



To Our Visitors

We appreciate you joining us for our live-stream or recorded services during these difficult times. We hope you will join us in person when our regular services resume.

Church Service & Devotional Updates

All members should have received a letter from the Elders regarding our plans for services and activities through June 14th. Online services are always available.

May 31

Sunday Morning Services will be online services only, including Sunday School.

Please join us on Facebook at 9:00 A.M. on Sunday morning for our Live-Stream.

You may also listen live on your phone starting at 9:00 A.M.

Just call the number & enter the PIN.

Call-in Number: 1-305-912-2590

PIN: 725871192#

(Be sure to include the # at the end.)

You may also view the recorded service through the link on our website starting on Sunday afternoon.

June 7 & 14

We will have in-person services on Sunday morning followed by an Adult class but no children's classes. Please prayerfully and carefully consider your decision about attending these services in-person.

After June 14

The Elders will meet again to determine future plans for after June 14 and will keep you updated.

Until Further Notice

Sunday Night & Wednesday Night Services are cancelled.

Nightly devotionals are being posted on our Facebook page and website.

FOR THE RECORD

Sunday AM 05/24	11
Live-Stream Connections	85
Phone Connections	12
Contribution	\$60,564
Budget	\$9,000

TODAYS LESSON

The Elders welcome everyone to worship service and hope that you find it uplifting and encouraging.

Another Paraclete:

The Promise of Conviction

By Josh Barnett

John 16:7-9 (NKJV)

7 Nevertheless I tell you the truth. It is to your advantage that I go away; for if I do not go away, the Helper will not come to you; but if I depart, I will send Him to you. 8 And when He has come, He will convict the world of sin, and of righteousness, and of judgment: 9 of sin, because they do not believe in Me;

BIBLE RESEARCH QUESTION

Last Week's Question & Answer

What was the name of the school where Paul taught in Ephesus?

The School of Tyrannus (Acts 19:8-10)

Those Who Answered

Terry Grissim, David Mayo, Richard Potts, Judy Shockley, Beth Wilson

This Week's Question

Who healed Saul (Paul) after he had been blinded by the light on the road to Damascus?

Thank You

The Elders would like to say a special **Thank You** to everyone who has continued to provide contributions during this time of online services. We have had some special contributions lately, as you can see by our amount this week. We have some plans in process to use some of these special contributions to enhance our worship service and to further support our mission works.

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Daily Bible Reading

May 31	I Chron. 28-29	John 11:47-57
June 1	II Chron. 1-3	John 12:1-19
June 2	II Chron. 4-6	John 12:20-50
June 3	II Chron. 7-9	John 13:1-17
June 4	II Chron. 10-12	John 13:18-38
June 5	II Chron. 13-16	John 14
June 6	II Chron. 17-19	John 15

Another Paraclete: The Promise of Conviction

"I am tired of hearing about men with the "courage of their convictions."

Nero and Caligula and Attila and Hitler had the courage of their convictions--but not one had the courage to examine his convictions, or to change them, which is the true test of character."

These Roman emperors, Hun leader, and German chancellor had convictions, but they were in the wrong ideas and beliefs. The sailors on the boat to Tarshish had more conviction in their false god than Jonah did in The God during the great storm.

The prophets of Baal had enough conviction to harm their bodies by cutting themselves as they called on their god. I'm writing this article on Memorial Day where we remember the countless lives of those who died in service to our country. Would anyone say they lacked conviction in doing their job?

Conviction is necessary when it comes to the truth. What good is the truth if doesn't convict us? What is the benefit of testimony if it doesn't commit us completely? I don't believe in a fair-weather Christian. I don't believe in an on-again and off-again Christian. I know they exist, but it's not what God intended.

Think about the works of the two Paracletes. The first was Jesus, and He became flesh and dwelt among us. He served and gave His life unfairly for our transgressions. The other Paraclete came to remind, testify, and convict with the words of Jesus. Did the Father, Son, and Paraclete do all of this only to have people settle for subpar Christianity? Did God give His best so we could give our halfway best? We need conviction in what we hear, believe, and have received from God. The truth is designed to convict.

