

Here is a portion of my daily devotion, "Good morning, Church," I sent out earlier this week.

Psalm 122:1 "I was glad when they said to me, "Let us go to the house of the LORD!" (ESV)

Yesterday, I went with a husband of 62 years to visit his wife at a local care facility. She was recently diagnosed with congestive heart failure and not given long to live. When we arrived, she was visiting with her daughter and the hospice nurse. After the nurse left, I was able to move up closer to her and have a chance to talk and read some scripture to her and pray for her.

For all the health issues she is facing, she still has a joyful spirit. We talked for a few minutes, and one thing she mentioned was how much she missed going to church. After attending church for nearly 82 years, playing the piano and helping in worship, that part of her life has been taken from her. But, her joy in the Lord has not been lost.

I enjoy the Phil Wickham song, "House of the Lord." Here is the beginning part. (Check out the whole song.)

"We worship the God who was We worship the God who is We worship the God who evermore will be He opened the prison doors He parted the raging sea My God, He holds the victory

There's joy in the house of the Lord There's joy in the house of the Lord today And we won't be quiet We shout out Your praise"

Psalm 100:4-5 "Enter his gates with thanksgiving

and his courts with praise;

give thanks to him and praise his name.

For the Lord is good and his love endures forever;

his faithfulness continues through all generations." (NIV)

God has created us to worship Him. Webster defines worship this way: "To honor or show reverence for as a divine being or supernatural power, "to regard with great or extravagant respect, honor, or devotion." Another writer put it this way: "Worship is bowing down to lift up." My time with the family above showed a heart of worship and a desire to bring glory to God, in the good times, and in the sorrowful.

I can only guess the joy I saw in the couple came from years of bowing down in order to lift up the name of Jesus. Joy comes as we experience the presence of God. By entering into His courts for many years, joy and peace are the results of living a life of praise. I know there are many styles of worship, and worship can be done anytime and anywhere, but God delights for His people to be in His house.

I Love You,

Pastor Bob



"God testified concerning him: 'I have found David son of Jesse, a man after my own heart; he will do everything I want him to do.'"

CHRISTIAN CAMP

Acts 13:22

Monday, June 17th — Thursday, June 20th Completion of 3rd Grade — Completion of 8th Grade

Cost is \$200 per camper — Since we designate funds each year for camp, we can give each camper a \$100 scholarship if needed.

Hello families! It is time to start planning for the group we will take to camp this summer. Our space is limited, so please let me know as soon as possible, if your child or children plan to attend.

This year, we are focusing on moments in David's life. While he won't be bringing any puppets, I am happy to say that Pastor Gil will be back this summer, taking us on a journey through David's life, a man after God's own heart!

Camp will be held at the same location as before. They have recently rebranded from San Marcos Christian Camp.



Have a question, comment, or concern? Contact me! Kim Pruitt (805) 801-3563 kimpruittfbcoflo@gmail.com

# Saturday, April 27th Noon- 3 PM







Free Lunch Bounce House Live Music Magic Show Crafts, Games & More



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## This & That Tidbits of information for you.



#### The time has come for all of your questions!

Have you been waiting to find out more information about what the merge would look like?

#### Things you need to know:

#### Sunday, April 14th at 4:00 pm

- Both *Pastor Bob* and *Pastor Jeremy* will be leading the Question and Answer session.
- They are asking that you submit your questions ahead of time. Please submit your questions by *Wednesday, April 10th*. You can email your questions to Pastor Bob, pstrbobtubbs@gmail.com, or you can text him or write them out and hand it to him.
- Will the North Morro members be in attendance? No, this session is for our church members to be able to openly and honestly ask questions and make comments on their thoughts.
- Will it be on Zoom? YES, there will be Zoom available and we will email a new link later.
- North Morro Church is having their own Q & A on Sunday, April 7th, for all of their church members.
- Then on Sunday, April 21st, there will a combined Q
  & A for both churches at our church at 4:00 pm.

You're Invited

### to FBC & NMC Women's Ministry Meet & Greet Brunch

A time of fellowship to share our love of the Lord, each other, and our love of food. Bring your favorite breakfast item to share with everyone. Sign-up sheets will be posted at FBC and NMC.



Ladies, please join us at the Tubbs and Pruitt home for a time of fellowship with FOOD!

With FBC and NMC both having a women's ministry, we thought it would be nice for the ladies at both churches to come together for a time of fellowship.

Then, if we do merge, we have had the opportunity to get to know each other.

Please sign up soon with your favorite breakfast or brunch item to share with the group.

#### **Hebrews 10:25**

....not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day drawing near.



Tuesday ~ Women's Bible Study 7:00 pm to 8:00 pm Wednesday ~ Kids' and Youth programs 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm Thursday ~ Adult Bible Study 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm Sunday ~ Sunday School for all ages 9:30 am ~ Worship 11:00 am

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 Andy Haydu	2 Nick Inlow Amy Kribbs	3	4	5	6 Men's Breakfast at church at 8:30 am Women's Breakfast at Garden Café at 9:00 am Garden Club Plant sale 10am to 2pm Phyllis Davison
THE LORD'S SUPPER	8	9 Bert Carter Daniel Sullivan	10	11 Pam Hood	12 Phillip Sheek	13
14 FBC hosts a Q&A about the Merge at 4:00 pm	15	16 Church Council Meeting at 7 pm NO Women's Bible Study	17 John & Pamela Eichman	18	19	20 FBC and NMC Women's Ministry Brunch at 10 am
21 FBC & NMC Q&A about the Merge at 4:00 pm Gary & Teri Lorence	22 Karin Mann	23	24	25	26 Renee Chavez	27 FMILY FunDay Noon to 3:00 pm
28	29	30				