



What Am I Doing Here?

One of the stanzas of the children's song, "O Be Careful Little Eyes," says "O be careful little feet where you go." Such teaches our little ones that there are places where one who loves the Lord should not go. Solomon realized that one must carefully consider where he goes for he gave strong exhortation to his son concerning such. In **Proverbs 4.26, 27**, Solomon said, "**Ponder the path of your feet; then all your ways will be sure. Do not swerve to the right or to the left; turn your foot away from evil.**" A life of integrity requires that we pay attention to our heart, our speech, our eyes, our conduct, and even our feet. We must set our feet forth on the course that leads to heaven above and be sure that we do not veer to the right or to the left. When you "**Ponder the path of your feet,**" you contemplate, you mentally heavily weigh, the life you are choosing to lead. Jesus said that few find the path that leads to eternal life; but that there are many who choose the path that leads to destruction (Matthew 7.13, 14). Thus, we must carefully lay out the path of righteousness before us and pay close attention to where our feet are headed lest they lead us in a direction where we will be filled with tremendous sorrow and woe.

What if I had not paid attention to the direction my feet have led me in life? What if I wound up totally away from the Lord living in sorrow and sin? Have you ever felt like the prodigal son who one day came to his senses and said, "*What am I doing here?*" He realized that he was in the literal "pig pen" of life and it was not where he wanted to be at all. When one chooses to walk away from the Father, eventually, life may become so miserable that you wonder, "*How did my life come to this?*" The prodigal son realized the terrible mistake he made in leaving his father's house. He became conscious of how his improper desires and choices in life had permitted his feet to lead him down the wrong path. The lure of the far country and the pleasures of sin had entrapped him into believing he would be so much happier than he could ever be living in the house of his father. Satan still uses the same enticements to lead many of God's children out of their Father's house today. The promises of pleasure, joy, happiness, and self-rule lead the disillusioned child of God into the world of the prince of the air (Ephesians 2.2). How long must one be self-deceived into thinking life is so much better away from the Father's house before they finally look up and say, "*What am I doing here?*"



Just as the father in the parable of the prodigal son ran to welcome him home—our heavenly Father looks for the wayward to return as well. If you realize that you are away from God and constantly saying to yourself, "*What am I doing here?*" in reference to being away from the Father's house; then, will you repent and come home today? I am thankful you are here in worship. I will be more thankful to see you come home.

Gary

Ridiculing Jesus

Mark 15.29-32

- 1) Have you ever been criticized?
- 2) Has anyone ever tried to defame your character?
- 3) At the crucifixion, many people scorned and ridiculed Jesus as He hung on the cross.
- 4) Who in his right mind could venomously attack the Son of God?

As Jesus Hung On The Cross, Many...

I) _____ At His _____ (Mark 15.29, 30).

A) Those coming in and out of the city mocked Jesus.

1) They derided Jesus saying, “_____, *and come down from the cross*” (Mark 15.30).

2) Their mockery was in the form of an _____.

3) The accusation arose because Jesus said He could rebuild the temple in _____.

4) Filled with _____, the crowd blocked out the meaning of Jesus’ prophecy.

B) Do you believe all the prophecies Jesus made?

II) _____ His _____ (Mark 15.31).

A) The chief priests and the scribes ridicule of Jesus was in the form of a _____.

1) The high priest, chief priests, elders, and scribes had gotten what they wanted.

2) They had demanded that Jesus be _____, and that verdict was given.

3) The ruling body maliciously said, “*He saved others; He cannot save Himself.*”

(a) Their accusation was, “*Yes, there is a sense in which we must say that He saved others; but look at Him now. He cannot even save Himself.*”

(b) “*What kind of king is this? How frail His power actually is.*”

B) On many occasions, Jesus had demonstrated His miraculous power.

1) Even one of the priests, _____, had recognized Jesus’ power to perform miracles (John 3.2).

III) _____ His Position As _____ (Mark 15.32).

A) The rulers of Israel laughed at Jesus’ claim to be the Almighty King.

