

Solid Rock

Independent Baptist Church

May 26, 2019



SUNDAY SERVICES

- 10:00 am - Morning Worship
- 11:15 am - Sunday School
- 6:30 pm - Pre-Service Prayer
- 7:00 pm - Evening Service

TUESDAY SERVICES

- 7:00 pm - Harvest Trio
West Coast Baptist College

WEDNESDAY

- 7:00 am - Early Morning
Prayer

FRIDAY

- 7:00 pm - Brigades
Reformers Unanimous

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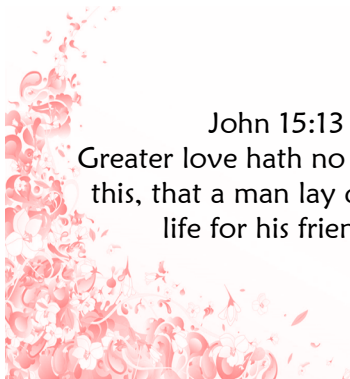
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SATURDAY

- 10:00 am - Door to Door

John 15:13
Greater love hath no man than
this, that a man lay down his
life for his friends.



ORDER OF SERVICE

MORNING WORSHIP

Chorus - *"Channels Only"*

Welcoming Time

Hymn # 438 *"My Country Tis of Thee"*

Prayer

Offertory

Hymn # 324 *"Draw Me Nearer"*

Announcements

Special - Hagers

Hymn # 437 *"Battle Hymn of the Republic"*

Message - Pastor John Klink

EVENING SERVICE

Hymn # 435 *"O Beautiful for Spacious Skies"*

Prayer

Offertory - Katie Cornell

Hymn # 277 *"Only Trust Him"*

Announcements & Testimonies

Special - Purity Klink

Hymn # 121 *"Like a River Glorious"*

Message - Pastor John Klink

—Chorus of the Month—

Channels Only

How I praise Thee, precious Saviour

That Thy love laid hold of me

Thou hast saved and cleansed and filled me

That I might Thy channel be

Channels only, blessed Master

But with all Thy wondrous pow'r

Flowing through us Thou canst use us

Every day and every hour

PRAYER CLOSET

Church List -

- Jim Brant
- Dottie Hartman
- Bill Llewellyn
- Ellen Llewellyn
- April McKenzie
- Debbie Paugh
- Meghan Paugh
- Elaina Troutman

Other List -

- Debbie Black
- Daniel Emmell
- Dan Garlick
- Steve Horton
- Josie Hostettler
- Eric Smith

Please Remember to Pray for Our Missionaries:

Terry & Kaye Jones –
Serving those serving Him
in Central America
BIMI – Baptist International
Missions, Inc.
Chris & Elizabeth Robertson –
Mexico
David & Talia Ruley - Rwanda
Al & Elizabeth Hamilton –
Serving the U.S. Military in Italy
Bob & Diana Rutta –
New Zealand
Paul & Sarah Johnson – Japan
Chuck Buettner –
Baltimore Rescue Mission
Coco Chan – Grenada
Jason & Cassy Tate – Honduras
Robbie & Amanda Leonard -
Fiji

Wes & Rachel Gazaway – Egypt
Steve & Jeanne Trexler –
Liberia
Don Frazier - Agora
Evangelism Ministries
Josh & Jamie Polivka - Belarus
Michael & Barbara Hinson -
The Country of Georgia
Caldwells -
Seeing Truth Ministries
Barry Webb - Evangelist
Jeffri & Pamela Polanco -
Dominican Republic
Caleb & Rachelle Zhang -
China
Marie Lea Wilson -
Deaf in Honduras
Jonathan & Elizabeth Shertzer –
Belize

Birthday Song

For you on your special day,
We take this time to say:
Happy birthday; may God bless you!
Happy birthday to you!

Pastor's Page

Drugs get a bad name from the damage caused when misused and abused. However, the primary purpose of drugs is to be beneficial to mankind. In medicine, they are useful in many processes of healing and have relieved a great deal of suffering.



It is ironic, then, that many have benefited from using drugs, while others have destroyed their lives because of them.

God designed Christians to be beneficial to all humanity - to help heal a sick world through the example and power of Jesus Christ. Yet Christians (like drugs) have a bad reputation because of the damage they have caused. Sadly, Christians are often viewed as self-righteous, narrow-minded, judgmental people who exhibit little tolerance and even less grace.

As Christians, we should evaluate how we represent Jesus Christ to those around us: our acquaintances, friends and family. We should question, are people better or worse off through knowing us? Are we intolerant and judgmental to any who don't adhere to our standards? Do we take from those around us without giving? Do we always expect grace, mercy and compassion but never give it? Are we encouraging or a drain to those around us?

If we are focused on self instead of God, we will be like a devilish drug and eventually damage those closest to us. We may be Christians, but we will be a cause of misery to all who become involved with us.

God designed Christians to be a gift to the world – a pipeline for His grace – a source of healing for those suffering – a refuge for the lost. This will only be achieved when we stop acting like self-righteous Pharisees and start being occupied with our Lord Jesus Christ and exhibit his traits.

Put on therefore, as the elect of God, holy and beloved, bowels of mercies, kindness, humbleness of mind, meekness, longsuffering; forbearing one another, and forgiving one another, if any man have a quarrel against any: even as Christ forgave you, so also do ye. Colossians 3:12-13.

