

FAMILY NEWS

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Sunday Morning Counter

Counter: Tommy Davis

Attendance:

06/02/2019

Worship: 444

Bible Class: 289

Contribution for May: \$91,878.00

Budget for May: \$134,000.00

Behind budget for Year: \$183,333.00

Mission Special Goal: \$166,000.00

Mission Special Received: \$151,259.33

Extending Sympathy

Q.T. "Buddy" Freeman Jr., uncle of Judy Brittell, passed away on Monday, June 3 in North Bend, Oregon. Services were pending at time of print. Please keep the Freeman and Brittell family in your prayers during this difficult time.

Disc Golf

Would you like to learn how to play Disc Golf? King Buchanan would like to offer an opportunity to learn how to play! For more information call Kevin Bryant, our Sports Ministry Leader, at (806) 392-4427.

3rd on Broadway Talent Show

Our annual First Responders Event will showcase Broadway's talent! To try out for the show talk with Josiah Jones or call him at (806) 763-0464. Try-outs will be June 23 and June 26.

Sunday Morning Doors

Unlock: Larry Dennis and Robert Loveless

Lock: Rodney Thomas

Carpenter's Kitchen Safety

Jim Crownover

Extending Sympathy

Paula Ann Baker Stephens, sister of James Baker, passed away Saturday, May 25. Her services were Saturday, June 01 at First Baptist of Garland. Please keep the Baker and Stephens family in your prayers during this difficult time.

Mama Nel's

Needs volunteers! If you would be interested in helping our community, please contact Jill Moudy at (806) 239-5515.

Baby Shower

Join us Today Sunday, June 9 to honor Melanie Benfield from 2:00 - 3:30 p.m. in the home of Kaley Ihfe - 3119 32nd Street. Melanie and Theodore are registered at Target and Amazon. In lieu of a card, please bring a signed book for Theo.

Baby Shower

Join us Today Sunday, June 9 to honor Lindsey Holt from 2:00-3:30 p.m. in the home of Judith Oliver - 1017 Oakridge Ave. Lindsey and baby girl are registered at Target and Amazon.

Prayer of Concern: Howard Babb, McKenna Babcock, Jana Barnhill, Joyce Branham, Glenna Bowyer (mother of Laura Hon), Burks & Moudy Families, Kelly Christian (daughter-in-law of Larry Christian), John Crumpler, Gisonno Family, Raymond Gonzales (father of Mark Gonzales), Linda Hall, Frank Harmon, Eddie Harris, Monte & Becky Holmes, Hon Family, Misty Isbell (daughter of Ricky and Sheila Jordan), Carol McDonald, Todd McGilton, Dixie McWilliams, Frank Mullican, Michele Neil (daughter of Gene Whitney), Parrish Family, David and Becky Roach, Judy Sexton (daughter of Mabel Jarrett), Sandy Solomon (sister of Mary Ann Loveless), Rebecca Talley, Sheila Veach, Evelyn Whitmire, Danny Wren, & Wright Family. Please write prayer requests on the communication card or call the office at (806) 763-0464.



New Video Screens

We are updating! New video screens will be installed in the Auditorium. You will see scaffolding until this process is complete. We are excited for our new screens for many reasons! It will be easier to see, easier to repair, and our baptistry will be viewable at all times! If you have any questions about this process or our new screens, please call the church office at (806) 763-0464.

Follow Jesus

by Rodney Thomas

Have you ever wondered what it was like when God told Jesus about His plan to come to earth and suffer and die? We are not really told about that conversation, but we do know that He came, He loved, He suffered, He died and He rose again.

I can, however, put myself into what might have transpired if God were to call me to do what Jesus did. I am sure I would have questions, like why? Why now? Perhaps even, the question, if I am honest, of how this benefits me? I likely would have wanted to come to earth after air conditioning was invented, cars, airplanes, after the time when doctors helped more people than they killed, when television had been invented, and maybe after the invention of cellphones and the internet. I would after all want to come when I could be as comfortable and efficient as possible, because after all comfort is important to me.

I am sure as the disciples of Jesus came to understand what it meant to be His followers they had lots of questions. I am sure they too wanted to be comfortable as well. Jesus knew there would be such questions, not only from those disciples, but from those disciples that would follow and He told them: Mark 8:34b-35 **"All who want to come after me must say no to themselves, take up their cross, and follow me. ³⁵ All who want to save their lives will lose them. But all who lose their lives because of me and because of the good news will save them.**

Central to the message of Jesus is that it is not about me, about my comfort, it is all about focusing on the other, the weak, the downtrodden, the unwanted, the disenfranchised, those without power. As a follower of Jesus I am called to push past my own discomfort and sacrifice for others. That is the example of Jesus and it is what it means to be His follower, a Christian. And by the way, God has called me to suffer and die for His kingdom. What about you?



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