

# “How We Can Know That We Know Him”

(1 John 2:3-14)

## I. By Keeping His Commandments

## II. By Imitating the Life Of Jesus

## III. By Loving His People

July 2, 2023 • Ray Rose

TODAY'S GREETERS: Luke Rehmel & Darrell Senters

**SUNDAY AM BIBLE CLASSES**

Auditorium - Adults (Ray Rose)  
“Mist”

Multipurpose Room - Teens (Doug Boyle)  
Church History

Nursery Attendant (July 2<sup>nd</sup>): Susannah Waide

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**WEDNESDAY PM - July 5<sup>th</sup>**

Greeter: Ron & Kay Scott  
Song: Alec Boyle  
Scripture (Psalm 40:1-3): Luke Rehmel

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**WEDNESDAY PM BIBLE CLASSES**

Auditorium - Adults (Tucker Fuxa)  
The book of Galatians

Teen Room - Teens (Ray Rose)  
“American Idols”

Fellowship Hall - Ladies Class (Fern Boyle)  
Biblical Geography

**BLAST Class: Pre-K - 6<sup>th</sup> (July 5<sup>th</sup>: Carolyn Rehmel)**

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**NEXT SUNDAY - July 9<sup>th</sup>**

<p><b>Greeters</b> <b>Announcements</b> <b>Songleader</b> <b>Scripture Reading/Prayer</b> <b>Lesson</b> <b>Communion</b> <b>Closing Prayer</b> <b>PM Songleader</b> <b>PM Prayer</b></p>	<p><b>Ron &amp; Esther Myrick</b> <b>Tucker Fuxa</b> <b>Rick Goben</b> <b>Mike Byerly</b> <b>Ray Rose</b> <b>Greg Waide</b> <b>Roger Gaddie</b> <b>Greyson Waide</b> <b>Frosty Munsell</b></p>
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**ELDERS** *\*Elder of the Month - July*

<i>*Doug Boyle</i>	Rick Goben	Greg Waide
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**DEACONS** *\*Responsible for locking the building - July*

Richard Kliewer	Vehicles	
Tim Ford	Audio-Visual/Technology	<i>*Tim Rehmel</i>
Roger Gaddie	Building/Communion Svc	Jerry Lorenz
		Education Photography



*If you ever miss a robo-call from the church, you can hear the most recent message again by dialing: 1-877-333-9336.*

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PULPIT MINISTER - Ray Rose      SECRETARIES - June Munsell & Jennifer Waide

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Office Hours: 8:30 to 4:30 (Mon & Wed-Fri)      Notary services are available in the office Wed-Fri.

 ALL SERVICES INTERPRETED FOR <b>THE DEAF</b>	<b>SUNDAY</b> Bible Classes 9:30 am AM Worship 10:30 am PM Worship 5:00 pm	<b>WEDNESDAY</b> Mid-Week Bible Study 7:00 pm 
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CHURCH LIFE

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## Can a Person Really Know He Is Saved?

Although it may sound arrogant for one to say, “I know that I am saved,” the Bible teaches that the Christian can know that very thing. John wrote, “These things have I written unto you that you believe on the name of the Son of God; that ye may know that ye have eternal life, and that ye may believe on the name of the Son of God” (1 John 5:13).

How can we have such confidence? Both trust and obedience play a part. John wrote, “Hereby we do know that we know him, if we keep His commandments” (1 John 2:3). Jesus told Nicodemus that one must be born again of water and of the Spirit in order to enter into the kingdom of God (John 3:3-5). A person is born again of the water and of the Spirit by being baptized into Christ. This person is then saved and can know it. Thus begins a lifelong journey of the “babe in Christ” growing into the mature Christian.

We must also trust God to keep His word. Christians are not perfect, and God does not expect us to be. We still sin, but God forgives those sins as we repent of them and confess them. As God expects a forgiving attitude of Christians, He shows a forgiving attitude as a Father.

