

PLEASANT VIEW PROCLAIMER

September 17, 2023

Welcome!

*i have told you all this so that
YOU MAY HAVE PEACE IN ME.*



HERE ON EARTH

*you will have many trials
AND SORROWS.*



but take heart,

because i have overcome

the world.

JOHN 16:33

*"But I am like a green olive
tree in the house of God; I
trust in the mercy of God
forever and ever. I will praise
You forever, because You have
done it; and in the presence of
Your saints I will wait on Your
name, for it is good."*

Join us at 6pm for our
service in song!

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Prayer List

Doug Demonbreun is
recovering well after his surgery

Belinda Mayo, Ricky's
sister-in-law, is doing much
better

Rebecca Brown fell, but is
doing ok at home

Maria Hunter Harrington is
undergoing tests to determine
why she is passing out. She is
still in chemotherapy.

Steve Webb is going back to
Texas for continued treatment

Diane Singleton continues to
struggle with her health. They
are considering surgery.

Continue to pray for: the **Tabor**
family, the **Buchanan** family,
Kristine Garrett, Bige
Shepherd, Forshia
Pennington, Carol Saling,
Keith Walker, Camille Brosky,
those in **Ukraine; Judy Cook,**
John Hayes, Nick Phifer,
Weston Johnson and Bill
Gillock

**Remember Bible bowl
practice at 5:00 this
afternoon**

*We invite everyone to join
us Wednesday night at 7 as
Tim continues our study of
Romans*

Serving Today

Song Leader:

Steve Buchanan

SUNDAY SCHOOL (9:30 am)

Scripture Reading:

Johnny Walker

Prayer:

Dwight Pennington

WORSHIP (10:30 am)

Scripture Reading:

Charlie Baker

Philippians 3:7-14

Wait On Table:

Jared Roaden

Serve:

Eddie Walker

Josh Demonbreun

Prayer:

David Billingsley

Service Times

Sunday Bible Study	9:30 am
Sunday AM Worship	10:30 am
Sunday PM Worship	6:00 pm
Wednesday Bible Study	7:00 pm

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The Resurrection - Matthew 28:1-15

Even though I'm out of town this morning, I still want to cover an event that happens at the end of the Gospel of Matthew. My hope is that our Bible Bowl kids (and adults) will review this summary of the greatest event in the history of the world as they prepare for our competition on September 24.

The Approach of the Women (1) - All the gospel writers record that a group of women were the first to visit the tomb of Jesus early on Sunday morning. From these accounts, we know their purpose in visiting the tomb was to:

Look (Mt 28:1) - They "went to see the tomb."

Labor (Mk 16:1; Lk 24:1) - They "bought" and "prepared" spices to anoint His body.

Linger (Jn 20:11-18) - Mary Magdalene "stood weeping outside the tomb..."

The Activity of the Angel (2-8) - At the tomb, the women encountered an angel who was accompanied by a "great earthquake" as he "descended from heaven". This Angel:

Rolled the Stone (2) - He "rolled back the stone and sat on it."

Removed the Soldiers (4) - The guards were so scared at his appearance, they "trembled and became like dead men."

Reminded the Saints (5-8) - The angel reassured the women by telling them about the:

- **Past (5)** - He knew they were seeking "Jesus who was crucified."
- **Present (6)** - He told them "He is not here, for He has risen..."
- **Promise (6)** - He reminded them this was "as He said." (Mt 12:40; 16:21; 17:22-23; 20:17-19; Jn 2:19)
- **Proof (6)** - He showed them the empty "place where He lay."
- **Plan (7)** - He told them "go quickly and tell his disciples..." and will meet them in Galilee.

The Appearance of the Savior (9-10) - On their way to tell the disciples, the women encountered Jesus. Matthew had previously recorded in verse 8 that they were not only joyful, but afraid.

Adoration (9) - They "took hold of his feet and worshiped Him".

Assurance (10) - Jesus said "Do not be afraid," and gave instructions to tell the disciples to go to Galilee.

The Allegations of the Enemy (11-15) - The Romans and the Jews try to figure out what to do about the empty tomb.

Problem (11) - The guards come to the chief priest and tell him "all that had taken place."

Plan (12-13) - The elders and the chief priest pay off the guards and instruct them to tell the people that, "His disciples came by night and stole him away while we were asleep."

Perjury (14-15) - Matthew records that "they took the money and did as they were directed," and says that this lie "has been spread among the Jews to this day."