ANNOUNCEMENTS AND EVENTS

NOTE

During the quarantine period, please contact the office or Pastor PLEASE Dave with any prayer requests. Giving can be mailed to the church or dropped off or use one of the electronic means listed below. Stamped envelopes with the church's address can be mailed to you. Please call the office before coming to the church to make sure there is someone here to let you in.

> **Donate:** During the month of March, Women's Fellowship will be collecting items for Tommy's House, the transitional home in Coldwater for women coming out of jail. Contact the office about dropping off your donation at the church.

> Outreach Sunday with Rod Snow, ventriloguist and chalk artist, has tentatively been rescheduled to April 19. There will be more information as we get closer to that date.

> Reach out -- Send a note to one of our homebound members. Let them know you are thinking of them and they are in your prayers.

Norita Skinner: Maple Lawn Medical Care Facility, 50 Sanderson Lane. Coldwater

Shirley Bogen: Drews Place, 289 Perkins Street, Coldwater

Rick and Marcia Wilcox -- 22 Edison Court, Coldwater

Eric Smotherman -- 109 Cutter Avenue, Coldwater



Ways to Give -- Donations can be made online by going to bethelgilead.org (Donate tab), or by scanning the QR code to the left. You can also mail or drop off your offering to the office. If you would like an automatic debit once a month, ask the office for an authorization form. If you wish to have giving envelopes mailed, please let the office know.

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"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."



"Eye of the Storm"

How to navigate the coming winds of change

Storm Warnings!

"The rain came down, the winds blew and beat against the house, and it fell with a great crash" (Matthew 7:27)

FACING FEARS:

I. The Fear of Fear

*Biblical Remedy = Faith

Fear Not.... (Joshua 1:9, John 14:1)

Faith comes from hearing the word of Christ (*Romans 10:17*)

The Test of Faith (<u>James 1:2-3</u>)

*Key Questions = Will I trust God?

II. The Fear of Danger

*Loss of life

*Loss of possessions

*Loss of power (control)

Do not fear what they fear....(Isaiah 8:12-14, 1 Peter 3:14-15)

III. The Fear of Change

*Uncertainty and the future (Proverbs 3:5-6)

"The future will not be like the past"

"To follow God you must adjust your life to Him". Henry Blackaby

Application

- 1. What are you afraid of?
- 2. What do you believe?
- 3. What is the foundation of your faith?

.....And the house did not fall because it had its foundation on the Rock.

Matthew 7:24-25

Life the Life with Prayer



Recent additions

Co-worker of Marcia Albright -- loss of 9 month old child

Dan Minard -- Dave's brother, recuperating from pancreatic cancer surgery

Sherry Neesley's niece, Amber -- cancer

Tim Long -- being tested for digestive issues

Family of Kendra Siefken's brother Tom, killed in motorcycle accident

Family of Alice Ratkowski

Keith McGuire -- recovering at home from surgery for aortic aneurysm.

Linda Florent -- recuperating from knee surgery

Mary Butters -- high blood pressure concerns

Sharon Shyrigh -- health issues

Kathy Will's sister, Chris -- heart problems

Shane and Jessie Harris -- loss of newborn

Lynn and Jo Mayer -- pneumonia and bronchitis

Charlie Nussbaum -- 7 year old with brain tumor

Brandon Carpenter -- injured hand

Frank Cabrera's brother - Tito, liver cancer

Melissa Houtz's cousin, Holly Haynes Lamb -- colon cancer

Diane Dudley's brother, Doug, -- lung cancer

Paul Lane -- heart blockage

Praises

Ron Will -- no heart valve replacement needed Gary Ratkowski - clear scan

Continue to Remember Those in Need

Sarah Jane Fair - back and hip pain

Jim Wickey -- several health issues

Neil Hannah -- heart and lung issues

Kristi Long's dad -- prostate cancer

Ashley Howe - salvation and healing

Arwen Mallay -- twelve-year-old being treated for stage 4 neuroblastoma

Russ Heckathorn -- recurrence of lung cancer

Jeff Craft, Sue Craft's son, soft palate cancer

Danielle Howe's father-in-law, Tom -- stage 4 liver cancer; responding to meds

Remember Our Homebound/Shut In Members

Norita Skinner -- Maple Lawn

Bob Rogers -- Aperion Care in Angola

Suette Burnside -- The Laurels

Rick Wilcox - Alzheimer's

Shirley Bogen -- Drew's Place

Eric Smotherman -- COPD