

Teen News

Thanks for being here this morning! School is almost out for the summer! I know that you all are ready to enjoy the summer break. I do want to encourage each of you not to take a break from Bible Study and Church! Please make every effort to be here when you can. Last Sunday we honored the 2016 graduates. There are four of them this year. That means we will soon lose four people in our youth group! I hope and pray that we can get more people to join the youth group. There are several of youth in this church who are not taking advantage of the youth program (you know who you are). I want to encourage you to join us!! Being part of this youth group has lots of benefits that will last a life time. Give it a try!!

Ben

Thanks to Dan, Dale and the entire Church Family here at Crockett Road for the recognition and fellowship luncheon last Sunday. It was very thoughtful and special to each of us! We are thankful and honored to be loved by so many people.

“CHEETAHS”

Cheetahs survive the African plains by running down their prey. These big cats can sprint to more than seventy miles per hour, but they cannot sustain their fast pace for long. Within their long, sleek bodies are disproportionately small hearts, which cause them to tire quickly. Unless the cheetahs catch their prey in their first fast sprint, they will abandon their chase. Sometimes Christians seem to have the cheetah’s approach to serving the Lord. They speed into projects with great energy, but lacking the hearts for sustained effort, they soon fizzle out. Let us have great staying power - stamina that comes from big hearts - so that we can patiently run the race set before us. *“Therefore we also, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which so easily ensnares us, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, looking unto Jesus, the author and finisher of our faith...”* (Heb. 12:1-2) **Author Unknown**

“Cast Your Cares On Him”

Although God gives us this assurance that He will care for us, there are many of us distraught over how we’re going to make it until the next payday. Jesus instructs us in Matt. 6:25-33 not to be overly anxious or worried about the affairs of this life. He points out that God cares for the birds of the air and the lilies of the field. Will He not care for us also? Jesus further informs us that our "heavenly Father knoweth that ye have need of all these things. "let us remember the words of our Savior who said "But seek ye first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things shall be added unto you." If we concentrate our thoughts and actions upon these words, then we can have the same confidence the psalmist had as he wrote, "Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord forever." Do you ever get the feeling that you run out of money before you run out of month? Each day when you pick up your mail, does it seem that the "gimme, gimme" letters will never end? Do you find that the majority of your thoughts dwell upon the struggles and difficulties you have in just making it from day to day? God has promised that he will care for us if we trust in Him. This assurance is clearly seen in Psalm 23. God gives us direction in our lives as a shepherd would give his sheep. God provides a place for us to rest and he revives us day by day through His word. He is by our side even when we come near to death. He honors us with His presence when we are compassed about by those who would tempt us to turn from Him. Trust Him. Prov. 3:6

DAN

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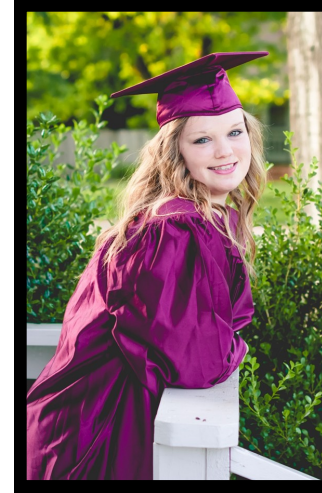
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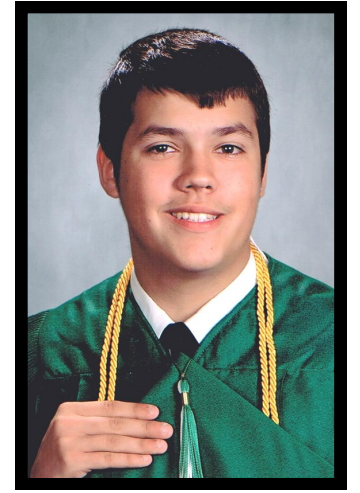
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6 :00 PM Evening
Wed: 7:00 PM

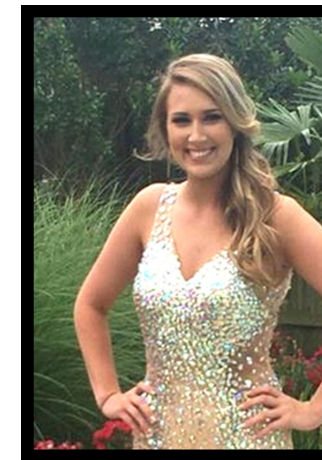
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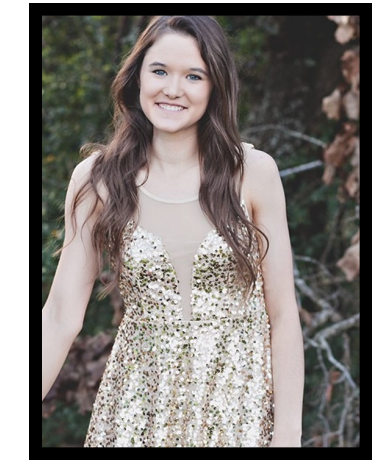
Kimmmie Dean



Tanner Gibson



Alyssa Howell



Emma Ricard

Graduating Seniors honored last Sunday.



