

February

Feb 04 Seven @ Seven
 Feb 05 Devotional at Winfield Rest Haven; van leaves at 6:30
 Feb 06 Teen Supper in the basement at 6:30
 Feb 09 Gals & Gab to Pioneer Women's Mercantile; leave building at 9:00 a.m.
 Feb 10 Valentine Banquet for 55 and older after a.m. services
 Feb 11 Seven @ Seven
 Feb 18 Seven @ Seven
 Feb 20 Teen Supper in the basement at 6:30
 Feb 24 4th Sunday Luncheon after morning services
 Feb 24 Elders/Deacons meeting at 7:00 p.m.
 Feb 25 Seven @ Seven
 Feb 27 Bring cookies for Winfield Rest Haven

CAN ANYTHING STOP YOU?

In Mark 2 we read a beautiful scene. There was a man who was paralyzed and his friends desperately wanted to get him to see Jesus. They picked up his bed and carried him to where Jesus was. When they got there the text tells us that there were so many around that they could not see Him. So what did they do? Did they cut their losses, hang their heads, and go home? No! The Bible tells us that they tore through the roof of the house that Jesus was in so that they could lower their friend down to Him! You and I all have friends that are suffering from serious spiritual paralysis (sin). What are we allowing to stop us from getting our friends to Jesus? Are we tearing through the roof? Let us stop at nothing this week.

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SEVEN @ SEVEN
 EVERY MONDAY MORNING
 AT
 NO. 7
 COFFEE HOUSE
 PLEASE COME AND
 FELLOWSHIP!
 WE'D REALLY LOVE
 YOUR COMPANY!

If you are visiting today, welcome! We are glad that you have joined us in worshiping our God. Please feel at home with our family, and let us know how we can serve you!

FROM THE PREACHERS DESK

Tempted to Believe

I played on a variety of different baseball teams growing up ranging from terrible to very good. When the team was great, I spent a lot of time on the bench. When the team was bad, I played all of the time.

I desperately wanted to be a good baseball player. In high school, I found myself on a team that wasn't very good and the competition that we faced wasn't very good either. As a result, I had great success in the form of batting average, stolen bases, RBI's, etc.

Though I didn't give it much thought, I faced a dilemma. Wrapped within the dilemma was a temptation. I had a couple of choices:

I could admit that the success I was having was due to playing for a bad team against bad competition. – OR –

I could glorify myself and believe that I was a great player who thrived against good competition.

What a temptation! I'd like to think that today I would not succumb so easily as I did back then. It was no competition – I chose glory.

Sometimes I still do the same thing in a way that I don't even realize. My temptation is to believe that I am "good." I look at the world around me, which is really bad, and I have a couple choices:

I can admit that I only look good compared to the competition, but recognize that I am still bad myself. – OR –

I can glorify myself and believe that am better than other people.

Paul said in 1 Timothy 1:15

15 It is a trustworthy statement, deserving full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners, among whom I am foremost of all.

And again, in Romans 7:18

18 For I know that nothing good dwells in me, that is, in my flesh; for the willing is present in me, but the doing of the good is not.

And again, in Galatians 6:14,

14 But may it never be that I would boast, except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, through which the world has been crucified to me, and I to the world. (continued)

FAMILY NEWS

Ella Mae Watson will be moving to Sumner Community Hospital this week. Keep her and her family in your prayers.

Ted Davis will be moving to the 2nd floor of Sumner Community Hospital sometime soon. As of now he is still on 1st floor. He would enjoy visitors.

PRAYER LIST

Wade Colwell, Dana Morris, Sandy Albin, Lindy Bolser and her son, Ralph Dry, Kylie Lock, Beth Brownlee, Ron Shields, Richard Wartick, Dalton Brownlee, David Brundage, Matt Norris, Eliza Conwell, Larry Helton, Patsy Pierce, Allen Stone, Deedra Bostick, Crystal Anderson. *Shut-In's*: Ella Mae Watson, Ted Davis, Bertha Brown, Gene Deffenbaugh, Dorothy Lauterbach, Maxine Cole.

VALENTINE BANQUET

The annual Valentine Banquet will be February 10 after morning services for everyone 55 and older. There is a sign-up sheet in the foyer. Please sign up if you plan to attend.

