

<i>May & June 2021</i>						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			14 Bible Study	15	16	17
18 Bible Class Remnant	19	20 *	21 Bible Study	22	23	24
25 Bible Class LIFEGroup	26	27	28 Bible Study & Singing	29	30	1
2 Bible Class SPIRITUAL REFUEL WEEKEND No LIFEGroup	3 *	4	5 * Bible Study	6	7	8
9 Bible Class No LIFEGroup (Mother's Day)	10	11	12 * Bible Study	13	14	15 *



"When Jesus spoke again to the people, he said, 'I am the **light** of the world. Whoever follows me will never walk in **darkness**, but will have the **light** of life.'" **John 8:12**

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Sunday's High School Classes
This week – Diving into Prayer (John 17)

Last Week: ODM – Youth Ministry	Next Week: NEW STUDY: David
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Wednesday Bible Study Theme for the next few weeks

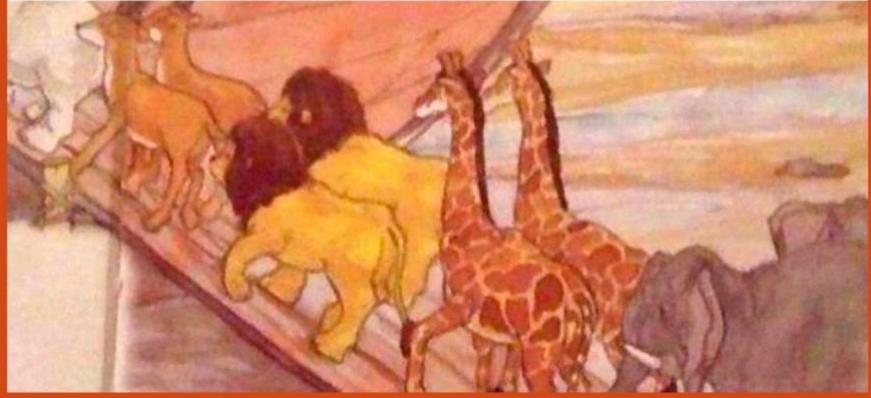


- April 14 – Jesus' Crucifixion
- April 21 – Dinah
- April 28 – Judas/Singing
- May 5 -Jonah
- May 12 – Daniel
- May 19 – The Apostles

*** Birthdays:**

- April 20 – Abby Tavary
- May 3 – Callen Eisenhart
- May 5 – John Vestal
- May 12 – Andrew Hunter
- May 15 – Brayden Baragar

Good luck breeding those lions





Thought of the Week

As a child, did you ever get left somewhere accidentally? It's a sickening feeling, "Did my parents forget about me?"

Some children experience something more serious than that. They were given up for adoption when they were young and may wonder, "Did my parents not want me anymore? Why did they give me up?"

One of our greatest human needs is to feel loved and accepted. The thought of being abandoned or rejected by our parents can shatter that sense of feeling loved and accepted. Rejection by loved ones, or even by friends can leave us feeling unloved, unaccepted, and forsaken.

Have you ever felt rejected? Maybe you're experiencing those feelings today. If you are, God, your Heavenly Father, wants you to hear something, something very important. He has NOT forsaken you, and he never will. How do we know? Because Jesus was forsaken *for us*.

While all of us at times have been or felt rejected or forsaken by others (perhaps some of us quite seriously), no human being will ever fully understand or appreciate the depth of rejection and abandonment that Jesus experienced in our place. From eternity, Jesus enjoyed the perfect love of his father. While hanging on the cross however, Jesus endured the full brunt of his father's abandonment, rejection, and condemnation as payment for our sins. That is why he cried out, "My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?"

All of us deserve to be abandoned and forsaken by God for our sins, but in an act of amazing unconditional love, God abandoned his Son Jesus in our place. Jesus experienced that hell so that we never would.

Therefore, we can rest secure in God's love for us. Even if we feel abandoned or rejected in our human relationships, we will never be abandoned or rejected by him. That gives us peace, hope, and joy.

Now from the sixth hour there was darkness over all the land until the ninth hour. And about the ninth hour Jesus cried out with a loud voice, saying, "Eli, Eli, lema sabachthani?" that is, "My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?"

Matthew 27:45-46

Youth Devotion by wels.net

Prayer Requests:

- Please keep the **Elders & Deacons** in your prayers as they seek to guide this church in the decisions they have to make.
- Remember the prayer list in the C&S and the **Wednesday Night Announcements** sheet.
- Please keep all our **youth group** students in your prayers; we all face trials and difficulties in our day to day lives. Especially keep our **senior class** in your prayers as they draw close to the end of their High School career.
- Please keep all our upcoming **activities & classes** in your prayers.

Let's Pray!

Announcements:

- **No LIFEGroup** this Sunday, since there will be Remnant at Willow Church 5-7. If anyone wants to hangout after and grab food, we can do that.
- In next **Sunday's Bible Class**, we will begin our new Curriculum on the Life of David, a Shephard turn King.
- **TODAY is the LAST day** to sign-up for the **Spiritual Refuel Weekend**, April 30-May 2. There will be some awesome things to be learning and being involved in. You will definitely not want to miss out on the whole weekend!!! The cost of the weekend is \$45.
- If you have ideas of what you would like to do with the youth group over the summer, please write them down and give the suggestions to Peter to start working on the **Summer Calendar**.
- SCYC Bandina **Staff** and **Camper** forms are now available in the welcome center or online. The Theme is "**Wait & See**". **July 18-24**.
- A huge THANK YOU to all who participated in the Opening Doors to Ministry class on Sunday, your presentation has opened many great conversations.