1) Their mockery was in the form of _____.

2) They promised they would _____ in Him if He would just come down from the cross.

B) Tremendous _____ was given to prove Jesus was the Christ.

C) If Jesus had come down off the cross, there would be _____ for any man.

IV) _____ At His _____ With God

(Matthew 27.43).

A) The verbal abuse came in the form of a _____.

1) They said, “*He trusts in God; let God deliver Him now, if He desires Him. For He said, ‘I am the Son of God.’*”

2) The proposition was, “*If Jesus was so _____ to God, then why did God not come to Him?*”

3) The words of Jesus’ enemies were foretold (Psalm 22.8).

B) How is _____ personal relationship with God?

Conclusion: Do you need to confess your faith in Jesus today?

C O N N E C T I O N

O Good morning WH church family. Today we are featuring another one of our newer families. I hope you will take an opportunity to meet the Joe & Amy Tomme family.

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N Joe was born right here in Ft Worth, and graduated from Southwest High School. While at Southwest, Joe was an outstanding singer in the choir, winning All City Choir and Honor Choir awards. Following school, Joe went to work for Tandy Leather Goods and then began working for an electrician. During this time he completed the hours and requirements needed to obtain his Journeyman Electrician License. Joe enjoyed playing hockey for fun, and one time met a teammate who worked for the Texas Rangers baseball team. He asked Joe if he knew an electrician who might like to work for the Rangers. (Guess who Joe suggested!) Joe has been working for the World Champion Texas Rangers (doesn't that sound wonderful?) for 19 years now. As a special perk, he and the family get to travel in the playoffs to the away games with the team. I'll bet he has some stories to share!



Amy was born in Houston, but grew up in La Porte, TX. She starred in band during her high school years there, winning All City, All Region and All District honors playing the flute. She went on to Texas Tech following her graduation from high school and received her Bachelor's degree in Early Childhood Development. She has been with the Ft Worth ISD for 27 years, teaching different grades over the years from K-3rd grade. She has received her Montessori Certification and currently serves as the Tanglewood School Dyslexia Specialist.

Joe and Amy met through a mutual friend, and married two years later. Amy says their first date was to Pappasito's restaurant and the 2nd date You guessed it, a Texas Rangers game! They have been blessed with 2 wonderful children during their marriage. They were invited by the Brookshires to visit us and we are so excited they have joined our church family. I encourage you to reach out and get to know them better, you'll be blessed!

Les Keele



Please welcome our newest member, Leah Savage. Her address is: 2464 Indian Cove, Fort Worth, TEXAS 76108, phone number (903) 330-2955. Please add her to your directory.

We would like to begin celebrating anniversaries as we do birthdays. Please add your name and date to the list in the foyer. If you happen to know the anniversaries of our shut-ins, please add those as well. Thank you.

SHEPHERDS

Greg Ball	214-801-7375
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Dan Kille	817-793-7439
Chuck Meyer	682-553-5444
Ross Tomlinson	682-429-1983
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John Boundtaroth:	817-891-2132
<i>Laotian Minister</i>	

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Ben Meyer	817-673-8557
Robert Scott	817-246-0911
Matt Sloan	405-471-3404
Steve Taylor	817-291-2065
Buck Thomas	817-733-2620

MORNING WORSHIP (10 AM)

Welcome - Caleb Bartee

Song Leader - Jonathan Bartee

Song - I Know That My Redeemer Lives

Song - Lord We Come Before Thee Now

Song - I Stand In Awe

Prayer - Buck Thomas

Scripture - Mark 15.29-32

Song - It Is Well With My Soul

Lord's Supper - Ben Meyer

Prayer for Contribution - Ben Meyer

Song - Jesus Hold My Hand

Ridiculing Jesus - Gary Williams

Song - Anywhere With Jesus

Announcements - Les Keele

Shepherd's Prayer & Dismissal - Russ Bartee

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Here is
ours:
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Attended Nursery: After communion, we have an attended nursery available for ages birth to 3 years, a mother's nursing room, and Children's Bible Hour for children ages 3 years old up through second grade.

