

Stay in Your Lane
Ephesians 5:21-33

Marriage is a _____ of _____.
22-24 are her commands and 25-33 are his
commands.

She is commanded to _____(22-24)
What is commanded:

Objections:

What it doesn't mean:

He is commanded to _____ (25-33)

Who?:

How?:

The key issue from 1 Peter 3:7

What it doesn't mean:

Husbands must not abdicate
_____ leadership.

May 7, 2023

Song Leader-Mike Tinius

3-Hallelujah, Praise Jehovah

Welcome

101-Holy Ground

Scripture Reading
Proverbs 31:10-12
Eddie Morris

108-The Lord Is in His Holy
Temple

Prayer
Rickey Wilson

448-The Greatest Commands
478-Nearer, Still Nearer
NIB-The Lord's Supper

Lord's Supper and
Contribution
Steve Williams

789-Father

Coins for Christ/Bible Times

NIB-Sanctuary

Lesson- Chris Graham
"Husbands and Wives-
Stay in Your Lane"

NIB-Closer to Thee
Announcements

Shepherd's Prayer
James Herring

Welcome Guests! We are honored that you have joined us today and hope that you will be blessed by your time with us in worship. The following are some helpful tips on making the most of your visit with us this morning.

Register- Our guests, as well as members, are asked to register their attendance as the pads are passed down each pew.

Attended Nursery is available for children up to three years of age in the west wing. (Kid Zone)

Quiet Bags for children are available at the table by the children's wing.

The **Welcome Center** has details about ministries, classes and more. It is in the main entrance outside the auditorium.

To access internet, connect to West Freeway Guest. No password needed.

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Sunday

Bible Class 9:30 a.m.
Worship 10:30 a.m.
Evening 4:00 p.m.
Communion will be offered at each Sunday meeting.

Wednesday

7:00 p.m.

Minister

Chris Graham
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Elders

James Herring 817.401.1047
Victor Jones 817.584.1300
Ronnie Moore 817.821.4991
John Robertson 817.343.7586
Mike Tinius 817.657.1431

Elder of the month: Victor Jones



Why Not Baptize for the Dead?

There is a growing religion that advocates in favor of baptism for the dead. While it would be very comforting to find a practice that could affect the dead, most Christians do not practice it. Here are three reasons most Christians do not practice a vicarious baptism for the dead.

1. 1 Corinthians 15:29 is the only place baptism for the dead is mentioned. "What will they do who are baptized for the dead, if the dead do not rise at all?" Paul did not say *we* are baptized for the dead, but *they* are baptized for the dead. There is no evidence that obedient Christians ever practiced it.
2. It is impossible to pass from a lost state to a saved state after death. Luke 16:26 teaches no one may cross the great gulf fixed between the reward of the righteous and the punishment of the wicked.
3. Authority for the modern-day practice of baptism for the dead is the alleged revelation of an angel, not from the New Testament. Paul warned, "even if we, or an angel from heaven, preach any other gospel to you than what we have preached to you, let him be accursed" (Galatians 1:8).

Like many ideas people have conceived, baptism for the dead may be comforting, but it is not biblical. Don't count on it.

Chris Graham



May 11

Silver Saints. Bring a sack lunch to eat together at 11:00, and play games at 12:00.

Men

Men's Bible Study, Tuesdays at 6:30 p.m.

Men's breakfast held each Tuesday morning at 7:00 at Westside Café. Come join in the fellowship.

