

March 10, 2024

TO OUR GUESTS

We are honored that you are here today. We are a church family who seek to be followers of Jesus and to be true to the Bible. We hope you will find our worship spiritual and uplifting. Our wish is to get to know you and that you feel welcome here.

Worship

Sunday Mornings 10:30 2nd 4th & 5th Sunday evenings 6:00 1st & 3rd Sundays: Noon Meal Provided

Bible Studies & Children's classes

Sunday Mornings 9:30 Tuesday Ladies Class 10:00 Wednesday Evenings 6:00

Put on the new self, created to be like God in true righteousness and holiness. Eph.4:24

THE BIBLE SAYS...

APOSTLE PAUL SAID... "Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; the old has gone, the new has come" (2 Corinthians 5:17). The word "therefore" refers us back to where Paul tells us that all believers have died with Christ and no longer live for themselves. Common sense would say that becoming a new creature would require the old creature to die. The Bible is replete with discussion of these teachings. Paul said, "I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me" (Galatians 2:20). The process of becoming a Christian requires us to completely put away our past of living a life of sin and only living for ourselves. This is described as dying, as if that old person no longer exists. Then we are recreated in our mind and our actions as though we are a new person. This is described as a renewal and a regeneration. The way we think, and act become so different, it is as though we have been born again.

The enactment of this takes place at baptism. Listen to Romans 6:3-4. "Do you not know that all of us who were baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into His death? We were therefore buried with Him through baptism into death in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead through the glory of the Father, we too may live a new life." This emphasizes three things: To be in Christ one must be baptized into Christ. Baptism is the very act of death to our old life of sin. And we are baptized "in order that" we may be raised up out of baptism to live a new life, just like Christ was raised from the dead. This new creation in Christ is possible only by His own crucifixion and resurrection which offers us forgiveness and salvation. Living this new life in Christ and for Christ is an offering of appreciation for what He has done for us.

THE LORD IS COMING

- Stacy McCasland-

News and Notes

Sharla and Bobby are back from OKC after doctor consultations and tests. The procedures went well.

Funeral services for Paula Jackson, son of Noe Jackson, were last Friday here at the building.

Funeral services for Travis Bales' father were last Monday at Lone Grove, OK.

If you would like to help with relief for Stinnett and Fritch, please see an elder.

Happy Birthday! 11-Blake Raymond, 14-Sharla Moudy

Activities

Today is our 2nd Sunday evening service and sandwich supper, starting at 6:00. Please join us!

We will be having a money tree, wedding shower for Carson Tate and his fiancé, Jessica Tabor, next Sunday, Martch 17th, during potluck. They will be getting married in June in Albuquerque. We would love for everyone to be there, so be sure to stay for potluck after services to help bless their upcoming marriage! You can give money to Debbie or Anna. Thank you!



You are invited to a wedding shower for Jessica and Carson March 17 during potluck

Prayers

Our Family: Gaye Young, Ray Jennings, Sharla Moudy

Assisted Living: Ramona Raymond, Linda Hodges, Lanelle Dovel

Extended Family: Courtney James Carter (Ross James' niece), Duane Tracy, Randy Tracy (Debi Huff's family), Kevin Daniel (Jim Ober's nephew), Dony House (Judy Leatherman's nephew), Nelda Elliff (Becky's sister-in-law), Patsy Baggett (Calvin's grandmother)

Special Need: Those affected by wildfires

Our Missions: Bible Chair, High Plains Children's Home, AIM, Sunset School of Preaching

Children's Bible Class Teachers Wednesday night, March 13 - Ross & Tonya Sunday morning nursery, March 17 - Becky

Worship Leaders Welcome: Song Leader: Scripture:

Message:

Today March 10 **Brian Bailey** Terry Cash Matthew Orr Stacy McCasland Lord's Supper: Ross James

> Joe Bob Thompson Don Young **Brian Bailey**

Closing Prayer: Wes Hayhurst

Next Week March 17 **Brian Bailey**

Toby Brown Zach McDaniel Stacy McCasland Ross James

Joe Bob Thompson

Don Young Brian Bailey Ray Jennings

Records 3/3/2024

Tulia Bible Class: 53 Tulia Worship: 85

Tulia Contribution: \$2,762 **Budgeted**

Contribution: \$3,595

Our Shepherds

Toby Brown Larry Stewart Daryl Tucker

Our Deacons Brian Bailey

Richard Combest Ross James Kevin Leatherman **Bobby Moudy** Danny Tucker

Our Minister Stacy McCasland