

Scriptures Used in Today's Sermon

Colossians 3:1-2

- 1 Therefore if you have been raised up with Christ, keep seeking the things above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God.
- 2 Set your mind on the things above, not on the things that are on earth.

Colossians 2:12-14

- 12 having been buried with Him in baptism, in which you were also raised up with Him through faith in the working of God, who raised Him from the dead.
- 13 When you were dead in your transgressions and the uncircumcision of your flesh, He made you alive together with Him, having forgiven us all our transgressions,
- 14 having canceled out the certificate of debt consisting of decrees against us, which was hostile to us; and He has taken it out of the way, having nailed it to the cross.

Colossians 3:5-9

- 5 Therefore consider the members of your earthly body as dead to immorality, impurity, passion, evil desire, and greed, which amounts to idolatry.
- 6 For it is because of these things that the wrath of God will come upon the sons of disobedience, and in them you also once walked, when you were living in them.
- 7 But now you also, put them all aside: anger, wrath, malice, slander, and abusive speech from your mouth.
- 9 Do not lie to one another, since you laid aside the old self with its evil practice.

Colossians 3:10, 12-17

- 10 and have put on the new self who is being renewed to a true knowledge according to the image of the One who created him.
- 12 So, as those who have been chosen of God, holy and beloved, put on a heart of compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness and patience;
- 13 bearing with one another, and forgiving each other, whoever has a complaint against anyone; just as the Lord forgave you, so also should you.
- 14 Beyond all these things put on love, which is the perfect bond of unity.
- 15 Let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in one body; and be thankful.
- 16 Let the word of Christ richly dwell within you, with all wisdom teaching and admonishing one another with psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing with thankfulness in your hearts to God.
- 17 Whatever you do in word or deed, do all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks through Him to God the Father.

Colossians 1:21-23

- 21 And although you were formerly alienated and hostile in mind, engaged in evil deeds,
- 22 yet He has now reconciled you in His fleshly body through death, in order to present you before Him holy and blameless and beyond reproach,
- 23 if indeed you continue in the faith firmly established and steadfast, and not moved away from the hope of the gospel that you have heard, which was proclaimed in all creation under heaven,

Reference : Colossians 1:13

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WELCOME

Welcome to University we are glad you have come our way. If you are visiting us today we extend a very special welcome to you and would invite you back the next time you are able and we would ask if you would remain after services a brief moment so we might get the chance of meeting you and welcoming you here in person. Also today is our fellowship luncheon please stay and be our guest at the SLC we would love to have you.

Looking for a church home? We would love for you to be a part of our work here. Want to further your study in His word by starting up a group or personal bible study we would love the opportunity of getting together at your convenience. Have a prayer request? Know of a need you would like to pass along please take the time to meet with us. We would love to know how we may serve you.

Remember to download our new church app. Go to the app store and search ucoclawton-oklahoma and download it there. It is where you will have access to our website, a convenient online bible and starting soon our weekly lessons downloaded on line.

Very seldom out in the world of preaching do you ever hear a Now What Follow-up to what has been told when being encouraged to following Christ. The way I hear it there doesn't seem to be much. It is more of a believe and go on. But is that what the word says? Is there a follow up to the question to Now What? Today we will look at 3 very important parts we are to add that involve everyone of us. Somethings we are to lay aside and somethings to put on. It is kind of like when we get dressed in the morning and what happens at night. It's a daily decision to put on and take off things. The same for our spiritual walk. Remember the scriptures we use in todays lesson can be found on the back.

Worship And Study Opportunities

Sunday:
Bible School.....9:30 A.M
Worship.....10:30 A.M
Evening Worship....6:00 P.M

Wednesday:
Ladies Bible Class.....10:30 A.M.
Mid-Week Bible Class....7:00 P.M.

ELDER OF THE MONTH:.....Eric Sharum

ANNOUNCEMENTS:.....David Byrd

RECORDS OF THE WEEK

Bible School:	52
Morning Worship:	90
Evening Worship:	37
Mid-Week:	43
Ladies Class:	11
Contribution:	\$4,147.00
Weekly Budget:	\$3,750.00

THOSE WHO SERVE:

Sunday Morning:

Opening Prayer:Tim Curtis

Closing Prayer:James Brennan

Sunday Evening:

Opening Prayer:Klaus Mueller

Wednesday Evening:

Opening Prayer:Ed Valdez

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If you would like to see a past sermon you can go to our web site and click on the weekly sermons tab.

