



*Westworth
Church of
Christ*

The
Westworth
Word

*Worshiping
Serving
Fellowshipping*

WELCOME VISITORS!
Thank you for joining us today to worship the Lord.
 If this is your first visit here, please honor us by filling out a visitor’s card found on the back of each pew. Your prayer requests may also be made on the flip side of the card. At the close of service you can hand it to any member, place it in the contribution box at the front of the auditorium or simply leave it in the pew and we will collect it.

During the service we will celebrate communion. This is a time that we partake of unleavened bread and juice from the fruit of the vine to remind us what Jesus has done for us. Communion is not only about Jesus’ death, but his resurrection and triumph over death and sin. His resurrection is the source of our hope that God will fulfill his promise of eternal life through Jesus the Christ. (Sacraments are available on the table in the entry foyer.)

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- Worship Services:** Sunday, 10:00 am
 - Men’s Group:** 1st & 3rd Tuesdays, 7:00 pm
 - Bible Study:** Wednesday 7:00 pm
 - Ladies Virtual Study:** Thursday, 7pm via GoogleMeet

Rules for Holy Living

“Since, then, you have been raised with Christ, set your hearts on things above, where Christ is seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things above, not on earthly things. For you died, and your life is now hidden with Christ in God.” (Col. 3:1-3a)

The Christian to whom this letter was written had not physically died. But they had died spiritually speaking. At our baptism (Romans 6:1-7) we die to the old self and then we are raised up with Christ. It is in the name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit that we come and confess our faith, repenting of our sins and are buried with Christ in baptism to rise up into a new life.

Living the new life has rules. One is to have our hearts and our minds focused upon the heavenly things. By casting off the sinful nature and surrendering to the Holy Spirit’s guidance, we change. We do not fulfill the desires of the sinful nature, but rather find ourselves compelled to glorify God in all that we think, say and do. (Galatians 5:16-26)

“Submit yourselves, then, to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you. Come near to God and he will come near to you.” (James 4:7a)

Clearly, it is a decision we make daily to living holy. Being raised up through the salvation proclaimed through the gospel message of Christ calls us to be living in harmony to His will. Abiding by the rules provides spiritual security. We are walking hand in hand with the Lord. Breaking the rules gives the devil an opportunity to block God’s love and grace from covering our souls.

“Since we live by the Spirit, let us keep in step with the Spirit.” Gal. 5:25

Max Pratt

Happy Milestones

May Birthdays

JoAnn Anthony	May 23
Tracy Burris	May 26
Amanda Moore	May 31



May Anniversaries



Matthew & D'Ann Bristol	May 17
Hudson & Daniella Flaherty	May 17

May



Sunday, May 14—Mother's Day

Sunday, May 21—Third Sunday Lunch

Monday, May 29—Memorial Day

Late May and Early June—Graduation days for many high schools and colleges in the area. If you are graduating—or have a graduate in your family please be sure to let us know.

Philippians 2:1-4

Therefore if you have any encouragement from being united with Christ, if any comfort from his love, if any common sharing in the Spirit, if any tenderness and compassion,² then make my joy complete by being like-minded, having the same love, being one in spirit and of one mind.³ Do nothing out of selfish ambition or vain conceit. Rather, in humility value others above yourselves,⁴ not looking to your own interests but each of you to the interests of the others.

IN THE "KNOW"

Tuesday - Westworth Men's Group



All men of the congregation, friends, neighbors and family are invited to join the men's group on the **1st and 3rd Tuesdays of the month**. Currently they are looking at concepts and ideas in the book:

IN A PIT WITH A LION ON A SNOWY DAY by Mark Batterson

Next Meeting: → May 16, 2023 ← 7pm, Activity Bldg.



It is never too late to join any of the studies and fellowship listed here.



Wednesday Night Bible Study—Weekly @ 7pm—Activity Bldg.

May 10—2 Samuel	May 17—The Chosen, Season 3, Episode 2
May 24—2 Samuel	May 31—The Chosen, Season 3, Episode 3
June 7—2 Samuel	June 14 —The Chosen, Season 3, Episode 4
June 21—2 Samuel	June 28 —The Chosen, Season 3, Episode 5



Take advantage of this opportunity to learn and enjoy fellowship with your brothers and sisters in Christ.

Thursdays Women's Virtual Bible Study

Each week — 7:00 pm via Google meet

Current Study: (beginning 5/11/23)

Gideon—Your Weakness. God's Strength
by Priscilla Shirer



- All ladies are welcomed to join this group at any time.
- Learning and fellowship from the comfort of your own home.
- Book available from Amazon, Mardels, or Lifeway.

For information regarding access - web-site and passcode contact:
Tracy Robertson at

817-308-0554— or—snowgirlntx@yahoo.com

Thank you - Keep up the good work

Let's plan to continue this contribution to their pantry .

Food items were delivered to Southside Church of Christ this week, and they were excited to receive the results of your generosity.

Thank you to everyone who took time to do a little extra shopping for this good work. Please put this need on your 'list' for a regular contribution, if possible. The bin will remain in the north foyer.

