

**This Is Us:
Tough Love
1 Corinthians 5:1-13**

Paul's Reasons for Removing an Immoral Person from Fellowship

1. For _____
_____.

2. For the _____ of
_____.

In Review

1. Paul does not say that every
_____ is to be
_____ in this manner.

2. Paul isn't talking about
_____ those who are not
_____.

3. Paul isn't calling us to
_____ someone.

SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE CLASSES

Auditorium: "Abraham" – Rick Ross
Glass Room: "Hope" – Michael Shuttlesworth
Library: "The Church in Babylon" – Craig Jordan
Family Room: "The Purposeful Teaching Methods of Jesus" – Donny Edwards/Mark Duncum


YOUTH

No classes will meet this Wednesday night, November 27th.

Our next MONDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY will be hosted by the Duncum's (581 Old Reunion Rd.) on December 2nd. Meal before at 6:15 and our usual study from 7-8 pm. RSVP by Sunday night so that we know how many to prepare for.

RAKE-N-RUN—We will be raking yards on Saturday, December 7th. We'll meet at the church at 10:00 am (Lunch provided) and will be done at 1:00.

CHILDREN

 "Children's Church Quiet Bags" are for children to have during worship time. **After worship service please return the bags with everything in them, except the coloring pages, to the baskets UNDER the tables.**

NURSERY: The church nursery during worship is only for babies through 2-years-old. If your child is 3 & up, please pick up a "Children's Church Quiet Bag" in the foyer. Also, there is a **Training Room** on the south side in back of the auditorium.

LifeGroups is the name of our small group ministry that meets on Sundays. We encourage you to contact a leader to confirm group details. Join a LifeGroup today!	LEADER (PHONE) / CO-LEADER / LOCATION / SUNDAY MEETING TIME Rick Ross (940.255.9522) / Randy Davis / Ross's (1301 S. College Ave) / 1:00 Craig Jordan (940.393.8857) / Ron Sanders / Jordan's (622 Greenwood Rd.) / 1:00 Kyle Reeves (817.992.2565) / C. Willingham / Tonroy's (175 Greathouse Village) / 12:30 Denver McMurry (940.210.2408) / Troyce Renfro / Church (102) / 30 min. after service (brown bag) Donny Edwards (940.627.8083) / Jacob Baker / Edwards' (149 PR 3297) / 5:30 Mark Duncum (940.393.3096) / Russ Hamilton / Duncum's (581 Old Reunion Rd.) / 1:00
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We are so glad you chose to be with us today. Join us in our calling to unite people in our community and around the globe to pursue the mission of God. For more information on our family, check us out on the web at www.decaturchurchofchrist.com

November 24, 2019

#797 Lord We Come Before Thee Now

Welcome & Prayer

#948 I Am Resolved
Lord I Lift Your Name on High

COMMUNION THOUGHTS
#790 Lord Take Control
COMMUNION

Break My Heart (Offering)

Children's Church Dismissal (2-5 yrs.)
#915 Trust and Obey
#490 It Is Well With My Soul

Message: This Is Us-Tough Love

#903 There Is Power in the Blood

Shepherd's Prayer

WORSHIP
SUNDAYS 10 am

BIBLE CLASSES
SUNDAYS 9 am
WEDNESDAYS 7 pm

LIFEGROUP
SUNDAYS
September - May

PRAYER CORNER



REQUESTING PRAYER

Hanna Stetler had major surgery Wednesday as part of her cancer treatment.

Billy Ince had heart surgery last Monday and is still in the hospital. He has been too weak for the ventilator to be removed.

Don Niblett is still in the hospital recovering from pneumonia. He had hoped to come home Friday but was unable to, due to concerns about his blood count.

Toby Bonham, Rod Bonham's mother, had a good report from her recent PET scan and will soon begin radiation treatment.

Eric Chown, Rachel Bonham's grandfather, passed away last Sunday. He lived in Australia.

Tim McGar, friend of the Niblett's, has been diagnosed with cancer and prayers are requested.

Sympathy is extended to **Barbara York & Family** following the passing of her nephew, **Tom Oliver**. His services are today in Waco.

CONTINUED PRAYER

Betty Atkins – Sue Fox – Russ Hamilton - Willard & Patsy Howell – William Leonard - Jim Lewis - Ross Mueller – Devonna Paul -

Morris Paul - Maria Ragle – Tina Redder - Christi Rottman - Callie Slagle - Patty Tax - Erma Thompson - Faye Whitaker - Mary Wright – Judy Camp, Mary Dunn's sister - **Maxine Davis**, Randy Davis's mother - **Larry Latimer**, Shirley Ross's brother-in-law - **Knox Lowe**, B. D. Lowe's brother – **Rosalia Ramirez**, Adrian Tapia's sister - **Paul Ridenour**, friend of Connie Acord & the West Family - **Alexis Taylor**, Bob Rheinfeldt's niece - **Brad Vise - Bob Warner**, Wanda Harp's brother - **Glen Whatley**, Leann Spears's stepdad - **others in nursing homes & shut-ins.**

