ANNOUNCEMENTS, REMINDERS AND EVENTS

03.13.2022

Women's Fellowship Scholarship Applications -- the applications for 2022 are available in the lobby and are due May 1. Contact the office if you want one mailed to you.

Prayer Small Group -- If you would like to be part of a prayer group that would receive prayer requests via text, please contact one of the pastors.

American Heritage Series -- Adults are invited to join Pastor Jim in the fellowship hall each week during the Sunday School hour for historian David Barton's tour of the role of Christians in the founding of America.

Cry Room -- is available at the back of the sanctuary for parents and small children to use during worship service.

Mark Your Calendar for the upcoming *Focus on Life Dinner*, sponsored by Branch County Right to Life on March 29 at St. Mary's and will feature Alex Shadenburg, Executive Director and International Chair for the Euthanasia Prevention Coalition. Let Jennie deAraujo know if you need a reservation.

In Case of Inclement Weather -- Worship service will be available on Facebook or YouTube at 9:30 a.m. Pastors Jim and Dave will normally be at church for those who want to brave the weather and venture out.

February Financial Update

Regular collections	\$14409.50
Average attendance in-house	109
Average attendance online	86



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Ways to Give: Offering plates are in the lobby. Donations can be made online by going to <u>bethelgilead.org</u> (Donate tab), or by scanning the QR code to the left and using PayPal. You can authorize a monthly debit from your bank account by completing a form (on the information desk in the lobby or contact the office).

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Communion Songs:

Come Let Us Worship and Bow Down We Will Glorify the King of Kings To God Be the Glory Glorify Thy Name Hallelujah (verse 1)

"What Kind of a Savior Do We Serve?"

(Luke 16)

Introduction: Money Matters (Luke 16:13-14)

(Luke 16:1-15) The Parable of the Shrewd Manager

- Shrewdness = Astute, sharpwitted, clever
- Financial Integrity
- The heart of the matter
- II. . (Luke 16:19-31) The Rich Man and Lazarus
 - Luxurius Deceptions (Matthew 13:22, James 1:10-11, 5:1-6, Luke 12:16-21)
 - Personal choices and the final state of existence
- III. <u>Wise Money Management</u> (handout)

If you are not trustworthy in handling worldly wealth, who will trust you with true riches? (Luke 16:11)

<u>Application</u>

- I. What kind of a financial manager are you?
- 2. Have you ever attempted to serve both God and money?
- 3. How would you define "true riches"?

Closing Song: Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus

Our Mission

"We honor God through regularly assembling together to worship Him as Lord, study and obey His word, and attend to the needs of His people.

When we leave, we go out commissioned as Christ's representatives to a needy world."

Live the Life with Prayer

Recent additions

Family of Arwen Mallay who passed away on Feb. 8' Family of Bob Barr -- Jen Byler's stepfather. Tom Schoenherr -- UTI Family of Martha Neihardt (Cindy King's mom)

<u>Praises</u>

Larry Lindsey -- recovering from back surgery Anna Mae Wickey -- recovering from pneumonia A successful mission trip to Tijuana Many who have recovered from Covid-19

Continue to Remember Those in Need

The Carpenter Family
Al Miller -- ongoing treatment for tumor on esophagus
Dale Davis -- dialysis and chemo treatments
Russ Heckathorn -- immunotherapy for lung cancer
Lisa Franks -- pain management

Remember Our Homebound/Shut In Members

Norita Skinner -- Maple Lawn Neil Hannah -- at home

Pray for our nation and the world during these uncertain days



Come Let Us Worship and Bow Down

Come let us worship and bow down Let us kneel before the Lord, our God, our Maker

For He is our God and we are the people of His pasture

and the sheep of His hand just the sheep of His hand

We Will Glorify

We will glorify the King of kings We will glorify the Lamb We will glorify the Lord of lords Who is the great I am

Lord Jehovah reigns in majesty We will bow before His throne We will worship Him in righteousness We will worship Him alone

He is Lord of heaven, Lord of earth
He is Lord of all who live
He is Lord above the universe
All praise to Him we give

Hallelujah to the King of kings Hallelujah to the Lamb Hallelujah to the Lord of lords who is the great I am

To God Be the Glory

To God be the glory great things He hath done! So loved He the world that He gave us His Son Who yielded His life an atonement for sing And opened the Lifegate that all may go in.

Praise the Lord, praise the Lord
Let the earth hear His voice!
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord,
Let the people rejoice!
Come to the Father thru Jesus the Son
And give Him the glory -- great things He hath done!

O perfect redemption, the purchase of blood!

To every believer the promise of God

The vilest offender who truly believes

That moment from Jesus a pardon receives.

Praise the Lord, praise the Lord
Let the earth hear His voice!
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord,
Let the people rejoice!
Come to the Father thru Jesus the Son
And give Him the glory -- great things He hath done!

Great things He hath taught us, great things He hath done
And great our rejoicing thru Jesus the Son
But purer and higher and greater will be
Our wonder, our transport when Jesus we see.

Praise the Lord, praise the Lord
Let the earth hear His voice!
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord,
Let the people rejoice!
Come to the Father thru Jesus the Son
And give Him the glory -- great things He hath done!

Glorify Thy Name

Father, we love You, we worship and adore You Glorify Thy name in all the earth.

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Jesus, we love You, we worship and adore You Glorify Thy name in all the earth. Glorify Thy name Glorify Thy name Glorify Thy name in all the earth.

Spirit, we love You, we worship and adore You Glorify Thy name in all the earth. Glorify Thy name Glorify Thy name Glorify Thy name in all the earth.

<u>Alleluia</u>

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus

Turn your eyes upon Jesus, Look full in His wonderful face, And the things of earth will grow strangely dim, in the light of His glory and grace.