FAMILY ENCOURAGER



Sharing God's Word with Corpus Christi & the World

"For as one body we have many members, and the members do not all have the same function, so we, though many, are one body in Christ, and individually members one of another." (Romans 12:4-5)



Be sure to Welcome Judy Shelton to our Weber Road Family. She placed membership on July 10, 2022.



Upcoming Events

Sunday, July 24
•FFC Potluck
•Leadership Meeting Cancelled

Tuesday, July 26
•Classics Cookout-Elam's House

Thursday, July 28
•WRYG SYS-Weber Road

Sunday, July 31
•Singing Night

Fri-Sun, August 5-7
•WRYG-Discipleship University

Sunday, August 7
•WRYG Back to School Devo

Sunday, August 14
•Blood Drive
•Bible Bowl Studies Start-see pg3

Wednesday, August 17
•WRYG Dine Out

Sunday, August 21
•Leadership Meeting
•WRYG Group 1 Devo

Sunday, September 11•WRYG & FFC Hooks Game

ABORTION—TRUTH AND COMPASSION

The topic of abortion has taken a prominent place in public discourse after the Supreme Court's ruling earlier in July. Many are very upset while many are elated. It has become a very divisive issue that will surely continue to be the focus of our attention especially with mid-term elections coming in November.

Even some Christians have been drawn into the unbiblical idea that abortion is morally acceptable. Perhaps they are well meaning in their concern for women, but that doesn't change the undeniable fact that the woman is not the only life to consider. On the other hand, some Christians have expressed things about those who are "pro-choice" with terminology that is unbecoming of God's people. Perhaps they hold strong beliefs and have the lives of unborn babies in mind, yet we must always conduct ourselves appropriately as ambassadors of Christ. (1 Cor 5:20) Above all, we must remember at least two things that should guide us as Christians.

First, the TRUTH must be spoken and followed. LIFE is precious, both the life of the woman and the baby in her womb. Who would have imagined that within 50 years of the Roe vs Wade decision that babies would be partially delivered only to have their lives extinguished in what is often called a "partial birth" abortion? Because of modern science and technology we can now see in the early weeks of a pregnancy with great detail, that a "fetus" is not just a "glob of cells," but a living, human being. God told Jeremiah, "Before I formed you in the womb I knew you." (Jer 1:6) David wrote by God's inspiration, "For you formed my inward parts; you knitted me together in my mother's womb. 14 I praise you, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made. Wonderful are your works; my soul knows it very well." (Psa 139:13-14) Christians must proclaim the God approved truth that every life is precious in the eyes of God and that includes both the woman and the baby.

Second, we must show COMPASSION. While the Christian must defend the right of the woman to live and for the baby to be born, we must also have compassion for those who are looking for assistance and help. When an unwanted pregnancy occurs, many become desperate and confused. Let us be there to love, forgive and guide those looking for answers to their problems. Throughout the country, there are helpful organizations where women can get counseling and help

that will NOT end with the death of a child. We can support these types of organizations as we remember that compassion is a godly characteristic found throughout Scripture!

This article is not intended to answer all the "what ifs" concerning unwanted pregnancies, but every child of God ought to both profess the TRUTH of God and show the COMPASSION of God every day.

-Mark Hammitt



How Should The Christian Respond To The Debate?

WEBER ROAD LIFESTYLE



JULY

21-David Stark
22-Darrell Sage
23-Brixton French
24-Calil Evans
25-Darleen Baldwin
28-Ida Moody
28-Hannah Charlebois
28-Kenneth Roberson
28-Juliette Lakeman
30-Amanda Longoria
30-John Rice

AUGUST

1-Josephine Flowers 4-Breanna Bailey 4-Wayne Schroeder 4-Glen Hennesay 5-Susan Brittain 6-Jesse Davila 7-Amanda Hinojosa 8-Heaven Lee 10-Donna Hannah 11-David Anthony Alaniz 13-Lisa Greene 13-Faye Harvin 13-Candi Robison 15-Maurine Mungia 15-Dylan Yaws 16-Andrew Garza 17-Randy Calloway 17-Waylon Haigood 18-Ashley Hooten 18-William Floissac 19-Phyllis Hibdon 21-Stacey Stark 22-Jade Floissac 23-Rose M Ramirez 26-Regina Esslinger 26-Daniel Robison 27-Peyton Yaws 28-Mandi Reyes 29-Rudy Reves 30-Sandra Valdez

SUMMER YOUTH SERIES AT WEBER ROAD

July 28 we are hosting the Summer Youth Series at Weber Road. We are having a Mexican theme dinner with Chicken fajitas, taco soup, chips and queso, and rice and beans. There is a sign up in the foyer. We still need more people to bring everything. If you are bringing drinks please bring them by Wednesday, July 27.



