

**Goshen
Primitive
Baptist Church
Bulletin**



April
07, 2019

Attendance: 54

UPCOMING EVENTS:

04-10 – Ladies Circle @ Judy Martin's @ 7:00 p.m.

04-17 – Choir Practice @ 6:30 p.m.

04-19 – Communion Service @ 7:00 p.m.

04-21 – Sunrise Service @ 7:00 a.m./Breakfast/Bible Study @ 9:30/Service @ 10:30

04-22 – Annual Church Cleaning Late Afternoon/Evening

04-24 – Choir Practice @ 6:30 p.m.

APRIL BIRTHDAYS:

04-05 – Braeden Anderson

04-12 – Valerie Welch

04-15 – Norman Baker

04-19 – Junetta House

04-21 – Justin Wobbe

04-21 – Shelly Helms

Communion Service -

Friday, April 19 – 7:00 p.m.

Easter Sunrise Service

April 21 7:00 a.m./Breakfast

Bible Study 9:30

Morning Worship Service -

10:30 a.m.

Elder Aaron Beaty, Pastor

Brother Aaron's message titled

LIFE IS HARD

John 16:33 These things I have spoken unto you, that in me ye might have peace. In the world ye shall have tribulation: but be of good cheer; I have overcome the world.



Prayers & Concerns:

JAMES 5:16 PRAY ONE FOR ANOTHER
GOSHEN CHURCH

Several Members Of The Church Family
Were Out Due To Seasonal Illnesses.

Bruce Martin, Ola Mae Taggart,
Kevin Kirmse, Erin Atterberry, Lori
Wilson, Eric Millar, Nadine Bennett,
Justin & Dorothy John,
Charlie Morgan, Russell Hargis
All Care Givers

*Those In The Nursing Homes Health Care
Facilities, & Our Military.*

**CAMP FORMS ARE
AVAILABLE AT**

CHURCH

DUE MAY 1

Questions: Bev Steelman

April Business Meeting:

Report were given from the various committees. Motions were made to obtain a land line phone and internet service to the church, do some concrete work on the lower driveway and put in a new sidewalk to the office of the church, complete repair/upgrade work at the parsonage. Preparation being made for the Easter breakfast (Bruce Martin asks for volunteers) and arrangements are being made for the Annual Spring Meeting. Bro. Aaron closed with Circle Prayer.

BANNER FOR GOD

2 Chronicles 7... what a glorious celebration in God's Name and for His people. King Solomon spared no expense to glorify God's name.

The one verse highly quoted is 7:14 ¹⁴ If my people, which are called by my name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land.

I see on television people protesting all sorts of causes and wanting justice for their rights. I won't go into naming all the "rights" groups that feel they are unjustly treated and want to be noticed because they feel they are different. Verses 3-5 would today have the animal rights people in a turmoil of protest for a mile long. ³ And when all the children of Israel saw how the fire came down, and the glory of the LORD upon the house, they bowed themselves with their faces to the ground upon the pavement, and worshipped, and praised the LORD, saying, For he is good; for his mercy endureth for ever. ⁴ Then the king and all the people offered sacrifices before the LORD. ⁵ And king Solomon offered a sacrifice of twenty and two thousand oxen, and an hundred and twenty thousand sheep: so the king and all the people dedicated the house of God.

God has a chosen people. And all they must do is speak His name. God is not one to demand recognition, but he does ask His people to humble themselves and act right. The Ten Commandments spells it out clear what God expects His people to do and how to do it!

Verse 14 packs a powerful punch. God knows your name. He asks you to be humble, honest, kind and respectful to self and your neighbors. God asks us to pray. There are prayers for things we want to happen and there are prayers for thankfulness. God likes to hear that we are grateful and thankful for the labors of His love. He asks us to stop being nasty and selfish and have everything "my way" or the highway. These are a few minor changes we could make in our lives and then GOD says; then you will hear from heaven.

God listens and He cares whether you are good or bad. He says no matter how bad you have been I can and will help you with whatever you have to face. Trust Him. God can heal what is broken.

As the protestors on TV are holding up their banners, yelling nasty, mean chants, littering the streets and destroying property for their cause I wonder what is going through their evil self-served minds. What do they really want? I do believe in good causes. I also believe a person sometime in their life needs to take a stand for something they believe whole heartily and strong about. I also believe we should protest in a way that does not do harm to another person or thing.

I pick God. God is my cause. I don't hold up a banner, nor do I yell at my neighbor to believe as I do. In my small way, I have a church that I serve. I pray for myself, my family, my friends and for our country, president, leaders of state and nation. I try to set a good example and fall short of what God considers good and my own standard set for myself.

Many times, I have tried to do more and got caught up in self and wanting glory for my own name rather than staying the path and working for the better good of God's kingdom.

God is my pick. He is my protest... I protest to believe and understand the mighty power of our Lord and Saviour until the end of days. Written by: Janet Glascock