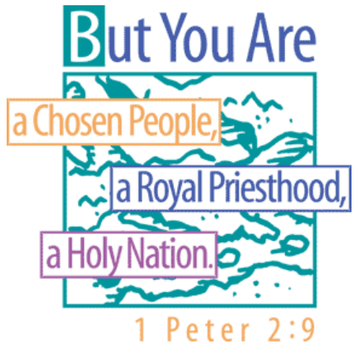

Elders' Corner

We are so excited about returning to assembly times! We know that this will be a gradual process and that we will need to observe some safety protocols. And while we haven't finalized the details as of yet, we are excited about our parking lot service this evening.

As we come out of this unusual time in our country, perhaps it would be good to keep up the good things we have discovered or in some cases rediscovered.

- Family time is precious. Let's not return to the hustle and bustle of before. Keep enjoying those dinner times together.
- Quiet time is precious. Keep up your reading, prayer and reflection time. Don't be in a hurry to abandon that quiet time.
- Reaching out check up on each other is precious. Let's keep talking and texting each other just to make sure we are good.

There are other areas that we can consider keeping hold of as life returns to normal. Just as we are to be new creations in Christ Jesus perhaps we can be new persons with better habits from this point forward.

We love you and can't wait to see you!

Pat, Eddy & Michael

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4/28 Ladies Video Bible Study @ 7:30p

4/30 Men's Conference Call. 9-9:30p

5/3 Normal Services Resume (Tentative)

May Anniversaries

John & Allison Stearman - 2nd

Darrell & Dottie Hinson - 5th

Johnie & Gina Fredman - 6th

Jake & Cathy Scallorn - 13th

Louie & Crystal Hatler - 15th

Robby & Kacy Kinsey - 15th

Jason & Linda Fly - 21st

Erick & Angie Henson - 22nd

Steve & Dawn Bourlon - 23rd

Glen & Kay Jones - 24th (51 years)

Rickey & Pam Keith - 25th

Ricci & Pam Smith - 28th

Dan & Pam Fredman - 30th (52 years)

Jamie & Tamra Bess - 31st

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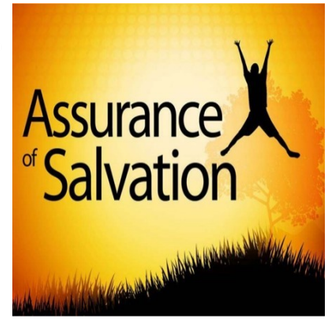

Hello church! It seems so long since we have all been together. What year is it now anyway? Oh, the cobwebs that must be in the church building by now. I hope I still recognize you when we get back together. You parents, I know your kids are probably all grown up since the days when we all gathered for worship. I am sure that Jay Madden's beard is touching the ground by now and Lilly Ingmire probably has a driver's license. I wonder if Frank Bourlon has retired from Firelake yet, or if Kyle Stapp and Allison Madden ever got married and if they have grandkids now. It will be funny to see Bentley with gray hair and Samuel with a deep voice. I can't wait till we are all together again for our grand reunion. I wish I could say for certain when we will all be together again, but there isn't a lot of things that are for certain in life. I have heard so much lately about how we are living in uncertain times. Isn't that the truth? I would like to share something with you that you can know for certain. The Lord wants us to know that we are saved and that when He returns we will go to be with Him. We sing the song "Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine, O what a foretaste of glory Divine". I hope we believe in the words of that song. If we have been saved and if we are continuing to believe and are continuing to love the Lord with all our heart, soul, strength and mind then we can sing with joy songs like Blessed Assurance. We can believe in what we are singing when we sing them as well. What is your thinking on your salvation and where you will sit when the Lord returns? Now, I know there are people who think they are saved and are not and I know there are those we might think are saved that are not. But there are those that are saved and live like it and know they are saved and will meet the Lord in the air. That is the place we all want to be. We want to be confident in what the Lord says we can be confident in. We want to always be in a place where we can be sure we are saved and will be saved when the Lord returns. Keep on believing, church, and love the Lord your God with all your heart, soul, strength and mind.

Erick

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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

Online Services

The elders are looking into the possibility of having a parking lot service here Sunday evening with transmission of the service through our vehicle's radios. If it works out we'll send out notifications through our texting service and other means. Otherwise, services have been suspended in the building until May 3rd (tentative) to comply with directives of social distancing and keep us all safe. Until we are able to meet together again, here are some reminders you might find helpful.