Salvation does not depend on how few sins or mistakes we make, but upon whether or not we accept God’s grace and are obedient to Christ. As we continue to serve Christ, the Lord continues to bless and forgive us. If we walk in the light, following the pathway of Christ, His blood continues to cleanse us of sin (1 John 1:5-7).

Many Christians have doubts because they are not maturing as Christians should, but are moving backward. This often happens when a person does not give his whole heart to Christ. Jesus said, “For whosoever will lose his life for my sake, the same shall save it” (Luke 9:24). The person who tries to live as a Christian while not fully surrendering his life to Christ must have doubts, because he cannot walk in the light if he does not give his whole heart to the Lord.

As the hymn says, “Trust and obey, for there is no other way to be happy in Jesus, but to trust and obey.”

<p><b>BULLETIN DIGEST (Nov 2011)</b> 1002 N Johnson St McCrary, AR 72101</p>	<p><b>Bob Prichard</b> via church of Christ Metropolis, IL</p>
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## PRAYER LIST:

**Michaela Marston**...She had seizures on Tuesday night and is now staying with her aunt.

**Billie Lunday**.....She was taken to the hospital in full respiratory distress on Wednesday and has been transferred to OKC.

**Ken Strever & Family**...Ken has moved to the Garland Rd Nursing & Rehab Center, Room 521-B. Visitors are welcome!

**Stacy Byerly**.....She is dealing with severe bursitis pain.

**Elaine Kirk (Daughter of Yee Kow & Sylvia Lee)**....Elaine was diagnosed with breast cancer recently. She had surgery a couple weeks ago and will now begin 5-6 weeks of radiation. Prayers would be greatly appreciated!

**John Harold**...He is awake and was able to be extubated. They are now working towards getting him off of the ECMO life support.

**Please continue to pray for:**

**Darrell Phillips Seribeth Vergara Marsha Hager  
Leatha Summers Debra Simon Misty Walker  
Garry & Calvina Osburn Chris Strate Larry Beam**

Amanda Schulz will be starting a new job this week. She will need transportation and is looking for a bicycle and bike lock. If anyone can help, please talk to Amanda or Jan Tinsley.

### DAYS IN GOD'S WORD

(June 18-24)

Number of days: 188  
Slips turned in: 30

### Care & Share

Billie Lunday  
Frosty & June Munsell



MAKING DISCIPLES OF ALL NATIONS

## MISSIONS WE SUPPORT:

**Elio Vergara - Panama**  
**Andrew Boyle - Memphis School of Preaching**  
**Jonathan Crowell - World Bible Institute**  
**Ariana Crowell - Wales**  
**Re'Elle Crowell - Ecuador & New Zealand**

**Garriott Road Prison Ministry**  
**In SEARCH of the Lord's Way**  
**Lariat Creek Christian Camp**  
**Future Teacher Training Camp**

## ORDER OF WORSHIP - July 2, 2023

**AM** ANNOUNCEMENTS - Dan Biby  
ELDER WELCOME/PRAYER - Doug Boyle  
*Romans 6:15-23*

SONGLEADER - Doug Boyle

662 All To Jesus I Surrender  
691 Make Me New  
703 I Love You With the Love Of the Lord  
552 Have Thine Own Way  
122 The Love Of God  
448 The Greatest Commands

SCRIPTURE/PRAYER - Frosty Munsell  
*1 John 2:3-14*

LESSON - Ray Rose  
*"How We Can Know That We Know Him"*

943 Do You Know My Jesus?  
354 I Gave My Life For Thee

LORD'S SUPPER - Ron Scott

709 How Sweet, How Heavenly

CLOSING PRAYER - Greyson Waide

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**PM** SONGLEADER - Tucker Fuxa  
TBD

PRAYER - Roger Gaddie  
EQUIPPING THE SAINTS: Doug Boyle (Jonah & Micah)

FTTC is July 9-14. If anyone would like to help with the kitchen, Fern would be happy to have you! On the credenza are some sign up sheets to help with snacks, desserts and kitchen helpers. Please stop by and sign up for something! If you have any questions, feel free to talk to Fern. There are lots of ways you can help!