For our members and visitors with hearing difficulties, we now provide single side in-ear mono earbuds with a personal receiver for your convenience. Please see the sound booth at the back of the auditorium for one.

DAILY BIBLE READINGS

Monday, March 25

1 Samuel 17 - 19

Tuesday, March 26

1 Samuel 20 - 22

Wednesday, March 27

1 Samuel 23 - 26

Thursday, March 28

1 Samuel 27 - 29

Friday, March 29

1 Samuel 30 - 2 Samuel 1

Saturday, March 30

2 Samuel 2 - 4

Sunday, March 31

2 Samuel 5 - 7

Last Week

Bible Class:	141	Wednesday:	111
AM Worship:	205	Contribution:	\$13,965.06
PM Worship:	90	Budget:	\$ 13,802.88

Times of Assemblies

Bible Class:	9:00 AM
Sunday Morning Worship:	10:00 AM
Sunday Evening Worship:	5:00 PM
Wednesday Evening:	7:00 PM

LTC Practice 3/24

1:15pm Speech (Levi/Kathryn)

1:45pm Drama

2:30pm Puppets

3:00pm Snacks

3:15pm Chorus

4:00pm Bible Bowl

6:00pm Parent Meeting

3/27 Devo-Liam and Levi

3/27 Ladies Class for the young ladies to practice speech (Kathryn), song leading and signing

Sundays:

Auditorium: Gary Williams: 1 and 2 Thessalonians

Young Adults: Les Keele: Uncovering Why? Why We Do What We Do

Wednesdays:

Combined Auditorium Class

Les Keele: Taking It To The Streets: A Study Of James

LADIES' RETREAT

WE ARE IN THE PROCESS OF PLANNING A SPIRITUAL RETREAT FOR OUR LADIES. IF YOU ARE INTERESTED, PLEASE FILL OUT THE SHORT QUESTIONNAIRE IN THE FOYER SO WE MAY HAVE A MORE ACCURATE ACCOUNT OF THOSE INTERESTED. THIS IS NOT A COMMITMENT TO DEFINITELY ATTEND, WE ARE SIMPLY TRYING TO GET A NUMBER IN MIND. YOU MAY PLACE THESE IN THE ATTENDANCE BASKETS. THIS WILL ALLOW US TO CHOOSE A SUITABLE LOCATION EARLY ON. THANK YOU.

Family Game Night At The Building: April 12, 6pm.
Potluck



VBS

ANNOUNCEMENT

JUNE 2 - JUNE 5

Please look in the foyer and sign up for all the areas in which you wish to work at VBS. Slots are going fast; so, sign up early to get your preferred spot!



March Anniversaries

John and Auna Walton 3, 57 Years

Brandon and Jennifer Duncan 14, 15 Years

Join Us For Our Tuesday Morning Bible Classes At 10 AM.

Men's Topic: 1 & 2 Peter - Milt Birmingham

Ladies' Topic: Zephaniah - Paula Pauley

It's A Boy



Ezio Lezama

**BABY
SHOWER**

There is a table set up in the middle west foyer for Delisia Torrez's baby boy. So if you can, please bring a gift to help celebrate this blessing from God. (He wears 3-6 months)

Live Streaming Video

Wednesday night services will now be live streamed for our shut-in members. If you are physically able to attend, we really need you here.

Book Give Away!