If you would like to see more information about Southside Church of Christ's programs for the community, please visit their web site at:

<https://www.scofc.org>



**It was great to celebrate!!
Sunday, April 30, 2023**

Kids Coloring Page



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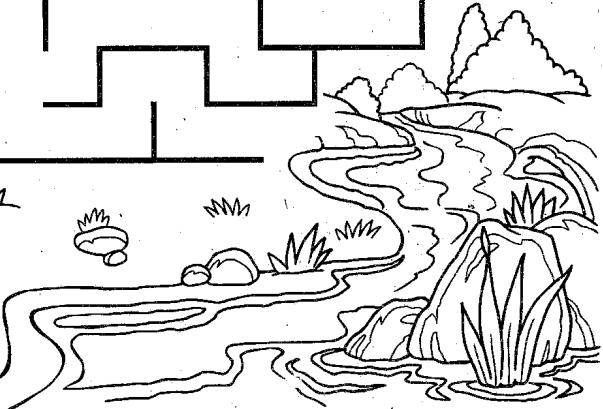
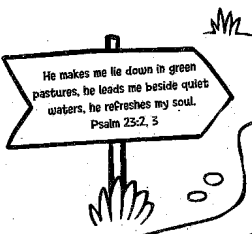
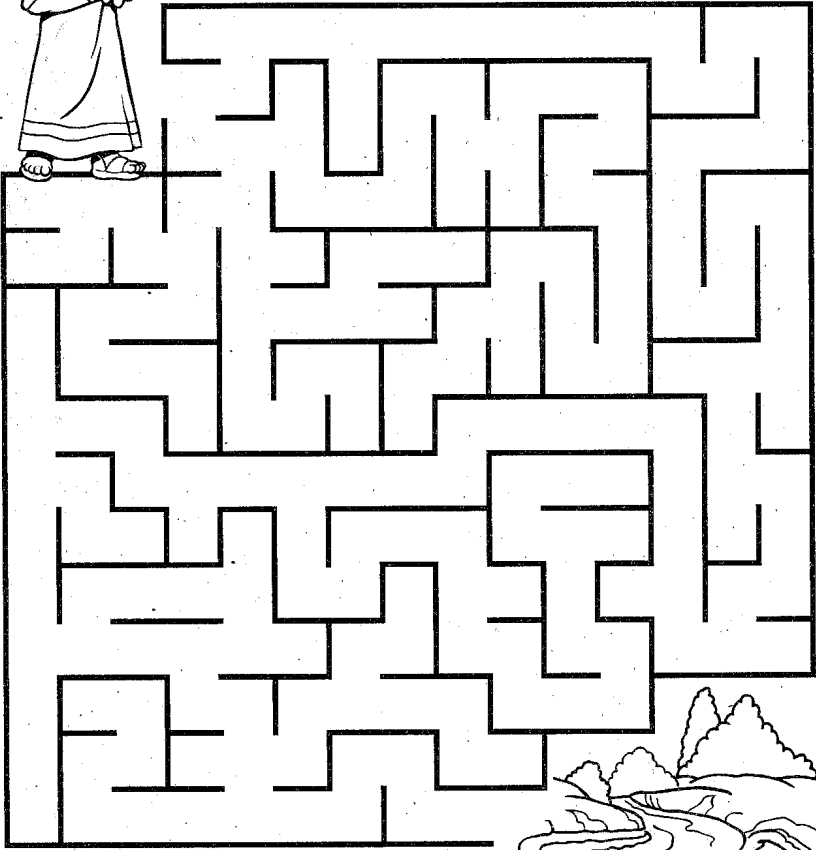
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Who walks the shore
And pinches toes all day.

If I were you
I'd wear some shoes
And not get in my way.



Kids—find the way

God will lead us to places of comfort.
Can you find the way?



WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Trustee in charge for May: Eric Kreger

Date	Today—May 7
Open	Brian Flaherty
Usher	Samuel Flaherty
Songs/Close	Eric Kreger
Prayer	Tom Reynolds
Communion	Bill Jones
Bible Story Kids Church	Max Lisle / Blair Montgomery & Sarah Thompson
Reading	Marty Montgomery
Lesson	Max Pratt
A/V	Christi Kreger

COMING WEEKS

Date	May 14	May 21	May 28
Open	Curtis Thompson	Randy Fetters	Curtis Thompson
Usher	Eric Kreger	Brian Flaherty	Randy Fetters
Songs/Close	Curtis Dunson	Eric Kreger	Samuel Flaherty
Prayer	Bill Jones	Sharold Ferris	Max Lisle
Communion	Johnny Box	Mike Lisle	David Keller
Bible Story Kids Church	Max Lisle / Blair Montgomery & Sara Lisle	Eric Kreger Shery Jones & Susan Flaherty	Brian Flaherty David & Hettie Keller
Reading	James Kreger	John Snell	Jaedon Snell
Lesson	Max Pratt	Max Pratt	Max Pratt
A/V	Randy Fetters	Christi Kreger	Susan Flaherty

Communion Preparation May: Janice Stanfield