

# SERMON NOTES

*SUNDAY MORNING*

Pastor Mike Bronson

Philippians 1:3-4, 9-11

## Praying for Spiritual Growth in the Church

1. Are We \_\_\_\_\_ Our \_\_\_\_\_?

2. Are We \_\_\_\_\_ Our \_\_\_\_\_?

3. Are We \_\_\_\_\_ Our \_\_\_\_\_?

*SUNDAY NIGHT*

Deacon Ordination

Pastor Mike Bronson

2 Timothy 2:6

## The Fruitful Work of the Ministry

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_



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

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

January 26, 2020

# 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!

## CALENDAR

### Sunday, January 26

5:30 pm Deacon Ordination Service

### Wednesday, January 29

5:15-6:00 pm Meal Served—Shepard's Pie & Green Bean Casserole

6:15 pm AWANA Jeopardy

6:30 pm Student Ministry

6:30 pm Adult Bible Study

### Wednesday, February 5

5:15-6:00 pm Meal Served—Fajitas

6:15 pm AWANA

6:30 pm Student Ministry

6:30 pm Adult Bible Study

### Sunday, February 9

7:00 am Men's Prayer Breakfast

11:30 am Children's Ministry Leader & Supervisor Meeting with Nathan (Train Station)

5:30 pm Prayer Meeting; childcare available

### Monday, February 10

7 pm Deacon Meeting

### Wednesday, February 12

USD 464 Out of School

No AWANA or Student Ministry

No Adult Bible Study

### Friday, February 14

6 pm T&T Girls Movie Night (Train Station)

### Wednesday, February 19

5:15-6:00 pm Meal Served—Grilled Chicken & Alfredo

6:15 pm AWANA

6:30 pm Student Ministry

6:30 pm Adult Bible Study

### Saturday, February 22

1:00-4:00 p.m. TES Carnival (TES Gym)

### Wednesday, February 26

5:15-6:00 pm Meal Served—Sloppy Joe & Tots

6:15 pm AWANA Store Night

6:30 pm Student Ministry

6:30 pm Adult Bible Study

### Sunday, March 1

5:30 pm Churchwide Prayer Meeting

## MEMBER INFORMATION

### Budget Detail as of 1/19/2020

Weekly Budget Req. - \$9,506.19

General Fund Rec. - \$15,537.15

Mo. to Date Budget Req. - \$28,518.57

Mo. to Date Giving - \$31,909.30

# NEWS & UPDATES

## **Storehouse—New Location**

The Storehouse is now temporarily located outside the kitchen. The kitchen is downstairs at the far west end of the Fellowship Hall.

## **Prayer Chain Coordinator**

Donna Gambrell is leading our prayer chain. If you have a prayer request, please call her at 816-810-2665. For less urgent requests, please email her at: [ralph102@sbcglobal.net](mailto:ralph102@sbcglobal.net). If she is unavailable, Kirk Baggett will be the backup. You can reach him at 913-775-3613 or at: [kirk@westhavenbaptist.org](mailto:kirk@westhavenbaptist.org).

## **End of Year Giving Statements**

End of year giving statements are available at the Welcome Center. If you have questions, contact the financial secretary at: [alexa@westhavenbaptist.org](mailto:alexa@westhavenbaptist.org). She would also be happy to email them upon request.

## **Usher & Counter Sign Up—Last Sunday to sign up!**

If you would like to be an Usher or Counter or continue being an Usher or Counter please sign up at the welcome center by **February 2**. If you have questions, see Mike Derzinski.

## **School Carnival – Signup**

**Saturday, February 22** from 1:00-4:00 pm will be the Tonganoxie Elementary School Carnival. Please sign up in the foyer. We are providing several of our community carnival games that we will need to transport, setup, help run, and return to the church. There are additional games they will have that will require more volunteers. They will also need homemade or store bought cookies, cakes, & brownies which will need to be dropped off on February 21.

## **Did You Borrow Something from the Church?**

We are missing a few items. If you happen to borrow something from the church please return it as soon as possible. Thank you.

## *A Weekly Note From* **Pastor Mike Bronson**

**I'm glad to be a part of West Haven and all that God is doing among us in these days.** We continue in Philippians 1 in this series entitled "To Live Is Christ." This morning we look at "Praying for Spiritual Growth in the Church." In this passage, Paul prays for spiritual growth for the Philippian church in three distinct areas. I pray the Holy Spirit would take His truth and apply it to our lives in a powerful way this morning.

## **Tonight we ordain four men to the deacon ministry.**

The service begins at 5:30 and should last about an hour. I hope you can be here. We want to encourage these men and their wives as well as honor our Lord. I'll be preaching out of 2 Timothy. It will be a good evening as we celebrate God's kindness. We do have childcare for 5 years old and younger.