The people on the day of Pentecost were "cut to the heart" (Acts 2:37). They were convicted by the

words of truth. *"For the word of God is living and powerful, and sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing even to the division of soul and spirit, and of joints and marrow, and is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart"* (Hebrews 4:12). Life is hard enough for us to let our light shine.

We cannot do it if we are not convicted by the words of the other Paraclete. Be convicted!

In Him,

Josh Barnett



Quarantine Quiz

Bible Riddles for You To Solve



These riddles are designed to make you think and study your Bible. Be sure to Email or call the church office and let us know when you solve them.

Answers to Last Week's Riddles

(2 people answered BOTH riddles correctly and notified the church office.)

Riddle 1 – Who Am I?

Answer: Ezekiel

(See Ezekiel 1:1-3; 3:1-3; 4:9-12; 37:1-14)

Riddle 2 – What Am I?

Answer: Solomon's Throne

(See 1 Kings 7:7; 10:18-20)

This Week's Riddles

Riddle 1 – Who Am I?

Everybody knows me,
So these clues will be quite vague.
Because of me, Pharaoh's house
Suffered more than just one plague.

I was blessed by a priest
Who gave me wine and bread.
A rich man once asked me for help,
But it was after he was dead.

I had a total of eight sons.
I had a total of three wives.
To most of those who know me,
This might come as a surprise.

Answer: _____

Riddle 2 – What Am I?

Twelve times in Deuteronomy
All the people shall say my name.
Three times in the Book of Psalms
I'm named and named again.

Twenty-four New Testament books
Use me to draw conclusions.
Acts & James & the 3rd Book of John,
These are the exclusions.

I'm found in many songs
And when the preacher has been clever.
You need me when you pray
Or you might go on forever.

*Part of this riddle is dependent on
using the KJV or the NKJV Bible.*

Answer: _____

Sympathy

Sympathy is extended to **Nellie Buttrey** and her family in the death of her brother, **Don Hall**, in Florida last week.
Please keep this family in your prayers.

Thank You

Thank you for all my beautiful cards and phone calls. God Bless everyone!
May Gibson

Thank You

Thank you so much for inviting me to your church. I'm so excited to get to know God.
Sincerely,
Morgan Wright

Thank You

Dear Josh and Church Leaders,
We would like to thank you all for working with our daughter, Morgan Wright, through her journey to baptism. It has meant the world to her and to us that she has people in her corner to help her in becoming closer with God and accepting Christ as her Savior. We look forward to more journeys with our family in becoming closer to God!
Thank You!
Tifanie Wright

Sunday School Substitute



Adults & Youth Group

We will be having an online Sunday School class for our adults and Youth Group following the church service.

Below is an outline of this week's class.

However you connect - Stay Connected!

Conversations with God - Why the Sudden Change?

(Psalm 60)

Questions to Think About

1. Why do things change so suddenly when they are going great?
2. How might desperation lead to sinful actions?
3. Why does it sometimes seem worse than it is?

I. A Cry of Desperation

- A. Desperation is not a sin.
- B. There are times we are brought to desperation to led us to something greater.
- C. We can easily feel forsaken in those desperate times and lose hope.

II. Responding to Desperation

- A. What does a prayer sound like during such times?
- B. The psalmist never lost trust in God. (60:12)
- C. Learning to express our emotions is helpful for a healthy prayer life.

III. Examine Closely Our Desperation

- A. How bad is it really?
- B. Before God, it doesn't seem so big and scary.
- C. The Lord is still the King of kings.

Conclusion

- Sometimes it takes God being patient with us to figure out that He is good, great, and awesome despite our circumstances.

Kidspiration Kids

Whatever happened to Professor Dynamite?
When we last left him, he was still trying to find the 2020 Graduates to give them some gifts.
He hasn't been seen or heard from since!

Will he be able to find his way home?
Will we ever see him again? Where has he been?

