



We Strive to Be: A church devoted to making disciples of Jesus Christ, growing together in knowledge and relationship with God and each other.

Today's Events:

LTC Practice:
Puppets & Drama

Upcoming Events:

March 18 – Men's/Women's Bible Study: 10 – 11 a.m.

March 19 – Meal: Breakfast for Dinner!

March 23 – H.O.P.E. Group (Plummers)

March 26 – Meal: Sliders, Mac & Cheese, Green Salad, Dessert

April 2 – Meal: Baked Potatoes, Frito Chili Pie, Green Salad, Brownies

April 3 – Life Line Screening: All Day in the Fellowship Building

April 9 – Meal: Golden Chick Chicken Tenders, Mashed Potatoes & Gravy, Green Beans, Fruit Salad, Dessert

April 13 – Elders/Deacons/Minister Meeting: After Worship

April 15 – Serve Lunch at the Alva Bible Chair

April 16 – LTC Presentations

April 20 – Easter

May 4 – Going Away Party for Leonie Hel: 12 p.m. – 2 p.m. in the Fellowship Building

May 6 – Serve Lunch at the Alva Bible Chair

May 11 – Elders/Deacons/Minister Meeting: After Worship

May 18 – Senior Sunday

Order of Worship

..... *We Praise Thee, O God*
Song Leader/Welcome..... **Jim Coker**
..... *Amazing Grace – My Chains are Gone*
..... *Here In This Place*
Prayer..... **TBD**
..... *How Great Is Our God/How Great Thou Art*
..... *Low In the Grave He Lay*
Communion Talk..... **George Gordon**
Servers..... **Wayne Williams, Aaron LeCrone, Keaton Francis**
..... **Shannon Elledge, Cooper Thornton, John Granberg**
..... *Battle Belongs*
..... *Dismissal to Children's Church*
..... *Hold To God's Unchanging Hand*
Sermon: Different Because We Have Hope..... **Erik Granberg**
..... *Blessed Assurance*
Shepherd's Prayer..... **Terry Sherrill**

Nursery..... **Mandy & Ally Coker**
Sound Booth/Slides..... **Terry Sherrill**
Children's Church Teacher/Helper..... **Gina Thornton, Audrey Darrow**

Sermon Scripture:

Romans 8:24-25

Sermon Thought:

Hope is the belief in a better future. That is, whatever is coming, is better than the here and now. People have hope in a new job, hope that the doctor can help with the aches and pains, and as followers of God, we have hope in eternity.

Sermon Questions:

1. What do you think are the greatest causes of despair for people?
2. In your own life, what do you feel sucking the hope and how do you combat that?
3. How can followers of God go about displaying confidence in our hope of the future and how can we pass that on?

Thinking of You Bags

Since July 1, 2024, we have filled and presented bags of goodies to seven women of our congregation. You helped provide the goodies for those bags. Our stash is depleted. If you feel you could purchase 2 or 3 things for additional bags, please do so and put them in the office by the refrigerator. We need things whenever you can bring them. Thank you for helping by either buying something or keeping these special ladies in your prayers.

CAN YOU HELP THIS MONTH WITH OUR FOOD PANTRY?

Since we are getting ready to make a big transition to our check-in procedure and information reporting, we could really use you to help patrons fill out new forms as well as fill and distribute bags of food.

Dates and times you could help: Thursday, March 13, and/or March 20. Anytime between 8 a.m. - 11 a.m. If you have questions, talk with Jamie Barr or Pam Denney.

New Teaching Quarter for Children: April 6th through June 29th

Two central values of our congregation is to serve and be obedient to the Lord. We deeply value the Word of God and seek to pass the eternal truths to our children. Teaching a class is an opportunity to both serve and help the faith of our children to grow. Preparing for a lesson helps your faith to grow also! If you are interested in teaching this next quarter, please let Robb or Chris know.

Don't worry if you will miss a few Sundays or Wednesdays during the quarter. We will help with arranging for substitute teachers.

Life Line Screening

Life Line Screening will be using our facility April 3 to help the Enid community screen for many different medical issues before they become a problem. Call the number below to schedule your appointment and use the code for a special price.

Special screening package for \$159 for our members includes:

- ♥ Carotid Artery Disease Screening
- ♥ Atrial Fibrillation Screening
- ♥ Peripheral Artery Disease Screening
- ♥ Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm Screening
- ♥ FREE Hypertension Screening

Call to schedule an appointment hear you!
888-814-0466 and use code: **HSCA001**



This Week's Birthdays:

16thElena Peyton
 17th John Granberg
Michael Granberg
Diane Snider
 Nate Tinius
 18th Wendy Taylor
 20thKim Tinius
 21stJacqueline Anderson

This Week's Anniversaries:

18th Wayne & Reeta Williams
 22ndGeorge & Terry Gordon

Next Week's (3/23/25) Servants:

Song Leader

/Welcome: Dee Plummer

Communion

Talk: Terry Sherrill

Servers:

Kaiser Webb
 Michael Armour
 Cole Roberts
 Gordon Jantz
 Brandon Jones
 Roger Unruh
 Dan Kent

Shepherd's

Prayer: Dan Kent

Sound Booth/

Slides: Jim Coker

Nursery:

Kelli Moore
 Susan Oldham

Children's

Church: Gina Thornton
 Makenna Wright

Wednesday

Toddler/
 Preschool
 Teacher: Wendy Taylor
 (19th)

Communion

Prep for March: Carol Baxter

Wash

Baptismal
 Garments: Kendra
 Brownell