

Elders' Corner

Three little words....

Couples know the importance of those three little words. Parents know the importance of those three little words. Friends know the importance of those three little words.

We express one of the most important degrees of relationship when we say "I love you" to someone. It means that our view of them is strong and bold and sincere.

There is another set of three little words that carries the awesome power. Scripture shares the story of a group of ladies going to the tomb on Sunday morning to care for the body of Jesus. As they walk toward the tomb, they discuss how they are going to move the huge stone. When they arrive, they find it rolled away from the opening and a young man inside. He gives them some great news along with these three little words – "He is risen".

Those three words are perhaps the most meaningful of any that could be made in the history of the world. They carry such great importance and meaning. Those words tell how Jesus overcame death so that we can also. Those words tell of victory, His and thus ours. Those words speak to all mankind and they speak directly to you. Those words are good news for then, for today and for tomorrow. And if you really stop and think on the importance and the meaning of the resurrection of Jesus Christ, those words say "I love you"!

Pat, Eddy & Michael





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4/12 *Easter* My REDEEMER LIVES!

4/13 Meals to Homebound

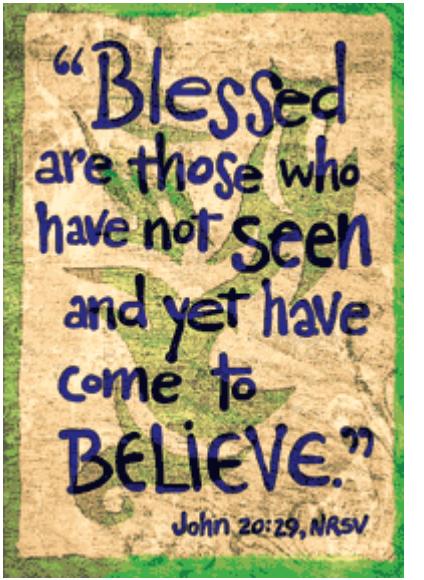
4/16 Food Distribution Setup

4/18 Food Distribution

5/3 Normal Services Resume
(Tentative)



ALLELUIA!
CHRIST IS ALIVE!



"Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have come to BELIEVE."
John 20:29, NRSV



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Tecumseh, OK

April 12, 2020

SATAN'S REACTION



ON THE THIRD DAY

Hello church! I love you and miss you! Why did Jesus appear to women first after the resurrection? He wanted to be sure the news spread quickly.

"Some bones from one of Buddha's fingers were sent as a gift to the emperor of China during the Tang dynasty. They were later forgotten about and then found in 1981. The finding was a sensation to Buddhists everywhere, and the bones are now visited by many Buddhists." *Source: Rough Guide to China, David Leffman, Simon Lewis, Jeremy Atiyah*

No one ever found any of the bones of our Savior Jesus Christ. If someone ever said they found one of the fingers of our Savior, we would call them a liar and say the truth is not in them. No one ever found the body or any part of our Savior. What if they had found His body? If they had found His body four or more days after His death then He wouldn't have been the Savior. He wouldn't have been the Messiah. Our hope would have been gone. Jesus showed Himself alive forevermore. There was no body or part of His body found in the grave, because He rose from the grave. Can we even fathom what it would have been like to be one of the people that Jesus showed Himself to after the resurrection? Talk about a "wow" experience. Oh, the awe that would follow! The apostles needed to see a resurrected Lord. They needed that for them to move forward doing what the Lord wanted them to do. They were discouraged after Jesus' death. They were scared and living in fear after Jesus was killed. The resurrection was just what they needed to go on without fear and to move on with encouragement. The resurrection is just what we need today to go on with encouragement and to live without fear.

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Attendance Last Week:

Bible Class:

Daily Bible Readers:

Sun Worship:

Sun PM:

Schedule of Services

Sunday:

Bible Study 9:30 a.m.

Worship 10:30 a.m.

Evening 5:00 p.m.

Wednesday:

Bible Study 6:30 p.m.

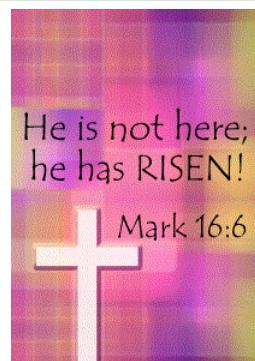
We can make our online contributions 2 ways now

GivePlus+ Mobile

Available in app stores

or a link is on HCOCT.com

Please continue to turn in info sheets to office.



