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WHERE ARE YOU, GOD?

By Lakan Mariano

How well does God hear?

There are times when believers echo the prophet Habakkuk's complaint.

“How long, LORD, must I call for help, but you do not listen?” (Habakkuk 1:2).

Or when evil seems to be winning you may wonder where is God in all these? Where is God when his people are persecuted, when his values are trampled, when evil is called good and good called evil?

“Why, LORD, do you stand far off?

Why do you hide yourself in times of trouble?” (Psalm 10:1).

Can you wait on the Lord for forty years?

That was how long Moses had shed his princely costume in exchange for a shepherd's cloak. That was when God spoke to him.

“I am the God of your father, the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac and the God of Jacob... I have indeed seen the misery of my people in Egypt. I have heard them crying out because of their slave drivers, and I am concerned about their suffering. So I have come down to rescue them” (Exodus 3:6, 7-8).

Don't miss what God said.

I AM the GOD of Abraham, of Isaac, of Jacob;
I have SEEN the misery of my people;
I have HEARD them crying;
I am CONCERNED;
I have come down to RESCUE them.

When did God hear their cries for help?

Long before the Jews were a people, long before they were enslaved in Egypt, about seven hundred years before, God told their ancestor Abraham,
“Know for certain that for four hundred years your descendants will be strangers in a country not their own and that they will be enslaved and mistreated there. But I will punish the nation they serve as slaves, and afterward they will come out with great possessions” (Genesis 15:13-14).

If you know Christ as your savior and God, you can be assured that the same good sovereign God who heard and saw the misery of his people and came down to rescue them is the same Father you pray to when you need help.

Will you trust Jesus Christ for forty years? For ten years? Will you trust him with your tomorrows? Will you trust him today?

~Lakan

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Mission Weekend

Daniel and Tetyana Yarbrough
Of Chosen Generation Ministry
in Ukraine
will be visiting July 31st-August 2nd

Gift Basket Auction

Starting this Sunday, July 26th we will be having a Gift Basket Auction brought to you by the Sunday School classes.

This will be a weeklong event. Bidding can take place in person at the church or on the church Facebook page throughout that week.

Facebook bidding will end at 10am Saturday, August 1st.
In person bidding will end 10 minutes after the conclusion of the morning service on Sunday, August 2nd.

All money will be given to support Daniel and Tetyana Yarbrough and Chosen Generation Ministry in Ukraine.

BBQ Sandwich Luncheon

Saturday, August 1 from 11am-1pm BBQ Sandwich Luncheon (Pulled pork sandwich, chips, dessert, bottled water) in the fellowship hall (drive thru pick up is available)
minimum donation $10 per plate.
Tickets available in the church office throughout the week.

Combined Sunday School

Sunday, August 2 We will have Combined Sunday School in the sanctuary beginning at 9:30am.

Continental breakfast served in the foyer at 9am.

Gift Basket Auction will end that day 10 minutes after the conclusion of the service.

For More Information see Stacy Stephenson

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CHBC KIDS Super Summer

Wednesdays

Every other Wednesday morning we are going swimming at
Mr JT and Miss Chel's House 2639 Parkview

Wednesday Nights join us at church at 6:00 p.m. for a fun time.
We will play games, learn Bible stories, do fun activities
and take some fun field trips this Summer.

Through out the Summer Be on the lookout for quick spontaneous events for the kids this summer. We may go to the park, go get sno-cones, go bowling, you never know what we will do.

Make sure you are a part of the fun!
Contact Philip Cross to get on the list to get information!

Join us Sunday Mornings

9:30 a.m. for Sunday School

10:45 a.m. for Morning Worship

If you cannot be with us in person,

join us on Facebook for live stream of the service.

Please Note: The Nursery/Preschool Area is closed.

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Weekly Events

Sunday:

9:30am Sunday School

10:45am Worship

6:00 p.m. Body Life Home Groups

Monday:

6:00pm Summer Bible Study with Lakan
In Fellowship Hall

Navigator 2:7 Book 1 Class with Laura Jackson
Work in Progress Room, behind the office

Wednesday:

6:00pm Children's Classes, Awana Room

6:00pm Youth Class in the Youth Room

6:00pm Summer Bible Study with Lakan
Fellowship Hall

Navigator 2:7, Book 1 Men's Class
For Zoom option see Scott Steele
or Greg Jackson
Will meet in the room behind the office