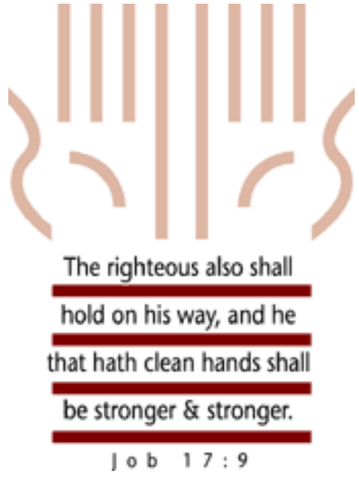
Services and classes will be streamed online during their regular times at https://www.youtube.com/ Search for Highland Church of Christ and look for our building.

Individual communion sets are available in the lobby. 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.hcoct.com. Or, go to the App Store or Google Play and search for "GivePlus Church".

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

If you need anything or have prayer requests please call or text the elders at elders@hcoct.com. If you have announcements for our bulletin, please call the office (598-3514) or your BK leaders. Stay safe and please check up on each other.



PRAYERS FOR A SPEEDY RECOVERY

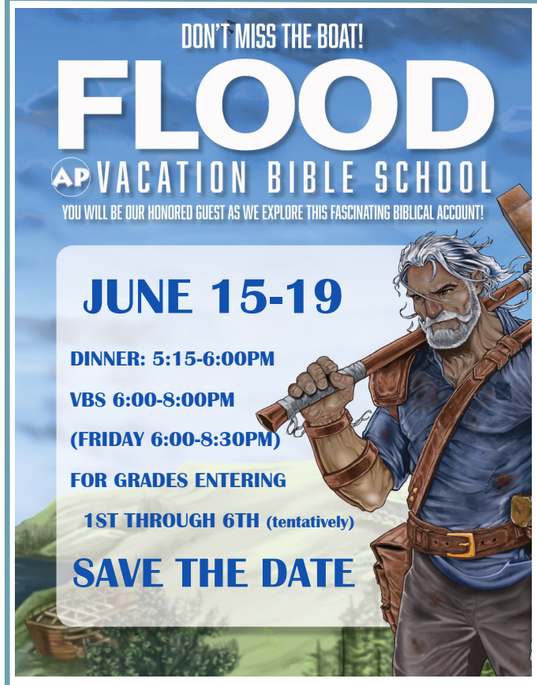
Health (Members): James Moudy, recovering from eye surgery; Jim Willis; Jim Arnold; Jim Hayes; Ione Arnold; Wilma Hickman; Angie Sack; Janice Carr; Don & Judy Rousey; Jody Roberts; Dee Banta; Twila Carr; Harold & Cindy Hall; Tami Lawson.

Health (Others): David Miller (Bill Miller's son) policeman in LA in hospital with pneumonia (possibly COVID); Bob & Mary (Dick & Peg Walton's daughter & family) continual exposure to COVID since he's a police officer; Ed Ernst (Louie Hatler's FIL); Nona Sue Sheerer (Jennifer McKnight's mother) hospitalized with mini-strokes; Tiffany Hogan (Darrell & Dottie's granddaughter) shoulder surgery recovery; Michele Cooper (Mica Byrum's cousin) ICU with pneumonia; Jack (Flossie Jorgenson's oldest brother) ALS; Mandy Dodd (Lora Sprowls' daughter); Mindy Wyatt (Renee Hinson's sister) breast cancer; Paul Collin (custodian @ Tecumseh Middle School); Kaden Gee (Vickie's grandson); Pat Gee (Angie Sack's dad) cancer; Waldo Carpenter, congestive heart failure; Chuck Austin (Tom's brother) praying for liver transplant; Randall Motley (Donna McLin's nephew) stroke; Jim Arnold's sister, cancer; Remy Bullis' grandmother, heart; Larry Ernst (Lucille's son) home and feeling much better in his fight against 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); Verlie's sister-in-law; Venita Hoover (Smith family 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 & La-Donna (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.

Other: 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.

Announcements



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

Ladies, if you're interested in a video Bible study on Tuesday nights at 7:30p, please send your email address to micabyrum123@gmail.com so she can send you the meeting ID and password.

Women's Video Bible Study

Books of the Month for **May** are **1st & 2nd Timothy** and **1st & 2nd Peter.**