

**October 5, 2019**

**Missions Emphasis**

Last Sunday was a wonderful day as we celebrated our missions involvements and made commitments to **give, pray** and possibly **go** on a mission trip this year. Remember to be prayerful as the Lord leads us. Bro. Ken Galyean reminded us that **“life without the personal presence of God is empty”**. His ministry strengthens not only the churches in Africa but also churches in America. I know his ministry to us will strengthen us. If you did not have an opportunity to give to the Love offering for Ken you can still do that this Sunday. Please just designate your offering to **“Ken Galyean – Call to Africa”**. For more information on Ken's ministry see <http://www.calltoafrica.org/>. Stay tuned for missional opportunities offered through Faith Fellowship this year!



**This Sunday “State of the Church address”**

I believe our one determined purpose is live in such a way that we GLORIFY GOD and love Him forever. (Exodus 33:14-18) This Sunday, I will invite us to consider 7 goals that we might work towards this year that will guide our efforts to Glorify God as a church family in 2019-20. Please join me in praying that God might help us accomplish these goals as He leads us. We will bring Glory to God by becoming a Missional people, by clarifying our serving roles, reviving and growing our small group ministries, through expanding our pastoral ministry efforts, by mobilizing our efforts to be outreached focused, through developing an action plan to address our facility needs, and to encourage everyone in growing to be fully devoted followers of the Lord Jesus and bearing fruit for His Kingdom. (John15:16)

I invite you to join us this Sunday. Like I say all the time, *“the light just in not as bright when you are not here with us”*.

Thank you for the priviledge and blessing of serving as your pastor!

Until Sunday, may the Lord make His face to smail upon you and give you His peace.

Prayerfully,  
Pastor Garry

*“We are a **faith fellowship** of believers on our journey **together** with our Lord... meeting needs, mending hearts.”*