

SERMON NOTES

Pastor Mike Bronson
Matthew 11:28-30

Christ in You



Thank you for joining us on this Lord's day.

We exist to see people saved,
lives changed, and Jesus glorified.

WELCOME!

We're glad you have joined us for our weekly worship gathering. Our prayer is that during this time, you would see the beauty, grandeur, and glory of God as we worship him together in song, prayer, and the preaching of His word.

We exist to see people saved, lives changed and Jesus glorified. Our desire is that you know Jesus Christ, be born again and rest in the gospel.

Connect With Us!

We'd ask everyone to fill out a Connect Card located in the seat in front of you. Please place this card in the offering plate, as it passes by.

If you're interested in visiting with one of our members or pastors, please indicate that on your Connect Card. We'd love to buy you a cup of coffee, or simply make a phone call, to tell you more about us or answer any questions you may have. We won't surprise visit or spam you!

We value membership at West Haven. The idea of experiencing salvation without belonging to a local church is foreign to the New Testament. If you would like to explore membership, please give us your best contact information on the back of the Connect Card. One of our pastors will be in touch with you!

County Fair/KFL/ONE Life Opportunity

Each year the Kansans for Life ask us to man the KFL Education Exhibit at the County Fair. I want to encourage you to volunteer. 1. This is an opportunity to educate the public on abortion. (There is nothing inappropriate or condemnatory at the exhibit.) 2. The opportunity to meet new people and begin a gospel conversation. I have been able to do this a number of times. Tara and I have done quite a bit of ministry there. So can you! **The sign up sheet is at the Welcome Center.** Feel free to take some tracts with you. Every time we serve, we come home blessed. – Bro. Mike

CALENDAR

Wednesday, July 31

6:30 p.m. Adult Bible Study

Sunday, August 4

8:30 a.m. Donut Fellowship
5:30 p.m. Churchwide Prayer Meeting; childcare available

Tuesday, August 6

Voter Polling Location for Leavenworth Co. 2019 Primary City-School Election

Wednesday, August 7

6:30 p.m. Adult Bible Study; childcare available

Sunday, August 11

7:00 a.m. Men's Prayer Breakfast
5:00 p.m. Student Ministry Informational Meeting & Dinner

Monday, August 12

11:30 a.m. Senior Adult Fellowship at Cinzetti's
USD 464 Transportation Mtg

Tuesday, August 13

7:00 p.m. Deacon's Meeting
USD 464 Transportation Mtg

Wednesday, August 14

6:30 p.m. Adult Bible Study

Thursday, August 15

USD 464 1/2 day Back to School

Friday, August 16

6:30 p.m. WH Game/Potluck night (Train Station)

Wednesday, August 21

5:00-5:45 p.m. Meal Served
6:15 p.m. AWANA
6:30 p.m. Student Ministry
6:30 p.m. Adult Bible Study

MEMBER INFORMATION

Budget Detail as of **7/21/2019**

Weekly Budget Req. - \$9,011.55
General Fund Rec. - \$15,263.16
Month to Date Budget Req. - \$27,034.65
Month to Date Giving - \$34,038.51

NEWS & UPDATES

Future Calendar Dates

Sept. 1st, & 8th "Who's Your One" Sermons

Pastor Mike's sermon—similar to "One Life." We'll have material to empower you to invite someone to church on Sept. 8. We'll have an outdoor evangelistic service that morning, in our parking lot. That afternoon is the Community Carnival.

Sept. 15 Student Ministry Sunday

Student Ministry leaders Bill Weatherford and Nathan LaFave will "co-preach" a sermon about the importance of family and church in raising children. The goal is emphasize the importance of student ministry and engender multigenerational fellowship.

November 1-2 Spiritual Growth Conference

For information & tickets: spiritualgrowthconference.com. If you are a West Haven attender, use the discount code mywesthaven. Your tickets will be \$10.

Jan. 25, 2020 Strengthening Men Morning

More details to come! Please put this on your calendar!

Feb. 29, 2020 Strengthening Women Morning

More details to come! Please put this on your calendar!

Student Ministry Meeting—Aug. 11

Parents & Adult Leaders - Please make plans to attend our student ministry informational meeting **Sunday, August 11 at 5 p.m.** We will relay important information, including our vision for the ministry, what the upcoming months will look like, and where we need your help! Dinner will be served and we'll be done around 7 p.m. There is no cost for the dinner, but we request that all attendees please register on our website.

Host Homes Needed

Wednesday, August 28, artists will arrive for the Plein Air Art Fest, sponsored by the Tonganoxie Arts Council. Many will be from out of town and need places to stay. We are looking for host homes to have artists stay and make welcome as they "Paint Our Town" August 28 - 31st. If you are interested, please contact Leigh Coffman at 913-915-0575.

