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# LENTEN CALENDAR

	April 14 – Passion/Palm Sunday	
11:00 a.m.	Hiskidz Choir sings	
	Monday, April 15	
12 Noon	Lenten Service followed by lunch	Rev. Dr. Stephen Cook
	Tuesday, April 16	
12 Noon	Lenten Service followed by lunch	Rev. Ken Lynch
	Wednesday, April 17	
12 Noon	Lenten Service followed by lunch	Rev. Barry Male
	Thursday, April 18	
6:30 p.m.	Maundy Thursday Communion Service	
	Good Friday, April 19	
6 p.m.	Flashlight Easter Egg Hunt	
	Saturday, April 20	
2:00 p.m.	Preschool Easter Egg Hunt	
	April 21 – Easter Sunday	
10:00 a.m.	Joint Worship Service	No Sunday School

#### THIS WEEKS CALENDAR

#### SUNDAY, MARCH 31

9:00 a.m. Come AZ U R Service 9:50 a.m. Sunday School 11:00 a.m. Traditional Service 5:00 p.m. Planet 456 6:00 p.m. Snack Supper 6:00 p.m. Adult Bible Study 6:30 p.m. Youth **MONDAY, APRIL 1** 9-12 noon Methodist Market **TUESDAY, APRIL 2** 6:00 p.m. Ladies Bible Study/Millie's WEDNESDAY, APRIL 3 3:00-4:15 p.m. Hiskidz Choir Gr. 1-6 4:30 p.m. Ladies Handbell Choir 5:30 p.m. In the Hands of God/Prayer Meeting 6:00 p.m. Chancel Choir 6:00 p.m. Adult Bible Study 6:15 p.m. Youth Small Group **SATURDAY, APRIL 6** 9-12 noon Methodist Market



- 31. Sammy Burnham
  - 3. Hayley Martin
  - 4. Hayes Heidel, Gloria Kirk, Jase Patterson
  - 6. Martha Lyles, Charles Davis, Carter Ketchum, Matt King



Sympathy and love is extended to Lisa and Lackey Saxton in the death of Lisa's father, Elton Brooks "Bo" Breland, who died March 25, 2019.

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**Solid Ground Youth** 

This Sunday we will continue our series on Old Testament Heroes – Women. In our final week of this series, we will talk about the importance of all these Old Testament women, and the importance of Godly women in the world.

## **Sunday Night Youth**

Sunday night we will begin a 4-week series called "Look Again." This series is about the events that led up to the resurrection of Jesus. Week 1 is about worship. Jesus was ushered into Jerusalem by a large crowd of people who worshipped Him. However, there was another group who did not worship, but instead, sat back and watched. Just like then, we live in a world where the same thing is true. Some people worship Him and others reject Him. Jesus is God, and He is deserving of our worship.

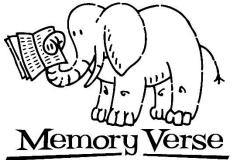
### Wednesday Night Small Group

Wednesday night small group will continue with a new series called *Dwell*. Christ's word dwells in us... because Christ dwells in us. As Christians, Jesus is our landlord. However, there are some days, most days, that we try to fill that role. That is called being human. We quickly find out that we can make messes, and then we turn to God to fix them. We need to work on allowing God to have control and trust in Him.

### M28 Camp at Lake J:

There has been a date change for our summer camp trip to Lake Junaluska. The dates have been changed to July 6-10. Please sign up <u>ASAP</u> as the spots are limited. These camps fill up quickly, and we cannot add people if the camp is full.

# **Children's Page**



"Now is the time! Here comes God's kingdom! Change your hearts and lives and trust this good news!"

Mark 1:15



As we continue to prepare for the Easter season, this Sunday our lesson shows the humanness of Jesus. Jesus knows his death is at hand, and he experiences sadness. He wanted his friends with him and wanted them to pray with him. Just like Jesus turned to God in his time of sadness, we should too.



Bible study will meet this week at our regular time of 5:00 p.m. We will finish our study on Samson. Hope to see you this Sunday as we learn more about his story.

### Planet 456 Branson Trip:

We will be leaving for the trip to Branson on Friday, April 5, and we will return on Sunday, April 7. This will be a fun trip of fellowshipping, and an awesome time as we see the story of Samson brought to life on stage. The final payment for the trip is due now. Please contact Mrs. Tera if you have any questions.

# Volunteers serving Sunday, March 31, 2019

Greeters	Frank & Dee Webb/Max & Rita Sanders
Acolytes	Brody Roberts/Payton Heidel
Scripture	Matthew 20:1-16
Sermon	"Grace Isn't Fair, But It Is Good"
Security	Albert Vandevere/Larry Adams
Flowers	Chat & Mary Kay Phillips
Sunday Night Supper	Mary Love Johnson & Julian & Carol Crawford

## Attendance, March 24, 2019

Worship Services	221
Sunday School	136

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#### **DAILY BIBLE READINGS**

#### MARCH

# **31. 4th Sunday in Lent**

#### John 9:1-41

1. Great beyond all understanding	Isaiah 41:21-28
2. The first of his signs	John 2:1-11
3. The man believed	John 4:46-54
4. God promises renewal	Ezekiel 37:1-14
5. Great power to redeem	Psalm 130
6. Choosing life and peace	Romans 8:6-11