

**Those serving...
May 31st-A.M. Services**

Song Leading	Tom Wolaver
Scripture Reading	Tom Parker
Opening Prayer	Calvin McCoy
Lord's Supper	Perry Sims(P)
Jerry Martinez, Jerry Shepherd, Timmy Thomas, Xane Whatley, Duke Allen, Eugene Hendrix	

Delivering Sermon	Keith Dixon
Closing Prayer	Trey Callihan
Media Attendant	Dwayne McCannon
Announcements/Invitation	Tommy Wolaver

May 31st-P.M. Services

Song Leading	John Hughes
Scripture Reading	Jonathan Evans
Opening Prayer	Don Evans
Delivering Sermon	Keith Dixon
Closing Prayer	Tom Wolaver

June 3rd-Wednesday Services

Announcements	Tommy Wolaver
Lead Singing	Don Evans
Opening Prayer	Albert Tolle
Speaker	Neil Richey
Closing Prayer	Frank Long
Media Attendant	DJ Allen

For The Record...

May 24th
Bible Study 66
AM Worship 98
PM Worship 48

May 27th
Bible Study 59

Offering May 24th
\$1972.00

VBS IS ALMOST HERE!

This is always an exciting time! Invite as many family members, kids, teenagers, and neighbors as you can! Ice cream social Friday night!

BREAKFAST REMINDER

The men have breakfast every Wednesday at the Pot Luck Cafe in Monroe. They meet at 9AM.

SUMMER SERIES-OBEY

Patrick Gray kicked off our summer series with a great lesson! Please plan to be here for this series. If you weren't here Wednesday please see John Newham for a copy!



2 WEEKS AWAY!

Wedding Shower
JUNE 14TH

After evening worship we will celebrate the marriage of Josh Sweeney and Jessica Redd with a His/Her shower. Please bring a giftcard/money and a mexican themed dish!

Please keep any electronic devices on silent during worship.
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MAY 31, 2015

Assembly Times:

Sunday
Bible Study-9:30 am
Worship-10:30 am
PM Worship-6:00 pm

Wednesday
Bible Study
Morning-10:30 am
Evening-7:00 pm

ELDERS

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JOHN HUGHES 678-983-8192
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MINISTER
KEITH DIXON

GOD'S PLAN OF SALVATION

Hear	Romans 10:17
Believe	John 8:24
Repent	Acts 17:30
Confess	Romans 10:9-10
Baptized	Acts 22:16
Live Faithfully	Matthew 7:21



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Visitors Welcome!

You are truly our honored guests! We hope that you find our Bible Study and Worship Service beneficial to you. We seek only to worship God in the same manner as done by Christians when the church began in Acts 2. Please stay after services so that we may get to know you. For your convenience, there is a nursery in the foyer for babies up to 18 months old and a toddlers room next to the auditorium.

COME BACK TONIGHT! SERVICES START AT 6PM.



FELLOWSHIP MEAL-AFTER WORSHIP TODAY!
Please stay and have lunch on us! After morning worship join us next door for a meal together!

VBS-JUNE 8-12

Invite your family and friends.

MEN'S BREAKFAST-EVERY WED-9AM~ POT-LUCK-CAFE

SUMMER SERIES ON WEDNESDAY
Ladies Devo Dinner-June 16th at 7pm

NURSING HOME SINGING EVERY 3RD SUNDAY AT 2PM. PLEASE PLAN TO STAY!!

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Causie & Cindy Crane need prayers for strength and comfort due to the loss of their son.
Jerry Cooper is still recovering after his recent illness.
June Handte had to go to the E.R. Please keep her in your prayers.
Jason Cadena, nephew of MaryNell, is waiting on test results.
Art and Edwina Hein need prayers for their health.
John Hughes aunt, Bertha, is terminal with adrenal cancer.
Anita Pettus has been at home due to a back injury. Please send her a card if you can.
Clyde Hill has a head cold.
Jewel Taylor was able to be with us last Sunday! Keep praying!
Sharon Bowden's family is in need of prayer.
Tony Casselle will have back surgery due to a collapsed vertebrae.
Pray for our entire congregation.
IF THERE ARE OTHERS THAT NEED TO BE ON HERE EMAIL:
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Keep the men and women of our military in your prayers

Corey Henry, Barron Crane, Matt Callihan, Jacob Shepherd, Nicholas Stacks, Shilo Crane, Tim Dixon, Josh Blackburn, Matt Shepherd, Ronald Bly

FOOD PANTRY ITEMS-MAY

The pantry is used for members or anyone in need. Please help us be able to keep these items on hand. Let your kids bring them to class. They'll be excited to help!

