#### **Kyle's Korner**

#### **PREPARING FOR THE WORST... EXPECTING THE** BEST

I remember hearing many times over the saving. "Prepare for the worst, but expect the best." There are multiple variations of the thought, attributed to those such as Muhammad Ali Jinnah and Zig Zigler. The idea, as far as I can tell, is that if we prepare for the worst, we won't be disappointed. In hoping for the best, we may be pleasantly surprised with even more than we initially hoped for. This can be applied in various ways to life: school, job, any endeavor... And it may also be applied in matters of religion -Christianity.

It sure seems that here on Earth we may very well be facing the very worst. While I can find hope in every situation, mostly because of my faith, it seems there is much to fear: the virus, political disputes and threats from all sides. From a personal standpoint, even, many of us fear the unknowns and how these things will affect our lives. Our world has quite literally been turned upside down!

However, when we view these current events through the lens of Christianity, our troubles can be much smaller than they appear to be without Christ. You see, with Christ there is always hope. Hope in salvation. Hope for a brighter tomorrow and a much better dwelling place than anything we've ever experienced on Earth.

I'm afraid that many us, even Christians, have treasured our world and the things it has to offer a bit too much. We've expected the best from the worst, and now we are seeing the result. Jesus warns us not to treasure the Earth, but the inheritance laid up for us in Heavenly regions (Matthew 6:19-21). Looking to Heaven, I hope we can see that the best is truly yet to be.

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	FEBRUARY 28	MARCH 7	
BIBLE SCHOOL DEVOTIONAL	Joe Geren	Kirk Mason	
SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP			
ANNOUNCEMENTS & PRAYER	Kirk Mason	Joe Geren	
SONG LEADER	Kyle Webb	Kyle Webb	
SCRIPTURE READING	Joe Geren	Kirk Mason	
SERMON	Kyle Webb	Kyle Webb	
LORD'S SUPPER & CONTRIBUTION	Kirk Mason	Joe Geren	
PRAYER	Larry Garland	Kyle Webb	
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#### SUNDAYS @ 6PM... **PM DEVOTIONALS**

TUESDAYS @ 11AM... on TGRN.ORG HYMNOLOGY

WEDNESDAYS @ NOON ... Kyle's NOONTIME NUGGETS DEVOS

Tune In...



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Sunday Bible Study - 9am Sunday Worship - 10am & 6pm Wednesday Bible Study - 7pm



# **FEBRUARY 28, 2021**

9AM - THE STORY OF RUTH

10AM - FAITHFUL SERVICE SINCE 1852... CONTINUING THE STORY Morning Scripture Reading : LUKE 24:46-53

6PM (Online) - FROM THE APOSTLES TO **CHRISTIANS TODAY (The Church in Transition)** 

FAITH is like WI-FI. It's INVISIBLE, but it has the POWER to connect YOU to what YOU need!

## PRAYER LIST

Richard Walsh (Marissa's grandfather - Alzheimers) Winford Daniel Neita Estes (Community Care) Braxton Harrell Jeremy Stover Steve Higginbotham

## DADDY KIRK'S BIBLE TRIVIA

How were the sick people of Gennesaret healed?
A) Jesus laid hands on them.
B) They were anointed with oil.
C) They touched the fringe of Jesus' garment.
D) Jesus mixed mud and saliva to anoint them.

LAST WEEK'S QUESTION AND ANSWER What does the name "Golgotha" mean? Answer: A) Place of the Skull (Mark 15:22; John 19:17)

#### **BIRTHDAYS**

19 - Sissy Burns 19 - Bethany Hall



8 - Kyle & Marissa Webb 16 - David & Sissy Burns



## SOCIAL DISTANCING GUIDELINES AND COVID-19 PROTOCOLS

When assembling, we ask all members and visitors to please help us in keeping the following guidelines...

- 1) We will wear MASKS IN, and we will wear MASKS OUT.
- 2) While inside we will follow SOCIAL DISTANCING GUIDELINES - 6FT. APART. We ask that, as you seat yourself, please only use EVERY OTHER PEW, leaving a pew between you and those in front or behind you. And please, NO PHYSICAL CONTACT.
- For the LORD'S SUPPER, we will use pre-prepared communion cups, which include the bread. These may be picked up as you enter the building and may be disposed of as you exit.
- A collection basket will be placed in the entrance for you to drop your CONTRIBUTION in without the passing of the basket.

For now, we will only meet in person on SUNDAY for 9AM BIBLE STUDY and 10AM WORSHIP. NO SUNDAY EVENING OR WEDNESDAY EVENING SERVICES until further notice.

In the event that we need to suspend our in-person meetings again, we will continue to SHARE THE SERVICES OF A GUEST CONGREGATION on SUNDAY MORNINGS on our Facebook page, and we will continue our EVENING DEVOTIONALS, posted to YouTube and Facebook. If you need the LORD'S SUPPER during your time at home, please let us know, and we will make sure it is provided for you.

# **SERMON NOTES**

#### SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 2021 10AM WORSHIP

## FAITHFUL SERVICE SINCE 1852... CONTINUING THE STORY

- 1. THE CHURCH ESTABLISHED 33 A.D.
  - ✓ TRUE OR FALSE? The establishment of the church was prophesied in the Old Testament.
  - ✓ The fulfillment of the Old Testament promise is found in where in the New Testament?
  - ✓ TRUE OR FALSE? The New Testament church was established by Peter on the Day of Pentecost.
- 2. THE HISTORY OF THE MARS HILL CONGREGATION
  - ✓ What is the mission of our congregation, and where is it stated in the New Testament?

- 3. CONTINUING THE STORY
  - ✓ What must we do to ensure that the story of our congregation continues?