HIGHWAY 32 MESSENGER



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Sunday Bible Class 10:00AM Sunday Morning Assembly 11:00AM Sunday Evening Assembly 6:00PM Wednesday Bible Study 7:00PM

Privileged to Serve

Announcements: Ron Smith

Song Leader: David Turpin

Lord's Table Frank Glover
David Goble
Steve Wright
Griffin Stith

Opening Prayer: Lowell Smith

Sermon: Marc Curfman

Les Smith

Ron Smith

PM Song Leader:

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Closing Prayer:

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	Last	Week
	Week	Before
Sun. Bible	41	46
Morn. Assembly	62	77
Sun Eve.	17	11
Wednesday	11	**
Zoom Class	**	18
Contribution:	\$2589.00	\$2782.81

"I will tell of Thy greatness." Ps. 145:6b

Sharing faith seems to be one of the greatest challenges for believers. I suppose there are so many factors that cause us to hesitate. But perhaps one of the greatest obstacles to sharing faith is not courage, resolve or obedience but perhaps the greatness of God has eluded our own walk with God. In Psalm 145 David seems to be writing from the perspective of his final years. He has walked with God, and he has experienced God's greatness in both victories and in fleeing the enemy. Now, the aged king can look back and remember. Now the great King of Israel wants to share that greatness with the next generation.

"Men shall speak of the power of Your awesome acts, And I will tell of Your greatness. They shall eagerly utter the memory of Your abundant goodness And will shout joyfully of Your righteousness."

Ps. 145:6-7

A wondrous challenge of passing forward that experience of walking with God! How else will that new generation, those outside of our fellowship ever know of the beauty of walking with God unless they hear our words, see it in our eyes and experience the joy and trust that guides our own lives? But the question for each of us is: "do I know of God's greatness?" You truly cannot pass forward what you yourself have not witnessed, what you yourself have not chosen in your own path. Church gatherings throughout the world are often filled with those who come, listen, perhaps even pray some futile memorized word and walk away unmoved, unchanged and with no story of faith, no resolve of glory. The somberness of their worship reflects the emptiness of their lives.

So, the question is: Does my very being tell of the greatness of God? Do people see me and want more for themselves, knowing that in God there is abundant goodness? I love how David expresses the path of sending this message of life with God forward to new peoples, new generations: *They shall eagerly utter the memory of Your abundant goodness And will shout joyfully of your righteousness.*" Ps. 145:7.

At church and in life, does this describe you? Don't be the one who sits apart and sulks, calling everyone to sympathize and pity. Be the one who places your foot front and center and praises God. Not for your glory but God's glory. Don't be the one who refuses to sing, refuses to voice God's word. But regardless of your voice, make sure you praise God. And be that one known for gratitude and resolve in each day you live.

David said: "I will tell of Thy greatness." What story does your life tell? Is your story, your voice, your heart, words and actions declaring the greatness of God? or is your life one that clouds the sky, dampens the fire of one's heart and looks not to heaven but to the dust of the earth. The truth is that you are telling aaqqqwqq a story. Which story are you choosing to tell. That is vital because in the end, regardless of the world or my own life's struggles, I am the one who chooses which story to tell. "I will tell of Thy greatness."

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Welcome to Highway 32 Church,

We are a group of Christians worshipping God according to the Teaching in the New Testament. May we all worship our loving Father today with sincere hearts, open and receptive to His Spirit and His love.

March Teachers

Cradle Roll - Yvonne Glover
Pre-K-K - Nancy Salisbury
1st-6th - Sue Curfman

Sunday Morning Adult classes:

Lowell Smith

Wed. Eve. 7:00 pm – Don Salisbury



March Teacher Lindsey Stith

Note: Children will go to Bible Hour during the song before the morning lesson.



Zoom Meetings - every Thursday evening at 7pm. Let Sue know if you want the link to join in.

Announcements:

<u>Directories</u> are on the table in the Lobby, if you already have a directory just pick up the insert pages. If you haven't ever had one pick up the full directory.

You're Invited to our Church Lock-In! 4th grade through 12th grade. Friday March 28 – Saturday March 29th. Time: 6:00pm -7:00am Join us for a fun-filled night of fellowship, games, and food! Bring your favorite board games and card games to share. Dinner, breakfast, drinks, and snacks will be provided. Invite your friends and come ready for a great time! For questions or more information, contact Kacie Schunk.

*Chaperones for Lock-In will have a meeting right after services today.

Join us for a <u>Potluck Luncheon on Sunday, April 20th</u>, following the service. Bring your favorite dish to share and enjoy a time of fellowship with our church family. After lunch, the kids can take part in a fun Easter Egg Hunt, so don't forget to bring a basket or bag to collect eggs!

Ladies Class will be cancelled due to Lock-In. Will resume in April with Hebrew study. Sue Curfman will be teaching.

Wednesday Evening services have begun. Don Salisbury is teaching with a video "Wonders of Creation" 3-5 minute segments, different design feature God created in the earth, planets, animals and humans.

Donna Wright's throat surgery went well and she is at home recovering.

Linda Shinkle's aunt fell and broke her hip. She is rehab now and having a difficult time. Keep her in your prayers.

Paul Sena is in need of our prayers, he is battling with cancer.

March Birthdays

- 3/2 Joe Sena & Jo Drott
- 3/6 Laura Hutchings
- 3/18 Karson Fender
- 3/22 Kara Fender
- 3/22 Dwayne Morton
- 3/24 Leann Smith
- 3/29 Graci Book
- 3/30 Henry Mayes

Continue to Remember: Mark Book, Monty Gillespie, Kim Wright, Karen Smith, Carol Basham, Ruth Barnes and our church family.

"The effective prayer of a righteous man can accomplish much."