PRAYERS FOR THE FOLLOWING:

Leroy & Pat, Brad & LaDonna, Sue Peddy, the Stephens Family who are friends of Amy & Jack Mooney. Jack Treffinger's niece, Teri Lynn Disney who has cancer and the ones on our continued prayer list.

MONTHLY LUNCHEON this Sunday, March 19th at the Student Learning Center after the morning service. Everyone make plans to attend.

NOTE for the ones who are going to the Thunder game Saturday the bus will leave from the church building at 10:45.

GOSPEL MEETING - Cyril Church of Christ - In Christ ALONE - March 27th, 28th, & 29th @ 7 pm

Monday - Brant Stubblefield - "My Hope is Found"

Tuesday - Steven Hill - "Who Took on Flesh"

Wednesday - Steven Patterson - "I Stand"

MARCH BIRTHDAYS

- 3 - David Byrd
- 5 - Bryan Cain
- 5 - Pat Horn
- 7 - Kenneth Richardson
- 12 - Barbara Bolton
- 13 - Travis Repp
- 21 - Debbie Bowden
- 22 - Cleo Harper
- 23 - Klaus Mueller
- 23 - Todd Stoner
- 25 - Wyatt Stoner
- 28 - Roy Bennett

MARCH CALENDAR:

13th - MNFTM

19th - Monthly Luncheon

THE WESTVIEW BOYS' HOME GROCERY TRUCK will be here the week of April 3rd

Shopping List

- Cookies
- 100% Juice
- Ritz Crackers
- Sweet Cereal
- Parmesan Cheese
- Bottled Water/Gatorade
- Debbie Cakes/Breakfast Bars
- 10 oz. Mild Red Enchilada Sauce

Non-Food

- Fabuloso
- Toothpaste
- AAA Batteries
- Glade Carpet Fresh
- Liquid Downey Fabric Softener

CONTINUED PRAYER LIST: Roy Bennett, Barbara Bolton, Debbie Bowden, Kaiden Higgins, Leroy & Pat Horn, Brad & LaDonna McKinzie, Letha Owens, Jean Parrish, Sue Peddy & her grandson Lee, Kenny Richardson, Dwaine Zacharias, David Byrd's father, Bryan Cain's father, Joshua Kelsey, Lenna Kelsey, Randy Hill, Kim Warren, Joyce Ray, Dala Melton and Jack Treffinger's niece Teri Lynn Disney who has cancer.

EXTENDED CARE:

Brad McKinzie is in McMahan in room 3192

Jack Treffinger is in McMahan in room A82B

Joyce Ray is in Cedar Crest in room 106.

In Case You Missed It

Isaiah 40:26

26 Lift up your eyes on high and see who has created these *stars*, The One who leads forth their host by number, He calls them all by name; Because of the greatness of His might and the strength of *His* power, Not one *of them* is missing.

A story is told long ago about a young sailor who went to sea for the first time. Not long after setting sail his ship encountered a heavy storm and the sailor was commanded to go aloft and trim the sails. About three quarters of the way up, the young sailor made the mistake of looking down. The roll of the ship combined with the tossing of the waves made for a frightening experience. The young man started to lose his balance. At that moment, an older sailor underneath him shouted, "Look up, son! Look up!" The young sailor did as he said - - he looked up, and regained his balance. I ask the same question Similarly isn't that what we are supposed to be doing, when our focus is on the circumstances that we face, the waves of life, we can easily lose our balance and our direction. We know Peter did when in one moment he was walking on the water and AS soon as he took his eyes off Jesus what happened He began to sink immediately. Maybe its time we again change our focus and simple "look up" and keep looking up with our internal spiritual compass fixed on the Lord will restore our stability, and enable us to finish the assignments we've been given and get to the top! Are you feeling unstable today? Then Look up! I say Look up and stay looking up not just when we feel we have lost our balance. The Lord will steady you. And if Heaven is our goal God will provide the power and the tools necessary with great direction to bring you safely there!