Middle Foyer

Copies in Triplicate +



PRAYER REQUESTS

Members

March 24, 2024

NAME	SITUATION	PRAY FOR
Lorenza Fernandez 3/13/2024	The Doctors are working on her medications. 232 Lochness Lane, Benbrook, TEXAS 76126	God to guide the doctors
Missy Hall 3/11/24	She fell at work and has pulled ligaments. Pray for her job security. 4020 Ridglea County Club Road Apt# 603, Fort Worth, TEXAS 76126	Quick healing
Carlene Reeves 3/11/24	She is in Spring Town Park Rehab Room 410. 1306 Warden St., Benbrook, TEXAS 76126	Quick healing
Betsy Strother 3/3/2024	She had surgery on her finger on her right hand. 8401 Tumbleweed Trail Apt#2004, Fort Worth, TEXAS 76108	Quick healing
Louise Beagle 3/14/24	She is in Ridgmar Medical Lodge for rehab. 3916 Reagan Dr. Fort Worth, Texas 76116	To get stronger
Bob Riley 3/3/2024	He is now home but being monitored for fluid build up. 6208 White Tail Trl., Fort Worth, Texas 76132	That the treatment was a success
Tom Pauley 3/3/2024	He has shingles. 3409 Muleshoe Lane, Fort Worth, Texas 76179	Quick healing
Minnie Collins 3/3/2024	Will have surgery to remove skin cancer on March 23. 4040 Ridglea Country Club # 1102, Fort Worth, Texas 76126	Successful surgery and quick healing
Alex Bartee 3/3/2024	Needs prayers in his walk with God. 8629 Vista Royale Dr., Fort Worth, Texas 76108	Guidance and nudging by God

PRAYER REQUESTS**Members****March 24, 2024**

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NAME	SITUATION	PRAY FOR
Kham Intharansy 3/3/2024	Her procedure to amputate part of her finger, will be Tuesday, March 22th at Baylor Scott and White (Grapevine). 7137 Bob Hanger St, Fort Worth, Texas 76179	That the doctors get all of the infection and quick healing
Patricia Niesler 02/26/2024	Had a fall on Sunday, February 25, that resulted in severe bruising but no breaks. Her sister, Mary Young, passed away Monday, February 26. 7113 Kermit Avenue, Fort Worth, Texas 76116	Thankfulness that no bones were broken, prayers of healing; comfort in the death of her sister
Wanda Houston 02/25/2024	Is in Water Mark room 1101. 5301 Bryant Irving Road, #117, Fort Worth, Texas 76132	Thanksgiving that the fall was not any worse and prayers for a speedy recover
Brandon Duncan 02/12/2024	Needs God's guidance as he looks for a new job. 9928 Farmington Drive, Benbrook, Texas 76126	God will open doors and point him in the right direction
Kitty Davis 02/12/2024	Is troubled by Parkinson's and other health issues. 812 Ala Drive, Fort Worth, Texas 76108	Healing
Shane Grantham 02/12/2024	Has cancer. 812 Ala Drive, Fort Worth, Texas 76108	Healing
Mary Jo Winters 02/04/2024	Has spiritual needs for which she request prayers. 9908 Caravelle Court, Fort Worth, Texas 76108	God knows what she needs
Angie Kirkpatrick 1/14/24	Is having neck pain. 1424 Yorkshire Street, Fort Worth, Texas 76134	Relief of pain and may healing occur
Quin Gary 1/29/24	Is in China on an extended trip visiting her 93 year old mother. 9912 Edmund Drive, Benbrook, Texas 76126	Safety and good travels
Chandra Mann 1/12/24	Abdominal cancer has returned and she began chemo February 5, 2024. 106 Langham Drive, Aledo, Texas 76008	Healing and good news
Nancy Wright 12/11/2023	Is in Stonegate Rehab, Room 115. 8600 Vista Royale Drive, Fort Worth, Texas 76108	Successful rehab and healing

PRAYER REQUESTS**Friends and Family****24, 2024**

Debbie Lipham, niece of	Wayne Lipham	She is in Baylor and has a weak heart, and 2 arteries are 100% blocked. The surgeons think the heart is too weak for surgery.	Guidance for the doctors and healing 3/18/24
Celest Thomas, daughter of	Louise Beagle	Her cancer has come back really bad.	Healing and strength for her and her family 3/14/24
Ethel Melendy, mother of	Chandra Mann	She has Parkinson's Disease.	Prayers for Ethel and the family 3/14/24
Jeff Kirkpatrick, husband of	Angie Kirkpatrick	Had surgery to remove kidney stones, but is still having pain.	Quick healing 3/14/24