Volunteers are needed to take turns teaching the Wednesday evening BLAST Movie Night class during the Summer Quarter. Movie night does not require any planning at all. Everything you need is in the classroom ready to go! Please sign up on the credenza if you can help out!

### OUR RECORDS

Week of June 25, 2023

Bible Class.....	55
AM Worship.....	74
PM Worship.....	37
Contribution.....	\$4,177
Wed PM.....	51

### LARIAT CREEK CHRISTIAN CAMP 2023 SUMMER SESSIONS:

EB Rate = \$15 Early Bird discount. Expires 2 weeks before session begins.

SESSION	GRADES	DATES	COST
Xtreme Week	8 <sup>th</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup>	July 9-15	\$170
Senior	8 <sup>th</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup>	July 16-22	\$155 (EB Rate)

### A FAREWELL RHYME

GOOD-BYE,  
GOOD LUCK,  
YOU'LL SURE BE MISSED,  
BUT KEEP IN TOUCH...

### GOING AWAY

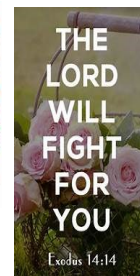
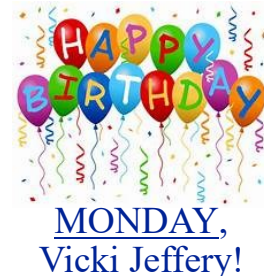
Honoring Rick & Charity Goben

Next Sunday, July 9<sup>th</sup>  
12:00 pm

Following Morning Worship

Please bring food for  
a potluck lunch!

Michaela Marston was baptized on Thursday, June 22<sup>nd</sup>. Congratulations, Michaela, on your decision to obey the gospel!



### NEW DIRECTORY PAGE IS AVAILABLE ON THE CREDENZA!

*Do not fear for I AM WITH YOU.  
Do not be afraid for I AM YOUR GOD.  
I WILL STRENGTHEN YOU AND HELP YOU.  
I will uphold you with my righteous right hand.*

ISAIAH 41:10

If any ladies would like to order an FTTC t-shirt this year, please sign up on the credenza by **TODAY**, and the order will be placed tomorrow! (Be sure to include your shirt size.) The cost is \$10.

### FTTC Kick-Off

Future Teacher Training Camp will take place July 9-14. We will have a catered BBQ dinner to kick off the week!

Next Sunday, July 9<sup>th</sup>  
6:00 pm

Following evening services

Members, please bring side dishes. We will need plenty, as we will be feeding the campers and teachers!

### VERSE OF THE WEEK:

**Romans 6:22**

"But now having been set free from sin, and having become slaves of God, you have your fruit to holiness, and the end, everlasting life."

### Bible Reading Schedule:

July 2 .....Psalms 98-104  
July 3 .....Psalms 105-107  
July 4 .....Psalms 108-116  
July 5 .....Psalms 117-119:72  
July 6 .....Psalms 119:73-176  
July 7 .....Psalms 120-135  
July 8 .....Psalms 136-142

### SUN PM SCHEDULE:

July 2<sup>nd</sup> **Jonah & Micah (Doug)**  
July 9<sup>th</sup> **FTTC Speaker**  
July 16<sup>th</sup> **3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday Singing**

### OUR SHUT-INS:

Virgie Lee, The Commons, Rm 305  
Sue Mathis, The Commons, Rm 106  
Jeanne Pitts, Enid Senior Care, Rm 301  
Zane Johnston, Tennyson Manor, Apt 7  
Shirley Mason, Greenbrier Assisted Living, Rm 104  
Ken Strever, Garland Rd Nursing & Rehab Center, Rm 521-B

