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HOLY WEEK

A long time Shiloh tradition is a palm parade on Palm Sunday at the beginning of the service, kicking off Holy Week. This year Palm Sunday is April 13th. On Thursday we will observe Jesus' Last Supper with his Disciples at the Maundy Thursday service (7:00pm).

April 18th is Good Friday, and that service will begin at 7:00pm also.

Easter morning will begin with Sunrise Service at 8:00 AM followed by breakfast.

Our regular worship service Easter morning will be at 10:30am.

We hope you plan to join us and invite a friend for these special celebrations.



Talking with one another about our wishes and needs is an important first step in creating a funeral or memorial service that is meaningful, not only in terms of honoring the deceased, but also for the benefit of the loved ones who are saying goodbye.

For most of us, however, starting a conversation about death, funerals and grieving can seem a bit foreign.

After all, it's not something we talk about every day.

You are Invited to attend a FREE class about Starting The Conversation about Life, Death, and How We Want to Be Remembered.

9AM - Saturday May 3

SERMONS IN APRIL

The sermons in April will continue the "Final Sayings of Christ" series. Of course this has been leading to Resurrection Sunday, as we celebrate the day that separates Christianity from all other religions. Following Easter, we will begin a series on The Holy Spirit.

April 6	John 19:28-29 "Thirsty"	Pastor Mark
April 13	John 19:30 "It Is Finished"	Pastor Sean
April 20	John 20:1-31 "RISEN"	Pastor Mark
April 27	Romans 8:26-27 "Our Intercessor"	Pastor Mark



On the 2nd Saturday of every month, the men of Shiloh and their friends get together for breakfast and a discussion. The discussion around the breakfast table may center around anything of interest, the latest projects, favorites sports, etc.

The discussion after breakfast is all about applying God's word to our lives.

We are currently in a video series by Willie Robertson called "Gospeler".

Men, I hope you can join us on April 12th to be encouraged in sharing your faith.

Ernie Bridge is cooking for us in April.

Update From the Desk of Pastor Sean

Hey Shiloh! I wanted to give you an update on what's happening in Shiloh Student Ministries!

We met twice in March, and we started a series called "Who Is Jesus?" In week 1, we learned that Jesus is Immanuel and week 2, we learned that Jesus is the Son of Man. We also learned that finding yourself doesn't come from following your desires, it comes from following Jesus!

SSM will be meeting on April 6th, and the 27th. On April 6th we will finish our series on "Who is Jesus?" And April 27th we will begin a new series titled "Northern Lights" which is a deep dive into the Bible. We are excited to see what God is going to do in and through the students of Shiloh.

Proverbs 16:3 says

"Commit to the Lord whatever you do, and he will establish your plans."

I know this is the opposite of what the world teaches you or what you see on social media. The world wants you to put yourself first and to do whatever makes you happy. And this scripture says the complete opposite "commit to the Lord whatever YOU do and He will establish your plans" He will not establish your plans if you do not commit them to Him. So let's all ignore the world and commit yourself and your plans to God and He will sustain you!





DON'T MISS THIS!!

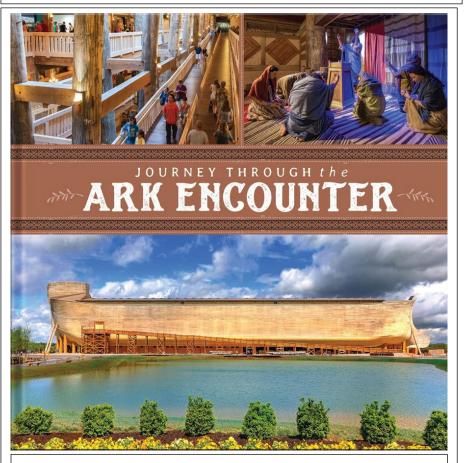
**SPECIAL MUSICAL GUEST



PRAISE BAND

APRIL 6TH
MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE

Let's all go to the Ark together!!!



Plans are underway to take a trip to the Ark Encounter on Saturday - June 28th. We hope to all load onto a tour bus and travel together to Kentucky and spend the day.

Want to go? See Sherry VanSoest, or any member of the Family Life Committee. Signup soon!!!

P.S. Kids under 10 go free!!!



VOLUNTEERS for APRIL			
APRIL 6	Lucy Marshall & Julie Sink		
APRIL 13	Sarah & Jenna Franklin		
APRIL 20	EASTER SUNDAY - PARENT VOLUNTEERS		
APRIL 27	Paul & Vickie Hutsell		



Bible Reading Plan

This month's reading is the second half of the Apostle Paul's first letter to the Corinthians, then his second letter to them and letters to the Galatians and Ephesians. Paul wrote to address issues in some places and to encourage believers in others.

