

The Westworth Word



WELCOME VISITORS!

We are delighted that you have come to worship the Lord with us today. If you are a guest, please fill out a visitor's card and place it in the offering plate when it is passed. Prayer requests can also be made on the other side of the card.



For us communion isn't only about his death, but his resurrection and triumph over death and sin. His resurrection is the source of the hope we have that God will one day fulfill; eternal life through Jesus the Christ.

We invite all who believe and are baptized in Jesus to share the Lord's Supper with us in remembrance of his great sacrifice and triumph on our behalf.

Plug In *For where two or three are gathered in my name, there am I among them."*
- Matt. 18:2

Worship Services: Sundays 10 AM here at Westworth
Also shown live on our Facebook page starting at 10 AM

Sharing Center: 1st Saturday of every month. 10AM - Noon

Women's Study: Mondays 7:00 PM Online Google Meets See
Tracy Robertson for information

Bible Study - Thursdays 7 PM See Dean Corder to sign up

The Greatest Show on Earth

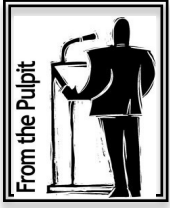
When our kids were young we loved the circus. It was exciting and entertaining and indeed the Greatest Show on Earth. But I remember something about one of the last performances we attended. It was a bit sloppy. We hadn't been in a while, and I'd never seen it so relaxed. The dancers fell out of line, and the jugglers dropped the occasional bowling pin. Resisting my critical nature, I watched on. It was fun, and the kids were enthralled, so I soon became lost in the flashy production and stopped noticing flaws.

It was then that I realized there were no mistakes specifically because I was watching the tight rope walkers. There could be no inaccuracies with them. Even with a safety net, falling from sitting atop a bike on a high wire is still dangerous at best. The tiger tamer was also, not surprisingly, on his game. Again, one blunder and he could be catnip. The acts involving life-or-death situations were much more precise than the others, which made me think.

We're told in Scripture that we're in a spiritual war, yet I tend to live with a peacetime mentality. If I recognized the dangers that surround me on a daily basis, wouldn't I act differently? Maybe I would be more motivated to read and understand my Bible and spend more time in prayer. Maybe I would be willing to sacrifice a bit more of my creature comforts to aid those trapped in the enemy's camp. If I truly believed that my actions had life-or-death consequences wouldn't I be more deliberate and precise?

Entertainment is a major part of our culture. We enjoy when others overcome danger and escape perilous situations in books, movies, and live shows like the circus. We relish vicarious adventures so much, in fact, that our children are fighting shockingly realistic virtual battles in video games. These outlets get our hearts beating and feed our need for purpose and victory, and they're not all bad. But I can't overlook the fact that God has given His church the ultimate reallife adventure: to overcome evil and seek and save the lost. There could be no more expert ring master than our God, who makes no mistakes and catches us when we fall. I'm excited to be a part of the Westworth family, to sharpen each other, and to win some battles together. With Christ we have the honor of not only watching the Greatest Show on Earth but living it!

Samantha Jewell



AM – Social Distancing Service 10am simultaneous Facebook Live Streaming on the church's Facebook page. Come hear David Keller speak .

Sunday, August 16, 2020 Worship Songs

342 - O Holy Lamb

504 - It is Well

429 - I Come to the Garden Alone

744 - Into Our Hands

920 Just As I Am



Sunday's Scripture Reading: Ephesians 1:7-12 NIV

If you or someone you know needs groceries or necessity items please let an Elder or the church office know and we will help.

Please continue to pray for those that are sick and in need.

Worthwhile News

-Alert -



The Thursday night Bible study will be on a short break before they begin the next book. Contact Dean Corder with any questions.

August Birthdays

Debbie Simco	8-04
Halleigh Robertson	8-07
Sherry Yates	8-09
Floretta Hubbard	8-12
Kaytlyne Kirby	8-12
Marcus Robinson	8-13
Hannah Flaherty	8-17
Jonathan Dunson	8-20

August Anniversaries

Ruston & Kaytlyne Kirby	8-16
Curtis & Sarah Thompson	8-27





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Social Distancing Service Guidelines:

- *Over 65 and/or at risk please take advantage of our online service
- *Please wear a mask and observe social distancing
- *Enter North door and wait to be seated. South door Exit only.
- *Pick up communion items for each person taking communion
- *Offering plate won't be passed. Offering box is by the South door.
- *All will be Ushered out at the completion of service
- *Please do not leave personal belongings behind.
- *Restrooms are one person at a time please.

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

	Usher	Open	Songs	Prayer	Table	Reading	Preacher
All will meet at 9:30 AM							
August 16 10 AM	Eric Kreger	Dean Corder	David Williams	Mike Lisle	Max Lisle	Curtis Thompson	David Keller
August 23 10 AM	Dean Corder	Mike Lisle	Eric Kreger	Brian Flaherty	Curtis Dunson	Marty Montgomery	John Jewell