A Weekly Note From **Pastor Mike Bronson**

Thanks for being in gathered worship this morning! It feels strange to not be in Luke. We started our journey in Luke in May 2016. Even though we are finished, today's sermon ties up the last two weeks. We're in Matthew 11:28-30 today. In just shy of 23 years in the ministry, I've preached on these verses more than any others. I believe they unlock the key to the Christian life. I pray He will be exalted and you will be blessed today.

As we approach the beginning of the school year, AWANA and Student Ministry will start again. These ministries are foundational to much of what we do as a church. If you've never served in those areas before, would you consider doing so this year? If you'd like more information about either, write it on the back of your worship attendance information card this morning. Someone will get back to you shortly. (By asking for more information, you aren't obligating yourself in any way.) We also need more people in the Sunday morning nursery rotation. You have an opportunity to be the first person to show grace to a little child. You have an opportunity to serve young couples who are trying to start well in life by being in church and having their children in church. Help advance the cause of Christ by taking a turn, even if it's not "your thing." We would appreciate it. Just indicate your interest on the back of your worship attendance information card this morning.

We have a quarterly members' meeting after church in the Train Station this morning. I am thankful for a church that does not get bogged down in administrative minutiae and meeting after meeting. Ministry is seldom done in meetings.

We have an exciting six months ahead. I hope you'll put all these events on your calendar (One Life Sundays Aug. 25, Sept. 1, and Sept. 8. The Community Carnival Sept. 8. Student Ministry Sunday Sept. 15. Spiritual Growth Conference Nov. 1-2. Strengthening Men's Saturday January 25, 2020. Strengthening Women's Saturday Feb. 29, 2020.) We want you to experience Christ in all His fullness. God bless you for being here today!

Tools to Help You

NAVIGATE OUR CHURCH

CHILDREN

We have a nursing mothers area in the back of the worship center, the hospitality room in the foyer serves as a cry room and has a Live Feed of our Worship service. A nursery is on the lower level. Children's church is available for Kids K-4th on the lower level. Feel free to take your children down before the service.

RESTROOMS

There are two sets in the upper level and two in the lower level. Changing tables are available in men's and women's restrooms.

VOLUNTEERS

We do nationwide background checks on every person working with students and children.

Find Your Way

AROUND WEST HAVEN

SEATING — Feel free to sit anywhere you like!

SONGS — We stand when we sing, but it is not a requirement. You are welcome to sit.

OFFERING — Giving is a part of our worship. As a visitor, do not feel obligated to give.

NEWS & UPDATES

Wednesday Activities this Fall

Meal — 5:00 - 5:45 p.m.

Wednesday night meal cost:

Kids 2 and under - Free

AWANA kids - \$2

Student ministry and adults - \$3

Families more than 3 - \$10

AWANA

Starts at **6:15 p.m.** for children ages 18 months–6th grade.

For more information, go to West Haven AWANA Clubs Facebook page or contact Bill Mages or Gordon Brest.

Student Ministry

Meets at **6:30 p.m.** in the Train Station. Visit West Haven Student Ministry Facebook page for more details or contact Nathan LaFave or Bill Weatherford.

Adult Bible Study

6:30 p.m. is Adult Bible Study, led by Pastor Mike, in the Hospitality Room. Bring your Bible.

Fall Community Carnival—Sept. 8

September 8th we will have an outdoor worship service as a lead into our community carnival. There will be no Sunday School or ABF classes. Our church will set up for the carnival at 8:00 a.m. Worship will be at our usual 10:30 a.m. slot. There will be BBQ at noon and the carnival will start at 2:00 p.m. and end at 4:00 p.m. This is the perfect time to invite your One Life or a family that we can connect to our church.

Senior Adult Fellowship—Aug. 12

Monday, August 12th at 11:30 a.m. the senior adults will meet at Cinzetti's Italian Restaurant in Overland Park for lunch. Please let Rose Swain know if you need a ride.

RSVP to Rose by August 11th.

2019 Prayer Requests:



July 21, 2019

Spiritual Awakening in God's people (Rosemary O'Bryan)

For this fallen world (Al Anderson)

Terri Beach: cancer has spread, home with hospice (Ron & Gail Drake)

Thank you church for your prayers for Chattanooga ministry team (Cathy Stueckemann)

July 14, 2019

Moved here for a new job. Prayers for removal of fear and anxiety (Anthony Barker & Holly Long)

Anita Rafferty: cancer diagnosis, going to Mayo Clinic 29th (Donna O.)

