



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

Life Groups: See Welcome Center for more information

Upcoming Events

- Feb. 26**-Ladies' Class 10:00 am
- Feb. 27**-Wed. Meal: Pizza, Caesar Salad, Strawberries & Grapes, Chocolate Trifle
- Mar. 3**-New Quarter Begins
- Mar. 5**-Ladies' Class 10:00 am
- Mar. 6**-Wed. Meal: Chicken Tortillas, Green Beans, Relish Tray, Hot Rolls, Dessert
- Mar. 7**-Sew-In: 1-4 P.M.
- Mar. 10**-Elders/Deacons Meeting 8:00
- Mar. 12**-Ladies' Class 10:00 am
- April. 13**-Spring Cleaning Day
- April 14**-Elders/Deacons Meeting 8:00
- April 15**-Alva Bible Chair Lunch

Record for 2-17-19

Bible Class.....	73
Morning Worship.....	136
Contribution	\$3,308.29
Life Group	25
Families Served at Pantry.....	54
Total People Served at Pantry....	160

Birthdays:

February

- 25th** Chase Coldwater
- 26th** Jovita Lang
Chris Taylor
- 28th** Carol Baxter
Beverly Summers

Order of Worship

Song Leader	Glenn Walker
#779.....	I Love You, Lord
#446.....	Hear, O Israel
Welcome/Scripture: John 3:16-18	Erik Granberg
Opening Prayer	Roger Owen
.....	Amazing Grace-My Chains Are Gone
.....	Jesus Keep Me Near the Cross
Communion Talk	Danny Powers
Danny Powers	Wayne Williams
Mike Manley	Kevin Hurt
#431.....	Carl Dowell
.....	Bryce Thornton
.....	Brent Dittmeyer
#794.....	Break Thou the Bread of Life
.....	Dismiss Children
.....	Unto Thee, O Lord
#590.....	Your Loving Kindness
Sermon: Daniel 2 "Crumbled Dreams".....	Erik Granberg
#679.....	'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus
Welcome/Announcements	Gordon Jantz
Shepherd's Prayer	John Wright
Children's Worship	Mandy Coker; Tammi Long
Nursery	Susan Oldham; Charlotte Owen
Sound Booth	Robb Mills
Slides	Terry Sherrill
Lock Up	Robb Mills; Cory Moore

Sermon Scripture: Daniel 2

Sermon Thought: Today's sermon title, "Crumbled Dreams," has a double meaning. First, Nebuchadnezzar's dream had a crumbling statue. Second, people have dreams of doing GREAT things...sometimes those dreams crumble, just like Nebuchadnezzar's kingdom one day would. Kids sing a song about building our house (or life) on the rock. God is that rock and only it is lasting.

Sermon Questions:

1. Why do people often have too much confidence in their own abilities?
2. Respond to this quote, "I don't always trust God, but when I do, he always shows me why I should."
3. What stood out to you from today's sermon?

Created all Things

New Prayer Concerns:

- **Gordon & Carol Jantz**-loss of Gordon's uncle Ernie Dirks 2/20
- **Jovita Lang**-loss of her brother, Terry Traynor 2/17
- **Colin McPherson**-grandson of Carol & Gordon Jantz; having tests for elevated liver function
- **Tuohy Family**-loss of Michael Tuohy, Shawn's father 2/10
- **Dowell Family**-Gary Dowell (Carl Dowell's brother) passed away 2/5
- **Sean & Kelsey Sellers**-currently in the Philippines
- **Youth and Family Minister search**

Next Week's (3/3) Servants:

Song Leader:	Robb Mills
Opening Prayer:	Dennis Hartman
Communion Talk:	Cory Moore
Lead Servant:	Bryce Thornton
Servers:	Danny Powers Jerod Burford David Burford Cooper Thornton Kevin Hurt Carl Dowell
Shepherd's Prayer:	Brent Dittmeyer
Sound Booth:	Dudley Darrow
Nursery Attendants:	Reeta Williams Wendy Taylor
Children's Worship:	Mandy Coker Tammi Long

The Fall Ladies' Day sign-up sheet is on the Welcome Center. Please take a moment to find a committee you would like to serve in and sign up!

"Touched by the Master's Hand"

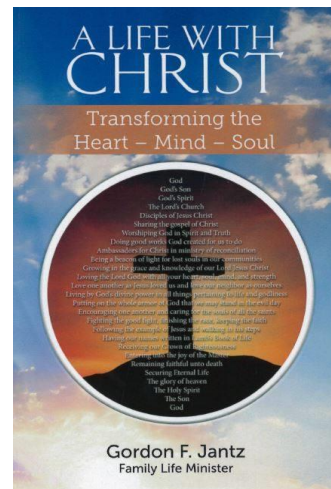
There seems to be a human yearning to be in the presence of someone famous or at a location that is noted for its historical significance. It was a neat feeling when I was greeted by Dick Chaney, the former Vice President of the United States when I was working in the Pentagon. I have been blessed to be at the rock believed to be the one Moses struck to bring forth water for the Israelites. My thoughts and emotions ran wild as I stood by a lighthouse in Thessaloniki, Greece where the apostle Paul probably stood during his missionary journey there. These are all neat experiences, but we have an even greater one each and every day we live.

You see, the people we know and meet, the trees and flowers we see, the magnificent beauty of the stars have all been **touched by the Master's hand**. That is, the hand of Jesus who **created all things**. Paul writes, "*Ever since the creation of the world his [God's] invisible nature, namely, his eternal power and deity, has been clearly perceived in the things that have been made*" (Rom. 1:20). We stand in his awesome presence as we go about our daily lives, and everything about us has been **touched by the Master's hand**. I want us to feel the joy of that reality – to savor each esteemed moment we have in his presence – to be inspired by the knowledge that we are valued and esteemed vessels **touched by the Master's hand**. We are part of history – the history of God redeeming his people through the sacrifice of his only Son. That means we are now famous because we are heirs of the Kingdom of Heaven. Wow! How much better can it get? Christ Jesus our Lord satisfies all our human yearnings as we give ourselves to him. Then "*it is no longer I who live but Christ who lives in me*" (Gal. 2:20). Yes, we have truly been **touched by the Master's hand**.

Gordon

Thank You

I want to extend a special **Thank You** to the precious saints who prepared food and helped serve the funeral meal for Jovita Lang's family in honor of her brother, Terry Traynor. The decorations were beautiful, the food delicious, and the caring service exceptional. It was truly a blessing to Terry's family. May God richly bless each of you. *Gordon*



Gordon still has copies of his "A Life with Christ" book available if anyone would like a personal copy or one for family members and friends. They are \$10 each. See Gordon if you are interested.