How do both types of letters help us as we read them today?

April 1	1 Corinthians 9
April 2	1 Corinthians 10:1 – 11:1
April 3	1Corinthians 11:2-34
April 4	1 Corinthians 12
April 5	1 Corinthians 13
April 6	1 Corinthians 14
April 7	1 Corinthians 15
April 8	1 Corinthians 16
April 9	2 Corinthians 1:1-11
April 10	2 Corinthians 1:12-2:11
April 11	2 Corinthians 2:12-3:18
April 12	2 Corinthians 4:1-5:10
April 13	2 Corinthians 5:11-6:10
April 14	2 Corinthians 6:11-7:16
April 15	2 Corinthians 8-9
April 16	2 Corinthians 10:1-12
April 17	2 Corinthians 10:13-12:13
April 18	2 Corinthians 12:14-13:14
April 19	Galatians 1:1-10
April 20	Galatians 1:11-24
April 21	Galatians 2
April 22	Galatians 3
April 23	Galatians 4
April 24	Galatians 5
April 25	Galatians 6
April 26	Ephesians 1
April 27	Ephesians 2
April 28	Ephesians 3
April 29	Ephesians 4:1-16
April 30	Ephesians 4:17-32









COME AND SEE

If I had a nickel for every time Eliza said, "Come and see," I would be a millionaire. Throughout the day, she is constantly coming to get me, and tugging on my hand, urging me to drop whatever I am doing, to "come and see." There is always something thrilling to her that she needs to share with me. And her excitement makes me want to follow her to see what new thing she has discovered!

If I am honest, I do the same with her. Especially when we are outside in the Spring. New plants are making their way up through the dirt. Flowers are blooming. Strawberries are ripening. Asparagus is growing. The trees are beginning to bud. The rhubarb is getting ready to be cut. The dandelions are showing their beautiful yellow heads, and the bees are enjoying their sweet nectar. And Eliza is thrilled to follow me to see each new thing.

When we are stuck inside, there are still new things for her to explore and learn about. I have invited her into the kitchen to "come and see" what we can make with ingredients. I have put on her apron and handed her paint so she can "come and see" what masterpieces she can create. She has "come and seen" how to put the laundry in the washer and dryer, and how wonderful they smell and how soft her blanket is when it comes out of the dryer.

I hope that I have also invited her to "come and see" what God has done in my life. When she tastes a ripe strawberry or chews an asparagus spear, that I also share with her about God's magnificent creation of this world and our part in it. I hope that I have invited her to "come and see" when we have mixed cookie dough and pie crust and cupcakes that God can take everything that happens to us and make something good out of it. I hope that the stories we read from her Bible teach her to "come and see" Jesus as her Savior and Lord. I want her to "come and see" the empty tomb and know that there is hope for us all because He lives! And I pray that all of us can tell others to "come and see" what Jesus has done in our lives. May we have the same excitement that Eliza has when she asks me to "come and see." What could be more urgent or exciting than a relationship with Jesus? For someone who doesn't know that they can be a child of the King, we can invite them to "come and see!" And God allows us to share in that kingdom work! And it's so simple to say, "Come and see!"

"The angel said to the women, 'Do not be afraid, for I know that you are looking for Jesus, who was crucified. He is not here; He has risen, just as He said. COME AND SEE the place where He lay." Matthew 28:5-6 "The woman left her water jar beside the well and ran back to the village,

telling everyone, 'COME AND SEE a man who told me everything I ever did! Could he possibly be the Messiah?' So the people came streaming from the village to see Him." John 4:28-30

Lucy



A few weeks ago on a Friday evening, I got a phone call from my friend Adam Morrow. It's not unusual to get a call from Adam, he is the liaison on the Cass Co. Sherriff's department for the volunteer chaplain team, which I am part of. But this time when he called, he was calling for official business. One of the church neighbors had called 911 because of mischief in the church parking lot. There had been a truck doing donuts and drifting in the gravel. When Adam called, he was at the church and could see the gravel that had been thrown around. I told him we have security cameras so there might be video of the culprit. The next morning, I saved a video clip to give Adam. The truck looked like a lot of other trucks, and I did not expect anything to come of it.

But a week later, on Saturday morning there were fresh tracks and more damage to the lot. This time Grace Carlson heard it happening and called it in. It happened about midnight and the nighttime video was only good enough to see that it was probably the same truck as last week. I shared the first video in our Facebook group and that resulted in discovering

the truck stuck in a field. The truck towed was impounded, but it was a few days before anyone came looking for it. I got a call from Adam the following Wednesday saying that a young man named Jesus Melicio had come in to get his truck and had admitted to doing the damage to our parking lot. Adam told me he seemed to be genuinely remorseful and asked me what Shiloh wanted to do.

