

February 14, 2021

Ministers – Every Member

Announcements

Lord's Supper Celebration

We will be celebrating the Lord's Supper **today during the morning service**. A retiring offering for benevolence will be taken at the end of the service.

Junior and Teen Camp Registration

Parents, if your teen is interested in going to camp this summer, **today is the day to sign them up!** See Pastor Matt Utley (matt.utley@tricityministries.org) for more information.

Parents of junior campers, if you are interested in your child attending summer camp, contact Pastor Bryan Miller (bryan.miller@phoenix.edu) for sign-up instructions.



Sunday Evening Series: Joseph

Join us **tonight at 6:00 p.m.** as Pastor Endean continues a the sermon series, *Joseph: Surviving and Thriving When Life Isn't Fair*. Tonight's message will be from Genesis 42-45, "True Repentance Brings Real Change."

Men's Prayer Breakfast

Join us **this Saturday, February 20, at 8:00 a.m.** in the Fellowship Hall for our monthly Men's Prayer Breakfast. Make a point of fellowshipping, praying, and developing Biblical goals for yourself, your family, and the church. Enjoy the breakfast for \$3. Invite someone to come with you!

New Members Class: Doorway Fellowship

Our next New Members Class (Doorway Fellowship) begins **Sunday, March 14.** This is a great opportunity for prospective members to connect with Pastor Ken. Topics from theology to church operations and more will be addressed during this class. **Sign up at the Welcome Center** or contact the church office at **480-245-7900** or *info@tricityministries.org*.

Awana Grand Prix

The Awana Grand Prix will be held on Sunday, March 21! **Buy your car today in the lobby** after the morning service or at the Awana office Sunday night. Cars will also be available during the week at the Welcome Center.

Missionary Update



Angel & Margaret Espada Puerto Rico

Prayer Requests

- Salvation of souls
- Opportunities to share the gospel
- Faithfulness of believers

Praises

- Having regular services
- New visitors in spite of COVID-19
- Teaching at Puerto Rico Baptist College
- Several preparing to be baptized

Nursery Workers

	Babies	Toddlers	2s	3s
Morning Service 9:20 a.m., Feb 14	Lisa Caupp, Pat Foote	Tricia, Kallei, & Lara Brown, Alyssa DeFord	Monica & Kinley Stinson, Tiffany Graham	
ABF 10:50 a.m., Feb 14	Kerry Oliver, Katrina Mattingly	Anna Collins, Michelle McDonnell, Desiree Haney	Kimberly Endean, Sarah Dublin, Christine & Grace Johnson	
Evening Service 5:50 p.m., Feb 14	Ruth Chestnut, Elizabeth Russell	Alyssa Fisher, Lindsay Lawson		
Wednesday 6:00 p.m., Feb 17	Erin Mendoza, Arlene Hale	Amy Pluth, Michelle McDonnell, Monica Stinson		
Morning Service 9:20 a.m., Feb 21	Amanda Stevens, Katy Sampson	Karen Hollowell, Sarah Horton	Nicole, Noelle, & Kyria Teachout	
ABF 10:50 a.m., Feb 21	Colette Olson, Hannah Curran	Eliza Mayoral, Ashley Moffitt, Desiree Haney	Kimberly Endean, Sarah Dublin, Esther Beetler	
Evening Service 5:50 p.m., Feb 21	Larri Templeton, Kara Paine	Amy Pluth, Tori Hine, Katrina Mattingly		
Wednesday 6:00 p.m., Feb 24	Becca Moffit,	Bethany & Macy Mestler, Stephanie Darley		

Further Considerations

1 John 4:7-11

How do John 4:24 and 1 John 1:5 come to bear on the statement that "God is love"? How is God's love communicated to us? What is the cultural view of love today? How does 1 John 4:10 provide a view of true, Biblical love? What was there in us that would have been attractive to God?

1 John 4:12-16

What is the correlation between the fact that "no one has seen God" and believers demonstrating love? How is God's love displayed according to these verses? What was the "world's" attitude toward God when He sent His Son? What does this teach us about how we are to love other people? Read 1 Corinthians 13:4-7. What do these verses say about love? Why is it difficult to exhibit these characteristics? How can we improve in these areas?

1 John 4:17-21

What impact does love have on our view of God's judgment? Why does a believer not need to fear? How does v. 10 help explain this section? How does our love for other believers impact our fellowship with God? Has the Lord brought someone to mind toward whom you need to manifest Biblical love?

Pray For Us

Pastor: Nathan Mestler (wife Bethany; children Macy, Levi, Grant, and Brynn)

Deacon: Rajkumar Oliver (wife Sushila)

IBM Missionary: George and Lexie Binoka, MayLee—Kenya

Vocational Staff: Theresa Trogen (husband Ken; daughter Ashlee), Lee Will (wife Joyce), Kacey Yarnell, Larry & Leslie Ball (son Taylor), Jenny Beachler, Lauren Brady (husband Clayton; sons Michael & Canaan), Paul Brown (wife Tricia; children Kallei, Lara, Junior, & Teagan), Michael Bryson (wife Marea; children Lucas, Haleigh, & Ian), Sam Bullock (wife Rachel; children Kara, Aaron, & Eva), Jess Chamberlain (wife Jean), Kimberly Collins, Peter & Leslie Davis, Alyssa DeFord, Daryl DeGraw (wife Lisa), Norma Dominguez (husband Robbie)

Sermon Notes

Loving Others as God Loves Them

Speaker: Pastor Ken Endean **Text:** 1 John 4:7-21

Because God loves His children, His children will love each other.