GALS & GAB

Gals, we are getting a group together to go to the Pioneer Woman's The Mercantile on Saturday, February 9. We will meet at the building at 8:45 a.m. and leave by 9:00 a.m. We will return before dinnertime. If you plan to go, please RSVP to Kendall. Also, we plan to carpool, and if you can drive, see Kendall.

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It is a powerful temptation to believe that I am good. How do I escape such a temptation? Simple. I compare myself to Jesus. When I compare myself to Him, I see, as the songwriter put it, "a wretch!"

Let us see all humanity as God sees us – a great sea of sinners, helpless, in need of a savior. Let us who know Him boast in the might and power of our God who can save even the worst of sinners – me. Much love!

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Koine Greek Word of the Week:

In today's text, the word "*lust*" comes from the Greek word *epithymeo*, and it means, "to set the heart upon." This same word in other places within the text is translated as "desire," "covet," and "longing." The idea here, as in the majority of the times this word is seen, is that of a deep desire for things forbidden.



THE CORRECTIVES, VOLUME 2: ADULTERY

Matthew 5:27-30

²⁷ *“You have heard that it was said, ‘YOU SHALL NOT COMMIT ADULTERY’;²⁸ but I say to you that everyone who looks at a woman with lust for her has already committed adultery with her in his heart.²⁹ If your right eye makes you stumble, tear it out and throw it from you; for it is better for you to lose one of the parts of your body, than for your whole body to be thrown into hell.³⁰ If your right hand makes you stumble, cut it off and throw it from you; for it is better for you to lose one of the parts of your body, than for your whole body to go into hell.*

The major purpose of Jesus’ corrective teachings:

To _____

Change #1—How I see _____

Change #2—How I see _____

Change #3—How I see _____

THOSE WHO SERVE

SUNDAY, 10:30 AM

SCRIPTURE READING
PRAYER
COMMUNION

USHERS
DISMISSAL PRAYER

SUNDAY, 6:00 PM

PRAYER
COMMUNION
DISMISSAL PRAYER

WEDNESDAY, 7:00 PM

LEAD SINGING
DISMISSAL PRAYER

ATTENDANCE

SUNDAY—January 27

BIBLE CLASS.....	59
A.M. WORSHIP.....	115
P.M. WORSHIP.....	45
CONTRIBUTION.....	\$2,293

WEDNESDAY—January 30

Auditorium—23	Teens—6	Bible Hour—10	Nursery—3	Total—42
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COMMUNION PREP

February Aaron Hines

COORDINATOR

February Aaron Hines

ELDERS

Rex Harris Marvin Kline
Ed Newberry Tom Norris

DEACONS

Kevin Dodds Aaron Hines
Leroy Lewis Mike Neal
David Pierce Alan Shields

MINISTER

Wes LeFlore

February 3

Alan Shields
Kevin Dodds
Wade Pierce, Brian Turney
Nathan Bradbury, Tanner Dillon
Aaron Hines, Charles Garver
Marvin Kline

February 3

Tom Kirkwood
Brian Turney, Nathan Bradbury
Marvin Kline

February 6

Kevin Dodds
Mike Neal

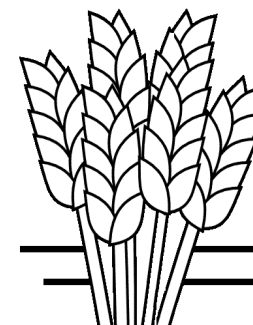
SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Sunday

Bible Classes.....9:30 A.M.
Worship.....10:30 A.M.
Children’s Worship.10:30 A.M.
Evening Worship.....6:00 P.M.
Children’s Class.....6:00 P.M.

Wednesday

Ladies Bible Class...9:30 A.M.
Bible Class.....7:00 P.M.



*“Reaching Inward, Outward
Upward, Downward”*

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

February 3, 2018

Call to Worship

Song #144 “O Worship the King”

Song “Here I Am to Worship”

Prayer

Scripture Ezekiel 36:22-32

Song “In Christ Alone”

Lord’s Supper

Song “I Love You Lord”

Song #517 “Heaven Came Down”

Lesson

Song #453 “Love Lifted Me”

Closing Prayer

Every Sunday during the sermon we offer Children’s Church to boys and girls ages 3 years through 2nd grade. They will meet in the study for stories, crafts and learning about Jesus.