

I was thinking this week about a preacher long gone, a man by the name of Vance Havner. He was a simple man who preached the simple gospel. He said something that I think is very appropriate for our day. “For several years I preached on Sundays in town and country churches as a boy preacher . . . (then came) the First World War. We were singing Tipperary and Over There, and girl students wept as boy friends left for camp and for France to make the world safe for democracy. It hasn’t been safe for anything since.” He’s right. Our world isn’t safe. It never has been.

God wired us to need security. However, in our fallen state, we look to temporal things to provide that security. Many find security in riches. A financial cushion does make a person feel safe. What we forget is that riches do not profit in the day of wrath. Some look to relationships for security. Others consistently seek affirmation.

The human heart longs to belong, to feel safe, secure, and loved. Only Jesus can meet that need. Only a robust understanding of Jesus and a consistent walk with Jesus will provide the security we all crave. A person might find a sense of security in wealth or relationships or affirmation but it’s a false peace. It will fail you at the most important points in life.

One of my consistent prayers for this church body during this time is that your walk with Jesus is becoming stronger. That’s what matters now. That’s what will matter at the end.

Karl Marx said that Christianity is the “opiate of the masses.” He’s wrong. Christianity is the hope of the world. God bless you today.

# NEWS & UPDATES

## Sermons

**Internet Website**—LIVE and posted later on: [www.westhavenbaptist.org](http://www.westhavenbaptist.org)

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You do not have to pay to view it on YouTube or have a subscription.

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If you would like to receive email communication from West Haven and currently are not receiving emails, please let the office know.

## Sermon DVD's

Please let the office know if you would like a copy of a DVD of the last two weeks sermons. We can mail one to you. Email: [christina@westhavenbaptist.org](mailto:christina@westhavenbaptist.org)

## Prayer List

We would like to publish a prayer list during this time. Please email prayer request information to [christina@westhavenbaptist.org](mailto:christina@westhavenbaptist.org) or call 913-369-9422.

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## SERMON NOTES

Pastor Mike Bronson

Philippians 4:6-7

## **The Peace We Need**

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### **MEMBER INFORMATION**

**Budget Detail** as of 4/19/2020

Weekly Budget Req. - \$9,506.19

General Fund Rec. - \$9,639.20

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

Mo. to Date Giving - \$34,008.20

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

## 2020 Prayer Requests:



### April 19, 2020

Gail Drake is home from surgery and doing well. Thank you for praying. She needs rest & requests some time before contacting her. Continued prayers for healing.

Michelle Fridlington has requested an unspoken prayer request for her brother and sister.

Continued prayers for healthcare workers and leaders of our country.

Pastor Bryan Baggett: in TX, further tests to find out cause of seizures, he continues to minister (Kirk Baggett's cousin)

### April 12, 2020

Gail Drake: surgery on April 21. Prayers for her, her doctors and for her recovery.

Easton Wylie: fell out of swing and broke his arm. He has a cast.

Bryan Baggett: pastor in TX, still going through some testing for the cause of seizures (Kirk Baggett's cousin)

### Expecting Mothers of WHBC:

### Other Expecting Mothers:

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

### Long Term Requests:

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

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

Karli Harnden: Knies 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:

1LT 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)

A1C 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)