA
Contribution	\$6,874.50
Budget	\$6,634.62
2018 YTD Cont.....	\$101,117.06
2018 YTD Bdgt.....	\$119,423.16

Birthdays

May:

13th Landon Geitzenauer
13th Margaret Jenkinson

14th Joe Williams

15th Isaac Taylor
15th Wayne Williams

18th Kaylen Roitsch
18th Kelsey Sellers
18th Andy Ward

20th Seth Barr

Rest

I once heard someone say in passing that he had an extreme dislike of Thomas Edison. This sounded odd since Thomas Edison, inventor of the light bulb, died in 1931. So, I made an inquiry as to why. He said, "I don't get enough sleep because of Thomas Edison! If he had never invented the lightbulb I would be forced to go to bed when the sun went down, wake up when it rose, and I would get so much more rest!"

Many of us could use more rest. Instead, we set alarms for the wee hours of the morning only to hit "snooze" too many times. Then we stay up past midnight vegging in front of the television, only to get up and do it all over. I know several who would say that taking time to rest is just an excuse to be lazy. Also take note that the only one of the "10 Commandments" we don't emphasize is about rest, "*Remember the Sabbath day by keeping it holy. Six days you shall labor and do all your work, but the seventh day is a sabbath to the Lord your God. On it you shall not do any work...*," Exodus 20:8.

I want to encourage you to find time to rest, but...when I say rest, I don't mean taking a nap at the closest place you can find out of sheer exhaustion. I mean, intentionally find a time, place, or activity that brings you to a place of inner peace and stillness. For some this is fishing or sewing. For others it may be creating a setting of complete silence; no cell phone, no hum of overhead lights. God created us, and when he did, he created with the need to rest.

If you are not sure where to start, then take a few minutes to reflect upon these words from scripture: Matthew 11:28, "*Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest,*" Psalm 4:8, "*In peace I will lie down and sleep, for you alone, LORD, make me dwell in safety,*" Psalm 23:2, "*he leads me beside quiet waters, he refreshes my soul,*" Philippians 4:6., "*Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God.*" **Erik Granberg**

Lariat Creek Christian Camp

Online registration is now available for Lariat Creek Christian Camp on their website: www.lariatcreek.org. If interested, please check out all the sessions available. The first session is Beginners Session and it will be June 1st and 2nd.

Westview Boy's Home

Westview Boy's Home mission trip is planned for May 31-June 3. This trip is for anyone who would like to go, with no out of pocket cost. Please sign up by May 15th. Let Michael Manley know if you are interested in going or have questions about it. Michael's number is (580)542-1981.

Senior Sunday

Senior Sunday for our 2018 seniors will be May 20th. Bibles are in the lobby to write a message to them. This year we have four graduating: Brett Thornton, Kayla Olson, Mayson Pettus, and Colby Long. Following church, there will be a short time to give congratulations and have snacks.

Blood Drive

Our blood drive will be May 23rd from 5-8 pm. Please sign up in the foyer if you are interested.