

# THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

## SUNDAY

**MORNING SERVICES** • 8:00 AM & 9:30 AM ORCHESTRA / CHOIR • WORSHIP CENTER  
 • 9:30 AM & 11:00 AM - WORSHIP BAND - LIVE & LOUD

**SPECIAL NEEDS AVAILABLE** • 9:30 AM & 11AM • ROOM 108  
**HIGH SCHOOL & JR. HIGH** • 9:30 AM • STUDENT MINISTRY BUILDING  
**THE WORD CLASS** • 9:30 AM • ROOM 109  
**COLLEGE (AGES 18-28)** • 6:00PM • STUDENT MINISTRY BUILDING

## MONDAY

**DIVORCE CARE** • 6:30 PM • ROOM 206  
**GRIEF SHARE** • 6:30 PM • ROOM 115  
**PRAYER TEAM** • 12:00 PM • PRAYER ROOM WORSHIP CENTER

## TUESDAY

**GLORYLAND BAND (REHEARSAL)** • 6:00 PM • LIVE & LOUD (G101)  
**SPIRIT CHOIR (REHEARSAL)** • 7:00 PM • LIVE & LOUD (G101)

## WEDNESDAY

**JR. HIGH SCHOOL** • 6:30 PM • STUDENT MINISTRY BUILDING  
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**KID VENTURE (PRE-K - 3RD)** • 6:30PM • KID'S CHECK-IN  
**ACTIVATE (4TH - 6TH)** • 6:30PM • KID'S CHECK-IN

## THURSDAY

**MEN'S BIBLE STUDY** • 6:00 AM • LIVE & LOUD  
**EARLY BIRDS (WOMEN)** • 7:00 AM • LIVE & LOUD (G101)  
**WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY** • 10:00 AM • LIVE & LOUD (G101)  
**CELEBRATE RECOVERY (FOR ALL WHO HAVE HURTS, HANG-UPS & HABITS)**  
 • 5:30 PM DINNER • 6:30 PM WORSHIP • 7:30 PM SHARE  
**GROUPS** • 8:30 PM DESSERT • LIVE & LOUD  
**MEN'S FELLOWSHIP (SERMON BASED)** • 6:48PM • RM 203C

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**WOMEN'S BAKE SALE** • 10/28/18 • (AFTER ALL SERVICES)  
**FALLPALOOZA** • 10/31/18 • 6:00 PM • CENTER COURTYARD  
**SOUTHERN GOSPEL (HYSSONGS TRIO)** • 11/03/18 • 6:00 PM • WORSHIP CENTER  
**VETERAN'S DAY LUNCHEON** • 11/10/18 • 12:00 PM • LIVE & LOUD

Giving Summary from 10/08/18 - 10/14/18

	Last Week	Year to Date*
Budget Needs	\$ 37,000	\$ 888,000
Tithes & Offerings	\$ 29,000	\$ 839,000
Difference**	-\$ 8,000	- \$ 49,000

\*Fiscal Year begins May 1 \*\*Includes miscellaneous gifts

# SCARED TO DEATH



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CHURCH

10.21.18 | PASTOR WILL STOLL

1. FEAR IS NATURAL (GEN. 3:10; PV. 28:1; 2 TIM. 1:7)
2. FEAR CAN BE USEFUL (PV. 1:7; PS. 33:8; HEB 9:27)
3. FEAR PUTS YOU IN A PRISON (PV. 29:25; ROM. 8:15)
4. FEAR UNCHECKED IS DANGEROUS
5. FEAR IS A CHOICE (JOS. 1:9; IS. 41:10; DEUT. 31:6; PS. 27:1, 56:3-4; HEB. 13:6; PS. 34:4)
6. FEAR IS IN A CONSTANT STRUGGLE WITH FAITH (NUM. 21:5-8)

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## LIFE GROUP NOTES

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### FOR STARTERS:

DID YOU HAVE ANY IRRATIONAL FEARS AS A CHILD? (THE MONSTER UNDER THE BED, SHADOWS, SNAKES, ETC.)

### QUICK REVIEW:

WE STARTED OUR SERMON SERIES SCARED TO DEATH. PASTOR WILL REVIEWED MAJOR FEARS THAT AMERICANS HAVE TODAY LIKE ARACHNOPHOBIA, SNAKES, HEIGHTS, CLAUSTROPHOBIA, GERMS, FLYING, OR PUBLIC SPEAKING.

### DIGGING DEEPER:

1. OF THE FEARS LISTED ABOVE, WHICH ONE OF THESE FEARS ARE YOU MOST PRONE?
  - A. WHICH ONE OF THESE FEARS DO YOU BELIEVE THAT YOU CAN OVERCOME WITH THE LORD'S HELP?
  
  - B. DOES BEING AFRAID LEAD YOU TO TRUST GOD MORE, OR LESS?
    - I. CONVERSELY, DOES NOT TRUSTING GOD LEAD YOU TO BE MORE AFRAID? LESS? WHY?
  
2. PROVERBS 1:7 TELLS US, "THE FEAR OF THE LORD IS THE BEGINNING OF KNOWLEDGE; FOOLS DESPISE WISDOM AND INSTRUCTION."
  - A. ACCORDING TO THIS PROVERB, HOW IS HEEDING GOD'S INSTRUCTION IMPORTANT TO FOLLOWING GOD'S PLAN FOR YOUR LIFE?
  
  - B. CAN YOU SHARE A TIME IN YOUR LIFE WHEN YOU FOLLOWED GOD'S PLAN IN SPITE OF FEAR?
  
  - C. HOW DOES FOLLOWING GOD'S PLAN STAND IN CONTRAST WITH THE WAY OF SINNERS? (VV. 8-9)
  
3. THE GREAT KING DAVID HAD A LOT OF THINGS THAT HE COULD HAVE FOCUSED ON INSTEAD OF THE LORD. LIONS, BEARS, THE WARRIOR GOLIATH, KING SAUL'S ATTACKS AND EVEN HIS OWN SON ABSALOM. IN FACT, DAVID WROTE PSALM 56 WHILE HE WAS BEING PURSUED BY SAUL.

A. READ PSALM 56:3-4 WRITTEN BY KING DAVID.

I. HOW DID DAVID OVERCOME FEAR ACCORDING TO THIS PASSAGE?

B. HOW CAN YOU PRACTICALLY SHIFT YOUR FOCUS FROM FEAR TO FAITH BY FOCUSING ON GOD?

### FOR PRAYER:

JOIN UP WITH ONE PERSON IN YOUR GROUP. (WE HIGHLY RECOMMEND THAT YOU SHARE WITH SOMEONE OF THE SAME GENDER.) SHARE WITH EACH OTHER ONE FEAR THAT YOU ARE STRUGGLING WITH RIGHT NOW. WE CHALLENGE YOU TO PRAY FOR THAT PERSON EVERY DAY THIS WEEK.

## ARE YOU HAVING A MAJOR LIFE EVENT?

- **HAVING A BABY**
- **ILLNESS**
- **INJURY**
- **JOB LOSS**
- **DEATH**
- **GETTING MARRIED**
- **MARRIAGE PROBLEMS**

*WE WANT TO ENCOURAGE YOU, PRAY FOR YOU, CARE FOR YOU, AND REACH OUT IN SUPPORT.*

**CONTACT OUR CARE PASTOR TODAY: (559) 931-1963**