

Prayer Seekers

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Our Faithfulness

Sunday, March 25, 2018

Bible Study 82
 Budget for 2017 \$310,663.00
 Tithes Needed to Date \$71,691.48
 Received to Date \$55,105.59
 Tithes Needed for Weekly Budget Goal \$5,974.29
 Tithes Received this week \$2,903.75

Serving Others

Sunday April 1, 2018

Deacon of the Week Gene Massengale
 Nursery AM Marie LaVair, Jane Smith
 Nursery PM No Evening Services
 Sound Chris McCard
 Video AM Elijah Alford
 Video PM No Evening Services
 Bus Driver Dwane Lewis
Deacon Greeters
 Front Door Gene Massengale
 Organ Greeter W. Greg Brown
 Piano Greeter Aaron Moore

Sunday, April 8, 2018

Deacon of the Week David Mathis
 Nursery AM Shelley McRae, Dianne Huff
 Nursery PM June Whiddon, Betty Hanner
 Sound Carl Hobbs
 Video AM Olivia Lewis
 Video PM Olivia Lewis
 Bus Driver Daniel Lewis
Deacon Greeters
 Front Door David Mathis
 Organ Greeter W. Greg Brown
 Piano Greeter Aaron Moore
Lawn Maint 4/14 Scripture Searchers

Church Staff

David Smith Pastor
 Jonathan Perry Director of Family and Music
 Nikki Brewer Church Secretary
 Judy B. Whitehead Pianist
 Marvin Hobby Organist

Prayer List

Janice Adair
 June Adams
 Elvin Akridge
 Willene Beard
 Lucy Blackwell
 Charles Blanchard
 David Bloomer
 John Blue
 Wayne Blue
 Dr. Jim Britt
 Audrey Brock
 Grady Brock
 Jim Brown
 Vickie Coley
 Lynn Collins
 Silas Creel
 Margie Cromer
 Reba Cross
 Linda Davison
 Deral Dukes
 Farrell Flake
 Marie Gastlay
 Casey Griffin
 Cody Griffin
 Donna Blue Haggerty
 Sybil Hill
 Marvin Hobbs
 Eddie Ingram
 Richard Kennedy
 Tony Kleckley
 Diane Lamb
 Lamb Family
 Gary Wayne Lanneau
 Suzi LaRocca
 Byron McCurdy
 Matthew McRae
 Dustin McKee
 Runean Monroe Family
 Sara Ann Moree
 Frances Nolin
 Evelyn Pankratz
 Ray Pankratz
 Joann Pilkinton

Krista Pylant
 Ben Rainey
 Linda Raper
 Ann Reed
 Donnie Robinson
 Earleen Roper
 Tom Rose
 Luke Scott
 Peggy Smith
 Sarah Smith
 Sue Tuck
 Faye West
 Sharon West
 Hester Whiddon
 Ruth Youngblood
***In Service**
 *Dexter Baker
 *David Bass
 *Chris Britt
 *Lace Burdett
 *Joshua Cass
 *Clay Creel
 *West Griffin
 *Jonathan Hughes
 *Jason Jones
 *Emory, Jeremy,
 & Aaron Lussi
 *Kevin McElveen
 *Robert McMillian
 *Jonathan Nelson
 *Brian Rowland
 *Wesley Stevens
 *Chris Turner Jr.

How To Reach Us

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April 1, 2018



Easter Sunrise Service

Sunday, April 1
 7:00 AM

Between the Fellowship Hall
 and Main Building
 Breakfast to Follow



David, Suzi, Liam, and Pax are happy to introduce Hudson Fitzgerald "Fitz" Mathis. He was born on March 22, 2018 at 8:26AM weighing 9 pounds and 1 ounce and measuring 20.5 inches long.

Men's Bible Study
 The Men's Bible Study will begin the 13 week study "Behold Your God: The Weight of Majesty" at 7:00 PM on April 16.
 The cost of the workbook is \$20.00. Contact Nikki to sign-up and order the workbook April 9.

