

July

Jul 11-17 SMC Junior Camp Session; ages 9-13
Jul 17 Vacation Bible School
Jul 18-24 SMC Senior Session; ages 13-18
Jul 25-31 Westview Boys Home trip to volunteer
Jul 25-31 SMC Youth Session; ages 9-18

WESTVIEW BOYS HOME TRIP

Calling all fixers uppers, encouragers, and family! There is a group going to Westview Boys Home July 25-31. All ages male and female are welcomed to volunteer. Please see Wes if you want to be included in this adventure!

JULY BIRTHDAYS

Kasiah Richmond—6th	Wes LeFlore—6th
Chris Dillon—8th	Kendall LeFlore—10th
Charles Garver—12th	Tammy Neal—12th
Laney Dillon—13th	Kolton Clark—16th
Mike Neal—19th	Casey Colwell—20th
Jack LeFlore—23rd	Carley Cole—24th
Bob Pettegrew—27th	Emily Pierce—27th

*WHAT WINGS ARE TO A BIRD,
AND SAILS TO A SHIP, SO IS
PRAYER TO THE SOUL*

VBS CORNER

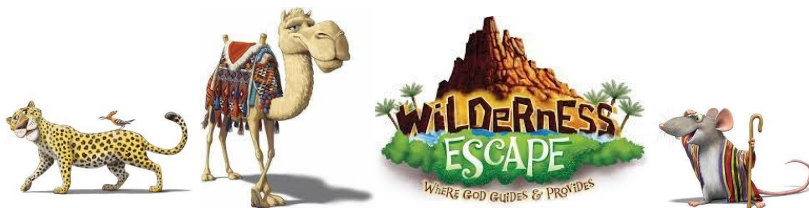
We Still Need Volunteers: Teachers, Assistant Teachers, Tribe Leaders (group leaders), and Prayer Warriors!

T-Shirts: We are doing t-shirts again this year. If you wish to purchase some for your family to wear at VBS, there is a sign up sheet with prices in the foyer and at the west door. We are doing grass green with white writing. They may not be ready for the parade.

Needed: We are in need of a large Persian rug and a large pottery vessel. If you have either of these, please see Randy or Sandy Albin.

PARADE FLOAT

We will be meeting at Orscheln's garage on Tuesday and Thursday (**July 6th and 8th**) from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. to work on the float for the Wheat Festival Parade. Thanks!



FROM THE PREACHERS DESK

Created for Fellowship

Years ago, I used to meet a group of guys at six every Saturday morning to play golf. I didn't have any children in those days. I can barely remember life before children...

Anyway, there was one guy that played in our group that was a far worse golfer than anyone else. Nobody cared, except him.

As we played, he would grow more and more frustrated, not so much by his lack of ability, but because he felt somehow like he was a hindrance to the rest of us.

Try as we might, we could not convince him that we didn't care about his golf game. We repeatedly told him that we just wanted him to be out there with us because when he wasn't fretting over the game, he was true joy to be around.

Eventually, he stopped playing and robbed us of what we wanted most: fellowship.

This isn't a unique story. I've heard many variations of it over the years. Just replace golf with another activity of some kind and you have a very common story.

It's just a variation of the sad story of pride. It's the sinful attitude that creeps in and creates self-pity within a person's heart and mind.

How can I identify and avoid this way of thinking? It's easy to see if you know what to look for. Here's the circumstances:

- 1) An opportunity is presented
- 2) You reject the opportunity

It's easy enough to identify the circumstances, but most important is the WHY behind the rejection. Here is the heart of the matter. If you find yourself saying, I can't do that because:

- I'm too old / I'm too young
- I'm not good at that / not experienced
- I don't know enough
- I'd just be in the way
- Other people are better than me at that
- I might embarrass myself

At the core of these excuses lies the sin of pride. Someone might
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PRAYER LIST:

Chayse Easterly, Larry Helton, Joe Brown, Connie Morris, Shirley Stoner, Melinda Miller, Hailee Moyer

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT!