PRAYER REQUESTS
Friends and Family
24, 2024

NAME	REQUESTED BY	SITUATION	PRAY FOR
Elaine Lawrence, friend of (former member)	Chuck and Sherry King	She was hit by a pickup in a parking lot. She had hip surgery and will begin rehab.	Successful rehab and healing 3/22/24
Luke Mills, grandson of (Jessica Mills' baby)	Susie Muongnamvong	He was born March 19th, 6lbs. 2oz. 19 inches long. He is in the Nic U.	That he can self regulate and he is a healthy baby 3/22/24
Melissa Tomlinson, daughter-in-law to	Ross Tomlinson	She has shingles, but has gone back to work.	The clot dissolves 3/10/24
Annika Cline, niece of	Michelle Glenn	She is having foot surgery on March 25th, while in officer training camp.	Quick healing 2/26/24
Braelyn Joos, grandchild of cousin to	Beverly Lipham	Was in a side-by-side rollover accident. She is in Fort Worth Children's Hospital.	Recovery 02/26/2024
Nelda Wagoner, sister of	Wayne Lipham	Stomach cancer.	Treatments and healing 02/26/2028
Martin Wilcox, son of	Bud and Betty Wilcox	Has been diagnosed with cancer.	Treatments and healing 02/24/2024
John and Elaine Winfield	Chuck Meyer	Are long term visitors with us. John had a heart attack last December and is now on hospice; although, he is up and around but has no energy. Elaine has pain walking due to a Sciatic Nerve flareup. 4301 Tamworth Road, Fort Worth, Texas 76116	Their health to improve and for John to have a good day that coincides with a Sunday so that they will be able to attend worship 02/27/2024
Bert Peterka, cousin of	Paula Pauley	He had a hemorrhagic stroke, has started rehab.	Quick healing 3/7/2024
David Yarbrough, father of	Angie Kirkpatrick	Fell this past Sunday and had no breaks but multiple bruises and pain.	His health to get better 02/25/2024
Tammy, niece of	Sam and Dorothy Anderson	Had a major heart attack and, due to previous history, may require a heart transplant. She had an angiogram this past Tuesday.	Doctors to make right decisions, treatment, surgery, recovery 02/20/2024
Ellen Dale	Frankie Smith	Bone scan.	Good results 02/20/2024
Kay Morris, friend of	Betsy Strother	Cancer.	Successful surgery and treatments 02/21/2024
Jaye Sanford, friend of	Betsy Strother	Cancer.	Successful surgery and treatments 02/20/2024

MARCH

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

1 STEPHAN MYERS

2 JOHN LARSON

3 BEVERLY FORGEY

4 JIM GILBERT

8 CHARLES KITE

11 MIKE WHITACRE

15 JANELLE BALL

17 AMY BARTEE

18 BEA HOUSE

20 STEVE TAYLOR

21 MARK MUSSELMAN

22 KAREN TAYLOR

22 BETSY STROTHER

23 GLENN BAIRD

29 MONTY BOWERS

CHILDREN

10 BOYCE MILLER

16 BELLA GILBERT

24 MADDOX DUNCAN

26 SELAH GARNER

27 BRENA THOMAS

Happy Birthday

April Birthday

People!

1 Kham Intharansy

2 Lili Kimlinh

2 Karen King

2 Matt Sloan

3 James Yawn

3 Sheryl Willyerd

4 John Walton

6 Jenny Chakrathouk

7 Katelynn Bolt

11 Deanna Everett

13 Joe Tomme

15 Chandra Mann

15 Barbara Meisenhalder

15 Judy McDonald

17 Vernon Hamilton

20 Carolyn Williams

25 Betty Kille

28 Linda Tong

30 Taj Gray

Children's Birthdays

1 Colt Tedford

10 Layton Garner

16 Emori Durrett

20 Liam Scott

22 Levi Sloan

