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Join us tonight here at the church at 6pm!

TONIGHTS TOPIC THAT WILL BE COVERED:

The #1 Key to incredible sex

A PEOPLE OF PRAYER

Ephesians 6:18 says: *"And pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests. With this in mind, be alert and always keep on praying for all the saints."* An opportunity is being provided to assist us in our prayer life - Beginning next WEDNESDAY, March 13th from 11:30am - 1:00pm, the sanctuary will be open for prayer. Prayer prompts will be available as it relates to the needs of individuals, our church family, our church ministries, missionaries, our nation, and the world God has placed us in to live out His Light and Grace. If you need prayer, want to join others in prayer, want to pray on your own or share a need for prayer let's take this opportunity to grow in becoming a people of prayer. God will be glorified and we shall be blessed as we do so together.

For more information contact Tracy Hilts @ 719-325-6448.

The SEVEN I am Sayings of Jesus

"I Am He"

"I Am the Bread of Life"

"I Am the Light of the World"

"I Am the Good Shepherd"

"I Am the Resurrection and the Life"

"I Am the Way, the Truth and the Life"

"I Am the True Vine"

FAITH COVENANT CHURCH

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Sunday School - Youth and adults: 9:15am

Worship service: 10:30am

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FAITH COVENANT

AN EVANGELICAL COVENANT CHURCH

Sunday, March 3rd, 2013

Order of Service

Third Sunday of Lent Time ~ March 3rd, 2013

Song: Shine, Jesus Shine

CHRIST THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD

Pastor: In the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, Lord we acknowledge your presence here with us this day.

People: Christ we acknowledge that you are the light of the world.

Pastor: Shine into our darkness so that we may see.

People: Christ you are the light of the world.

Pastor: Shine into our lives and enlighten us with your grace.

People: Christ is our light.

Pastor: Christ shine into our lives each day, so that we may be your radiance.

All: We pray through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Song: Light of the World

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE OLD TESTAMENT LESSON: Isaiah 9:1-7

Reader: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

THE EPISTLE LESSON: Ephesians 5:8-14

Reader: Here ends the reading of the Epistle.

People: Praise be to you, O Lord.

THE GOSPEL LESSON: John 1:1-10

Reader: The Gospel of our Lord.

People: Glory to You, O Christ.

CHRIST BE OUR LIGHT

Longing for light, we wait in darkness. Longing for truth, we turn to you. Make us your own, your holy people, light for the world to see. Christ, be our light! Shine in our hearts. Shine through the darkness. Christ, be our light! Shine in your church, gathered today! Longing for peace, our world is troubled. Longing for hope, many despair. Your word alone has power to save us. Make us your living voice. Make us your light, this we pray. - Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Hymn 412 - Be Thou My Vision

Candle Procession

SERMON: "Jesus the light of the world"

PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

COMMUNION SONG: Jesus Messiah

THE INVITATION TO THE TABLE

Friends, this is the joyful feast of the whole people of God! Believers will come from east and west, and from north and south, to sit at table in the kingdom of God. This is the Lord's Table. Our Savior invites all those who trust Him to share the feast which He has prepared.

COMMUNION & RECEIVING OF THE SACRAMENT

THE COMMUNION PRAYER

Pastor: O give thanks to the Lord, for He is good,

People: And His mercy endures forever.

Pastor: We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that, of Your mercy, You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son and our Lord.

People: The Lord lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Song: Forever Reign

THE BENEDICTION

SERMON NOTES - Jesus the light of the world

John 8:12 *When Jesus spoke again to the people, he said, "I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness, but will have the light of life."*

Jesus is the one who _____ us through unfamiliar territory.

Revelation 7:17 *"For the Lamb at the center of the throne will be their shepherd; he will lead them to springs of living water. And God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."*

Jesus is _____ both day and night.

Deuteronomy 31:6 *"Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid or terrified because of them, for the Lord your God goes with you; he will never leave you nor forsake you."*

Jesus is our _____ no matter what trials or dangers we face.

Psalms 56:3,4 *When I am afraid, I put my trust in you. In God, whose word I praise - in God I trust and am not afraid. What can mere mortals do to me?*