Congratulations to Arlis Day on the birth of his new great grandson! Marcelo Palacio was born Saturday, June 26th at 11:41 a.m. weighing in at 7 pounds, 9 ounces and 20 inches long. Parents are Isidro & Jennifer Palacio.

WE'RE BUYING A NEW VAN!

We are collecting funds for a new van. If you plan to make a donation it has to be done no later than Wednesday, July 7th. Please give your money to one of the elders.

CHILDREN'S CHURCH SCHEDULE

July

July 04—Helen Norris July 11—Linda Wartick
July 18—VBS July 25—Jill DeJarnett

August

August 01—Helen Norris August 08—Lynette Turney

say, those could be legitimate excuses. I would argue, not for a follower of Jesus they're not. Ephesians 2:10 states that we are,

...created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand so that we would walk in them.

The scripture leaves no room for excuse making on our part. And to the ones thinking they have nothing to offer, they forget the thing that I have found most people value above all else: fellowship.

What does it take to contribute fellowship? The only requirement is showing up! And this is also commanded. 1 Thessalonians 5:11 says,

...encourage one another and build up one another, just as you also are doing.

You can't encourage or build people up when you are not present.

It's true, your days of doing the heavy lifting may be over, but after the heavy lifting days comes the even greater responsibility of creating disciples.

Be encouraged church and understand that we are better together! We have been created for community. We are the body of Christ.

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The Last Week, Part 7: The First Trap
Matthew 22:15-22

Outline:

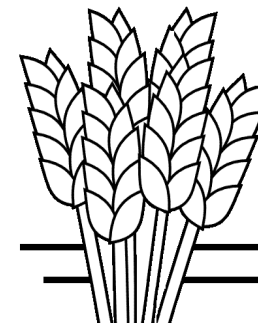
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THOSE WHO SERVE

SUNDAY A.M.	04-July 2021	11-July 2021	18-July 2021
<u>Elder in Charge</u>	E. Newberry	E. Newberry	E. Newberry
<u>Opening Prayer</u>	J. DeJarnett	B. Turney	M. Neal
<u>Song Leader</u>	K. Dodds	K. Dodds	K. Dodds
<u>Communion Prayer</u>	D. Pierce	N. Bradbury	T. Norris
<u>Contribution Prayer & Collection</u>	J. Willson W. Pierce D. Pierce	J. Willson W. Pierce N. Bradbury	J. Willson W. Pierce T. Norris
<u>Ushers</u>	A. Hines M. Kline	A. Hines M. Kline	A. Hines M. Kline
<u>Closing Prayer</u>	E. Newberry	E. Newberry	E. Newberry
<u>Deacon in Charge</u>	K. Dodds	K. Dodds	K. Dodds
SUNDAY A.M.	25-July 2021		
<u>Elder in Charge</u>	E. Newberry		
<u>Opening Prayer</u>	D. Pierce		
<u>Song Leader</u>	K. Dodds		
<u>Communion Prayer</u>	R. Harris		
<u>Contribution Prayer & Collection</u>	J. Willson W. Pierce R. Harris		
<u>Ushers</u>	A. Hines M. Kline		
<u>Closing Prayer</u>	E. Newberry		
<u>Deacon in Charge</u>	K. Dodds		

ELDERS	Rex Harris Ed Newberry	Marvin Kline Tom Norris
DEACONS	Kevin Dodds Leroy Lewis David Pierce	Aaron Hines Mike Neal Alan Shields
MINISTER	Wes LeFlore	

SCHEDULE OF SERVICE	
	<i>Sunday</i>
Bible Classes.....	9:30 a.m.
Worship.....	10:30 a.m.
	<i>Wednesday</i>
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

July 4, 2021

Call to Worship

Song #594 “Live for Jesus”

Song #711 “Blest Be the Tie That Binds”

Song #736 “To Christ Be True

Prayer

Song #332 “Lead Me to Calvary”

Communion Prayers

Contribution Prayer

Contribution Collection

Lesson

Song #909 “There’s a Fountain Free”

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 Fellowship Room for stories, crafts and learning about Jesus.