From Dan's desk:

Last Sunday was a special day. We honored the graduating seniors in the church auditorium and with a luncheon in their honor. It was great and a lot of folks stayed for the luncheon. We appreciate so much those who helped with the luncheon. They were: James & Sandy Singleterry, Fred & Beth Freeman, Nancy Mooney, Renee Whitney, Lois Duzan, Charles McCullough & Larry Finley. Our graduating seniors, KIMMIE DEAN, TANNER GIBSON, ALYSSA HOWELL and EMMA RICARD are all fine young people and we wish them the very best in their life's endeavors. It was good to have their parents sitting up front with them. We also paid recognition to two young people who have graduated and will graduate from college. We are proud of all our youth. Continue to pray for them as they make their transitions. Please remember that tomorrow night will be the last time for "MONDAY NIGHT FOR THE MASTER" until September. It has been a good year and much has been accomplished on Monday nights throughout the year. We appreciate all those who have helped with various projects here at the building. Thanks to those who have helped prepare meals for the gathering on Monday night. James and Sandy Singleterry, Dwight and Shelly Franklin, and John and Ann Mottern have helped provide the good meals for us this year. This a lot of work and these brethren do a lot to put it all together. We also want to remind you that next Sunday is Memorial Day. We want to remember those who have given so much to this country. I have planned a special sermon regarding those who have died for the cause of freedom. I hope you can be with us. We hope to see you tonight.

DAN

PLEASE TURN OFF ALL CELL PHONES



TO KEEP IN OUR PRAYERS

MARGARET PEARSON has returned home and hospice has been called in.

LAURA THOMPSON, daughter-in-law of Jerry & Marlene Thompson, was in a motorcycle accident. She is recovering.

JOHNNY JENKINS will have surgery tomorrow at ETMC in Tyler.

NEW ADDRESS

Rick & Donna Giles
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GIVE ME THE BIBLE

For those who cannot receive The Give Me The Bible T.V. program on your television, you can now see it online. We encourage you to go to our website www.crockettroadchurchofchrist.org or the Facebook page "Give Me The Bible TV" to watch our programs.

SYMPATHY

Our heartfelt sympathy is extended to Linda Johnson in the death of her husband **MARK JOHNSON** who passed away last Tuesday. Services were held last Friday here at the building.

WHERE IS YOUR HEART?

Where is your heart? Jesus taught "Where your treasure is there will your heart be also." When Samuel told Saul that his throne would be taken from him due to his disobedience he said, "But now your kingdom shall not continue. The LORD has sought for Himself a man after His own heart, and the LORD has commanded him to be commander over His people, because you have not kept what the LORD commanded you." (1 Samuel 13:14). We know this man was David (Acts 13:22). There are several of David's characteristics that show how he was a man after God's heart. David loved God's word. In the 119th Psalm he says, "Oh, how I love Your law! It is my meditation all the day." If we have the same type of heart God's word will be important to us also. Do we meditate upon it? Do we study it daily? Are we searching to find its truths? Our priorities show through our actions and our time is generally spent where our hearts are. David also hid God's word in his heart. He not only loved it, he made it his life. He sought to live as God would have him to. Who is in control of your life--you or God? Psalms 119:11 "Your word I have hidden in my heart, That I might not sin against You!" If we are to live as David did God's word must be hidden in our hearts also. David was willing to confess his sins. Pride creates many problems and stands in our way when we err from the faith. David sinned, as we all do, but he was willing to confess his sins before God and man. Many sin as grievously as David, but few repent as nobly. Psalms: 51:3 "For I acknowledge my transgressions, And my sin is always before me." Much can be learned about repentance from the 51st Psalm. David also hated every false way. Psalms 119: 104 "Through Your precepts I get understanding; Therefore I hate every false way." Can we truly say that we hate all sin and every way that is contrary to our God? How much do you love God? DAN