"Seeing is believing" is a common idiom. We employ it in the same sense as "prove it to me", or "I'll believe it when I see it!". Something we identify as unlikely or incredible needs to be verified by our senses for us to be able to accept it as true. We all do it. It is the idea behind what the apostle Thomas said when the others claimed to have seen Jesus alive after His death. He wouldn't believe unless he saw it with his own eyes. Once his senses perceived what he had been told, then he would put his trust in it, and that's indeed what happened. Jesus Himself even used this concept in John 14:11 when He told the still-unbelieving people to trust Him even based just on the miracles, something that they had indeed seen.

But, is "seeing" always "believing"? It seems that the opposite is often true. We are familiar with Matt. 13:14, in which Isaiah's prophecy is quoted: "Indeed, in their case the prophecy of Isaiah is fulfilled that says: "You will indeed hear but never understand, and you will indeed see but never perceive." How can both concepts be true?!

It seems that the basic issue is the condition of the heart. How open is a person's mind and heart to truth? And, upon hearing truth, or at least reason, what is the likelihood that he will change his viewpoint?

"Seeing is believing" seems only to apply to a person who is actually willing to accept that he might be wrong and is willing to change. For example, we know of a man who resisted the message of salvation only because he refused to believe that there was any reasonable mechanism that could have produced the global flood.

(to be continued.....)

Mark Your Calendar

May 28th - Harvest Trio
June 11th - Gemstones
June 13th - Deacons' Meeting
June 16th - Father's Day
Lions Manor

Nursery Schedule

This Week

Sunday Morning	Susan Hartman & Jennifer Saeler
Sunday School	Charity Troutman & Susan Hartman
Wednesday Evening	Dottie Hartman & Diana Klink

Next Week

Sunday Morning	April McKenzie & Susan Hartman
Sunday School	Susan Hartman & Ellen Llewellyn
Wednesday Evening	Mary Jo Rice & Diana Klink

*Sunday Evening Nursery Workers Kim Fickes, Debbie Seekford & Katie Cornell are on call if we have visitors. Thank you!

RESULTS OF LAST WEEK

	Attendance	Van
Sunday Morning	90	8
Sunday School	74	8
Sunday Evening	54	6
Wednesday Evening	61	8

Gemstones

Our next Gemstone meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, June 11th at **6:30 pm**. This is our final meeting before the summer break. We will be having a potluck dinner. Please bring a covered dish to share with others. Are you finding items you would like to give away while you are doing your Spring cleaning? Please bring them to exchange with one another.

All ladies welcome!

Harvest Trio

The Harvest Trio from West Coast Baptist College will be with us Tuesday, May 28th at 7:00 pm. This will replace our regularly scheduled Wednesday Evening Service.

Erika Foster - Senior from Kansas

Katy Varnadore - Junior from North Carolina

Eran Gallardo - Sophomore from California

Andie Anderson (pianist) Sophomore from California

VBS Helpers

Vacation Bible School will be a little different this year...

The Caldwell Family with Seeing Truth Ministries will run VBS this year. Sunday, July 21st - Thursday, July 25th. "Growing God's Way" is this year's theme. We will need a few volunteers for crowd control. One volunteer for each row and/or grade.

Please sign up in the foyer. Thank you.

Birthday Party

Everyone is invited after tonight's service, May 26, 2019, to celebrate Jim Brant's 80th birthday in the social hall. No program, no gifts, no surprise, but guests are encouraged and invited to share memories or comments concerning Jim.

Dear Precious Ones,

Greetings. I trust this finds you all well and rejoicing in the wonderful love of our Saviour.

It is with a very grateful heart that I say "thank-you" for your most gracious, generous and faithful gift for April. I never cease to be amazed at the way our Lord provides for my needs. I am so thankful and appreciative for the love you have for the Lord and me. My prayer is that I will be worthy of such love. God is so good.

May the Lord abundantly bless each of you in a very special way for the blessing you are.

I love you.

His & Yours,

Ruth Anne

Dear Pastor and Praying Friends,
It is so sweet to see my kids grow.

On Sundays I always have my Sunday school children over spend the afternoon at my house. I also invite an old age brother who lives not too far from me to have lunch with us. He is almost eighty years old, living by himself, one eye totally blind and the other one nearly blind. Bro. Howell's health is not all that great either, but he is at church whenever he could. He is also a great prayer warrior.

At the beginning all the children could think of were the toys/ games they could play at my house, and the homemade pizza they would get to eat. I have to tell them every time - do not squeeze by Bro. Howell, walk him inside, tell him if there is a step, get him a chair, unload my stuff and so on.

For the last couple of months, I started seeing the difference in them - they open the gate for me, walk Bro. Howell inside carefully, make sure he sits comfortably and have a drink, unload my car and much more - *without me asking*. It truly blesses my heart to see them growing.

The children in my Sunday school are mostly from very difficult home situation. Please remember them in your prayers, and pray also for God to give me patience and wisdom to love and teach them. Pray especially for Jade who is thirteen, the oldest of these children. She has a great potential to be a good leader, knows how to delegate others to get the job done. Jade has been a blessing to me in many ways. However, she is really struggling in choosing living for the Lord or for the world. The life style of her whole family is a mess.

Still looking for a place to move

I asked for your prayers in my last update concerning a new place. My landlord in March gave me a two week notice to increase the rent by 25% and she just told me Friday past in June there is another 15% increase. I need God to help me find a place soon.

Thank you again for your faithful prayer and financial support. Your faithfulness has made a difference in the lives of many in Grenada.

In His Service,
Coco in Grenada