PRAYER SPOTLIGHT Expectant Mothers – Missionaries – Cancer

Jaci Christian (Dec. -girl) – **Christi Cruse** (Feb.-girl)

Randy & Angela Warzecha, Aracaju, Brazil – **Roland & Rose Mohsen**, Paris, France - **Everett Chambers**, England, India, & Brazil – **Ronald Coleman**, India, Mexico, & Ukraine – **Justin & Jauna Reeger**, Cayambe, Ecuador (Hacienda of Hope) – **Paul Renganathan**, India - **Eastern European Mission** – **Josh Austin**, Mesa, Arizona - **Living Hope for Honduras** – **Global City Mission.**

Carol Alford, Melissa Scott's sister - **Greyson Burnette**, Jack Burnette's nephew - **Donald Camp**, Mary Dunn's brother-in-law - **Aiden Cross**, Lyle Hart's 10-yr. old nephew - **Judy Dunlap**, Joyce Yates's sister - **Martha Elazando**, Bob Rheinfeldt's sister-in-law - **Heston Goggins**, young son of friends of the Hicks & Vann Families - **Nina Griffin**, Clayton Adams' great aunt - **Allen Jamison**, Geri & Dale Jamison's son - **Donna Kirk**, Velda Walker's niece – **Brenda Lynch**, Austin Bowen's mother-in-law - **Geneva Ridgeway**, Lynn Long's sister-in-law - **Sharlotte Vise**, Greely Webb's daughter.

FAMILY MATTERS

Communion Focus: 12/1 **Shane Tribe** – 12/8 **Ian Ritchey** – 12/15 **Paul Cruse.**

Nursery attendants for December 1 will be **Kelly & Kartyr Ritchey**. Attendants today are **TBA & Tina Sanders.**

The Hills Nursing Center: **Sam Gafford & Denver McMurry** will lead the service on December 1.

Governor's Ridge & Medical Lodge: **Youth led by Wyatt Reeves** will have the service on December 1.

OPPORTUNITIES

LADIES, please come to the annual Christmas Dinner - Tuesday, December 3 at 6:30 in the Family Room. Call/text **Marcy Edwards** at 940-393-1517 to RSVP.

A BABY SHOWER: Christi & Ethan Cruse will be having a baby shower (for a girl: **Lacey Grace**) in the Family Room on December 8 immediately following the morning service. A light lunch will be served. They are registered at Amazon and Walmart. If you are interested in helping with the shower, please contact **Rebecca Williams** (817)614-0949 or **Ashley Buchanan** (940)393-2398.

A PACK & PLAY has been set up in the north foyer to shower the upcoming arrival of **Jaci & Brian Christian's baby girl**. They have selections at Target & Amazon, and they would also appreciate diapers, wipes, and gift cards.

SANTA SACK CHILDREN'S GIFT MINISTRY: Every year our church family provides gifts for the children whose families receive food from WARM. The children rarely qualify for the Angel tree or other opportunities in our community. Age and gender of the child may be chosen, and we will provide the bag. The signup sheets, instructions, and bags are in the north foyer. Approximately 150 gift bags have been requested. Thank you in advance for helping in this ministry. If you have any questions, please contact **Angela Duncum** or **Tonya Hamilton.**

COAT COLLECTION: Please consider donating a new or gently used clean winter coat to Wise Gives - a community services event December 7th in Fit-N-Wise. The event is organized by Acts4Others and Wise Health System. Coats will be distributed to those in need. Boxes will be in both the North and South foyers for you to drop off the coats until Sunday, Dec. 1.

SUNDAY ADULT BIBLE CLASS ROTATION is December 1. Rick Ross, *Abraham*, Glass Room – Michael Shuttlesworth, *Hope*, Library – Craig Jordan, *The Church in Babylon*, Auditorium – Mark Duncum & Donny Edwards, *The Purposeful Teaching Methods of Jesus*, Family Room.

WEDNESDAY ADULT BIBLE CLASSES beginning Dec. 4: Library, **Mark Taylor** “*Defining God's Words*” – Family Room, **Rick Ross** continuing with “*Traveling Light*”, a video series.

FREE CHRISTIAN VIDEO LIBRARY—Text “RIGHTNOW DCOC” to 41411. Create your profile & explore the many videos for adults, youth & children available on our church's Right Now Media account that you can access anywhere!

CELEBRATIONS

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

11/26 Jamila Tapia 11/28 Billy Ince

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

11/24 Larry & Joyce Yates
11/25 Alan & Leann Spears
11/30 Ryan & Sandy Schneider

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Sunday Worship

169

Sunday Class

114

Life Groups

129

Wednesday

17,989

Offering

412,944

Missions

Check out our “Decatur Church of Christ Members” facebook page for family updates & prayer requests.

The Children's Place

If you'd like more info on TCP, please call: 627-1912, ext. 40 for TCP director, Sami Pollard.



A Christian Mothers Day Out Program