## February

Feb 23 4th Sunday Luncheon at noon
Feb 23 Elders/Deacons meet at 7:00 p.m.
Feb 26 Ladies Bible Class at 9:30 a.m.
Feb 26 Teen Supper in the Basement at 6:30 p.m.
Feb 27 Man-Up will meet at 6:00 p.m. details to follow

## March

Mar 03 Winfield Rest Haven devotional; van leaves at 6:30 p.m. Mar 04 Teen Supper in the Basement at 6:30 p.m.

## **MEALS FOR THE LEFLORE'S**

In an effort to help Kendall and Wes following the arrival of baby George, we will be taking meals for awhile. For details or to schedule a meal, see Bobbi or Jennifer.

# HONDURAS MISSION TRIP

Wes, Rex and Nathan are currently raising funds for their mission trip to Honduras. If you would like to contribute, please give to the mission participants directly. If you would like a contribution receipt for tax purposes, please let Wes know and one will be provided.

# WOMEN WALKING WITH GOD CONFERENCE

If you haven't already registered, get it done today! Go to www.womenwalkingwithgod.org to register. The conference fee is \$68.00 and women 25 and under is \$30.00. Registrations received by April 10 will include lunch. The dates for the conference are April 17-18.

# SUMMER CAMP AT SILVER MAPLE

If you are planning on going to Silver Maple camp this summer, please get your name to Jennifer to receive 50% codes. Early registration is open and we must get everybody registered before June 1st to save \$25.00 per registration. You are responsible for \$92.50 before June 1st and \$117.50 after June 1st.

#### **CHILDREN'S CHURCH SCHEDULE** We need volunteers! Sign up across from the office! February Feb 23 Shelly Brown & Glenda Day & Pam Rayl

March March 01 Lynette Turney & Jennifer Hines March 08 Linda Wartick & Teylin Wartick & Arallai Wartick March 15 Jill DeJarnett & Piper Dodds March 22 Emily Pierce & Elise Wartick March 29 Shelly Brown & Glenda Day & Pam Rayl

**FELLOWSHIP ROOM SCHEDULE** February 23—4th Sunday Luncheon

# The Greatest Payoff

The best part of climbing a mountain is the moment that you reach the very top and look back at where you came from. This moment is what I like to refer to as the payoff.

I like to refer to it as the payoff because in order to have made it, there was a price that had to be paid. The price was advanced training and strenuous hiking. Most often, the more difficult the hike, the greater the payoff.

This makes sense on a lot of levels. When we practice hard at sports, the payoff is performing well in the game. When we work hard in school, the payoff is acquired knowledge. When we work hard at playing a musical instrument, the payoff is the ability to make music. When we work hard at our place of employment, the payoff is both satisfaction for a job well done and actual pay.

Payoffs are different when it comes to our salvation. They are different because no amount of work produces any kind of payoff. This is a strange thing to us since most things that we work hard at produces a payoff. Not so with your salvation. There was a price paid for your salvation and it was the steepest price that has ever been paid for anything. The difficulty? Beyond our imagination.

When Jesus accepted the cross, he took on extreme physical suffering, and that, extreme as it was, we can somewhat grasp. What we cannot imagine is what it required of Him to take upon Himself all of our sins and the feeling of being forsaken by God.

The payoff? There were many payoffs, but the one I want to discuss now is *your* payoff. Jesus did the hard work and those who put their faith in Him get the payoff. The whole concept is crazy!

It's like being carried to the top of a mountain and set on the summit. It's like playing a sport for the first time and being the best in the world at that sport. It's like never cracking open a book, but being the most brilliant scholar who ever lived. It's like never practicing the piano but being able to make beautiful music. It's like showing up at your place of employment and being promoted to CEO and given a million-dollar bonus as soon as you walk in the door.