Books of the Month for April are Mark and 1st, 2nd and 3rd John



The elders have suspended services at the building until May 3rd to comply with directives of social distancing and keep us all safe. Unfortunately, due to restraints on planning, our annual gospel meeting has also been cancelled. Until we are able to meet together again, here are some reminders you might find helpful.

Services and classes will be streamed online during their regular times @ <https://www.youtube.com/> Search for Highland Church of Christ and look for our building.

Individual communion sets are available in the office. Call or stop by to get yours for this time we are partaking during streaming services at home.

Giving may be mailed to PO Box 129 or given online thru link at top right of www.hcocct.com Or, go to the App Store or Google Play and search for "GivePlus Church".

Online directory is located at <https://servantkeeper.com/directory/hcocct/login> (call office or reply to email for password).

If you need anything or have prayer requests or bulletin announcements during this time, please call the office or your BK leaders. Stay safe and please check up on each other.



Health (Members): Jim Willis; Jim Arnold; Jim Hayes; Ione Arnold; Wilma Hickman; Angie Sack; Janice Carr; Marge Byerly (critical); Don Rousey; Jody Roberts; Dee Banta; Twila Carr; Harold & Cindy Hall; Tami Lawson.

Health (Others): James Trent (Assoc. Preacher Eastside) diagnosed with COVID-19; Nona Sue Sheerer (Jennifer McKnight's mother) hospitalized with mini-strokes; Michele Cooper (Mica Byrum's cousin) ICU with pneumonia; Jack (Flossie Jorgenson's oldest brother) ALS; Donna Jung (Brenda Wilcox's friend) ICU with very low sodium levels; Mandy Dodd (Lora Sprowls' daughter); Mindy Wyatt (Renee Hinson's sister) breast cancer; Paul Collin (custodian @ Tecumseh Middle School); Kaden Gee (Vickie's grandson); Joshua Hatler (Louie's son); Pat Gee (Angie Sack's dad) cancer; Waldo Carpenter, congestive heart failure; Tiffany Hogan, shoulder surgery pending; Beth Clark (Allyson Madden's friend) surgery; Chuck Austin (Tom's brother) praying for liver transplant; Nathaniel Price (Jennifer Stapp's friend) decision on liver and heart transplant; Randall Motley (Donna McLin's nephew) stroke; Jim Arnold's sister, cancer; Remy Bullis' grandmother, heart; Larry Ernst (Lucille's son) chemo for aggressive lymphoma; Mike Fuller (FFA friend) hospice; Debbie (Burlison) Sehon (Gina Fredman's aunt) ALS; Sue Wright; Mary Jones (mother of friend of Kacy Kinsey); Evelyn (Jessica Cummings daughter); Verlie's sister-in-law; Venita Hoover (Smith family friend); Elsa Barnard (Lora Sprowls' friend); Bill Blochowiak (Billy's dad); Carrie Bourlon (Steve's mother); Tom (Jerry Griffin's friend); Jimmy Stokes; Don & Sandra Stafford (Jimmie Young's family); Debbie Seaton (Claudia's friend); Kent Taylor (Kristy Swafford's brother); Byron Holt's SIL; Hugo Ortiz (Betty Limas' uncle); Charles Elmore (Mica's Dad); Mark Miener (Verlie's friend); Rusty McCart (Verlie's nephew); Jim Perry & LaDonna (Verlie's friend); Grandma Gladys (Lori Brown's grandmother); Xavier & Ray Grimmett Jr.

Our shut-ins: Retha Barnes; Mary Littleton; Connie Mack Stubbs; Rosie Brightwell; James & Sheila Moudy; Audrey Savory; Mildred Boone; Ellen Childers; Lorene Haynes.

Other: Donna Britton requests prayers; ladies at Mabel Bassett, our country and military, especially homegrown heroes: Emilee Grochow, Ryan Willis, Andrew & Austin Sack, Joshua and Caleb Kelsey, Caleb Dahle, and Haden Burlison.

Please let us know when names should be added or removed.

Announcements

Men's conference calls have begun again from 9-9:30pm every Thursday. The number to call is (605) 313-5096. Please call Keith Patterson to get the code.



Ladies, if you're interested in participating in a video conference devotional, please send your email address to micabyrum123@gmail.com.

