COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH OF SANTA ROSA







"Then your light shall break forth like the morning, Your healing shall spring forth speedily, And your righteousness shall go before you; The glory of the LORD shall be your rear guard." Isaiah 58:8



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"A Friendly Church For A Growing Community"

ORDER OF SERVICE AUGUST 20, 2023

PRAISE AND WORSHIP- 10:45

CALL TO SERVICE- 11:00AM

ANNOUNCEMENTS/PRAYER

MESSAGE

BENEDICTION/RECESSIONAL

THE WORSHIP GIVER: "YOU CAN'T BEAT GOD GIVING"

"Now therefore, if you will indeed obey my voice and keep my covenant, you shall be my treasured possession among all peoples, for all the earth is mine." Exodus 19:5

"Offertory Prayer"

Lord Jesus Christ, thank you that you have plans for me that are for my good and your glory. You said, "Give, and it will be given to you; for in the same measure as you give, it will be given to you again." We give to you today as a response to your goodness to us. We ask that you receive our offerings and continue to supply all our needs. May your peace be in our hearts, your grace be in our words, your love be in our hands and your joy be in our souls. In Jesus' Name. Amen.

SCRIPTURE LESSON HEBREWS 11: 3-6

3 BY FAITH WE UNDERSTAND THAT THE UNIVERSE WAS FORMED AT GOD'S COMMAND, SO THAT WHAT IS SEEN WAS NOT MADE OUT OF WHAT WAS VISIBLE.

4 BY FAITH ABEL BROUGHT GOD A BETTER OFFERING THAN CAIN DID. BY FAITH HE WAS COMMENDED AS RIGHTEOUS, WHEN GOD SPOKE WELL OF HIS OFFERINGS. AND BY FAITH ABEL STILL SPEAKS, EVEN THOUGH HE IS DEAD.

5 BY FAITH ENOCH WAS TAKEN FROM THIS LIFE, SO THAT HE DID NOT EXPERIENCE DEATH: "HE COULD NOT BE FOUND, BECAUSE GOD HAD TAKEN HIM AWAY."[A] FOR BEFORE HE WAS TAKEN, HE WAS COMMENDED AS ONE WHO PLEASED GOD.

6 AND WITHOUT FAITH IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO PLEASE GOD, BECAUSE ANYONE WHO COMES TO HIM MUST BELIEVE THAT HE EXISTS AND THAT HE REWARDS THOSE WHO EARNESTLY SEEK HIM.

The Romans Road

Anyone in Christ is not going to be condemned for their sin and will not go to hell. If that's you, then you don't need to walk around feeling guilty or shameful over your sin once you've believed in Christ because your sin is washed away (1 John 1:7). "Therefore, there is now no condemnation for those who are in Christ" Romans 8:1.

Set Apart for the Journey

God expects believers to exhibit holy living and righteous deeds (1 Thessalonians 5:23), but we must understand that none of these have any bearing whatsoever on earning salvation. Only God can declare us righteous. He does so on the basis of what Christ did for us, not by what we can do for ourselves (Philippians 3: 9-11). Paul understood this; he trusted Christ alone for his standing before God. He pursued radical obedience to God's Word- not in order to be saved, but because he was saved. This is what Paul meant when he said that Christian obedience is how we work out our salvation- that which is already ours. We do not work for our salvation; we work it out.

Because of what Christ had done in him and through him, Paul wanted to please God. He also wanted the believers in Philippi to understand that holiness is a continual process, and more of a lifelong journey than a lifetime destination.

SICK AND SHUT-IN

ROY & BARBARA JOHNSTON
HANK & ANNE DES JARDINS
LENITA MARIE JOHNSON
ELOIS OLIVER
HARVEY JOHNSON
LAVON & LOUISE DEADWILER
DEACON BARMORE DUNCAN
JOSEPH HAMPTON
KEN & VIRGINIA SAUNDERS
KIM BURGESS
PHYLLIS TURNER

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MICHAEL GIPSON
VINNIE HARRIS
SHARON ROCKSTEAD
MICHAEL PETERSON, JR.
BEVERLY COMBS
DEACON ROY HAMPTON
LEILA BEATON
RUTHIE TURNER

"Be gracious to me, O Lord, for I am languishing; heal me, O Lord, for my bones are troubled."

Psalm 6:2

PRAYER LIST

Rev. Dr. H. Lee Turner, Pastor and family for guidance and healing

CBC staff, ministers, auxiliaries, ministries, teachers and church family

Bro Michael Towler for healing of illness

Sis Angie Rucker for protection and healing of an upcoming surgery

Sis Maria Mar for comfort and healing

Sis Peggy Sims for continued physical healing

Bro Phil Staples and family at the loss of their father

Sis Ruthie Turner for continued physical healing

All those affected by the hurricane in Mexico

Sis Margaret Nett and family for encouragement and strength