- Beanitos
- Canned Fruit
- Mayo
- Toilet Paper
- Tooth Brush

VBS SNACKS

If you signed up to bring snacks for VBS please bring them in!!
We are still in need of Cheez-Its, Goldfish, and juice boxes!!
Please help if you can!

Memorial Day

This past Monday was Memorial Day. We are to be thankful to those who have served in the military, who have died. Some died in service while some have died since serving. My father and father-in-law both served during World War 2. I have an uncle who served during Korea. Several of you have served in Viet Nam. We have statues that are scattered throughout our country that honors those who have served. This article will be about memorials.

In Exodus 12 God set up a memorial for the children of Israel. It is called the Passover. It was a time of great anticipation. They were about to leave the land of Egypt, a type of suffering and sin. God gave the command that they were to take a lamb of the first year, without spot. Then, they were to take this animal and slaughter him. The blood was to be applied to the door post and across the top of the door. It was to be applied with a hyssop branch. This was also to be a teaching time. The adults were to teach their children what God had done for them. The other plagues were surly to be taught leading up to this event. The children of Israel were to borrow from the Egyptians clothes, gold, silver, and precious stones. They were to “spoil” the Egyptians. In studying the plagues we do find that land of Egypt was devastated. It was wiped out, now, the children of Israel were to do the same with their “things.” When they children of Israel were told to leave Egypt, Egypt was pretty much a desolated place. This was God’s way of taking care of the children of Israel. The memory of this event was to take place every year at the same time; first month, fourteenth day of the month.

Interesting, the second time they partook of the Passover, was a year later, but it was different. All of the above events had taken place, so this feast was to be done in memory of what had already been done. In studying this event we find that there were some who were unclean because of a dead body, yet, they wanted to partake of this feast. God gave them a law concerning someone who met certain criteria who could partake of it the other time. They could not just miss it because they did not feel like missing it. There were certain reasons and only those reasons could they partake of it at the second time. One wonders if any one of the children of Israel missed the first time? What reason would they give? The time had been announced. The place had been announced. Preparations were to be made, so why miss this most important event?

Let us fast forward several centuries. Christ is coming to the end of His ministry and His life. It is the last Passover feast of His life. He institutes another memorial feast that is to last till He comes again. Luke records that we are to partake of the supper, “in remembrance of me” (Luke 22:19). Paul records this event and this statement is made after the unleaven bread and the cup 1 Corinthians 11:24, 25. Paul also states that we are to teaching

during this time, “For as often as ye eat this bread, and drink this cup, ye do she the Lord’s death till he come” (1 Corinthians 11:26). There are several similarities between the Passover and the Lord’s Supper.

Both of these events were a memorial events. The Passover was to remind them of what took place for the children of Israel to leave Egypt. We are to remember the death, the why of this death, for you and me so that our sins could be forgiven and we stand pure, sanctified, justified before God. We are to remember the suffering that was endured because of our sins. Christ became a sin offering to God for our sins. We need to remember what Christ has done for us.

Both of these events had a time to be taken. The Feast of Passover was to be partake and participated in every year on the fourteenth day of the month. The Lord’s Supper is to be partaken upon the first day of the week. We should not have to say every week. “Remember the Sabbath day, and keep it holy” (Exodus 20:9). They were not told every Sabbath had to be kept. Every week had a Sabbath so they were to keep it. The Christians of the first century met every first day of the week. We also find that the disciples were meeting upon the first day of the week to worship Acts 2 and Acts 20.

Why would one want to miss such an important event? The Lord did recognize some reasons why some could not partake of the Passover so provisions were made to partake of it again. There are some reasons why some can not partake of the Lord’s Supper when the saints meet to worship God. We need to make sure that they are reasons God will accept and not what we think God will accept.

Let us always remember the Lord’s death till He comes. Love, Keith

Those serving...Next Sunday

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BULLETIN INFORMATION

If there is something that needs to be put in the bulletin please email Crissy at trudyblue1@yahoo.com. Please get this info to her before Thursday evening. You can also text her with info at 706-206-8514