

## Worship & Bible Study

Sunday Morning  
Bible Classes - 9:30 AM  
Worship - 10:30 AM

Wednesday Evening  
Bible Class 7:00 PM  
Bible Study— 7:00 PM

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## Today's Worship July 24, 2016

♪ *Clap Your Hands*

♪ *A New Hallelujah*

Welcome/Family Time

*Prayer*

♪ *Come Worship Christ The King*

*Teaching*

♪ *Faithful Love*

Communion/Cup

♪ *As The Deer*

Communion/Bread

♪ *As The Deer*

*Elder's Prayer*

Offering/Family Matters

♪ *Firm Foundation*

## To Our Guests This Morning!

We are glad you're here and feel blessed to have the opportunity to worship with you. We would like to ask you to complete an attendance card and drop it in the offering. If you have children, they are always welcome in our worship service. For your convenience, a nursery is provided for newborn to 2 years old.

# BELIEVE

LIVING THE STORY OF THE BIBLE  
TO BECOME LIKE JESUS



## FAITHFULNESS

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with God and others based on  
my loyalty to those relationships.

Proverbs 3:3-4

# Think

## Believe: Faithfulness

**Key Idea:** I have established a good name with God and others based on my loyalty to those relationships.

**Key Scripture:** <sup>3</sup>Let love and faithfulness never leave you;  
bind them around your neck,  
write them on the tablet of your heart.

<sup>4</sup>Then you will win favor and a good name  
in the sight of God and man.

Proverbs 3:3-4

I don't know about you, but I believe other people can express themselves in ways that I never can. Let's look at what others say about faithfulness. The following quotes are taken from <http://www.goodreads.com/quotes/tag/faithfulness>.

Being faithful in the smallest things is the way to gain, maintain, and demonstrate the strength needed to accomplish something great. (Alex Harris)

Faithfulness is not doing something right once but doing something right over and over and over and over. (Joyce Meyer)

I meant what I said and I said what I meant. (Dr. Seuss, *Horton Hatches the Egg*)

Hold faithfulness and sincerity as first principles. (Confucius)

Don't just ask God to use you; ask Him to use you up. Then pray more than you've ever prayed before to be able to keep that commitment! (Katie Brazelton)

Have faith in God and your abilities. You can make a difference in the world. (Lailah Gifty Akita)

Success certainly isn't achievement of popularity. Success in God's kingdom is loving God, loving one another, and being faithful to what He's called us to do (Gabriel Wilson)

Faithfulness is about staying true. Being consistent. It's about saying something and doing what you said. When we are able to do these things then people will begin to see faithfulness within us.

Faithfulness is about keeping your promises. Even for small things. People tend to remember the weirdest things. We tend to focus on the small things many times. If we've let someone down in the smallest of things, we won't have their trust in bigger things. That's the wonderful thing about God, he remains true, consistent, and always keeps his promises.

We have the greatest example in faithfulness when we look at God. How many times did God deliver on his promises? In reality, it's way too many to count! Because God had delivered (he has been faithful) we know that we can count on him in the future. We may not understand the current set of circumstances but know that God is there, he will stay the course with you because God is faithful.

### Life Application:

I can trust God to remain faithful to me so therefore I should be faithful to others.

### Prayer:

Gracious God, thank you for your faithfulness. You are faithful, Lord, even when I am not. Thank you for your grace. Thank you for never forgetting me when I have forgotten you. Thank you for turning my despair into hope. Thank you for always being there for me. O Lord, how great is your faithfulness! Amen.

July 24, 2016

Family news

Upcoming  
events



## Please Pray For...

**\*Bill Black** –cancer reoccurrence  
**Lance Cooper's mother**  
**Sheila Cooper's mother**  
**Bill Daugherty**—Recovery  
**Brain Devereux**— At home recovering

**Mary Beth Duncan**— Ray's mother, heart problems

**Leah Ezelle**— Treatment options  
**Jennifer Hacker**— Continued health problems

**Carol Jackson Sister**, Barbara  
**David Timmerman**— Treatment for Cancer

**Rachel Williams**— Recovery

**Reva Day**— Shut-in/Health

**Larry Nance**— Severe leg pain

**Doug Nemeth**—

**John Rogers**—Neighbor of Sam O'Neal recurring cancer after 16 yrs. in remission.

**\*Max Goodgion**—Cherie House's father, brain cancer.

Heaven's Pantry reopens on Wednesday, August 3rd from 6-7 pm. In addition to our usual pantry items for families, we will be helping about 35 children in K-8 grades with school supplies. The following items are needed by Sunday, July 31st:  
Crayola Crayons (24 pack)  
Washable Markers  
No.2 Pencils  
Pens (black & blue)  
Rulers  
3-Ring Binders  
Notebook Paper (regular & college ruled)  
Two-Pocket Folders  
School Glue (bottles & sticks)

No time to shop? Monetary donations are also appreciated and someone will do the shopping for you. Please give these donations to Rita Duncan or Sheila Cooper.

### Pick-Up Schedule for Jeff Hacker

|           |                               |
|-----------|-------------------------------|
| July 24   | Bob Hyatt<br>Charles Dial     |
| July 31   | Dorian Lain<br>Don Ezelle     |
| August 7  | Jim Goodeve<br>Marilyn Harper |
| August 14 | Larry Nance<br>Larry Nance    |



**Ladies Zumba**, Tuesday in the FLC from 5:30-6:30.  
Cost is \$3.

- July 23-30 Chihuahua, Mexico partnership mission trip. Please pray for our health and safety as we travel.

### Prayer

Please join us every Sunday morning in the church library for a time of prayer with the Elders from 8:30 to 9:15.

## CHILDREN

**Sunday morning  
Children's Classes  
Begin at 9:30**

Adults are available in the hall to show the children to their classes

**Children's Worship**  
—taking a much needed break for the summer, see you after labor day.

**Wednesday Night**  
Children's Class K-4th  
"Connection Now" 5th-8th grade

### 2016 Budget \$337,000 year \$28,083 month

| Month | Month Giving | Year To Date | +/-          |
|-------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| June  | \$23,750.03  | \$161,129.83 | (\$7368.17)) |
| July  | N/A          | N/A          | ()           |