ANNOUNCEMENTS AND EVENTS

Happy Mother's Day to all the Moms today -- we hope your day PI FASE is very special! NOTE

> Women's Fellowship will not be meeting in May. They are very hopeful that everyone can get together in June!

> Morning Devotional Time -- Pastor Dave is on Facebook (BGCC Live) Monday - Friday at 9:00 a.m. leading a devotional time. Spiritual Disciplines are available on the church website, www.bethelgilead.org. or the office can mail you a copy.

> If you want to be part of a Wednesday night (7:00 p.m.) small group on Zoom, let Pastor Dave know so he can text you an invitation.

> **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

Reminder: The words to the opening worship songs are included. Scroll down to the third page.



Ways to Give -- Donations can be made online by going to bethelgilead.org (Donate tab), or by scanning the QR code to the left. If you would like an automatic debit once a month, ask the office for an authorization form

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<u>"Eye of the Storm"</u> Navigating the Winds of Change

Introduction

The Law of the Jungle: Suvival of the Fittest!

- I. Judah Under Siege (Isaiah 30) Survival Tactics
 - 1. (verses 1-5) "Fight"
 - 2. (verses 8-14) "Out of Sight"
 - 3. (verses 126-17) "Flight"
 - 4. (verse 15) Faith in God (*Isaiah 7:6, 26:3*)
- II. How does faith respond? (1 Peter 4:19)
 - 1. Humble submission (*Isaiah 30:18, Psalm 27:13-14*)
 - 2. Willing obedience (Isaiah 40:30-31)
- III. King Hezekiah's Example (Isaiah 36-37)
- IV. <u>The Grand Discovery = God is Able</u>!

*Note (<u>Isaiah 25:9; 43:1-3; 46:4</u>)

And God is able to make all grace abound to you so that in all things at all times, having all you need, you will abound in every good work. (<u>2 Corinthians 9:8</u>)

Application

- 1. Are you a "survivor"?
- 2. What is your survival strategy?
- 3. Have you discovered God's ability yet?

(2 Corinthians 1:8-9)

Live the Life with Prayer

Recent additions

Melvin and Barbara Stutzman's new baby girl -- Makaya Ann, born April 28 Lee Evans -- kidney stones Rick Wilcox -- recuperating from pneumonia John and Kathy Hemker -- recent house fire Family of Sarah Jane Fair's daughter, Diane Family of Kristi Long's Aunt Joyce Family of Wanda Kosmerick Jay Brinkman -- recovering from surgery to remove brain tumor Rick and Marcia Wilcox''s granddaughter, Ashley Steve Byler's sister, Joyce - cancer Ron Will -- eye may be saved, surgery is on hold Jennie deAraujo's cousin's son, Nate, 22 year old with leukemia - waiting for stem cell donor for transplant Co-worker of Marcia Albright -- loss of 9 month old child Dan Minard -- Dave's brother, recuperating from pancreatic cancer surgery Tim Long -- being tested for digestive issues Keith McGuire -- recovering at home from surgery for aortic aneurysm. Mary Butters -- high blood pressure concerns Sharon Shyrigh -- health issues Kathy Will's sister, Chris -- heart problems Shane and Jessie Harris -- loss of newborn Charlie Nussbaum -- 7 year old with brain tumor Frank Cabrera's brother - Tito, liver cancer Melissa Houtz's cousin, Holly Haynes Lamb -- colon cancer Diane Dudley's brother, Doug, -- lung cancer 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 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 Ginny Boatman -- Northern Lakes



Opening Worship

There's Something About That Name

Jesus, Jesus, Jesus; There's just something about that name! Master, Savior, Jesus, Like the fragrance after the rain; Jesus, Jesus, Jesus, Let all Heaven and earth proclaim: Kings and kingdoms will all pass away, But there's something about that name!

Spirit of the Living God

Spirit of the Living God fall fresh on me. Melt me, mold me fill me, use me. Spirit of the Living God fall afresh on me.

I Love You, Lord

I love you, Lord and I lift my voice to worship You O my soul rejoice! Take joy, my King, in what You hear; may it be a sweet, sweet sound in Your ear.