

The Rougher Edges of Love

“The Love of God: A Love That Does Not Discriminate” - (John 3:16)

I. God loves _____.

Key words: “the _____”; “_____.”

A. _____. (Genesis 12:2,3; I John 2:2)

B. _____ person. (Rom. 8:35-39; Zeph. 3:16,17; I John 3:1)

II. God loves _____.

A. His love is _____ than human love. (Eph. 1:3,4)

B. His love is more _____ - _____ than human love.
(Rom. 5:6-8; Eph. 2:3-5)

C. His love desires the _____ for me. (Jude 21; I Jn. 4:16)

III. God loves _____.

He _____.

He gave His _____ son (I John 4:9, 10; I John 3:16)

(His _____, one-of-a-kind _____).

Do you _____? (John 3:18)

Have you fully _____ to the _____
love of God?

Welcome to Bethlehem Church of Christ

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“For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.”

— John 3:16

July 23, 2017

Order of Worship

Love Come Down

(Please pass the blue books located at the end of each pew.)

How Great is Our God

Good, Good Father

How Deep is the Father's Love for Us



All disciples of Jesus are invited to partake as the emblems are passed.

Offering to God - Guests are welcome to participate, or may simply place the visitor card in the plate.

(Offering music: Judy Askren & Shirley Lewis)

VBS report & thanks

Message Tom Claibourne

Jesus Love Me 738

Decisions

Reminders & prayer

Bethlehem News

New Sermon Series

Today - Sept. 17

“The Rougher Edges of Love”

Some of the topics are: Confrontational Love; Love & Discipline; Tough Love; Love & Immigration; Radical Love.

Today's message: “The Love of God: a love that does not discriminate.”

More Opportunities Today

7:00 - Area rally in Hillsboro (BCC choir will participate). The van will leave BCC at 5:50 and stop by the Winchester ride-share at 6:00.

This Week

Mon. - Thurs. - Hillsboro Family Camp
Join 3,000 other worshipers for this unique, annual gathering. Copies of the schedule are available for you to take in the foyer, as well as maps.

This Week's Bethlehem Campers

July 23 -27 - Basketball Camp
Hunter Brown, Brady Lung, & Wyatt Manning

July 23 - 27 - Cheer Camp
Kirsten Campbell & Kelsey Cornette

July 23 - 27 - Kid's Café - Emma Baughey

July 27 - 29 - Beginner Camp
Elizabeth & Nathaniel Hall

Memorials for Patty Davis

Cards in the foyer have addresses for BCC, Hospice of Hope, and NAHS Athletic Boosters.

Next Sunday

Two adult Sunday School classes will have get-togethers, and everyone who does not yet attend a class is invited to choose one of these informal evening events to enjoy.

1. David Tatman's class - 5:45 pm at the Berrys' (Kyle Truesdell's class will join with this group).
2. Young Adult class- 6 pm at the Ohnewehrs'.

Back to School Outreach

We are partnering with other congregations to provide school supplies for children on August 5 in Seaman.

Our part is one subject composition notebooks. You can see samples that are already in the box in the foyer.

Please bring them in by next Sunday.
Thanks for being a blessing!

Men's Prayer Breakfast

August 5, 7:00 am
Sign up in the foyer.

“Summer Connection Challenge”

Aug. 6, 13, 20, 27 and Sept. 3

We encourage you to use these 5 evenings to initiate gatherings with others (a hike, a cook-out, an outdoor game night, a service project, an ice cream or watermelon gathering, etc.).

Maybe partner with another family and invite 1 or 2 other families. Get together with people you want to know better. Be creative. Share the cost. Consider a neutral location (park, church camp, etc.).

The “Summer Connection Challenge” is about relationships. It's about getting as many people as possible interacting and sharing life. It's about Biblical hospitality and new friendships.

Join Us in Praying

- ✚ Praise God for His eternal, unconditional love.
- ✚ Thank God for all the daily, specific ways He shows His love to you.
- ✚ Pray for our sermon series and for power to love when it's not as easy.
- ✚ Pray for our VBS follow-up.
- ✚ July Mission: Grundy Mountain Mission School.
- ✚ Delores Hobson - bladder cancer; Rick Hobson's mother.
- ✚ Donna Moore - now home following rehab at the Monarch Meadows Nursing & Rehab facility in Seaman; Duane Scott's mother.
- ✚ Richard Alan Graham - newborn son of Alyssa Wiles & Austin Graham; hydrocephalus; will be in Children's Hosp. at least 2 more weeks.
- ✚ Dale Meade - returns to Colombia today for the first time since his wife passed away.
- ✚ Continued prayer- Dakota Bass, Glana Bates, Jeanette Berry, Vicki Boyd, Gabbi Couch, John Day, Sue Day, Dennis Dixon, Penny Dixon, Jack Downs, Frank & Pat Gelter, Jean Goins, Ethan Hale, Harry Hobson, Ken Holtzclaw, Judy Hughes, Heather Huston, Jeanette Myers, Ruth Nixon, Justin Palmer, Faye Parker, Mary Rayburn, Gordon Schrichten, Matt Taylor, Sharon Vaughn.
- ✚ Other:

Cleaning Teams: Campbell Family/Jessica Cornette & Melissa Brown/Cora & Melissa Lacey

Mowing this week: Quinten Scott
Next: Brandon Reid

Nursery (30) Coordinator: Jessica Cornette
9:30 - Debbie Smiley
10:30 - Ann & Kyndra Simpson/Sarah Huston