

Those to Serve

(B) Judd Wall
(FV) Doug Pruett
(O) Mike Lovell
(A) Jorge Garza
1st prayer Will Vann
2nd prayer Jack Wall
Announcements: Keith Stifflemire
Singing: Mike Mallett

Prayer List:

Dora Martinez
Lynn Parker
Tammy Parker
Kadence Payne
Anita Adams
Virginia Lovell
Letha Sheldon
Pray for our Nation
Our Troops
Law Enforcement
Rescue Personnel

Happy Birthday

Vernon Houts Sept. 24th
Judy Grant Sept. 28th
Autumn Vann Sept. 29th
Judd Wall October 10th
Mike Mallett Oct. 21st
Haley Day Oct 21st
Ruby Jones Oct. 24th

September 23rd

Autumn Begins

September 24th

Noon Fellowship

October 1st

Mission Sunday

October 9th

Columbus Day

October 29th

Noon Fellowship

Don't Wait Too Late

A gas station employee working the cash register was swarmed with last minute customers on a holiday weekend. He shook his head in disgust and said to a preacher who was in the line, "It is funny to me that people always wait until the last minute to prepare for a trip they know they are going to take." "I know," said the preacher, "I have the same problem in my business."

Read **Matthew 25:1-13.**

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Attending church services regularly is like making a path through the forest: the more often you use it, the less obstruction you find in the way."

Sunday Worship:

Will Vann, Preacher

9:30 am Bible Study

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10:20 am Worship

Email: wvann@yahoo.com

12:30 pm Afternoon

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Wednesday Night

6:00 pm

Some Facts About Sin

- Sin is always lurking (Gen 4:7)
- One arrives at sin starting with temptation (James 1:14-15)
- Failing to do good is sin (James 4:17)
- Doing what God prohibits bring a penalty (Gal 5:19-21)
- God's law brings knowledge of sin, not forgiveness (Rom 3:20)
- Sin is breaking God's law (Rom 7:7; 1 Jn 3:4)
- The result of sin is death (James 1:15)
- The death sin brings is also spiritual (Eph 2:1-5)
- Sin twists our nature into children of wrath (Eph 2:3)
- Sin brings futility to the mind (Eph 4:17-19)
- Sin darkens the heart (Rom 1:21-22)
- Sin leads to social depravity (Rom 1:28-32)
- All are twisted in sin (Rom 3:10-18)
- Everyone has sinned (Rom 3:23)
- When we sin, it makes its dwelling in us (Rom 7:17)
- Sin weakens our will (Rom 7:17-19)
- Sin brings bondage to it (Jn 8:34)
- Sin alienates one from God (Is 59:2)
- Sin hides God's face so that he does not hear (Is 59:2)
- Only Jesus has the authority to forgive sins (Mt 9:6)
- Only Jesus can free one from sin (Jn 8:36)
- Christ earned our forgiveness at the cross (1 Cor 15:1-4)
- Those buried and raised with Christ are freed from slavery to sin (Rom 6:1-7)
- Those buried and raised with Christ and are now slaves of righteousness (Rom 6: 17-18)
- One who is born again no longer makes a practice of sin (1 Jn 3:6-10)

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Some Facts About God's Word

- God has spoken through what has been made (Ps 19:1-4; Rom 1:19-20)
- God has spoken through the forefathers and the prophets (Heb 1:1)
- God spoke to us in these last days through his Son (Heb 1:2)
- Jesus, the Word, became flesh and lived among us (Jn 1:14)
- It is reliable (Ps 119:89; 2 Pet 1:19)
- Written by those who were carried by the Spirit (2 Pet 1:20-21)
- It makes us wise (Ps 119:99; 2 Tim 3:15)
- All Scripture is God-breathed (2 Tim 3:16a)
- Useful for teaching, reproof, correction, & training in righteousness (2 Tim 3:16b)
- It stands forever (Is 40:8)
- It is not ineffective (Is 55:10-11)
- It is truth that sanctifies (Jn 17:17)
- Is living and active (Heb 4:12a)
- Discerns and judges our thoughts and intentions (Heb 4:12b)
- It is sweeter than honey and more desirable than gold (Ps 19:10)
- Keeping God's word comes with great reward (Ps 19:11)
- The godly person meditates on God's word, which brings blessing (Ps 1:1-3)
- God's written word includes law, instruction, history, narrative, proverbs, parables, songs, poetry, prophecy, letters, prayers, sermons, and gospel.
- It is our life (Dt 8:3; Mt 4:4; Jn 6:63)
- We must be doers of it and not just hearers (James 1:22)
- Christ is the center of God's word (John 5:39-40)
- Must not add to or take away from God's commands (Dt 4:2)

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