Navigator 2:7 Book 2 with Laura Jackson
Stacy's Classroom, Children's Area

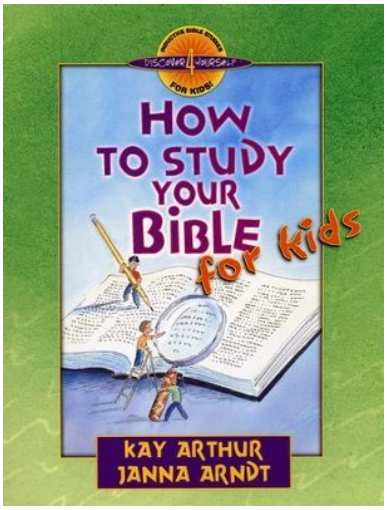
Thursday:

9:00am Family Bible Study,
"*How To Study Your Bible for Kids*"
Study by Kay Arthur & Janna Ardnt
With Stacy Stephenson, Fellowship Hall

Friday:

6:00pm English International Students
Bible Study, Fellowship Hall

Please Note: The Nursery and Preschool Area is not available. It is closed at this time. Thank you.



Family Bible Study
Thursdays at 9:00 a.m.
with Stacy Stephenson
This study is for parents & children.
Join us in the Fellowship Hall!

Sign Up for our Email List

https://www.collegehillsbc.org/news

….. To receive updates
…..To receive announcements
…..To receive changes to our schedules
…..To receive prayer requests

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Youth Ministry

Sundays:

Bible Study - 9:30am
Upstairs Youth Room

Wednesdays:

Outbreak - 6:00pm

Weekly Meetings:

Sunday School:

Sunday - 9:30am
Preschool-5th Grade

Extended Session:

Sunday - 10:45am Birth-Preschool

Wednesdays

Special Classes & Other Activities for Kids

FMI: Philip Cross 277-7980
Or @ the Church 949-5788

Crockett Elementary Christmas

Over the past several years we have developed a relationship with the teachers and staff at Crockett. Last year we started taking a step farther connecting with the students and teachers by hosting school events in our sanctuary. This year we want to take it one more step in connecting with the families by giving each student at Crockett a Christmas gift this December.

Each child's gift will include

- Crockett T shirt with their school logo on it along with "CHBC Loves the Crockett Bears"
- A reusable Water Bottle with their School logo on it
- A Fun age appropriate toy/game
- An age appropriate Bible

Going of off last years numbers there were 390 Kindergarten-5th grade students. We set a budget of approximately $20 a student. At that rate we will need to raise $10,000.00 Fundraising Areas you may help with:

1) There are envelopes on the Crockett Christmas Display if you would like to donate to help
2) Drop off your coins in the jars in the foyer (Boys VS girls) We will collect change through Mid November.
3) You may purchase a business sponsor ship card for your donation of any amount, Available in the office.
4) There will be more fundraising opportunities coming, plus as time gets closer, we will need help sorting and packing the gifts

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YOUR CHURCH STAFF:

Lakan Mariano:
Senior Pastor

Philip Cross:
Family & Education Pastor

Trevor Hanson:
Student Pastor

Maggie Gonzales:
Ministry Assistant

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS:
Monday—Friday:
9:00AM—4:00PM

Lunch Break: Noon—1:00PM

BodyLife Home Groups

BodyLife Home Groups meet on evenings in host homes throughout the city to share a meal, join in fellowship, study the Word of God and pray for one another.

All groups are open to anyone, so choose one and join us!

Host Homes:

3229 Canyon Creek Dr (Rex & Stacy Stephenson) at 6PM
Led by: Jimmy Allen & Rex Stephenson

2626 Yale (Tyler & Emma Henderson) at 5PM
Led by: Richard Parsons

303 S. Washington (Jason & Misty Fine) College/Young Adults at 5PM
Led by: Jason Fine

3934 High Meadow (Philip & Karen Cross) at 5PM
Led by: Sam Torbett & Philip Cross

6290 Stokes Road (Greg & Laura Jackson) at 4PM
Led by: Scott Steele & Greg Jackson

Childcare for Birth-PreK not available at this time.

ELDERS AND DEACONS:

These men are responsible for hospital visitation and are available to anyone who has needs.

Elder Fred Rike…….. 227-4208
Elder Andrew Siefker…...212-4410
Elder Rex Stephenson…...942-9537
Elder Scott Steele . (562) 665-1349
Elder JT Smith……..... 656-6205

Deacon Charles Harrison...653-4386
Deacon Jerry Walls……...944-1876