

Tuskawilla Church of Christ

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Sunday: 9:30 AM Bible Class

10:30 AM Worship

Wednesday: 7 PM Bible Class

Welcome to our Visitors. You are our honored guests. Please fill out a visitor's card and let us know if you have any questions about our congregation. We hope to see you again soon.

Serving Today

Song Leader: Jimmy Wilson

Opening Prayer: Ken Lathrop

Scripture Reading: Jay Polk

Communion:

- Lead: Roger Weaver
- Assisting: Virgil Cook
- Side: Kenny Wilkerson
- Side: Dennis Furin

Closing Prayer: Troy Vargas

Usher: Roger Weaver

Communion Prep: Aug-Wilkerson

Today's Service

Song – 210

Song – 457

Opening Prayer

Scripture Reading: Luke 10:25-37

Song – 156

Communion

Song – Mansion Over the Hilltop

Sermon: The Parable of The Good Samaritan

Song – 317

Announcements & Closing Prayer

Prayer Requests

- Suzy Wilkerson
- Elva Shade
- Donna Brown
- Iwana Smith
- Yvonne Parker
- Perry Dawkins, Trudi Dawkins' Son
- Jack Hood, Robin Cusimano's Father
- Suzanne Gore, David West's Sister
- Buddy Williams, Fran Goode's Brother
- Jennifer Rogan, The Cook's Daughter
- Kim Blaylock
- Joan Lup
- Cristine Jarrell, Sandy and Vickie's Mom
- Kasie and Corey Mefford

Event Calendar

Sept- 10th- **Ladies Bible Class- 7pm**

Upcoming Birthdays

Aug.29th – Sara Robey

Sep 3rd – Austin Bruce

Sep 3rd – Michael Parker Sr.

Sep 14th – Elva Shade

Sep 16th – Ben Smith

Sep 22nd – Erika Shade

Sep 28th – Gary Miller

Announcements

Wednesday Night Bible Class is studying a video presentation of World Religions.

This week we will view Part 2 of our study on Hinduism. Class begins at 7pm. Please join us.

Today's Bible Quiz

"Let your speech always be with grace", wrote Paul to the Colossians, "seasoned with

- a) spice"
- b) sweetness"
- c) wisdom"
- d) salt"

*Grow
in Christ* 

Truth for the Time to Come

“But you, beloved, remember the words which were spoken before by the apostles of our Lord Jesus Christ” (Jude 17)

THE CENTRAL TENET OF CHRISTIANITY IS THE RESURRECTION OF JESUS CHRIST, AND THAT IS A TRUTH THAT DOES NOT CHANGE. The resurrection is an unchangeable historical fact. So the gospel of Christ is not only true; it is true for all time to come. Having happened, the resurrection can never become “unhappened.”

But sometimes we forget. There are some things (like tears, for example) that can hinder our vision, and we may find ourselves unable to see the truth very clearly. Or to change the metaphor, having left the courtroom and gone back home, we may forget some of the testimony we heard while we were sitting in the jury box. The facts didn’t change, and the testimony is still on the record. But we may forget what we heard in the courtroom.

Spiritual strength requires *a vivid remembrance* — and that means most of us have a problem, because our “rememberers” don’t work very well. But God understands, and that’s why we have such an emphasis in the Scriptures on reminders. Jude said, “Remember the words which were spoken before by the apostles of our Lord Jesus Christ.” And Paul said, “Remember that Jesus Christ . . . was raised from the dead” (2 Timothy 2:8). Whatever it takes, we must make ourselves to go back and remember. We can’t say we haven’t been forewarned. “Do not fear any of those things which you are about to suffer. Indeed, the devil is about to throw some of you into prison, that you may be tested, and you will have tribulation ten days. Be faithful until death, and I will give you the crown of life” (Revelation 2:10). Our Lord has told us ahead of time that there are going to be circumstances that will cloud our vision, so the admonition is to remember and hold on.

Under the pressure of pain and suffering (or bewilderment or anything else), we must not give up the truths that we saw so clearly in calmer moments. Those truths are still true. The fluctuation in our feelings has not changed the reality of our faith’s foundation. So when it’s dark,

we must believe that daylight will come again. When it does, we will see that truth’s great mountain is still there, right where it was yesterday . . . before the sun went down.

“Never doubt in the dark what God told you in the light” (Victor Raymond Edman).

Gary Henry – WordPoints.com

Today’s Bible Quiz Answer

d: salt (Colossians 4: 6)

WORLD’S BEST BOOK

The prophecies of the Bible are amazing. Eight hundred years before Jesus’ birth, the prophet Micah said He would be born in Bethlehem (Micah 5:2). And then Caesar sent out a decree, as recorded in Luke 2:1, that all the world should be registered. So Mary left Nazareth and went to Bethlehem and gave birth to Jesus, because her husband Joseph, a descendant of David, had to return to his birthplace for the census. Pretty amazing!

You can turn to Psalm 22, which was written hundreds of years before the crucifixion of Christ, and find there thirty detailed descriptions of death by crucifixion. This was written before crucifixion was even known as a form of execution in Palestine. The Jews did not crucify; they stoned. Yet in Psalm 22 you read these words, “They pierced my hands and my feet” (22:16). It was prophesied that the soldiers would cast lots for His garment, hundreds of years before the actual event (Psalm 22:18). The Bible even prophesied in Zechariah 12:10, “And they shall look upon me whom they have pierced.” Amazing isn’t it? The Old Testament is written as though a man were standing at the foot of the cross!

—Howell Ferguson, Bells, Tennessee (HTH)