

**God bless you West Haven family.** We are excited about celebrating our nation's freedom's this weekend. The holiday is to commemorate the signing of the Declaration of Independence in 1776. I remember well seeing the Liberty Bell and Freedom Hall when we went to Philadelphia for our son's wedding almost ten years ago. I think you would agree with me that our nation has declined in those 10 years. Let's sincerely pray for the souls in this nation who are walking on the broad path that leads to destruction. More specifically, make a list of people who live near you. Intercede for them with God for their salvation. Then put feet to those prayers. God answers prayer. I will give you an illustration of that in the sermon this morning.

**Today we turn to Philippians 3.** Paul commands the church to rejoice. How can we rejoice when there is so much uncertainty and unrest? I want to give you several reasons this morning. I pray they would cause hope to rise up in you.

**There is much frustration regarding the uncertainty of our days.** I share that feeling. However, I am reminded that we are to live every day, trusting God for "daily bread." While planning is commended by God's Word (see Proverbs 6 and the analogy of the ant storing up food), at the same time these days are teaching us to trust God in deeper ways. And that is healthy for our souls.

**As I noted in the churchwide email Wednesday, I've had a good response from people expressing interest in being on the Community Outreach Team.** The team will be responsible for identifying, planning, and executing opportunities to bless our community with unconditional love and generosity.

**The team will be very strategic in selecting opportunities.** And it will be necessary to recruit and organize church members. A relationship with city officials and school administrators is a huge plus. Let me know if you are interested. We'll have a meeting in approximately one month for those who are interested to go into more detail about the group.

# NEWS & UPDATES

**Facebook: West Haven Baptist Church@westhaventonganoxie**

**Instagram: westhavenbaptistchurch**

## **Sunday Worship Services**

Worship Services start at 8:30 am and 10:00 am. No prior registration is required. The Kansas Governor requires face masks. We have face masks available if needed.

## **Adult IV Sunday School**

The Adult IV Sunday School class led by Blake Waters will meet Sundays at 8:30 am in the Train Station. The current study is: Proverbs; Song of Songs. Please contact Blake if you have questions: (816) 803-6332.

## **Adult Bible Study not meeting in July**

Bible Study led by Pastor Mike will not be meeting the month of July.

## **Student Ministry Bible Study**

**Youth Bible Study is at 6:30 pm-7:30 pm.** Depending on the weather the gathering may move outside. Pastor Nathan will lead Bible Study and continue the series on prayer.

## **Member's Meeting**

A member's meeting is planned for **Sunday, July 12 at 11:15 am** in the Train Station.

## **Storehouse**

Free Donated Grocery Items—check out the West Haven Storehouse open Sunday and Wednesday after services or contact Donna Osborne or Chris Bingham. It is located downstairs by the kitchen. Please take an extra bagful for family or friends that could use a little help right now! Please share this with others.

## **Genesis School**

We've been asked to include the Genesis Christian Academy flyer in our bulletin. You will see it below. You will also notice the area for application. They would prefer staff to be people from the community involved in a local church. You can contact them for more information.

## **Birthright of Leavenworth**

Birthright of Leavenworth, Inc. have regular hours: Monday, Wednesday & Friday from 10 am to 1:30 pm and Tuesday and Thursday from 5:30 pm to 8 pm. They are helping families with baby clothes, diapers and wipes and formula. They can also do a pregnancy test for any woman who needs it. All services are free and confidential.

## **Giving Options**

- Visit [www.westhavenbaptist.org](http://www.westhavenbaptist.org). Click donate in the upper right-hand corner.
- Text (913) 359-8914. Your message should simply state the dollar amount.
- Mail a check or use bank bill pay.  
West Haven Baptist Church  
PO Box 318  
Tonganoxie, KS 66086

### **MEMBER INFORMATION**

**Budget Detail as of 6/28/2020**  
Weekly Budget Req. - \$9,511.00  
General Fund Rec. - \$5,962.50  
Mo. to Date Budget Req. - \$38,044.00  
Mo. to Date Giving - \$41,111.30

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

# SERMON NOTES

July 5, 2020

Pastor Mike Bronson

Philippians 3:1a



## Being Joyful

1. The Lord's \_\_\_\_\_ To \_\_\_\_\_

A. For the Lord's \_\_\_\_\_

B. To Bless \_\_\_\_\_.

C. For Our \_\_\_\_\_

2. What We Must \_\_\_\_\_ To Have \_\_\_\_\_

A. Our \_\_\_\_\_

B. The \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

C. Our \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

D. What We've \_\_\_\_\_

E. The Way the \_\_\_\_\_ Has Been \_\_\_\_\_

F. \_\_\_\_\_

G. The \_\_\_\_\_ of God

## 2020 Prayer Requests:



### June 28, 2020

Bob Dunn: took a turn for the worse and Hospice has been set up. Prayers for him & family. (Loretta Kunard's brother-in-law)  
Prayers for the Baggett family in the passing of Kirk's Uncle James.

Janice McCue: passed away July 1. Please pray for the family.

Jim Schesser: released from the hospital on Saturday and resting at home (Lenora Baggett's dad)

Gail Drake: upcoming surgery July 23

### June 21, 2020

Gayle: having health issues & recently buried her mother. (Denise Harden's friend)

Mark: came through brain surgery for a tumor and did great. Continued prayers for recovery. (Denise Harden's friend)

Cora Kunard: had three hour surgery on Friday, blood is low and difficulty breathing. Blood transfusion done and if no change, may got to rehab in Garnett. Prayers for recovery from surgery and for pain relief. (Loretta Kunard's sister-in-law)

Lori: diagnosed with breast cancer. Continue praying for her and wisdom in the choices that need to be made. (Alicia Wylie's sister)

### Expecting Mothers of WHBC:

Jennifer Belcher: November 2020

Maggie Estes: December 2020

### Other Expecting Mothers:

Erin Miller: June 25 2020 (Kelly & Chris Bingham's daughter)

Jonathan Clubine & Jenna Lucas: July 2020 (Donna Bartkoski's son)

Kirsten Robinson: December 2020 (Kirk & Lenora Baggett's daughter)

### 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)

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

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

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: health & safety while studying in China (Mike & Michelle McIntyre's son)

Sarah Breuer and family

Zack Langford: (Randy & Pam Stevens' grandson)

Pastor Bryan Baggett in TX: malignant brain tumor; given a year to live. (Kirk's cousin)

### 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)

Jon Derzinski: Air Force basic training in San Antonio, Texas at Lackland AFB.

(Mike & Becky Derzinski's son)

Emmie Derzinski: Navy basic training near Chicago, Great Lakes Naval Training Center

(Mike & Becky Derzinski's daughter)

# Now Enrolling For Fall 2020!

- Accepting students in Preschool through 4th grade
  - Small class sizes - 15 student limit(K - 4th grade)
    - Abeka curriculum for core subjects
      - Weekly Chapel
    - Caring experienced staff
    - Low monthly tuition
  - Go to [www.genesschools.org](http://www.genesschools.org) to find tuition schedule and enrollment forms
    - Or call 913-845-9498

## Now Accepting Teacher Applications

Full Time Positions  
Preschool Teacher  
Early Elementary Teacher

Part-time Positions  
Preschool Teacher  
Chapter 2 Worker  
Early Elementary Teacher  
Early Elementary Para

To request an application  
Call 913-845-9498  
Email [denise.bixby@genesschools.org](mailto:denise.bixby@genesschools.org)