



FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
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****The Elders will meet June 10 to reassess our reopening situation.**

****Our men's restroom should be done soon. The guys are waiting for the partitions to come in. Feel free to stop by and see the progress!! Following this, we will do a thorough cleaning of the building (carpets, dusting, mopping, sanitizing, etc.). Be ready to help out when the time comes!**

****The new OUR DAILY BREAD devotional books have come in! If you are out and about, please stop in to get one. To those who get the printed church service sent in the mail, your copy will be in the envelope.**

Little Galilee has announced a new camp schedule, featuring Day Camps! You can view all of the Day Camp options on their website, www.LittleGalilee.com The Day Camps will incorporate all ages simultaneously. So if you have children of various ages, they can all come on the same day or days. Cost is \$45 per registration, which includes lunch, a t-shirt and a canteen time at the end of the day. The day starts at 8:00am and ends at 6:00pm. For complete information, go to their website!



Thank you to the church family for all the cards I have received at the death of my granddaughter, Novie Claiborn. As of now, the cause of death isn't known. I appreciate all the prayers and cards.

**In Christian love,
GLENDA CASE**

Thank you so much for the card. It was a huge surprise for us. Thank you very much.

RAEANNA & MARISSA BOYER

Toni Cassano- was in court on Friday for the sentencing of the man who murdered her daughter 11 years ago. She thanks the church for their support and prayers for Alexis and her throughout this situation.

Steve Goodwin (Nancy Jackson's nephew)- lung cancer has moved to his bones; he is in Carle Hospital with heart rate issues and low hemoglobin. He will be staying with Nancy in Camargo when he leaves the hospital.

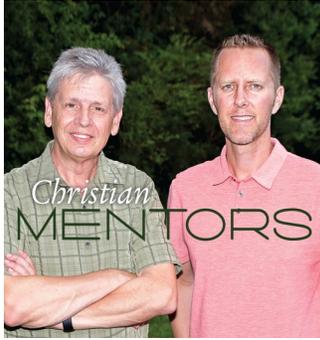
Keith Heckler (Linda Soard's brother)- had surgery on Monday to remove the tumor and do reconstructive surgery on his jaw; they also implanted a pacemaker.

Tom Lillard- had a slight setback

Linda Soard- had an MRI on Tuesday

Justin Thomas- as of Sunday, was still in the ICU





**People Need Godly Mentors.
6/9/2020**

Truth is, all of us are mentors. Especially if we are a disciple of Jesus. The world is looking at our testimony and witness. They need people in their life who will listen to their doubts, hear their questions, not diminish them, believe in them, encourage them and offer Biblical direction so they can rediscover the God of the Bible. In other words, the world needs a Godly mentor.

This is the call of the Great Commission— to make disciples by going, teaching, and baptizing. A Godly mentor is available when we don't know who to talk to. They point us in a Godly direction when we need advice. When we need a kick-in-the-pants, they become our motivator. When we need to evaluate our character issues, they encourage us into honest self-inventory. When we are wrong, they lead us to the righteousness found in scripture. When we need divine power, they pray persistently for us.

They are humble and realize that God isn't finished growing their faith, too. They practice what they preach, model service, and are a true friend, even when we treat them badly. They are transparent, set boundaries and love us when we act unlovable. They do not change the gospel message or God's expectation for all believers. They patiently wait for us to repent and return to God when we sin. They are always connected to God in prayer. They help us see the big picture when we get lost in the details. They reflect to us what is preventing us from being all God wants us to be.

Can you be a mentor? You already are to your family, friends and community. Be a Godly one.

Mike

Lloyd and Marilyn Kellems have moved! Their new address/phone number is:
3158th Street
Highway 103 West
Lufkin, TX 75904
(936)238-2664

June 7, 2020

OFFERING TOTAL:	\$2568.43
Spendable	\$2552.00
Bld. & Grounds	16.43

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Elders:
 Elmer Decker Steve Lacine
 John Dilliner Chad Reno
 Bob Dowler Joe Rothermel

No services at the church building on June 14.
No Shut-in Communion (Assisted living facility is closed.)
Elder-On-Call for June: STEVE LACINE (841-1155)
Mission of the Week: AXIOM CHRISTIAN
University of Illinois, Urbana/Champaign
Aaron Bird, Campus Minister

REMEMBER OUR SHUT-INS
Ken & Awanda Heyen
The Villas of Holly Brook
68 E. Airport Rd., Apt. #9
Savoy, IL 61874

Puzzle!

Search for words found in Romans 8.

N	O	I	T	A	N	M	E	D	N	O	C	X	V	Q
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Abba	elect	Jesus	adoption
family	justifies	angels	firstborn
Lord	bondage	flesh	love
called	freedom	peace	Christ
fruits	powers	condemnation	glorified
predestined	conquerors	good	purpose
creation	hardship	redemption	decay
died	intercedes	Spirit	heart

ANSWERS TO LAST WEEK'S PUZZLE:

Across: 1. wind 4. speak 5. rest 7. heaven 8. fire 9. tongue 10. day 12. Pentecost

Down: 2. disciples 3. separated 6. suddenly 7. house 11. sound