

Today's Scripture "Sticks and Stones"

James 3:1-12

³ Not many of you should become teachers, my fellow believers, because you know that we who teach will be judged more strictly. ² We all stumble in many ways. Anyone who is never at fault in what they say is perfect, able to keep their whole body in check.

³ When we put bits into the mouths of horses to make them obey us, we can turn the whole animal. ⁴ Or take ships as an example. Although they are so large and are driven by strong winds, they are steered by a very small rudder wherever the pilot wants to go. ⁵ Likewise, the tongue is a small part of the body, but it makes great boasts. Consider what a great forest is set on fire by a small spark. ⁶ The tongue also is a fire, a world of evil among the parts of the body. It corrupts the whole body, sets the whole course of one's life on fire, and is itself set on fire by hell.

⁷ All kinds of animals, birds, reptiles and sea creatures are being tamed and have been tamed by mankind, ⁸ but no human being can tame the tongue. It is a restless evil, full of deadly poison.

⁹ With the tongue we praise our Lord and Father, and with it we curse human beings, who have been made in God's likeness. ¹⁰ Out of the same mouth come praise and cursing. My brothers and sisters, this should not be. ¹¹ Can both fresh water and salt water flow from the same spring? ¹² My brothers and sisters, can a fig tree bear olives, or a grapevine bear figs? Neither can a salt spring produce fresh water.

Upcoming Events

Wednesday, August 2nd, 7:00p.m., Wednesday Night Bible Class

Saturday, August 5th, 9:00a.m., Men's Bible Class

Sunday, August 20th, Pot Luck/Back To School Bash!

Slip-n-Slide, Bouncy House, Volley Ball, Horseshoes, Cornhole

Prayer Requests

**Missions: Matt & Hannah Bridges, Davie Guill,
Mike, Kris, & Kaylee Bridges
Hannah Baker, Donnie Guill, AIM
Deployed: Grayson Carter-Ft. Riley, Kansas &
Nathaniel & Alexis Goodley,
Wheeler Army Airfield, Hawaii
Beverly Brown
Sonja, Harriett Betterson's daughter
Izzy, Granddaughter of Robin Smith
Steve Izard
AJ and Jeanie McElfresh
Nelson Bright, Karen Oliver's Uncle
Sara Hanle
Allan Whitacre
Patrick Hutto
Mollie Carr, Kathy Upton's Niece
Eduardo Diaz and Family
Nate Reynolds
Kaylee Bridges
Carol Brown and Family
Christine Stewart**

Serving Today July 30, 2017

Worship Leader: Connor Watkins

Sound Room: Chester Warren

Door Greeters: Barbara Thompson & Sharon Carter

Lord's Supper: Ernie Oliver

Lord's Supper Servers:

Higinio Cruz
David Dowdy
Stephen Wood
Jason Falls
Mark Cox
Hayden Oliver

Nursery:

Jeanie and Siera Kirby
Sarah Hanle

BIRTHDAYS:

7.30 Sharon Carter
7.31 Kaylee Bridges
7.31 Hannah Baker
7.31 Zach Giles
8.2 Frida Inguez
8.3 Dennis Carter
8.5 Wren Hanle
8.6 Kathy Upton
8.6 Trevor Daniel
8.7 Katie Kirby
8.8 Rom Kellis III
8.9 Christine Stewart
8.10 Jake Wisniewski

8.11 Jane Deadwyler
8.12 Ernie Oliver
8.13 Karen Close
8.15 Jennifer Bowers
8.19 Kari Dowdy
8.19 George Stewart
8.25 Kaden Kneece
8.27 Hayden Oliver
8.29 Cindy Cox
8.30 Andrew Attal

Anniversaries:

7.31 Mark & Cindy Cox
8.14 Wayne & Karyl Burress
8.14 Derek & Beth Baxley
8.23 Dave & Carolyn Watkins
8.28 Cale & Raegen Ferguson



Caring people...growing to be like Christ

Worship Service July 30, 2017

Just A Little Talk With Jesus

Welcome

Great Are You, Lord At The Cross (Love Ran Red) I Need You More

Communion Thoughts by Ernie Oliver

Bread Lord, Take Control Cup I Surrender All Offering Listen To Our Hearts

Message by Keke Brooks

Invitation *You Alone Can Rescue*

Prayer Time For Responses

Elder Blessing

Overcome

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Assembly
Sunday 9:30 AM

Bible Study
Sunday 11:00 AM

Life Groups
Sunday evenings

Bible Study
Wednesdays 7:00 PM