Sermon Series: The Lord's Prayer

Today's Sermon: "Kingdom Praying" Acts 1:3, 28:30-31, Matthew 6:10

"The Kingdom of God is a present reality that will be fully consummated in the future. James Bryan Smith

1.	The Kingdom is where	
	(Psalm 47:7-8)	

- 2. We have a hope for the _____ (Revelation 21:1-5)
- 3. We can start _____ now on earth. (Mark 1:5, Colossians 1:13, Matthew 6:33)

Kids Worship Begins @ 10:45 AM



Kid's Church (1st - 6th Grade) Room 17 Kid's Church Jr. (3 Years - Kindergarten) Room 10 Two Year Olds - Room 7 Babies - 23 Months - Room 3

First Steps

Membership is open to anyone who has 1) placed their faith in Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of sins and 2) has been baptized by immersion by a body of believers of like faith and practice.

We will be happy to assist you with these spiritual decisions.

Text FIRST to (409) 215-0332 to be contacted or meet one of our Ministers near the platform after the service to discuss your spiritual decision.

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Pursuing Christ FIRST in Life, Love and Actions

July 15, 2018



Song: Build Your Kingdom Here Artist: Rend Collective Experiment



Song: Rejoice, the Lord Is King

Artist: Various atists



Song: New Doxology Artist: Gateway Worship



Song: Good, Good Father

Artist: Housefires



Song: Take My Life and Let It Be

Artist: Tommy Walker



Song: Do It Again

Artist: Elevation Worship

Message

Dr. Robert Miller

"Kingdom Praying"

Acts 1:3, 28:30-31, Matthew 6:10

Deacon of the Week

Dickey Campbell

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This week @ FBCTC

July 15 - 21

Sunday

- 8:00 a.m. Band/Tech Rehearsal
- 9:30 a.m. Bible Study
- •10:45 a.m. Worship Service

Monday

YOUTH CAMP - FOCUSED

- 8:30 a.m. Pack & Depart for Youth Camp
- 9:00 a.m. Ladies Cross Training Workout Room 2

Tuesday

YOUTH CAMP - FOCUSED

•10:00 a.m. Joy In Christ Ladies - Texas City Museum/Rigo's

Wednesday

YOUTH CAMP - FOCUSED

- 9:00 a.m. Ladies Cross Training Workout Room 2
- 5:00 p.m. Burgers, Etc. Bunch Whataburger
- 6:30 p.m. Prayer, Praise & Bible Study
- NO J.A.M. Leaders @ Youth Camp

Thursday

YOUTH CAMP - FOCUSED

•10:00 a.m. Elmcroft Senior Living Service

Friday

OFFICE CLOSED

YOUTH CAMP - FOCUSED

- 9:00 a.m. Ladies Cross Training Workout
- 4:15 p.m. Return from Youth Camp

Saturday

• 9:00 a.m. Weight Watchers

Ministry Staff

Dr. Robert R. Miller, Pastor John Talley, Associate Pastor, Worship Dennis Johns, Associate Pastor, Families Meschel Hara, Children's Minister



Worship services are streamed live on the internet each week from our website.

Recent services are also available short term.

Click on the livestream.

A message from Meschel Hara

Summer is flying by as we've jumped from one camp to the next! We started the summer off with VBS and Sports Camp, then Preteen Camp, this week Sonshine Camp and then our final camp next week, Youth Camp. All of these camps are great opportunities for children and teens to grow closer in their relationship with their Heavenly Father.

I can still remember the feeling that I had when I made a commitment of rededication to Christ in junior high at youth camp at Alto Frio. I remember it was important to me, and I remember the excitement that I had about the decision I had made. The hard part came after my decision at camp. While you're at camp, it's easier to spend time with Jesus because that's the focus of camp and there is time after time carved out for those opportunities. But when you come home, it's not so easy. It requires more focus on your part to continue making the time to spend time with Jesus.

This year's theme for Preteen Camp as well as Youth Camp is "Focused" based on Psalm 119:25-32. "25 My life is down in the dust; give me life through Your word. 26 I told You about my life, and You listened to me; teach me Your statutes. 27 Help me understand the meaning of Your precepts so that I can meditate on Your wonders. 28 I am weary from grief; strengthen me through Your word. 29 Keep me from the way of deceit and graciously give me Your instruction. 30 I have chosen the way of truth; I have set Your ordinances before me. 31 I cling to Your decrees; Lord, do not put me to shame. 32 I pursue the way of Your commands, for You broaden my understanding." (HCSB)

I've made choices that I'm not proud of. I think we can all say that. God's Word is full of examples of how God uses people who made mistakes that brought God disappointment. But when they changed their focus back on Him He was able to use them for amazing work in God's Kingdom.

Join me in praying for our children and teens who have made steps toward Christ this summer that they will have the perseverance to continue their focus on Jesus. Pray for their families as a whole to find time for God once the busyness of the new school year starts. And let's pray for wisdom for us as a church of how God can use us to help young families be successful in raising their children in Christ-centered homes.

Attendance for July 08, 2018

Bible Study	164
Legacy Ministry Visits	10
Worship	281

Financial gifts for July 08, 2018

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Financial Plan	21,021.78	315,326.70
Financial Receipt	19,102.00	299,114.03
World Missions	100.00	2,315.00
Glass Memorial Baptistry	5,140.00	17,843.00

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Youth Camp 2018 is here! We are leaving on Monday morning, July 16. The block party themes are Santa's Vacation, Bible Days, Diapers and Dentures, and Red Carpet.

Pineywoods Baptist Encampment in Woodlake, Texas, is the destination. We have 45 students and sponsors attending. Our theme is "FOCUSED". Please pray for participants and their families this week.

CAMP SONSHINE 2018





The Good and Beautiful Life Small Group Study Book is available in the foyer - \$10.