The following Monday was a regular board meeting, so I asked if he would come to the meeting and talk to us. Adam Morrow offered to come to the meeting also. Jesus arrived early and was visibly nervous as we went to the meeting room. He sat very quietly in the meeting room as most of the board arrived. Tim Morris opened the meeting with prayer and the first order of business was to have Jesus tell us about himself and what happened in our parking lot.

He is 18 years old and was trying to have some fun. He came to the meeting because he wanted to say that he is sorry and wants to make it right. We asked him some questions about school and work and where he goes to church. We talked about the cost of repairing the damage. The attitude of the board members was gentle and caring. We acknowledged that we all have done some stupid things, especially in our teen years.

Then we talked about our local mission project, SAWs, which builds accessibility ramps for people who need them. We suggested that we would like him to spend some time with us building a ramp as a service to the community. By this time, Jesus was much more relaxed, and he agreed that it would be good to help build a ramp. Before Jesus left, Pastor Sean presented him with a Bible, Ed Waters told him we are more concerned about his salvation than about the gravel in the parking lot, and we prayed for him.

We may or may not ever know about the impact of that evening on Jesus. But from my seat I saw grace in action and an opportunity taken to make a positive difference in a young man's life. As we continue this journey through life, may we all strive to give the grace we have been given.

"But by the grace of God | am what | am, and his grace toward me was not in vain. On the contrary, | worked harder than any of them, though it was not |, but the grace of God that is with me." 1 Corinthians 15:10

Post Script: Later, during the meeting, Tim Morris noticed Jesus and another young man putting rakes in their vehicle about the time it was getting dark. They had come prepared to do what needed to be done, and worked without being asked to clean up some of the gravel.

April Birthdays & Anniversaries

Miley Scott	Apr 1
Janet Goltry	Apr 5
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Leah Franklin	Apr 5
Diana Ross	Apr 5
Rich & Marsha Galbreath	Apr 11
Gail Schmidt	Apr 12
Toni Wagner	Apr 12
Cookie Bowman	Apr 15
Ed Waters	Apr 15
Tony & Teresa Franklin	Apr 15
Brent Morris	Apr 15
Sabrena Ide	Apr 23
Vickie Bridge	Apr 24
Abby Chambers	Apr 24
Addalyn Harmon	Apr 24
Jim Musselman	Apr 25
Sandra Shaffer	Apr 25
Luke McKaig	Apr 26
Terri Tribbett	Apr 27
Ruby McLean	Apr 28
Jason & Emily Miller	Apr 29
Kevin & Deanna Walder	Apr 29



Come and hear from Mariya Tatarin who received a shoebox as a child living in the Ukraine!

When: Saturday, April 12 at 10:30 am

Where: New Life Alliance Church, 3529 High St, Logansport, IN



Women's Fellowship will meet April 9th at 6:PM We will be cutting more bears out for OCC boxes. If you want to cut out some bears, please let Erin Campbell know. She can get you some fabric & the pattern! All women are welcome and encouraged to come out and have some fellowship together.





	Elementary	Elementary	Pre K	Pre k
	Leader	Helper	Leader	Helper
4/6	Chelsy	Lucy	Alicia	Gratia
	Roller	Marshall	Pifer	Hillenberg
4-13	Kathleen Kennell		Vickie Bridge	Susan Aldridge
4-20	NO	NO	NO	NO
	CHILDREN'S	CHILDREN'S	CHILDREN'S	CHILDREN'S
	CHURCH	CHURCH	CHURCH	CHURCH
4/27	Chelsy	Jerry	Teresa	Darlene
	Roller	Roller	Rose	Roller

Sunday Mornings:
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Worship – 10:30 a.m.



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
30	31	1	2	3	4	5
	Monday Noon Prayer	7PM Bible Study	6AM Men's Bible Study	7PM Ladies Choir		
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
10:30AM Worship 7PM Vocal Prowl 5PM SSM	Monday Noon Prayer	6PM OCC Meeting 7PM Bible Study	6AM Men's Bible Study 6PM Women's Fellowship	7PM Ladies Choir		7:30AM JUST FOR MEN Breakfast 9:30AM Benevolence Meeting
13 PALM SUNDAY	14	15	16	17	18	19
10:30AM Worship	Monday Noon Prayer	7PM Bible Study	6AM Men's Bible Study	7PM Maundy Thursday	7PM Good Friday	10AM Sonrise Rehearsal
20 EASTER SUNDAY	21	22	23	24	25	26
8:00 AM Sonrise 10:30AM Worship	Noon Prayer 7PM Board Meeting	NEWSLETTER DEADLINE 7PM Bible Study				
27 10:30AM Worship 6PM SSM	7PM Elders & Deacons	29	30	1	2	3 9AM Having the Talk of a Lifetime