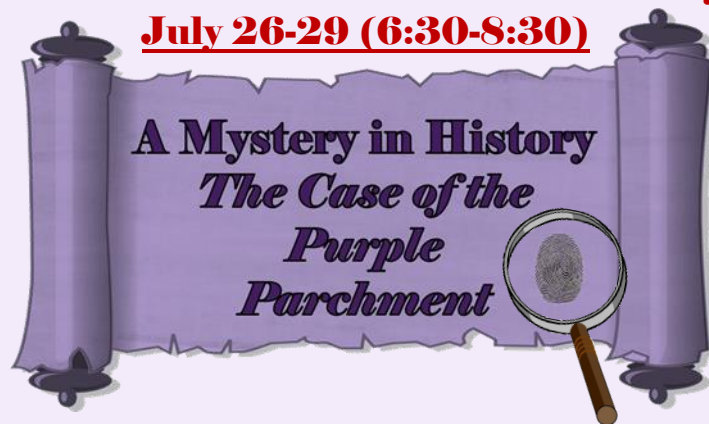
Check out this week's Kidspiration video!
It will be posted at the end of the church service this Sunday.



Do we need more lessons on Following Directions?

- Maybe that would help Professor Dynamite.
- Work the puzzles in this week's Bulletin.
 - Can You Follow Directions?
 - Which Animal Spoke?

Vacation Bible School - 8 Weeks Away July 26-29 (6:30-8:30)



Our VBS Kickoff Meeting is this Sunday, May 31st, at 2:00.
It will be a virtual kickoff meeting using Google Meet.

You may connect using your computer to hear and see the Presentation.

Connect to meet.google.com/rfx-pnas-epo

You can also connect and listen by phone.

Call **1-904-580-9672**
and enter the PIN **555 416 197#**.

We will present the Theme, Bible Stories, and plans for our 2020 VBS.

Worker Sign-up Sheets are in this week's bulletin.
You can send them to the church office or Email and let us know how you want to get involved.

Please join us and get involved in this year's VBS!

THE HEIGHTS
Student Ministry

Senior Spotlight

Shelby Turner

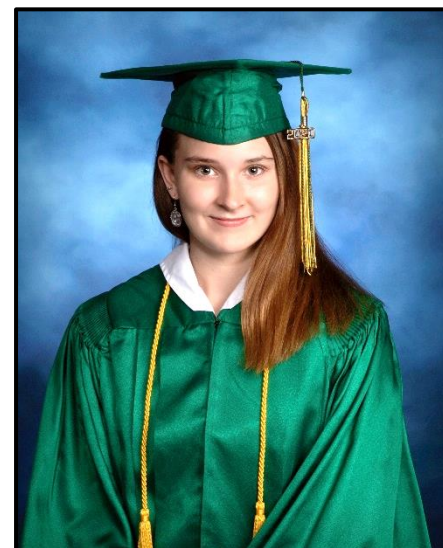
Shelby Turner is the daughter of **James & Joy Turner**. Shelby participated in a High School Career Pathway course in Business Academy. She had perfect attendance and has been an A/B Honor Student since Kindergarten.

She has also been active in sports throughout her life, sometimes participating in multiple sports at one time.

Shelby is enrolled at Tennessee College of Applied Technology.

Good Luck Shelby!

May God continue to bless you in the next chapter of your life!



ORDER OF WORSHIP – May 31, 2020

The Elders welcome everyone to worship service and hope that you find it uplifting and encouraging. Use the information below to participate in the worship and to make notes from today's lesson.

- **Welcome and Prayer** – Tom Whitworth
- **Song** – Austin Bishop
- **Prayer** – John Green
- **Song** – Austin Bishop
- **Communion** – Jeff Bartlett
- **Contribution Prayer** – Jeff Bartlett
- **Song** – Austin Bishop
- **Scripture Reading – John 16:7-9** – Kory Crow
- **Prayer** – Kory Crow
- **Lesson – “Another Paraclete: The Promise of Conviction”** – Josh Barnett
- **Song** – Austin Bishop
- **Shepherd's Notes / Closing Prayer** – Steve Bishop

Sermon Outline & Notes

Another Paraclete: The Promise of Conviction (John 16:7-9)

1. The Paraclete's _____.
2. The Paraclete's _____.
3. The Paraclete _____.

Reflection Questions

1. Why is conviction in Christ and His word necessary in this life?
2. Do we realize that What is in us is greater? What should that do to us?
3. Is there a verse, story, or event in the Bible that has convicted you? What is it?



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