

Scriptures Used In Today's Sermon

Psalms 8:3-6

- 3 When I consider Your heavens, the work of Your fingers, The moon and the stars, which You have ordained;
- 4 What is man that You take thought of him, and the son of man that You care for him?
- 5 Yet You have made him a little lower than God, and You crown him with glory and majesty!
- 6 You make him to rule over the works of Your hands; You have put all things under his feet.

Genesis 1:26

- 26 Then God said, "Let Us make man in Our image, according to Our likeness; and let them rule over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the sky and over the cattle and over all the earth, and over every creeping thing that creeps on the earth."

Romans 6:16

- 16 Do you not know that when you present yourselves to someone as slaves for obedience, you are slaves of the one whom you obey, either of sin refuting in death, or of obedience resulting in righteousness?

Luke 4:6

- 6 And the devil said to Him, "I will give You all this domain and its glory; for it has been handed over to me, and I give it to whomever I wish.

Ephesians 2:1-3

- 1 And you were dead in your trespasses and sins,
- 2 in which you formerly walked according to the course of this world, according to the prince of the power of the air, of the spirit that is now working in the sons of disobedience.
- 3 Among them we too all formerly lived in the lusts of our flesh, indulging the desires of the flesh and of the mind, and were by nature children of wrath, even as the rest.

1 Corinthians 15:21-22

- 21 For since by a man *came* death, by a man also *came* the resurrection of the dead.
- 22 For as in Adam all die, so also in Christ all will be made alive.

Reference: Hebrews 4:15 Hebrews 2:14-15 Galatians 4:4-5

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### WELCOME

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We want to welcome you here to University as we come to worship the One True Risen Savior, Jesus Christ. If you are visiting us today we are so glad you have come our way and would invite you back the next time you are able. If you are a visitor today we would also like to get to know you, so if you would stay a brief moment after services so we might get the chance of meeting you and welcoming you here in person. Again Welcome!

Looking for a church home? We would love to sit down and visit with you about it. Have a need or know of someone who does? Would like to know more about your relationship with Him? Want to study further by setting up a group or personal bible study? Please take the time to visit with us we would love to know how we may serve you better.

Reminders: Download our free church app and stay connected find us at ucoclawton. Our Workshop with Mike Mazzalongo is fast approaching Next Friday - Sunday. Remember if you plan on coming Friday or Saturday we need for you to sign up for food preparations. Thanks to so many for signing up we are so looking forward to this event next week.

Today many will observe Easter with the remembrance of Christs death, burial, and resurrection. We all should be so glad and indebted that He has Risen! Today we will explore why Jesus came to accomplish this and why did He come as a man? Why not just take care of mans sin by a commandment? By His word? Why sacrifice as a man? Good questions for us to review and appreciate His gift all the more. Remember scriptures used in today's sermon 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:**.....Charles Kelsey

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**.....Tim Curtis

**RECORDS OF THE WEEK**

Bible School: .....40  
Morning Worship: .....75  
Evening Worship: .....28  
Mid-Week: .....26  
Ladies Class: .....9  
Contribution: .....\$3,015.00  
Weekly Budget: .....\$3,953.00

**THOSE WHO SERVE:**

**Sunday Morning:**

Opening Prayer: .....Bryan Cain

Closing Prayer: .....Klaus Mueller

**Sunday Evening:**

Opening Prayer: .....Weldon Flanagan

**Wednesday Evening:**

Opening Prayer: .....Joshua Sharum

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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:** Tommy Bowden is improving and may be released from the hospital this Wednesday. Sue Peddy fell and is not feeling well. Shirley Mueller is improving.

