



CORNERSTONE
CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

May 21th, 2023

1 Thessalonians 4:13-5:11
“A Better Life Now: Hope Fulfilled”


By: Mark Pender

	Adults	High School, Middle School, & Elementary	Nursery Ages 0-5
10am	Church Starts		
20 min	Worship in Song		Nursery Available (down- stairs)
25 min	Teaching / Preaching		
40 min	Small Groups		
Location	Group 1, 2, 3 and Zoom (upstairs)	High School, Middle School & Elementary School (downstairs)	
5 min	Return to Sanctuary (nursery return to parents in the sanctuary)		

Join our
Zoom Small Group
at 10:50
Meeting ID: 856 3379 6885
Passcode: Welcome

Scripture Readers:

5/21 Diana Walker-Moyer
5/28 Brian Donaldson
6/4 TBD
6/11 TBD



Assistive
Listening System
Available upon
request

1. Paul uses a literary technique of contrasts in this section. Some examples - Light contrast Dark, Sober contrast Drunk, Asleep contrast Awake. Is Salvation the contrast of wrath (v9)?
2. Martin L King Jr said “We must accept finite disappointment, but never lose infinite hope.” How did Paul model this? In what ways have you seen others model this?
3. We’re not the church in Thessalonica, but how do you think these passages can be encouraging for us today?
4. V8 says we are to put on faith, love, and hope. Do these qualities naturally flow out of a believer’s life or do we need to be purposeful and intentional in being faithful, loving and hopeful each day?

Discussion Questions:

	Nursery and Toddler Room		Nursery and Toddler		Elementary		Middle and High	
5/21	Monique Boucher	Bari Pender	Next Gen Sunday - _____ - Lead Teacher Monique					
			Monique and Bari					
5/28	Jean Donaldson	Alex DiBisceglie	Ann Ralls	Alex DiBisceglie	Jean Donaldson		Youth With Adults	
6/4	Keri Bradshaw	Clara Donaldson	Keri Bradshaw	Clara Donaldson	Bari Pender	Mackenna	Kristy Provinzano	Julia Pender
11th	Angela Christoffel	Alexa DiBisceglie		Angela Christoffel	Alexa DiBisceglie	Monique Boucher		Mackenna

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1. Online giving via [Tithe.ly](https://www.tithe.ly)
2. Mail a check
3. Bill pay
4. Offering Box at the back of the sanctuary

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OFFICE HOURS:

Pastor Ron: Tues 3-7pm , Wed 10am-3pm

Mackenna (Youth): Thurs 4:30-6:30pm

Keri (Office Admin): Tues & Wed 10-1, Fri 10-2

****Hours are always subject to change**

BE WELL AT CORNERSTONE

As we move into the warmer months, we are seeing less respiratory illness in the state and our community. We continue to ask members and attenders to be considerate of others, take care of themselves, if necessary, stay home, and join services virtually. Please feel free to wear face masks when appropriate. We look forward to worshipping together in good health!

~The Deacons

ALL CHURCH COOKOUT

at The Bradshaws

PLEASE BRING A
SIDE TO SHARE



MAY 28,
FOLLOWING SERVICE

Our Week, 5/21-5/27/23

Sunday

10:00 Worship

10:20 Sermon

10:55 Small Groups

11:25 Sermon Recap

Annual Meeting, Following Service

Monday

Women's Ministry (5/22) 7pm

at Bradshaws

The Story of the Bible

With Joel Muddamalle

Thursday

Youth Group (5/25) 6:30-8pm

Middle and High School

Friday

Prayer Meeting (5/26) on Zoom

***Next Sunday - All Church Cookout**

****next Elders Meeting (6/6)**

YOUTH GROUP

MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL

THURSDAYS 6:30-8

Zephaniah 3:17

The LORD your God is with you, the Mighty Warrior who saves. He will take great delight in you; in his love he will no longer rebuke you, but will rejoice over you with singing."

Women's Ministry

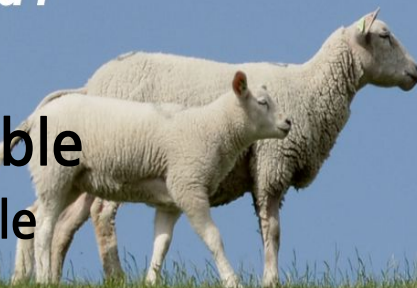
Alternating

*Mondays, 7:00 at
the Bradshaw's*

The Story of the Bible
With Joel Muddamalle

Psalms 23

The Lord is my shepherd, I lack nothing...



*IF Breakout Sessions
ALL Women are welcome*

YOUTH GROUP STUDY NIGHT

JUNE 8TH --- 6:30-8:30

BRING YOUR HOMEWORK TO YOUTH GROUP

CAMP SPOFFORD

..... FALL

WOMEN'S RETREAT

September 15-17, 2023

<https://campspofford.org/retreats/>

ANNUAL MEETING:

Sunday, May 21, 2023

All are invited!

(Only Members may vote)

*Annual Report will be
emailed out separately.*

**Membership
Matters**

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James 3:17-18

“But the wisdom that comes from heaven is first of all pure; then peace-loving, considerate, submissive, full of mercy and good fruit, impartial and sincere. Peacemakers who sow in peace reap a harvest of righteousness.”

Prayer Group

**Every Friday Night at 7:00 on
Zoom**

Meeting Code: 811 2362 6357

Password: Prayer

**Elder Meeting
Minutes**



Pray with us - Pastoral Search Committee



God, today we want to thank you for all of the progress and blessings that we have seen in the past weeks and months but we also pray that you would protect each of our team members during this final phase of work. I pray that you would keep the enemy away from us and our families. I pray that you would give us strength and joy as we work toward the end of this process and that you would guide us and direct us and bless us. Amen

GOT QUESTIONS ABOUT OUR PASTORAL SEARCH COMMITTEE?



FEEL FREE TO REACH OUT TO US AT

PASTORALSEARCH.CORNERSTONE@GMAIL.COM

Wondering what happens at the Pastoral Search Committee Meetings? You can check out the meeting notes to see!



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