When Jesus saves us, we get the promise of the greatest payoff of all time – a home with Him for all eternity in a place that is won-(continued)

# PRAYER LIST

Sandy Albin-prayers for good results from all the tests

**Dorothy Crisler**-fell and injured her neck and is in the Wellington Health & Rehab room #111 and would enjoy cards, visitors and prayers

## CARD OF THANKS

Dear Church Family, thank you so much for all the cards and well wishes. More especially thank you for all the prayers. My recovery is a testament to Gods awesome power and answering of prayer. Love Justin Light

## CARPENTER PLACE GROCERY PICK-UP

Carpenter Place will be here Thursday, March 12. Grocery bags are in the foyer and by the west door. Grab a bag, fill it and have it here by Wednesday, March 11.

# MAN-UP DETAILS

We're going to try something new at Man-Up. Come ready to do some service work around the church and discuss work that we can do for church members. Pizza will be provided. See you Thursday at 6pm.

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derful to extremes unimaginable.

We who follow Jesus, who put our faith in His work completed on the cross, have faith in His promises and wait with great expectation for that greatest of payoffs.

John 14:1-3, Jesus says, *Do not let your heart be troubled; believe in God, believe also in Me. In My Father's house are many dwell-ing places; if it were not so, I would have told you; for I go to pre-pare a place for you. If I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and receive you to Myself, that where I am, there you may be also.* 

Put your faith in Jesus – in His work for your salvation. In faith, obey His holy commandments. Live for Him in humble anticipation of the fulfillment of His promises. You will not regret following Jesus – His payoff is the only payoff that has ever been truly worth-while.

## Much love to you all!

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### **MINISTRY & DISCIPLESHIP:** PART 5, COSTLY BEAUTY

#### Matthew 10:32-42

Sermon

Notes:

Therefore everyone who confesses Me before men, I will also confess him before My Father who is in heaven. But whoever denies Me before men, I will also deny him before My Father who is in heaven. Do not think that I came to bring peace on the earth; I did not come to bring peace, but a sword. For I came to set a man against his father, and a daughter against her mother, and a daughter-in-law against her motherin-law; and a man's enemies will be the members of his household. He who loves father or mother more than Me is not worthy of Me; and he who loves son or daughter more than Me is not worthy of Me. And he who does not take his cross and follow after Me is not worthy of Me. He who has found his life will lose it, and he who has lost his life for My sake will find it. He who receives vou receives Me. and he who receives Me receives Him who sent Me. He who receives a prophet in the name of a prophet shall receive a prophet's reward; and he who receives a righteous man in the name of a righteous man shall receive a righteous man's reward. And whoever in the name of a disciple gives to one of these little ones even a cup of cold water to drink, truly I say to you, he shall not lose his reward.

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4)	<u>COMMUNIO</u>	N PREP	<b>COORDINATOR</b>
5)	March	Wade Pierce	March Leroy Lewis
6)	ELDERS		SCHEDULE OF SERVICES
7)	Rex Harris Ed Newberry	Marvin Kline Tom Norris	Sunday
8)			Bible Classes9:30 A.M Worship10:30 A.M
9)			Children's Worship.10:30 A.M Evening Worship6:00 P.M
10)	<b>DEACONS</b> Kevin Dodds	Aaron Hines	Children's Class6:00 P.M
Notes:	Leroy Lewis David Pierce	Mike Neal Alan Shields	<i>Wednesday</i> Ladies Bible Class9:30 A.M Bible Class7:00 P.M
	MINISTER Wes LeFlore		

### **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

61
105
\$2,632

February 23 Alan Shields Kevin Dodds Joe Church, Ed Newberry Nathan Bradbury, Parker Dodds Aaron Hines, Tom Kirkwood Marvin Kline

#### February 23 Wade Pierce

Ed Newberry, Nathan Bradbury Marvin Kline

# February 26

Alan Shields Tom Kirkwood

"Reaching Inward, Outward Upward. Downward"

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## **ORDER OF WORSHIP**

February 23, 2020

### Call to Worship

Song #121	"Come, Let Us All Unite to Sing"
Song #74	"Praise the Lord"
Prayer	
Song	"Above All"
Lord's Supper	
Song #141	"Heavenly Father, We Appreciate You"
Song #126	"The Lord My Shepherd Is"
Scripture	Psalm 96:1-6 (NASB)
Lesson	
Song #903	"There Is Power in the Blood"
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.