As a Christian you will love other believers because	
. You	that God is love—vv. 7-11
I. You are	in God's love—vv. 12-16
II. You are	in God's love—vv. 17-21
Personal Applications	
You cannot love your neighbor properly until your for God is the	
The better you know God, the moreit becomes to love other Christians.	
By demonstrating Biblical love toindividuals, you display Christlikeness.	
Because of God's love towards you, you have for not loving other Christians.	

Upcoming Events

Date	Event	Time	Location
TODAY	Lord's Supper Celebration	9:30 a.m.	Auditorium
	Ignite Camp Registration		
Feb 15	President's Day: No TCA or IBCS		
Feb 19	TCA Grandparents Day #1		
Feb 19-25	TCA Book Fair		
Feb 20	Men's Prayer Breakfast	8:00 a.m.	Fellowship Hall
Feb 22	TCA Grandparents Day #2		
Mar 8-12	Spring Break		
Mar 14	New Members Class (Doorway Fellowship) Begins	11:00 a.m.	A-268

For more information, see the website calendar at tricityministries.org

ABF - Adult Bible Fellowship

Awana - Children's program for grades K5 through 8th

IBCS - International Baptist College & Seminary

IBM - International Baptist Missions

Ignite - Teen Ministry

Re:Vive - College-Age Minstry

TBC - Tri-City Baptist Church

TCA - Tri-City Christian Academy

TFT - Time For Tots Preschool & Kindergarten Prep.

Regular Weekly Schedule

Sunday	
Prayer for Sunday Services (A-199)	8:45 a.m.
Morning Worship Service	9:30 a.m.
Children's Sunday School	11:00 a.m.
Adult Bible Fellowships	11:00 a.m.
Choir Rehearsal	4:45 p.m.
Prayer Meeting (A-130)	5:15 p.m.
Evening Preaching Service	6:00 p.m.
Awana Clubs	6:00 p.m.
Spanish Preaching Service (D-140)	6:00 p.m.
Tuesday	
Ladies Bible Study (A-222)	9:00 a.m.
Wednesday	
Women at the Well Care and Share Group	3:00 p.m.
Ignite Youth Group	6:00 p.m.
Joyful Noise! Children's Music Program (A-256)	6:15 p.m.
Care and Share Groups	6:15 p.m.
Gilbert Care and Share Group	6:30 p.m.
Spanish Care and Share Group	6:15 p.m.
Re:Vive Care and Share Group	
Saturday Men's Prayer Fellowship	7:00 a.m.
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TBC Staff

Senior Pastor
Executive Pastor
Assistant Pastor
Music Pastor
Hispanic Ministry Pastor
Children's Pastor
Youth Pastor
College Pastor
Young Adults Pastor
Adult Ministries Pastor
Senior Adults Pastor
Ladies Ministry
Awana Directors
Chief Financial Officer

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Dr. Ken Endean Jeff Caupp Dan Olson Dave Stertzbach Randy Hernandez Bryan Miller Matt Utley Nathan Mestler **Daniel Llorente** Jason McDonnell Jim Sproul Celeste Parkinson Paula Mostrom, Pat Foote Matt Eberle Jarid Lawson Lauren Brady

Pastor Nathan Mestler

Dr. Larry Ball

Philosophical: What We Believe

Tri-City Baptist Church affirms that...

- Psalm 37 guides us to trust in the Lord, commit our ways to the Lord, rest in the Lord, and wait on the Lord.
- Our Lord knows of our needs, cares for us, and will be our strength in the time of trouble.
- We live by faith and not by fear.

Practical: What We Do

Tri-City Baptist Church...

- Prays: we call upon the Lord in our time of need.
- Seeks the Lord, corporately and individually, to keep us protected and trust Him to do so.
- Leads by example with pastoral staff wearing masks when physical distancing is not possible.
- Encourages all to wear masks when physical distancing is not possible.
- Supplies masks that are free for all to take and to use both on campus and off campus.
- Encourages folks to stay home if they are not feeling well or if they are uncomfortable with meeting.
- Encourages personal quarantine for those who are symptomatic.
- Supplies live and recorded broadcasts of our services for any to watch.
- Has removed many of our auditorium chairs so that physical distancing is possible and constant.
- Encourages families to sit together following the White House staff agreement that 1 family equals 1 attendee.
- Refrains from passing offering plates, handshaking, and promoting physical contact.
- Professionally disinfects main areas of the TBC building including the Fellowship Hall, Nursery, and Gym.

- Employs consistent professional cleaning of our playgrounds and play structures.
- Spreads out tables and chairs in our classrooms, capping the maximum number allowed in various rooms.
- Varies the pick-up and drop off areas for children both from school and from children's ministries.
- Provides cleaning supplies for classrooms and common areas and cleans touchpoints (chairs, tables, desks, light switches, and doorknobs) on a consistent basis.
- Publicizes expectations and encouragements related to actively fighting COVID and the spread of the virus.
- Relies on our up-to-date air exchange system to bring fresh air into the building at a higher than normal rate.
- Has installed five (5) automatic hand sanitizers around campus.
- Actively listens to the concerns and suggestions of our members.
- Continues to stay up-to-date with the local, national, and international news and updates on the virus.
- Abides with the spirit of the Chandler proclamations and the will of our Governor.