

Luke 23:44-49

- 44 It was now about the sixth hour, and darkness fell over the whole land until the ninth hour,
- 45 because the sun was obscured; and the veil of the temple was torn in two.
- 46 And Jesus, crying out with a loud voice, said, "Father, into Your hands I commit My spirit." Having said this, He breathed His last.
- 47 Now when the centurion saw what had happened, he *began* praising God, saying, Certainly this man was innocent.
- 48 And all the crowds who came together for this spectacle, when they observed what had happened, *began* to return, beating their breasts.
- 49 And all His acquaintances and the women who accompanied Him from Galilee were standing at a distance, seeing these things.

John 10:17-18

- 17 For this reason the Father loves Me, because I lay down My life so that I may take it again.
- 18 No one has taken it away from Me, but I lay it down on My own initiative. I have authority to lay it down, and I have authority to take it up again. This commandment I received from My Father."

Acts 2:36-38

- 36 Therefore let all the house of Israel know for certain that God has made Him both Lord and Christ—this Jesus whom you crucified.
- 37 Now when they heard *this*, they were pierced to the heart, and said to Peter and the rest of the apostles, Brethren, what shall we do?"
- 38 Peter *said* to them, "Repent, and each of you be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins; and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit.

John 19:25-27

- 25 Therefore the soldiers did these things. But standing by the cross of Jesus were His mother, and His mother's sister, Mary the *wife* of Clopas, and Mary Magdalene.
- 26 When Jesus then saw His mother, and the disciple whom He loved standing nearby, He "said to His mother, "Woman, behold, your son!"
- 27 Then He said to the disciple, "Behold, your mother!" From that hour the disciple took her into his own *household*.

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WELCOME

We want to welcome each of you to services here at University. We are glad you have come today and if you are visiting invite you back the next time you are able. If you are visiting 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. Again Welcome.

Looking for a church home? Would like to set up a group or personal bible study. Have a need or know of someone who does. Please take the time to meet with us we would love to know how we may serve you.

Remember to download our free app to hear lessons again. Be connected to our social media. Have a online bible at the tip of your finger. Download on your smart phone or device. Find us by searching in the app store ucoclawton.

Today as so many will look a little closer at the resurrection of Jesus Christ. Today we will look at those who first hand witnessed His crucifixion and find what the cross meant to 3 different groups of people and at the end I would like for each of us to ask how will we respond to the cross today? How do we see it? How will it now impact my life if at all. How do we view the cross of Jesus Christ? Reminder that scriptures used in today's message 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.....Glen Wampler

RECORDS OF THE WEEK

Bible School:39
Morning Worship:66
Evening Worship:30
Mid-Week:28
Ladies Class:.....11
Contribution:\$2,738.00
Weekly Budget:\$3,953.00

THOSE WHO SERVE:

Sunday Morning:

Opening Prayer:Roy Young

Closing Prayer:Ed Valdez

Sunday Evening:

Opening Prayer:Bryan Cain

Wednesday Evening:

Opening Prayer:Glen Wampler

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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.

KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS: Dana Parrish is having tests run.

Donna Caldwell's mother has been moved to rehab in McMahon. Her room number is C 30.

ANNOUNCEMENT: University of Oklahoma President James L. Gallogly and the OU Board of Regents are proud to announce Travis John Burch as a candidate for the degree of Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering with Special Distinction. Commencement will be on Friday, the Tenth of May

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 - Peggy Cuddeback
- 24 - Genie Kelsey
- 26 - Keith Parrish
- 27 - Tim Curtis
- 28 - Violet Repp

EXTENDED CARE:

Charlie & Sidonia Kelsey are in room A 76 in McMahon
Jack Treffinger is in McMahon in room A73 B

2019 MEN'S EXPOSITORY WORKSHOP

with Guy Orbison Jr. - SEARCHING THE SCRIPTURES - April 25th - 26th - The flyer is posted on the back hall bulletin board with all the information.

LADIES' DAY on Saturday, April 27 - Southern Oaks church of Christ, Chickasha, Ok. Our speaker will be Vera L. Myers, from the Creston Hills church of Christ in Oklahoma City. **SPRING CLEANING FOR THE HEART AND SOUL Psalm 51:10** - Registration and light breakfast - 8:30 a.m. - program 9:00 a.m. Lunch will follow the program. Flyer is posted on the bulletin board in the back hallway.

11TH ANNUAL LADIES WORK RETREAT

May 10-11, 2019 - Growing through Prayer - Speaker: Pamela Maxwell - Saturday Morning - Friday Evening Speaker: Tracy Thurman - RSVP to the Camp Office by phone or email by: May 3, 2019

Hosted by the Ladies of Waurika Church of Christ. Registration begins at 5 pm. Bring flowers, gloves and small garden tools. Pettijohn Springs Christian Camp Madill, Ok. 580-795-5015

CONTINUED PRAYER LIST:

Roy Bennett, Barbara Bolton, Tommy & Debbie Bowen, Flo Fitzsimmons, Kaiden Higgins, Leroy Horn, David & Becky Kelsey, Charlie & Sidonia Kelsey, LaDonna McKinzie, Letha Owens, Jean Parrish, Sue Peddy, Denice Ross, Tony Salas, Jack Treffinger, Dwaine Zacharias, Johnny Burch, Katrina Brennan, Randy Frazier, Lena Kelsey, Randy Hill, Kim Warren, Louie Hill, Dala Melton, Teri Lynn Disney & Angie Caldwell.

In Case You Missed It

Song of Solomon 1:14 My beloved is to me as a cluster of henna blossoms in the vineyards of En Gedi.

En Gedi is a nature reserve found in Israel outside of Jerusalem still there today about 40 minutes from the city right next to the dead sea...remarkable as all around it is surrounded by dry, barren, rocky ground, except to the east where the Dead Sea lies, it is an oasis, fed year round by springs of fresh water, and home to some of the most unique wild and botanical life in the world. In the Song of Solomon, the King likens his beloved to flowers in the desert, his experience of En Gedi, evoking the dramatic contrast between a harsh and arid landscape and the exquisite refreshing floral beauty of an oasis. Such was Solomon's experience of romantic love, perhaps with the Queen of Sheba. So if right now you may feel like you're walking through a desert -- wandering in a wilderness...thirsty, and perhaps, longing for love....Seek the Lord your God. His Presence is an eternal spring and a perpetual oasis in this arid world, and His love is beyond what we really know and hope for. It's a love which flows from an eternal spring...Jesus Himself, and its sweetness and power will cause flowers to bloom throughout your dry and barren life. Drink from the spring of life, Jesus invites all of us to be a part of. He will fill you to overflowing, and make you yourself, a living spring...for this thirsty, love starved world.