Ladies' Bible Class

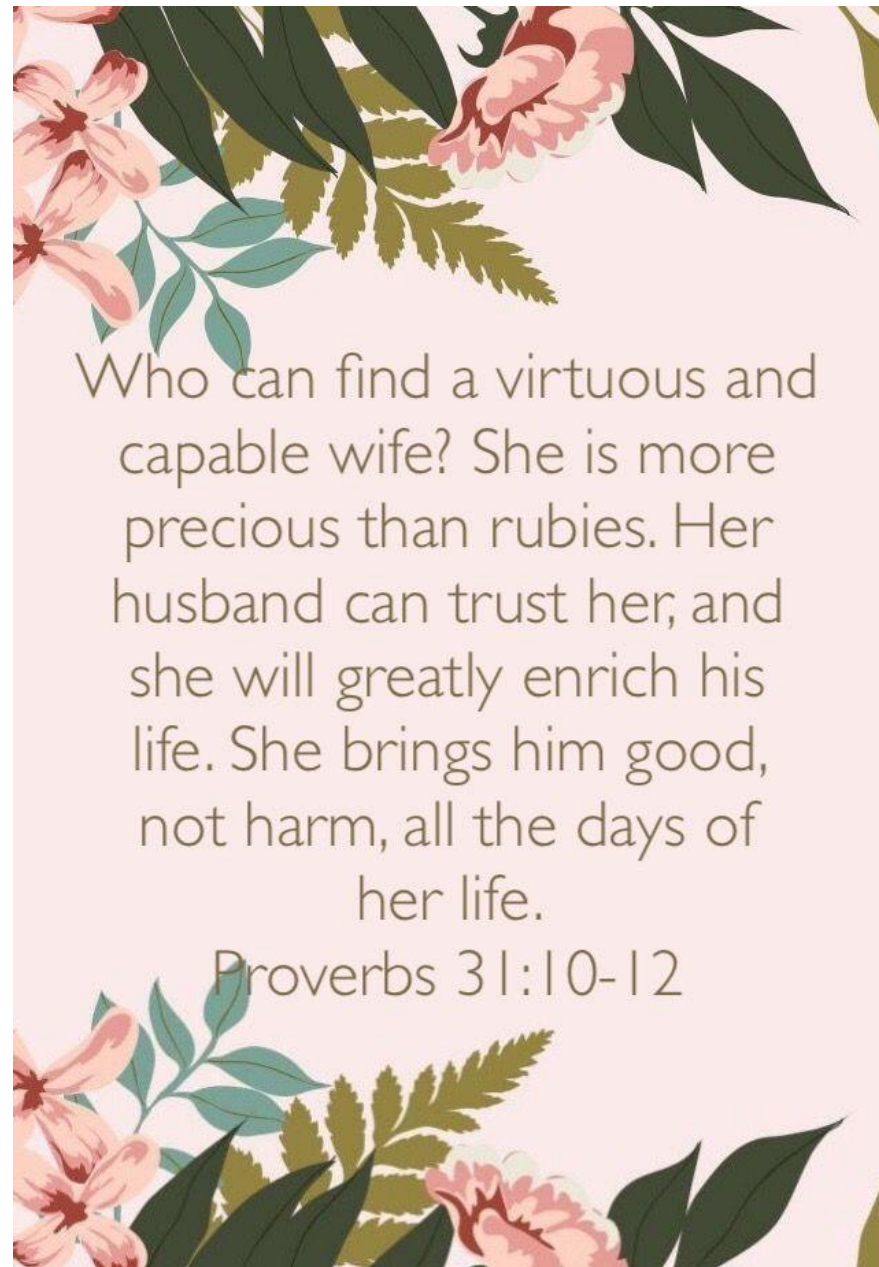
Tuesdays in the Fellowship Area 9:30 a.m.

Mission Work Session

Every Tuesday at 10:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Area. If you have any questions, please see Ollie Taylor-Brewer.

HomeMission

Please pick up a copy of "WAYS TO SAVE YOUR NEIGHBOR" and "WAYS TO MAKE A VISIT". There will be new issues each week. The HM newsletter will keep you up to date on the latest things happening with HomeMission.



Who can find a virtuous and capable wife? She is more precious than rubies. Her husband can trust her, and she will greatly enrich his life. She brings him good, not harm, all the days of her life.

Proverbs 31:10-12

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Our heartbeat (4/30)
Bible Class: 81
AM Worship: 139
PM:
Wednesday: 68
Contribution: \$7,363.95
Weekly Budget: \$8,145.00
Difference: \$ -781.05
Average: \$7,507.56

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Praying without ceasing...

Love and sympathy to **Alicia Lockhart** on the loss of her daughter, **Judith**.

Jimmie & Helen Barrett's son, **Kyle** had a house fire. Please keep the family in your prayers.

Ed Matlock will be having major back surgery in the next couple of months for spinal stenosis.

Other Members in need of Prayer:
James Blakley, Tom Cain, Marie Clark, Janice Dotson, Bob Durko, Margaret Hamilton, John Johnson, Carol Latimer, Reba Myers, Frank Piksie, Diana Richardson, Chris Suggs, Donna Williams.

We have had three Baptisms this week!

Our sweet Erhan Branham

Jude Kennedy

Nicolas Emanuel



If you have brought food, please look for your dishes in the fellowship area on the kids zone table.



JULY 9-12

WE STILL NEED LEADERS FOR 3RD GRADE, 4TH & 5TH GRADES, AND TEACHERS FOR OUR TODDLERS!