

Scriptures Used In Todays Sermon

John 1:3-4

- 3 Through him all things were made; without him nothing was made that has been made.
- 4 In him was life, and that life was the light of all mankind.

1 Corinthians 1:21-25

- 21 For since in the wisdom of God the world through its wisdom did not know him, God was pleased through the foolishness of what was preached to save those who believe.
- 22 Jews demand signs and Greeks look for wisdom,
- 23 but we preach Christ crucified; a stumbling block to Jews and foolishness to Gentiles,
- 24 but to those whom God has called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God.
- 25 For the foolishness of God is wiser than human wisdom, and the weakness of God is stronger than human strength.

Romans 5:7-8

- 7 For one will hardly die for a righteous man; though perhaps for the good man someone would dare even to die.
- 8 But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us.

Reference John 1

John 4:24

Hebrews 4:15

Matthew 5:46

Luke 6:32

Romans 14:11

Philippians 2:10

Hebrews 2:10

John 14:9



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### WELCOME

We want to take this time to welcome you to services here at University! We are so glad you have decided to worship the Lord with us. If you are visiting with us today we are so glad you have come our way and invite you to remain after services a brief moment so we might get the chance of meeting you welcoming you here. Again Thank You!

FREE GARAGE SALE. It is coming soon! Our free garage sale will be next Saturday and we hopefully and prayerfully believe this will and can be a outreach to the community to show who we are. We need your help! And whether its to donate items, help sort, help with parking, meet with people or just show up and support behind the scenes this is a great time. We can use everyone of you so please meet with us today to see how you may serve. Also be praying that by introducing ourselves may open some doors.

Have a question of us? Looking for a church home? Want to learn more about a walk with Him? Want to set up group or individual bible study? Need some assistance? Please take the time to meet with us so we can see how we may serve you.

Do you feel God is relatable to your life and your circumstances? As a follower we come to find out its one of the reasons why He came down to earth and re-establish a all ready broken relationship that was severed in the garden. There are some religions and belief's in the world that can't understand or accept that God would come down to earth. They flat out reject the idea. Today lets look at why God sent His son and not just leave it for just saving mankind. Which is a very big thing don't get me wrong I would never minimize that. If that's all He did it would be enough but lets also consider His teaching us His reliability in our lives right now.

Remember scripture references for todays message are found on the back of this bulletin.

### 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:**.....Charles Kelsey

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**.....Weldon Flanagan

**RECORDS OF THE WEEK**

Bible School: .....44  
Morning Worship: .....80  
Evening Worship: .....34  
Mid-Week: .....40  
Ladies Class: .....8  
Contribution: .....\$3,054.00  
Weekly Budget: .....\$3,909.00

**THOSE WHO SERVE:**

**Sunday Morning:**

Opening Prayer: .....Keith Parrish  
Closing Prayer: .....Charlie Kelsey

Scripture: .....Eric Sharum

**Sunday Evening:**

Opening Prayer: .....Glen Wampler  
Closing Prayer: .....Tim Curtis

**Wednesday Evening:**

Opening Prayer: .....Bryan Cain  
Closing Prayer: .....Greg Ray

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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 NEEDED FOR THE FOLLOWING:** Leroy had a stint put in last Thursday at Memorial Hospital. Prayers have been requested for Jarred Kelsey's wife Lenna who will be having test run. We also need to keep Tim & Karee Curtis and their family in our prayers as well as Claudine Bolton, Barbara Bolton and Debbie Bowden, Johnny Burch, Leroy & Pat and Brad & LaDonna. Brad called to let us know Kay Mason, a former member here, has passed away in Tennessee.

**THANK YOU NOTE:** Thank you for all the prayers and cards. I have one month to go to be released. Jeannie Montague

**FREE GARAGE SALE:** We will be hosting a Free Garage Sale (no money involved) **Saturday, April 9th.** This will give us two great opportunities: to help those in need in our community and making contacts for possible bible studies. We do need your help. Any items from clothing, shoes, household items, tools - really anything you would like to donate, would be appreciated. We would like you to bring them to the learning center. Thank you!

**APRIL BIRTHDAYS**

- 4 - Sidonia Kelsey
- 4 - Jean Leverett
- 8 - Levada Wampler
- 10 - Sue Peddy
- 12 - Brenda Golson
- 13 - Perry Warren
- 16 - Travis Burch
- 17 - Charles Kelsey
- 17 - Suzy Salas
- 21 - Greg Ray
- 24 - Genie Kelsey
- 26 - Allison Parrish
- 26 - Keith Parrish
- 27 - Tim Curtis
- 28 - Violet Repp

**THE WESTVIEW BOYS' HOME GROCERY TRUCK** will be here the week of **April 4th.**

**NEEDED ITEMS FOR THE BOYS:**

**Shopping List:**

- Kool-Aid
- Sweet Cereal
- Canned Soda
- Large Flour Tortillas
- 100% Orange/Fruit Juice
- Potato/Tortilla Chips/Fritos
- Kraft Velveeta Cheese Shells
- Mixed Nuts/Cashews/Almonds

**Non-Food**

- Febreeze
- Dryer Sheets
- Men's No Show Socks
- Sensodyne Toothpaste
- Hanes Men's White Tank: S, M, L, XL
- Spray Way Glass Cleaner Ammonia Free

**CONTINUED PRAYER LIST:** Roy Bennett, J.L. & Claudine Bolton, Debbie Bowden, Kenneth Gregory, Kaiden Higgins, Leroy & Pat Horn, Brad & LaDonna McKinzie, Letha Owens, Jean Parrish, Sue Peddy, Kenny Richardson, Velma Shook, Dwaine Zacharias, Johnny Burch, Randy Hill, Glenda Kinney, & Nathan McBride.

**EXTENDED CARE:**

Kenneth Gregory is in Willow Park in room 16 B

Joyce Ray is in Cedar Crest in room 115.

In Case You Missed It

Philippians 2:2-5

2 make my joy complete by being of the same mind, maintaining the same love, united in spirit, intent on one purpose. 3 Do nothing from selfishness or empty conceit, but with humility of mind regard one another as more important than yourselves; 4 do not *merely* look out for your own personal interests, but also for the interests of others. 5 Have this attitude in yourselves which was also in Christ Jesus.

If you have ever looked at the ant or studied a ant farm you will find that they dwell in colonies. Each colony consists of approximately 60,000 - 90,000 ants - they really can't prosper on their own but as small as they are they get things done. How by being together they need each other. How does a colony of that many ants work together? The only reason it works is that they operate in unity. Each ant shares the same purpose, the same goal, and the same aim. So they all benefit. Just as ants can't prosper on their own, neither can we as believers. As ants need each other, so do God's children. We need to dwell together as they do. The way we dwell together is by sharing the same purpose as Paul mentions here. We may not agree on everything all the time but we do have to be intent on the same purpose, to glorify God and spread His Word, to love God and each other. Can we do that. Or maybe the better question is will we do that. Can we aim to accomplish the task that God has set before us and God will be faithful to bless our little colony! Sometimes our best lessons come from the animal kingdom where God has set up order and balance through nature and is clearly seen so there will be no excuse and so we can give more attention to the great designer and His greater plan.