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PRAYER CONCERNS

APRIL 14TH, 2024

- Congratulations to Shea and Stetson Reed on the birth of their daughter, Maddox Elizabeth, Wednesday night. She weighed 6 lbs. 14 oz. and is 20 inches long. Mother and baby and doing well.
- The funeral service for Lisa Wood's dad, Jim Spears, was held on Saturday. Please keep Lisa and family in your prayers.
- Bob Holderby was admitted to Cox S. last week with high blood sugar.
- Vera Danner has moved to The Maples for rehab.
- Doyal Lindsey is now at Springfield Rehab for therapy. He is still in isolation, so no visits, please.
- Judy Jewell didn't go to rehab but is home following her hospitalization.
- Angela Asher had surgery on Monday. All went well and she will recover at home for another week.
- Mona Berglund is in Cox S. 901 in isolation. Sheila Robinson's son, Rex Robinson, is at Sunterra for rehab.
- Anita Allen had an EKG Friday and is also being treated for ulcers.

FAMILY FOCUS

Good morning, and welcome to Sunset! Let these words of 1 Chronicles 29:11 (CSB) call you to worship today: "Yours, Lord, is the greatness and the power and the glory and the splendor and the majesty, for everything in the heavens and on earth belongs to you. Yours, Lord, is the kingdom, and you are exalted as head over all."

This morning during our sermon time we will see Israel go from the highest of highs to the lowest of lows incredibly quickly. The excitement of their Red Sea deliverance wears off soon after they travel through the wilderness for three days without water. Their experience models our lives well. Our baptism was a mountaintop moment—it was a Red Sea experience—but it wasn't long after we dried off from the baptistry that we were plagued with temptation and challenging circumstances. Little did Israel know that the wilderness was crucial for them to learn to be God's people. Getting Israel out of Egypt was one thing, but getting Egypt out of Israel was quite another. Even though Israel's status as slaves had changed, they still had a long way to go to trust in the Lord and serve him in the way God desired. God used the bitter circumstances of the wilderness to teach them these lessons, and he uses the bitter circumstances of our wilderness experiences to do the same.

I love you all,
Phillip

TODAY'S LESSONS

Bitter Water & Bitter Hearts	<i>Exodus 15:22-27</i>	Phillip Bates
Scripture Reading: <i>Matthew 4:1-11</i>		
2nd Sunday Singing		Briley Ewing



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SERVICE TIMES



Sunday
 Worship @ 8:15 & 10:30
 Bible Classes @ 9:30 AM
 Worship Online @ 8:15 AM &
 on demand after 2 PM
 Online @ <https://bit.ly/Sunset-UTube>
 on demand after 2 PM
 Evening @ 5 PM

Wednesday
 Ladies' Morning Bible Class 10 AM
 Evening Classes 7 PM

Iglesia de Cristo
 Worship 10:30 AM
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SHEPHERDS

Bruce Chilton	Jeff Klein
Don Johnson	Jeff Treat
Doug Johnson	Bryan Vanwinkle
David Kail	Mark Viguet

DEACONS

Caleb Adams	Mitch Friend
Chase Amyx	John Kail
Michael Axsom	David Kaltenberger
Chris Burris	Terry Lawler
James Cobb	Daniel Prince
Steve Cobb	Logan Staggs
Brian Dahl	

MINISTERS

Phillip Bates	Preaching
Dwight Samuel	Associate
Shaun Jordan	Campus/Media
Chris Livingston	Community & Family
Shane Almond	Youth
Mauricio Vanegas	Hispanic

SHEPHERDS ON CALL

Jeff Treat & Bryan Vanwinkle

Speak with a 'Shepherd on Call' about anything you would like the shepherds to discuss or to arrange to meet with them.

STAY CONNECTED

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<https://bit.ly/directory-app>

Facebook Group: "Sunset Church Family"
<https://bit.ly/sunset-group>

Grapevine: 417-881-4640

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Join Remind Grp: <https://bit.ly/join-remind-grp>

Online Calendar: <https://bit.ly/Sunset-Calendar>



FAMILY CALENDAR

You can watch our 10:30AM service live at
@: <https://bit.ly/Sunset-UTube>

Children's Bible Hour (ages 2-K) Rm 5A When dismissed. April Teachers: Angie K, Lacey A, Barbara & Audrey D, Nicole P, & Samantha B.

