

Remember Our Sick

Johnny Estep- will be having nuclear stress-test August 10th
 Joe Colten – (Jan Loveless' brother) – had an MRI-found a problem with nasal cavity-waiting on more results
 Matt Stepanovich- taking chemotherapy daily and facing side effects
 Klaus Mullins- at home recovering from back surgery – improving slowly
 Joan Vance- doing well after cataract surgery
 Greg Standridge – taking a more aggressive form of chemo which is making him very ill - needs lots of prayers
 Melinda Robbins – not doing well – had a full body scan July 27th in Houston
 Rod Pfeifer- Back in the hospital and improving

Shut-ins – need prayers and visits:

Legacy Heights:

Bonnie Vinson – Room #34
 Juanita Whitted – Room #62
 Norma Tate Jones – Room #44

Russellville Nsg & Rehab:

Joe Miller -Room #317

Others Who Need Our Prayers:

Carl Adkisson, Amie Barkley, Jesse/Jennie Branch, Donna Chambers, Chris Chance, Jamie Churchill, Rachel Curtis, Eugene Davis, Shirley Diamond, Randy Ellis, Charles Ensey, Johnny Estes, Mary Grice, Leota Hickey, Pam Lee family, Rose Lee, Letson family, Daniel Loper, Jan Loveless, Jeff/Connie Myers, Becky Miller, Shirley Miller, Julie Moss, Glen/Paulette Oakes, Cathy Pittman, Jerry Pruitt, Mike Rinke, Pat Robertson, KLee Robbins, Bob Sims, Michael Tindall, Jon Vance, Joey Vaughn, Justin Vaughn, Barry Walker, Joyce Walters, Shirley Walters, Jay Winters, & Patsy Wisbrock.

Military: Pray for our service men and women:

Eric Richardson
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Meeting Times

<p>Sunday Morning Bible Classes 9:45 A.M. Sunday Morning Worship 10:45 A.M. Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 P.M. Ladies Tuesday Bible Class 10:00 A.M. Wednesday Bible Classes 6:30 P.M. Minister: Micah Williams Church Office: 479-331-3428 Office Hours: M-F 8:30a-12:30p Micah Cell: 479-264-9244 Secretary Cell: 479-264-6052</p>	<p>Elders: Allen Veasman 331-2156 Sid Womack 967-2367 Chris Loper 331-3313</p> <p>Deacons: Chris Besterfeldt Donny Forehand Brent Hottinger Rex McDaniel Chris Moss Michael Robbins</p>
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August 6, 2017

Sunday A.M.

Announcer: Randall Walters
 Song Leader: Merrell Shoptaw
 Prayers

Gary Williams
 Earl Whitted

Communion

Podium: Earl Stamps

Serve: Chris Besterfeldt
 Chris Loper
 Chris Moss
 Corey Hottinger

Scripture Reading
 Rick Hollis

Shut-Ins
 Chris Moss

Sunday P.M.

Prayers
 Mark Wimbush
 Marion Helton

August 13, 2017

Sunday A.M.

Announcer: Randall Walters
 Song Leader: Merrell Shoptaw
 Prayers

Michael Robbins
 Presley Williams

Communion

Podium: Earl Stamps

Serve: Dan Cloud
 Donny Forehand
 Gary Williams
 Jeff Myers

Scripture Reading
 Rex McDaniel

Shut-Ins
 Chris Loper

Sunday P.M.

Prayers
 Rex McDaniel
 Randall Walters



Life Lines

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"Freedom to Choose"

Daily Heartlight for 07/06/2017

Written by Max Lucado

"And we know that all things work together for good to them that love God and are called according to his purpose"--Romans 8:28

In so many areas of life we have no choice. "It's not fair," we say. But the scales of life were forever tipped on the side of fairness when God planted a tree in the Garden of Eden. All complaints were silenced when Adam and his descendants were given free will, the freedom to make whatever eternal choice we desire.

Any injustice in this life is offset by the honor of choosing our destiny in the next. Wouldn't you agree?

It would have been nice if God had let us order life like we order a meal. It would've been nice, but it didn't happen.

When it came to many details of your life on earth, you weren't given a choice, a voice, or a vote. But, when it comes to life after death, you were! In my book that seems like a good deal. Wouldn't you agree?

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And our choice about that future, our life after death, was given us because of Jesus' choice to honor the Father and go to the cross:

"Abba, Father," he said, "everything is possible for you. Take this cup from me. Yet not what I will, but what you will" (Mark 14:36).

And our choice about that future, our life after death, was given us because Jesus chose the joy beyond the suffering of the cross to give us the ability to choose him and choose life with him, forever:

Therefore, since we are surrounded by such a great cloud of witnesses, let us throw off everything that hinders and the sin that so easily entangles. And let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us, fixing our eyes on Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of faith. For the joy set before him he endured the cross, scorning its shame, and sat down at the right hand of the throne of God. Consider him who endured such opposition from sinners, so that you will not grow weary and lose heart (Hebrews 12:1-3).

Max wrote the book "He Chose the Nails" to help us understand Jesus' choice to submit to the Father's will and go to the cross for us so we would have the freedom to choose life with him!

"When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; and when you pass through the rivers, they will not sweep over you. When you walk through the fire, you will not be burned; the flames will not set you ablaze. For I am the LORD, your God, the Holy One of Israel, your Savior..."

Isaiah 43:2-3

Announcements:

*Next Men's Business Meeting
August 14 @ 7pm*

The next ladies' night will be at the church on August 17th. They will use this opportunity to prepare smile boxes for Nicaragua.

The deadline for preparing the Smile Boxes for the children of Nicaragua has been moved up this year to try to get them delivered in a more timely manner. This means we will be needing your donations for the boxes earlier than usual. We will be putting the boxes together on Saturday, August 26th beginning at 9 am in the basement. We also need to begin collecting the \$1000 shipping cost. If you do not usually contribute to the boxes, please consider helping with the shipping cost for this worthy project. Give your donations to Karen or Charlene.

Dover's own Russ Bus project continues to take snack packs to the homeless each Monday. The item to bring this week is Chef Boyardee cups with a pop top. Thanks for your help!

We welcome back those who returned from Nicaragua yesterday, July 5th!

AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

- 01 Connor Chance
- 03 Frances Kennedy
- 04 Carl Adkisson
- 10 Karen Womack
- 13 Blake Forehand
- 14 Russell Boley
- 19 Drew Walters
Creek Jackson
Tristan Stamps
- 21 Donny Forehand
Merrell Shoptaw
- 24 Adam Leavell
- 25 Corey Hottinger

Lawn Care
August 12
Chris and Matthew
Moss
Paul Helton
August 19th
Chris Loper
Ed Meadows

Sympathy Prayers

Please remember the families of the following people who passed away recently.

July 20

Pat Hagan- *Mother of Micah's brother-in-law*

July 22

Ronnie Littleton-
Jennie Littleton's son
Adam Wilfond

July 25

Carroll Sites- *long time preacher in Arkansas*

July 26

Nolon Passmore-
former member of our congregation

