


July
July 7-13 Silver Maple Camp First Session for ages 9-13 years
July 11 Wes to speak at SMC; van will be going
July 14 **VBS Teachers meeting immediately after services**
July 14-20 Silver Maple Camp Second Session for ages 13-18 years
July 18 Men’s Fellowship & Bible Study; 6:00 p.m.
July 21-24 Vacation Bible School; see details below
July 21-27 Silver Maple Camp Third Session for ages 9-18 years
July 28 MYF at 47th Street Church of Christ in Wichita

WES TO SPEAK AT SILVER MAPLE CAMP
Wes will be speaking at Silver Maple Camp on Thur. July 11. Supper will be served. If anyone wants to attend, the van will be leaving at 4:00 p.m. Please RSVP to Wes if you want to ride.

BLESSING BOX
We are **very low** on items. If you can bring some, please do so. Please **no** canned goods during the hot season!
Non-Perishable Food Items:
Peanut Butter
Granola/Protein Bars
Nuts, Oatmeal, Cereal, Crackers
Beans, Rice, Lentils, Pasta
Pasta Sauce, One Box Meals or Mixes
Kitchen Staples (Flour, Sugar, salt/pepper)
Hygiene Items:
Shampoo/Conditioner
Toothpaste/Toothbrush/Floss
Brushes/Combs
Deodorant
Body Wash

Tonight during the message my nine-year-old son, Jay, came to the realization that the children who were not on the ark didn’t make it. He looked to me with such a sad, questioning face. All I could say was “Their parents didn’t make sure they were on the ark.” The weight of that statement is still weighing on me. Of all the things that I do for the Kingdom of God, NOTHING is more important than making sure that my children find their way to a relationship with Jesus. —

2024 VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL
“The Great Jungle Journey”
An Epic Cruise from Genesis to Revelation!
Date: July 21st - 24th
Sunday: 9:30 to 11:30
Sunday - Wednesday 6:00 to 8:00
Ages: Kindergarten - 5th Grade
"Now to the King eternal, immortal, invisible, to God who alone is wise, be honor and glory forever and ever. Amen". —I Timothy 1:17



FROM THE PREACHERS DESK
Why We Do What We Do
There are many motivations that can be observed in our lives that demonstrate why we do what we do.
For instance, let’s look at the law of the land. If I don’t break the speed limit, it’s not because I love the law, it’s because I fear paying a speeding ticket. If not for fear of the ticket, I would probably speed more than I do.
However, my motivation for not speeding cannot be applied to the whole law, just some of it. For instance, I don’t abstain from murder because I fear the consequence of prison.
In the instance of speeding, my motivation is fear – fear of losing some money. But in the instance of murder, my motivation for not breaking this law is not fear of the consequences, though the consequences be severe. No, my motivation for not murdering another person is love.
In general, I love people. I don’t pat myself on the back for this either. I give God full-credit. I didn’t use to have a general love for all people, but I’ve learned to do so and have been enabled to do so because of how God has loved me. I want to please God and to be like Him, and part of that is loving people.
A purer motive for not speeding would be not speeding because I know that God doesn’t want me to break the laws of the land (Romans 13:1).
Why talk about these different motivations?
I talk about them because our motivations are a major Biblical topic. Our motivations reveal what we truly care about and they also reveal what motivates us.
We often talk about how the ceremonial and judicial law was fulfilled in Jesus, but what we don’t often talk about is the law that replaces the ceremonial and judicial laws. What I’m talking about is the law of love.
Do you realize that it was the intention of Jesus that we love one another in a deeper and more profound way than anyone ever had loved before? Not only was it an intention, it was a commandment.
In John 13:34-35, Jesus said, *34 A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another, even as I have loved you, that you also love one another. 35 By this all men will know that you are My disciples, if you have love for one another.*
What does He mean by calling loving one another a “new law?” It was
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Prayer List: Patsy Pierce, Tom & Louise Kirkwood, Tim Evans, Gary Bodine, David & Rita Carroll, Bob & Beth Brownlee, Richard Wartick, Eliza Conwell, Larry Helton, Carrie Harris, Julie DeSoignie, Kylie Lock

CHILDREN’S CORNER
Our Theme for Children’s & Teens Bible Classes this month is “Paul’s Mission to Rome.” Here is a peek at this month’s lessons, the Big Picture Question and the memory verse.
July 07—Paul was on Trial (Acts 22-23)
July 14—Paul was Sent to Rome (Acts 26-28)
July 21—VBS
July 28—Paul Preached in Rome (Acts 28)
Big Picture Question:
Q: Why should we praise Jesus?
A: We should praise Jesus for what he has done to provide our salvation and because he will one day make all things right.
“Declare His glory among the nations, His marvelous deeds among all peoples” —Psalm 96:3

CHILDREN’S CHURCH SCHEDULE
July
July 07—Audra Hudspeth July 14—Linda Wartick
July 21—**Need Volunteer!** July 28—Jennifer Palacio
August
August 04—Audra Hudspeth August 11—Linda Wartick
August 18—Kaitlin Francisco August 25—Jennifer Palacio
If you can volunteer, please see Darlene Cooney!

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new in the sense that the Jews never loved their neighbor as they did themselves, as the law commanded (Leviticus 19:18).
It was also a new command to love as Jesus loved – a completely unselfish and sacrificial love.
How does this relate to the law? The law of the land has some to do with our rights and the rights of others. The law of love gives up rights for the sake of the love that we have for others. When is the last time you gave up a right in order to express your love for another?
Jesus said that when we love others like He loved us, *all men will know that you are His disciples.*
Much love!
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Outline:

- Create a _____
- Present the _____
- Get it _____
- The _____ of _____
- The _____

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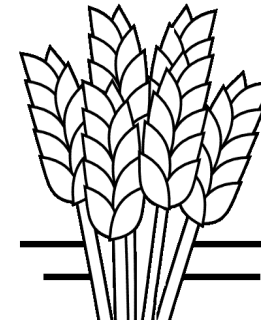
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<u>SUNDAY, 10:30 AM</u>	<u>July 07</u>	<u>July 14</u>	<u>July 21</u>	<u>July 28</u>
<u>Opening Prayer</u>	M. Neal	L. Lewis	J. DeJarnett	K. Dodds
<u>Song Leader</u>	A. Shields	A. Shields	A. Shields	A. Shields
<u>Communion Talk</u>				
<u>& Prayer</u>	T. Norris	R. Harris	N. Bradbury	D. Pierce
<u>Contribution Prayer</u>	A. Hines	A. Hines	A. Hines	A. Hines
<u>Collection & Count</u>	L. Turney	L. Turney	L. Turney	L. Turney
<u>Ushers</u>	E. Newberry	E. Newberry	E. Newberry	E. Newberry
	P. Dodds	P. Dodds	P. Dodds	P. Dodds
<u>Closing Prayer</u>	R. Harris	R. Harris	R. Harris	R. Harris
<u>Deacon in Charge</u>	W. Pierce	W. Pierce	W. Pierce	W. Pierce

Auditorium—	Teens—
Bible Hour—	Total—No Services

Wes LeFlore

Bible Class.....7:00 p.m.
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July 7, 2024

Call to Worship

Song #180 “Jesus Is Lord”

Song #767 “In the Hour of Trial”

Prayer

Song #319 “Must Jesus Bear the Cross Alone”

Communion Prayers

Contribution Prayer

Contribution Collection

Song #123 “The Steadfast Love of the Lord”

Lesson

Song #882 “No Tears in Heaven”

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.