Jeff Reaka: his cancer has returned. Treatment plan is the same route going thru treatment last time almost killed him. Strength and wisdom to make best choice. And myself & family for strength (Michael Boyd)

Loretta Kunard: hip replacement surgery Aug. 1st

Please continue to pray for my stepfather, Scott Buerge, who is healing from a broken pelvis after falling out of a tree (Becky Derzinski)

Please pray for my aunt Waneta Sitz, who has been diagnosed with kidney tumor, and they are waiting on a biopsy (Becky Derzinski)

Mike Frye: recovering from a car wreck

Christy & son Ismael: Praise God-no brain tumor but blood clots. Surgery performed, pray no long-term disabilities. Prayer Christy returns away from the Muslim faith (niece of Roxane McCoy)

Kathy Laub: facing a major surgery, please pray for her medical team at KU (Michelle Fridlington's mom)

David Babcock: health issues (Donna Schulz's brother)

Prayer for the Jordan family dealing with health concerns for 17 yr. old son, Cameron (Barry & Debby Pockrandt)

Cindy Forrester: needs prayer, she's suffering from metastatic breast cancer and is very ill (John Foster's aunt)

Also pray for safe travels for Logan as he visits Alaska (Zaydie & John Foster's son)

Gracey Foster asks for prayer for Penny's eye to get better, she is suffering from an ulcer.

Praise! Jim Farrar healing after triple bypass, please continue prayers for healing (Joan Cobb's dad)

Ernie Cobb: set back from brain surgery, pray for healing (Kevin Cobb's dad)

Ben Miller: for healing and recovery after heart procedures (Alexa Ferguson's dad)

Expecting Mothers of WHBC:

Kristen Hain: December 2019

Other Expecting Mothers:

Sara Anderson: August 2019 (Larry & Carol Anderson's daughter-in-law)

Long Term Requests:

Nick Cox: In prison (Kevin Cobb's nephew)

Raiden Harnden: Spina Bifida (Bill & Denise Harnden's grandson)

Karli Harnden: Kniest Dysplasia (Bill & Denise Harnden granddaughter)

Patrick & Casey: salvation, and a miraculous life change from the Holy Spirit.

Pray for God to protect Gage. (John & Jenny Worden)

Isaiah: prayers for him (Bambi Dome, adoptive mom)

Brent Koprivica: continued prayers for health (Lenora Baggett's boss)

Velma Morgan: cancer treatment (Cathy Stueckemann's mom)

Aunt Jo: continued recovery for bladder cancer (Cathy Stueckemann)

Jon, Lindsay, & Haylie's salvation (Cathy Stueckemann)

Jacob Stine: prayers with the daily struggle of addiction recovery

Aaron McIntyre: prayers for good health & safety while studying abroad in China (Mike & Michelle McIntyre's son)

Sarah Breuer and family

Zack Langford: (Randy & Pam Stevens' grandson)

C.J. Shiner: left 9/10/18 for the WorldRace Gap Year, 9 month mission trip in 4 countries (Cary & Tracy Shiner's son)

Military:

1LT Parker Osborne, US ARMY: stationed at Ft. Jackson, SC (Donna Osborne's daughter)

TSgt. Ben Goldsberry: USAF, Ft. Bragg, NC (Donna Osborne's nephew)

1LT Dan Hopkins, Jr., US ARMY, 9 months deployment to Korea (Dan & Sesuk Hopkins' son)

CPT Tim Hopkins, US ARMY, Fort Polk, LA, Airborne Light Infantry Team (Dan & Sesuk Hopkins' son)

CPT Tom Hopkins, US ARMY, Fort Bliss, TX (Dan & Sesuk Hopkins' son)

Derrick Wagner: Air Force (Jennifer Belcher's brother)

Joshua Spruill: USAF NM (Mike & Becky Derzinski's nephew)

Lexis Fehol: Air Force Basic, San Antonio, TX (Elisabeth Laundry's friend)

Zach Povitlitzky—ARMY, El Paso (Amanda O'Bryan)

Andrew Stueckemann: Navy-Navy at Naval Air Station North Island (San Diego, CA) (Cathy Stueckemann's son)

Austin Stueckemann: ARMY, stationed at Fort Campbell KY/TN (Cathy Stueckemann's son)

Elisabeth Schaffer: US ARMY (Brad & LuAnna Lingo's niece)

A1C Rebecca Baggett: Air National Guard full-time, Kirtland Air Force Base (Kirk & Lenora Baggett's daughter)

Christian Hernandez: Marine, 29 Palms, California (Teresa Sickman's son & great grandson of Olive McCracken)

Joey Edwards: deployed in Afghanistan (Bob & Vicki Edwards' son)

Brendan Caufield: Navy Basic Training in Chicago (Mike & Becky Derzinski)

Jacob Derzinski: Marine Recruit, MCRD, San Diego, CA (Mike & Becky Derzinski's son)

Ian Wheaton: US Navy—Pearl Harbor (Kirk & Lenora's family friend)