

Reaching Out to Our Community

- \Rightarrow Wisteria Nursing & Rehab. Service
 - 3202 S. Willis St Every Sunday
 - 1 pm To help, contact: Charles Jacobs
- \Rightarrow University Place Services 6:30 p.m.
 - 1250 E.N. 10th St Every Sunday evening • To help, contact: Hank Davis
- \Rightarrow Wisteria Place Services 3:30 p.m.
 - 3149 Wisteria Way To help, contact:
 - for Second Sunday Randy White
 - for <u>Third Sunday</u> Kenneth Longley
- ⇒ "Redeeming the Tears" Depression and Grief Support Group • <u>Second Saturday</u> of month • See Charles Goodnight for info.

Home Bible Studies

- Mon. 6:00 p.m. 8323 North FM 1235 – H&S Davis home
 - Daniel & Revelation
- Tues. 6:00 p.m. 1210 Anson Ave. – J&S Sumners home
 Reading Through the Word
- Thurs. 6:30 p.m. Various locations – see James Sanderson for info • Other Religions

YOUTH HAPPENINGS

- \Rightarrow Today University Place Services
- ⇒ Next Sunday 7:00 p.m. Bible Study • (L & C Bower's home)
 • 430 Victoria
- ⇒ WRYC Registration Opens this month <u>Register online now</u>.



LEADING SOMEONE TO CHRIST (Part 4)

In my last three bulletin articles, we've explored the question; "If we were to lead someone to Christ, where would we start?" We must always begin with the problem of sin and then from there move on to the sin solution. This approach is called the "Grace-Faith System."

"For it is by <u>grace</u> you have been <u>saved</u>, through <u>faith</u> — and this not from yourselves, it is the gift of God." **Ephesians 2:8** (NIV)

This verse shows the universal solution to mankind's sin problem. Therefore, when we teach this verse, it must be clearly explained. The way to do this, is by focusing on three key words in the verse – *Saved*, *Grace* and *Faith*.

Last month we explained what saves us, "Grace", which can only point to Jesus and His redeeming sacrifice on the cross! Grace is God's part of the equation. Today, we will discuss how we get in touch with God's grace, through "Faith". Faith is our part of the equation!

The Bible tells us how we obtain faith; it is from hearing God's word (**Romans 10:17**). God's word goes on to tell us it's impossible to please God without faith (**Hebrews 11:6**). The word "Faith" is a noun, yet the Bible always describes action as a direct result of, or response to, faith. Therefore, when we hear God's word, our response must be to <u>act</u> – and our action must be based on the direction given in God's word.

Let's take an example from Abraham: God credited Abram with righteousness, when he put his faith in God (Genesis 15:6). Prior to that, Abram by faith left his homeland and went to the promised land as directed by God (Genesis 12). Therefore, Abraham had a faith that obeyed God's will. This is the only kind of faith that will please God and connect us with God's saving grace (Romans 5:1-2).

James Sanderson

PLEASE NOTE:

- \Rightarrow All normal, weekly scheduled Bible classes & worship times at BHCC are listed on page 4 of the bulletin.
- ⇒ All weekly scheduled Home Bible Studies & Nursing Home services are listed on page 2 of the bulletin.

Sunday – January 19

- Bible classes for all ages 9 a.m.
- ◆ Worship Service 10 a.m. Kids' Time
- Bower Shepherding Group

 Potluck lunch immediately following services
 Fellowship area
- ◆ Evening Worship Service 5 p.m. CBC

Monday – January 20

Prayer conference call with Floyd Miller • 8 – 9 p.m.
 Please call (605) 313-5695 • Passcode is 718815

TUESDAY - JANUARY 21

Ladies Bible class ● 10 a.m. ● Rm 35 ● James Sanderson

WEDNESDAY - JANUARY 22

- Feeding the Flock 5:30 P.M. HOT DOG MENU
 \$3 / person (No more than \$12 / family)
- ◆ Food Pantry Open 5 6 p.m.
- ◆ Bible classes for all ages 6:30 p.m. Short Devotional following classes Auditorium
- Redeeming the Tears

 Grief & Depression Class

 Rm 17/19

THURSDAY - JANUARY 23

Men's Brown Bag Devo • 12 noon • Rm 10

SUNDAY - JANUARY 26

- ◆ Bible classes for all ages 9 a.m.
- ◆ Worship Service 10 a.m. Kid's Time
- ◆ Shepherding Groups 5 p.m. Tiner S.G. at BHCC

In Lieu of a Baby Shower honoring <u>Alicia Gruben</u> & expected baby boy, there is a table set up in the East Foyer for gifts.





