

## And Yet . . .

Every person, whether God-fearing or not, deals with sadness, pain, sickness, disappointment, betrayal and grief throughout their lifetimes. If we ourselves are not presently dealing with one or more of the issues listed above, then we probably know someone who is.

The sorrows and challenges of daily living can take a toll on our faith as Christians. They can lead us to doubt and to question God and His Word. When we or one of our loved ones is diagnosed with cancer, it shakes our faith. When we lose a child we ask God why. When homes and lives are lost by the ravages of natural disasters, like hurricanes and wildfires, we wonder how God can allow these things to happen.

It is natural to question God. Noah, Moses, Abraham, David – a man after God’s own heart-, Job and yes, even Jesus questioned God. Noah wondered why he had to build the ark. Moses told God that he wasn’t a good speaker. Abraham thought he was too old to have a son. Even Jesus asked if there was another way besides going to the cross.

And yet... they all obeyed God. When life throws those terrible, heart-wrenching trials our way, we can turn towards God or away from Him. By reading the many biblical examples of those who went through trials and were victorious, we can gain strength and encouragement.

Let’s strive to be like Habakkuk. In the midst of all his struggles detailed in Habakkuk 3:17, he follows up in verse 18 by saying, “Yet I will rejoice in the Lord, I will joy in the God of my salvation.”

- Ken Thomas



## Church of Christ

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Sunday	10:00 AM	Bible Study (for all ages)
	10:45 AM	Worship Assembly
	6:00 PM	Song Worship
	6:30 PM	Worship Assembly
Wednesday	7:00 PM	Bible Study

Elders: Tom Seigworth, Rod Thomas, Allan Seigworth  
Preacher: Randy Matheny

## Sunday, April 15<sup>th</sup>, 2018

### Serving Today

Announcer:	Doug
Song Leader:	Allan
1 <sup>st</sup> Prayer:	Doug
Table:	Scott
Serving:	Chris, Gary, Chuck, Rod, sub:

Don

2 <sup>nd</sup> Prayer:	Dick
Scripture:	Adam N.
Sermon:	Randy
Closing Prayer:	Gary

### Serving Tonight

Announcer:	Doug
Song Leader:	Dick
1 <sup>st</sup> Prayer:	Allan
Sermon:	Randy
Closing Prayer:	Chuck

### Wednesday Night Song Leaders

4/4 - Dave H.  
4/11 - Allan  
4/18 - Rod

4/25 - Dick

♥ Those to remember:

Al Emery

Ken Thomas

Irene Schmidt

Shawn Simpson – hip cancer

Smith

Tom and May Seigworth

Kevin Hughes

Norma Thomas

Linda Reichart

Florence Homolek

Jack Wyatt

Jim Metts

Milly Park

Paul and Linda

Rod Thomas

Betty Hughes

June Rhines

Adam Neill

Waylan Whitten

Nick Van Horn – 20-yr-old with cancer

Landon Fawcett – Paul Smith's grandson



“Pray without ceasing” - I Thess. 5:17

## Notes

- WELCOME to all our visitors today! Thank you for worshipping with us.
- The care packages for Cross Roads will be assembled this afternoon @ 2:00 here at the building. All are invited to help!
- There will be a fellowship meal following morning services on Sunday, the 29<sup>th</sup>, at the Heritage House. This will be the start of our gospel meeting and a perfect opportunity to invite friends and family to hear Mr. Franklin.
- The Summerville congregation will be hosting a gospel meeting May 4 – 6 with Mr. Franklin. He will

be finishing our meeting the 3<sup>rd</sup> then starting one with Summerville.

- New Brighton, the congregation where the Bergers attend, is hosting a ladies day on April 28<sup>th</sup>. Sue will be going and has room if you would like a ride. Check with her.
- There are many invitations to area congregational activities. They are posted on the back bulletin board if you would like more information.
- The Gospel meeting here at Brookville begins April 29<sup>th</sup> and continues through May 3<sup>rd</sup> with Mr. Willie Franklin. There are flyers containing his lesson topics in the foyer to give out. There is a sign-up sheet on the back bulletin board for having Mr. Franklin for meals.
- There will be a men's business meeting after services this evening.

## Birthdays and Anniversaries

There are no birthdays or anniversaries this week. But as a reminder, taxes are due Tuesday.



## Memory Verses of the Week:

Adam lay with his wife again, and she gave birth to a son and named him Seth, saying, “God has granted me another child in place of Abel, since Cain killed him.” Seth also had a son, and he named him Enosh. At that time men began to call on the name of the Lord.

Genesis 4:25, 26

**Bible Question of the Week:**

Which commander of the Canaan army fought against Deborah and Barak?

**Last Week's Question and Answer:**

How many brothers of Jesus are given in scripture and what were their names?

James, Joseph, Judas and Simon – Mark 6:3