Quarterly Young Adult 'Mingle Meal' Today
The Widowhood Group & Young Adults should meet in the Fellowship Hall after 2nd Service for this potluck.

Eubanks Baby Shower Today 1:30-3PM
Meet downstairs in Bay Area 2. Meghan and Matt are registered at Target & Amazon.com.

Sunday Evening Prayer Group 4:30 PM
Meet in multi-purpose Rm 4B.

Ladies' Monday Sewing Group—at 8:30 AM
Anyone is welcome to join the group.

Ladies' Wednesday Morning Bible Class
Meet at 10AM in room 4B.

Ladies' Fellowship Craft & Game Night Apr 19th 6:30
Meet in the Fellowship Hall.

Family Growth Weekend April 20-21st 9 AM-20th
With Steve Minor—bit.ly/Register-FamilyGrowth
Tomorrow's the last day to sign up for childcare & lunches.

Men's Breakfast April 22nd @ 6:30 AM
Meet @ Cedars Rest., 3322 S. Campbell.

Sunsetters Ice Cream Social & Game Day Apr. 27th
Meet in FH from 2-4 PM—Sign up at the round table.

4th Sunday Evening Fellowship—Apr. 28th @ 5PM
Burgers & Brats. Bring your favorite sides, toppings or items to complement said B&B's or bring a dessert!

Neighborhood Clean-Up—May the 4th! 7am to 7pm
On the Sunset Parking Lot. *Volunteers needed!*

1st Sunday Shepherd's Lunch May 5th after 2nd Serv.
Meet in the Fellowship Hall. (Bryan Vanwinkle's Group 5)

CURRENT PANTRY NEEDS

Canned Mixed Vegetables, Green Peas, Pork & Beans, Canned Cream of Chicken Soup, Rice-A-Roni, & Jiffy Corn Muffin Mix.



ONGOING PRAYER

Anita Allen, Linda Sievers (Miranda Amyx's mom), **Sue Andrews**, Ariana Brooks (Debi Crowley's granddaughter), **Alma Cummins**, **Maxine Ghan**, **Raymond Glendinning**, **Bob Hancock**, **Edith Hudson**, **Clifton & Judy Jewell**, Shirley Ryan (Joe Ryan's mom), **Jessie Seavers**, Ramona Farrell & Rhonda Foutch (Karen Scott's sister & cousin), George Stewart (Sandra Robinson's dad), **Ken Stewart**, and **Pat Wiseman**.

LAST WEEK'S STATISTICS

Worship Total	443
	(1 st — 164 & 2 nd — 279)
	(Online Worship 92)
Sunday Bible Classes	234
Evening Service	174
Wednesday Classes	209
Hispanic Worship	16
Giving Options — https://bit.ly/Give2Sunset	
Contribution	
Budget	



APRIL 20th & 21st

Family GROWTH WEEKEND

LESSONS BY STEVE MINOR



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Saturday Lessons

"10 Parenting Priorities in Our Home"
"Your Home and the Pursuit of Happiness"
"Where Will My Family Spend Eternity?"

Sunday Lessons

"Faith Passed On" (AM Sermons)
"What Drives Your Family?" (Bible class)
"How to Pursue Your Child if You Lose Them" (5pm sermon)



April 19th 6:30 – 9 PM in the Fellowship Hall April 19th
Ladies' Fellowship, Craft and Game Night
Bring a friend, a snack to share, and your favorite game or crafting items.

Baby Shower for the Eubanks
1:30-3 PM - TODAY!!
Downstairs - In Bay Area 2

Young Adults' 'Mingle Meal' Potluck!
The Widowhood Group is invited to Join Us!
TODAY!!

Game On!

Sunsetters' 'Ice Cream Social'
Games, Ice Cream, & Fellowship

Bring Your Favorite Game!
Sign Up on the Round table!

April 27th
2 – 4 PM