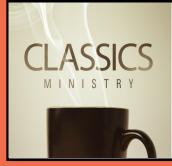
UPCOMING EVENTS MARK YOUR CALENDERS



FFC Potluck

July 24 | 6-8 PM

A get-together for food, fellowship, fun and study. A great way to deepen your relationship with God and his family. Menu TBD.



Classics Cookout

July 26 | 6:30 PM

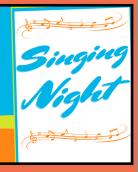
Members 55 years or older join us at the Elam's House for a Cookout. Sign up if you are coming and what food you will be bringing.

Summer Youth Series @ Weber July 28 | 7 PM

We are hosting the last SYS of the summer. Remember the dress code We will need help with setting up, serving food, and cleaning up. Please be sure to see the sign up sheet to bring food items.



Join us for an evening of singing.





Discipleship University-Dripping SpringsAugust 5-7

The theme this year for DU is "I AM". Hiram Kemp is the keynote speaker. We are staying in a hotel in Lakeway, TX. There is a packing list and travel itinerary in the foyer.



Back 2 School Bash/ Summer Recap

August 7 | 6-8 PM

Teens and families will have a summer recap and back 2 school bash cookout! We will share stories and have a devo.



Blood Drive

August 14 11AM-2:30 PM

Sign up online for an appointment. Walk-ins are also welcome.

Bible Bowl Studies Begin August 14 5:30-6:30 PM

2nd-12th graders join us each Sunday to study for Bible Bowl. If you have not received the study guide please see Kenneth. We want to encourage everyone to participate. Teachers be sure to sign up this week.



Teens Dine Out August 17 | 8-9 PM

Parents and teens are invited for dinner. It is a Dutch treat. Van will leave after class and return around 9:10 PM.





Leadership Meeting

August 21 | 4 PM

Elders, Deacons and Ministers will meet in room 7.

Events for this bulletin should be submitted to the office on Monday **two weeks before** the event.



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Come & Worship with Us

SUNDAY

Bible Classes (All ages) - 9:00 AM AM Worship - 10:00 AM

WEDNESDAY

(September - May) Ladies Bible Class - 10:00 AM Men's Bible Class - 10:00 AM Bible Classes (All ages) - 7:00 PM

ELDERS:

Randy Calloway, Grant Jackson, Mike Klotz

DEACONS:

Steven Bailey, Jimmy Crowe, Bruce Elam, Justin Esslinger, Gary Hannah, Daniel Honig, Russell Hooten, Manuel Mungia, Larry Sanchez

STAFF:

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Missionaries:

- ⇒ Stephen Ankamah (Africa)
- ⇒ Sainthuber Felix (Haiti)
- ⇒ Will Hanstein (Southeast Institute of Biblical Studies)
- ⇒ Sylionor Houpette (Jamaica)
- ⇒ Fernando Madrid (Colombia)
- ⇒ John Moore (Bible Land Passages)
- ⇒ Ilya Muzychenko (Russia)
- ⇒ Beaubrun Origine (Haiti)
- ⇒ Augustine Tawiah (Africa)
- ⇒ World Bible Study
- ⇒ Weber's KIII-TV3 Program

Preaching Students:

Raoul Ferris, Jerrod Hammond, Declan McCarn, Ty McClellen, Joshua Schutkowski, Jesse Stuart & BK York ADULT CLASSES AND SERVICES STREAMED TO FACEBOOK LIVE AND YOUTUBE.

SUNDAY MORNING ADULT BIBLE CLASS

Auditorium
9:00 AM
"Important Bible Doctrines"
Grant Jackson

SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE

Auditorium 10:00 AM Mark Hammitt

WEDNESDAY SUMMER ADULT BIBLE CLASS

Fellowship Hall
7:00 PM
"Bible Discussions with Friends"
Mark Hammitt