BHCC MEMBERS

Jackie White – difficulties at work

FRIENDS & FAMILY

<u>Travis Bennett</u> (nephew of **Roxanne Hello**) <u>Randie Parrott</u> (daughter of **Sue Willis**) <u>Travis & Caitlin Schuetze</u> (**Amanda Gray**) <u>James Wagner</u> (friend of **Kenneth Longley**) <u>Eathan Washington</u> (<u>Randy Matheny</u>)

All Missionaries: Rusty & Brittany Brown, Chipata Bible College Staff & Students. All Military & First Responders

CANCER FIGHTERS

Lewis Maness	Kay Procter
Nelda Stewart	Larry Taylor
Jesse Thomas	Minnie Woody
All family & friends	dealing with cancer

HOMEBOUND MEMBERS

Brenda & Eldon Amonet	t Phyllis Bonner
Janet Bruns	Mamie Crane
Norma Dotson	Don Ellis
Leroy & Mary Mason	Jo Potter
Frances Pruett	Melinda Simmons
Dean & Nelda Stewart	Laveta Youngquist

Please Rejoice with Lance Nelson who was baptized Tuesday 01/07/20

Please welcome -Tyler & Shandon Short Lee Dale & Thressía Henry Andrew & Krísty Holowíeckí

 who placed their <u>membership</u> to worship, fellowship & work with the Baker Heights Elders and BHCC family.
 — Contact info is in the Directory —

LEADERSHIP

ACTIVITIES

ASSIGNMENTS

ELDERSHIP (*** = Contact Elder)

Richard Bower Ed Cowart Robert Dennis Charles Goodnight Richard Oller Larry Taylor Stuart Tiner ***

MINISTERS

Larry Sullivan Luke Bower James Sanderson

(Youth & Family) rson (Evangelism)

(Preaching)

DEACONS

(Mentoring)
(Transportation)
(Technology)
(Youth)
(Assembly)
(Fellowship)
(Facilities)
(Senior Care)
(Education)
(Technology)
(Visitation)
(Missions)
(Assistance)

Week of Jan. 12, 2020

Bible Class
AM Assembly
PM Assembly 117
PM CBC 28
PM Univ. Place 47
TOTAL PM Assembly192
Tues. Ladies Bible Class14
Wednesday Devo153
Thurs. Men's Bible Study5
Contribution\$9,139
FY 19/20 Weekly Goal \$9,976
Building Fund Goal\$18,000
Building Fund Raised\$7,200

Sunday 9 a.m. Bible Class 10 a.m. Assembly 5 p.m. Assembly 5 p.m. CBC (weeks 1-3 only) Shepherding Groups (week 4)

TUESDAY 10 a.m. Ladies Bible Class

WEDNESDAY 5:30 p.m. Fellowship Meal 6:30 p.m. Bible Classes 7:15 p.m. Short Devotional

THURSDAY 12 noon Men's "Brown-Bag"

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HOMEBOUND COMMUNION TBD

NURSERY STAFF

AM – Taylor Claxton Amanda Gray PM – Toni McAdams Linda Allen

PM ASSEMBLY

Songs Jesse McGaha Scripture Justin Rosenquist Philippians 1:27-30 Sermon Larry Sullivan "....a Manner Worthy of the Gospel"

WEDNESDAY DEVO (01/22)

Devo Inv. Song Philip Madeley Delton McGuire

GREETERS – Team 3 Stuart & Tammy Tiner Richard & Paula Oller Larry & Maudie Taylor Tomorrow Boyd Weldon & Toni McAdams Ralph & Kay Procter Maxine Spears