**RESPONSE:** Dwaine Zacharias came forward asking for prayers Sunday.

**THANK YOU NOTE:** Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ, Thank you for your prayers on my behalf, for the encouraging visits and cards and for the cheerful plant. I am thankful to God for you and for His healing hand. Grace and peace from God our Father and our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all. Love, Shirley Mueller

**NOTICE:** Due to our upcoming workshop, there will be **no MNFTM on April 9.**

**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 - Keith Parrish
- 27 - Tim Curtis
- 28 - Violet Repp

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**WORKSHOP  
WITH MIKE MAZZALONGO  
UNIVERSITY CHURCH OF CHRIST  
FRIDAY, APRIL 6 — SUNDAY, APRIL 8**

If you plan on coming Friday or Saturday please sign up for food preparations on the back hall bulletin board.

**SOUTHERN OAKS CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
**ANNUAL LADIES' DAY - April 28, 2018 -**  
3320 South 16th, Chickasha, Ok. - **Speaker:**  
**Stephanie Swan of Vernon, Texas - If the shoe fits...own it!** - Registration: 8:30 a.m. Session: 9:00 a.m. - Light Breakfast and Lunch Provided

**THE WESTVIEW BOYS' HOME** grocery truck will be here the week of **April 9th, 2018**

**Shopping List**

- Beef Jerky
- 100% Juice
- Flour Tortillas
- Sweet Cereal
- Debbie Cakes
- Canned Chicken
- Assorted Chips/Fritos
- Bottled Water/Gatorade/Canned Soda
- Pre-Mixed Kool-Aid/Powdered Gatorade
- Mixed Nuts/Cashews/Almonds/Honey Roasted Peanuts

**Non-food**

- Clorox Wipes
- Insect Repellent
- 50 SPF Sunscreen
- 13-39 Gallon Trash Bags

**EXTENDED CARE:**

Jack Treffinger is in McMahan in room A 82 B

Joyce Ray is in Cedar Crest in room 106

**CONTINUED PRAYER LIST:** Roy Bennett, James & Barbara Bolton, Tommy & Debbie Bowden, Kaiden Higgins, Leroy Horn, Becky Kelsey, LaDonna McKinzie, Letha Owens, Jean Parrish, Sue Peddy, Kenny Richardson, Dwaine Zacharias, David Byrd's father, Bryan Cain's mother, Johnny Burch, Lena Kelsey, Randy Hill, Kim Warren, Joyce Ray, Freddie McCathern, Dala Melton, Teri Lynn Disney and Angie Caldwell.

**IN CASE YOU MISSED IT**

Hebrews 13:3 Remember them that are in bonds, as bound with them: and them which suffer adversity, as being yourselves also in the body.

*A man who has friends must himself be friendly.*  
**Prov. 18:24 (NKJV)**

Friend. It's a term that sometimes we use a bit loosely. We may, in casual conversation after meeting someone, even go so far as to call them a friend. When we use the term that loosely, though, it can lose some of its specialness, just as if we misuse and cheapen the meaning of the word love. The word "friend" is one that perhaps we should cherish more than we do. I have friends, And I love my friends. As I hope does everyone, but the word "friend" doesn't seem to be enough to describe it. Friends should be very special to us. Before the white Europeans arrived on the shores of North America, the American Indians had no written language. Their language, though, was not primitive in the least. Many of the Indians had as many words in their language as their English and French explorers had in theirs. Some of their words were much more picturesque and carried great images along with them. For example, the English word "friend" to the Indians was "one-who-carries-my-sorrows-on-his-back." Don't you just love this picture? I like this "definition" because it not only tells me what a friend is, but what a friend does. The friend is a person, but they are more than an acquaintance. They carry my sorrows on their back, and hopefully, as I wind my way through this life, I can carry theirs on my back, too. How are your friendships? Are you wanting people to be a friend to you, but you're not willing to carry their sorrows in return? I'm reminded of Jesus calling his disciples "friends." At his trial and beatings, they didn't carry his sorrows on their back — they were too preoccupied with their own. But later they did carry his sorrows — by taking up his cross daily and following him. I want more than anything to be Jesus' friend. And I need him, more than anything to be mine. When I carry the concerns of Christ for this desperate world, I am carrying his sorrows on my back, even as he bore mine.