

UPCOMING

- Pot-luck meal April 30 along with graduation celebration for Alyssa thrash

Prayer List

Pray for all those with ongoing health ailments.
Ora Barrett - Recovering from knee surgery
Renee Cumberland - cancer

Communion Preparation

April -
May -
June -

Birthday / Anniversary

Lennon Joiner - 27th

04 / 16 / 2023

WELCOME

We are a body of believers whose soul intention is to glorify and serve the Lord Jesus Christ, who is the head of His church. Our desire is to reflect that of our God--that all be saved. Anyone who is willing to humble himself before the mighty hand of God can be saved.

WEEKLY SERVICES & MEETINGS

SUNDAY

Four Square Bible Class //
8:30 am
Isaiah Bible Class //
9:30 am
Worship Service //
10:30 am

WEDNESDAY

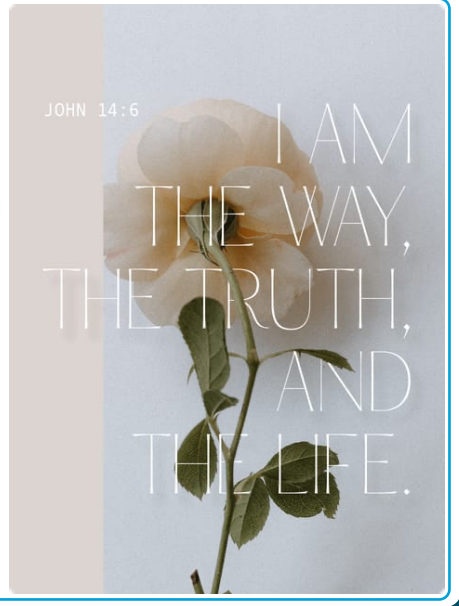
Romans Bible Class //
7:00 pm

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Men to Serve

Announcements - Don Potts
Scripture Reading - Matthew 25:1 - 13
Lead Singing - Chuck Rowell
Head of Lord's Table - Dwight Callens
Assist on Lord's Table - David Cradic
Scripture Reading - Matthew 27:55 - 61
Closing Prayer - James Johnson



SERMON NOTES

A Recipe For Good Success

By Mike Riley

Without God’s instructions, Joshua would have failed at leading the Israelites into the Promised Land. The first instruction was to “be strong and of good courage” (Joshua 1:6). Next, he was to continually meditate on the Book of the Law, and finally, he was to do everything it said. As long as Joshua followed these instructions, God promised him “good success” (Joshua 1:8; cf. Psalm 1:2).

God’s recipe for success can work for us too, but His idea of success has little to do with money, popularity, or even good health.

In the original Hebrew, the phrase “then you will have good success” means “then you will act wisely” (see Strong’s 7919, 1. d. 1.).

Just as God called Joshua to walk in wisdom, He wants us to “walk circumspectly, not as fools but as wise” (Ephesians 5:15).

As we feast on God’s word, and obey Him, we have a recipe for good success that’s better than anything the world defines as success.

A Sense Of Urgency, Direction, And Endurance

By Mike Riley

The Arctic Tern is one of the most remarkable birds in the world. It migrates farther than any other bird, traveling late in August from its nesting place within the Arctic Circle to its winter “lodgings” in Antarctica and then back to the Arctic Circle again — an annual round trip of more than 44,000 miles!

These small birds make their long trip on nothing but a sense of urgency, direction, and endurance that God has put within them.

Similarly, God has placed within us as Christians, a sense of urgency, direction, and endurance — a power which both directs and drives our life.

The apostle Paul tells us:

“for it is God who works in you both to will and to do for His good pleasure.” (Philippians 2:13) and “To this end I also labor, striving according to His working which works in me mightily” (Colossians 1:29).

Let us therefore, “be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that our labor is not in vain in the Lord” (1 Corinthians 15:58).