The Men's Bible Study meet every Monday at 7:00 PM in the Family Ministry Building

Annie Armstrong offering for North American Missions

Church Goal: \$3,500.00
 Received: \$1,175.00

From Our Minister of Music and Family Ministries

We have all heard the saying, "Which came first the chicken or the egg?" There cannot be chickens without eggs. But there be cannot eggs without chickens. They are pretty much a package deal. Aren't we glad God took care of creating the egg and the chicken and we didn't have to worry about it. Faith and works go together as the chicken and the egg. One leads to the other, and the other leads to the one. True faith is shown by good works and good works build a growing faith in true believers.

Our youth and the Sunday school class I am teaching have just started on a study in James. In James 2:14 and following, James said that faith without action is dead. There is no true belief in a believer who has no action. James wanted his readers to understand fully that just having a head knowledge of Christ was not enough. Faith without action is meaningless, worthless, useless, and without any life.

An illustration that I have read that points this out so clearly is that of slicing a dime in half. If you slice a dime in half, the heads piece would have the bust of Franklin D. Roosevelt and be smooth on the other side. The tails slice would have the olive branch, torch, and oak branch on one side and be smooth on the other side. Would each piece be worth 5¢? No. Each would be worthless. Such is the case of faith without works. Without us allowing God to work through us to further his kingdom, faith is worthless.

James points out in 2:19 that even the demons know who God is. They have an intellectual belief in God. A person can't simply claim to be a Christian. A person who truly believes will have a change in lifestyle. Columbus might not have been the first person to believe that the earth was round. But no one cares who first thought about it because they didn't do anything about it. It's one thing to say you believe your boat won't sail off the edge of the world. It's another to pull up your anchor and prove it. Faith in Christ is proven by what you do, not simply by what you believe in your head. If the only evidence that you have faith in Christ is by what you declare, then you might need to reevaluate your faith.

In 2:26, James finished this passage by comparing faith without works to a dead body that is no longer breathing. He could not give a better example. Faith that is defined only by intellectual belief or head knowledge and is not supported by a lifestyle of good deeds is dead. The teaching that we receive salvation by God's grace through faith in Christ is a clear New Testament teaching. James in no way is trying to contradict this teaching. James is merely trying to point out to new Christians that a mere intellectual acceptance of Christ does not lead to salvation. When a person has true faith, then the person will display good works. The two are inseparable. Our actions do not earn us favor with God, but they do serve as proof that we have faith. Does your lifestyle match what you believe? If you took a look at your life from the perspective of someone who just met you, would you say that your behavior reveals a true faith in God?

April Calendar

Sunday, April 1

Easter	
Sunrise Service & Breakfast	7:00 AM
Assembly	9:40 AM
Bible Study	9:45 AM
Morning Worship	11:00 AM
No Evening Services	

Monday, April 2

Men's Bible Study	7:00 PM
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Wednesday, April 3

Ignite	6:00 PM
Team Kid	6:00 PM
Prayer Meeting	6:30 PM
Adult Choir Practice	7:30 PM

Thursday, April 5

Turner Baptist Meeting @ Amboy	
Executive Meeting	6:30 PM
Brotherhood	7:00 PM

Sunday, April 8

Finance Committee Meeting	9:00 AM
Assembly	9:40 AM
Bible Study	9:45 AM
Morning Worship	11:00 AM
Building and Grounds	5:00 PM
Evening Worship/	
Lord's Supper	6:00 PM
Deacons Meeting	7:00 PM

Sermon Topics for April 8, 2018

AM: *Religion Or Jesus Christ?*
Luke 22:63-71

PM: *Christ Reveals The Church: Smyrna*
Revelation 2:8-11

Women's Bible Searchers Conference

Saturday April 21, 2018
Omega Baptist Church
10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Salad Lunch
\$5.00

RSVP by April 9, 2018
omegabaptistchurch@mediacombb.net

The speakers will be
Karen Griffin and
Dorothy Deming

Kairos Prison Ministry Weekend will be April 6-8

If you would like to make cookies have them in the kitchen in the fellowship hall by 5:00 PM on April 3rd. No frosting on cookies please. The cookies need to be boxed or bagged and labeled what kind they are.

The most important ingredient is prayer. Pray as you make them and pray for the ones that will be eating them.

Senior Adults

The Senior Adults will be going to lunch after the morning worship service on April 8. We will be going to Nabila's in Fitzgerald. If you would like to go, please meet by the bus at the front of the church.