## **We had some questions Wednesday night about our cancellation policy.**

It's simply this: If USD 464 cancels classes, we don't have Wednesday night activities. On Wednesday, USD 464 held classes but canceled evening activities. I don't recall that scenario happening before on a Wednesday but it did create some confusion and for that, we are sorry. The forecast at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday was for little or no precipitation, for the temperature to go up a degree to 35, and to remain there until early the next morning. Blacktop roads were clear or slushy. We felt it was an easy call to have Wednesday night activities.

## **We'll have future discussions with ministry leaders about the Wednesday night policy.**

For now, It only includes the cancelation of classes at USD 464. Any extracurricular activities are not included in the cancellation policy.

Thanks 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-4<sup>th</sup> on the lower level. Feel free to take your children down before the service.

#### **AWANA**

Our children meet every Wednesday night at 6:15 p.m. for our AWANA program. To register, simply come into the foyer some time after 6:00 p.m.

#### **STUDENTS**

Our 7<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> grade Student Ministry meets each Wednesday night at 6:30 p.m. during the school year.

#### **FACILITY**

If you have never been in our building, please stop by the visitor kiosk in the foyer. We would love to give you a tour!

#### **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.

## *Connect With*

### **OUR STAFF**

**Pastor Mike Bronson**

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### **MINISTRY LEADERS**

#### **AWANA**

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#### **STUDENT MINISTRY**

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## 2019 Prayer Requests:



### January 19, 2019

Laurel Brock: biopsy on lung, pray for good results (Hal & Nancy Brock)  
Gordon Brest: prayers for healing (Terri Brest's husband)  
Friend's mother has several brain tumors non-operable (Al & Annie Anderson)  
Jim Schesser: mass on lung (Lenora Baggett's dad)  
Velma Morgan: thank you church for ongoing prayers she's to be released Wednesday from rehab (Cathy Stueckemann's mom)  
Liz Smalls' father and family: continued prayers  
Trish Masters: prayers as she is developing complications following her stint surgery  
Kathy Laub: prayers for her health (Michelle Fridlington's mom)  
Carol Stouffer: fell, taken to Providence Hospital by ambulance (Blake Waters mother)

### January 12, 2019

Melissa Edens: God would work out a car & job and meet all her needs as she will be at City Union Mission for at least 9 months on their life program. (David & Leigh Coffman)  
Mark Emery: heart procedure (Larry & Donna Schultz brother-in-law)  
Family issues: AL & Annie Anderson  
Jake Hoffhines: foot surgery on the 17<sup>th</sup>. Pray for quick healing and no complications.  
Inge O'Farrell: heart issues, in Providence Hospital. (Friend of Kirk & Lenora Baggett)

### Expecting Mothers of WHBC:

Amber Workman: April 2020  
Jessie Schultz: April 2020

### Other Expecting Mothers:

Erin Miller: June 25 (Kelly & Chris Bingham's daughter)

### Long Term Requests:

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

### Military:

ILT Parker Osborne, US ARMY: stationed at Ft. Jackson, SC: continued prayer (Donna Osborne's daughter)  
MSGT Benjamin Goldsberry: USAF, Ft. Bragg, NC: change of rank (Donna Osborne's nephew)  
CPT Dan Hopkins, Jr., US ARMY, Korea (Dan & Sesuk Hopkins' son)  
CPT Tim Hopkins, US ARMY, Ft. Polk, LA, Airborne Light Infantry Team (Dan & Sesuk Hopkins' son)  
CPT Tom Hopkins, US ARMY, Ft. Bliss, TX (Dan & Sesuk Hopkins' son)  
CPT Kelsey Hopkins, US ARMY Reserve, Ft. Bliss TX, (Dan & Sesuk Hopkins' daughter-in-law)  
LCDR Catherine Hopkins, US Navy, Univ. of Iowa (Dan & Sesuk Hopkins' daughter-in-law)  
Staff Sargent Joshua Spruill: USAF stationed at Alamogordo, AFB, NM (Mike & Becky Derzinski's nephew)  
Lexis Fehol: Air Force Basic, San Antonio, TX (Elisabeth Laundry's friend)  
Andrew Stueckemann: Navy-moving to Japan in January (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)  
AIC Rebecca Baggett: Air National Guard Tennessee (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: U.S. Navy Nuclear Power Training Command, Charleston, SC (Mike & Becky Derzinski)  
Jacob Derzinski: US Marine Corp, Ft. Schwab, Okinawa, Japan (Mike & Becky Derzinski's son)  
Ian Wheaton: US Navy—Pearl Harbor (Kirk & Lenora's family friend)  
Derrick & Angela Wagner: USAF, stationed at McDill AFB (Jennifer Belcher's brother & sister-in-law)