

Celebration Sunday

Sunday, March 7 at 10:30 AM

Come and celebrate all that God has done in and through our church this past year! Share a wonderful BRUNCH, share in meaningful fellowship, hear touching stories from our ministry leaders and be challenged to engage in our future!

Brunch is served beginning at 10:30 AM!
followed by:

Worship in Song, Sharing of Stories,
Seeking Him (thru Prayer), Trusting Him (by voting)

You can get involved:

- Sign up for: Set up Crew (before)
 Clean up Crew (after)
 Helping Hands Crew (during)

Families can bring:

A-D: Juice

E-I: Fresh Fruit

J-O: Muffins or Pastry

P-Z: Favorite Egg Bake or Egg Scramble

Church will provide pancakes (+ fixing's), meats,
potatoes, and paper products!



If God suddenly stood next to you today, what would He need to chisel away from your life?

“... let us throw off everything that **hinders** and the sin that so easily **entangles** and let us run with **perseverance** the race marked out for us.”
Hebrews 12:1 (NIV)

Hinders ...

Question> What **holds** you back?

Entangles ...

Question> What **trips** you up?

Perseverance ...

Question> Are you **IN** for the **long haul**?

Investigate my life, O God, find out everything about me;
Cross-examine and test me,
get a clear picture of what I'm about;
See for yourself whether I've done anything wrong -
then guide me on the road to eternal life.

Psalm 139:23-24 (The Message)



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[Week 1: February 22-27]

Monday: 2.22.2010

Reading: Hebrews 12:1-7

This reading follows the “faith all-star” list in chapter 11. We are reminded that even in our struggles, we haven’t come near what the true heroes of the faith have experienced.

Think about it:

What sacrifice are being led to consider during Lent?

Reflections: _____

Tuesday: 2.23.2010

Reading: Colossians 3:1-17

Pleasing God can often feel very elusive. However, disciplining our bodies to stop craving sinful desires is the necessary step to honoring God. We need to be stripped of these desires and put on the clothes of God’s righteousness.

Think about it:

Have I gotten lazy about my spiritual development and allowed behaviors in my life that have no place?

Reflections: _____

Wednesday: 2.24.2010

Reading: Psalm 139

Today’s reading is a big one! It begins with “you have searched me” and ends with the invitation to continue that process by saying “Search me ... and lead me.”

Think about it:

When was the last time you sat waiting for God to reveal something for you? Slow down ... ask him to reveal something of yourself today.

Reflections: _____

Thursday: 2.25.2010

Reading: Jeremiah 18:1-6; 2 Corinthians 4:7-10

The weekend is quickly approaching and today’s readings take us back the questions of this past Sunday ... are being moldable today? Are you like clay in the master’s hands. Be encouraged by God’s hands forming your shape today!

Think about it:

As clay in God’s hands, how is he shaping you into a person that he can use? Can you feel/sense God’s hands running over you ... holding you close?

Reflections: _____

Friday: 2.26.2010

Reading: Psalm 101

Verse 2 says anyone with a “proud heart” will not endure. Our pride too often gets in the way of what God wants to do. A conversation with a co-worker, helping someone in need, thinking of others.

Think about it:

How can *pride* impact you for the bad? Is there any good that comes from pride? Ask God to reveal your struggle in a personal way.

Reflections: _____

Saturday: 2.27.2010

Reading: Romans 1:16

Have you ever really felt shame or embarrassment? Is your walk with God one that you are excited to share with others? Or do you prefer to keep it private? The power of God should spill out of our lives and onto everyone around us! Allow this power to work through you today.

Think about it:

Are you holding back your spiritual journey? Are you afraid of where God may take you once you give Him the keys?

Reflections: _____
