Prayer needs:

<u>School-related prayer:</u> Please pray for students, teachers & parents and administrators during this time of restrictions and for the success of e-learning & homeschool teaching.

College student: Hunter Stogsdill, Indiana University

<u>Public safety:</u> Please pray for the safety & well-being of our law enforcement, healthcare workers, grocery, pharmacy & restaurant employees. For everyone still required to work away from home.

<u>Health</u>: Our friends battling cancer: Bob Turner (Rusty Turner's father); Betty Patton (Terri Wainscott's mother); Riley (10 y/o son of Vicki Tarrence's cousin), leukemia; Kim Henson; Tammie Deckard (relative of Markland's); Steve Cox (brother-in-law of Karen Anderson/Donna Keith); Col. Allen; Jim Glaser (Kathleen's brother); Ronda Kinser & Linda Whicker (friends of Madi A.); Jim Ervin (Mike's brother); Tom Stierwalt (Gail Horn's cousin); Camy Quiggins (niece of Chad & Terri Dow)

Other prayer needs & health concerns: Karen Warner; Logan St. John (Michael & Jamie's son), Lyme disease; Nancy King; Bryan Phillips (friend of Query's), stroke; Kathryn Anderson (Rob & Becca's daughter), Lyme disease; Layla Hamm; Ryan Laws (13 y.o. friend of Grandi's); Dave Murphy (Mark's brother); Berkley Groomer; Wendy Mader; Payslee (newborn, friend of Chambers); Crystal Wyatt; Josh Murphy (Mark & Dawn's nephew); Vicki Hollowell (Jo Grandi's sister); Mike Barger; Jerry Standeford; Heidi Lillard (Phil & Karen Eckart's daughter); Grace Pendleton; Joshua Stuiso.

<u>Healthy pregnancy:</u> Emily Pavich (expecting twins); Mehgan Clemens (Mark & Holli Truesdel's daughter)

Recovery: Kathy Talkington; Cheryl Smith, surgery; Brent Talkington, surgery; Alexander Chambers, surgery; Jake Hutchison (Caleb's cousin)

<u>Military:</u> Phillip Morrow; Chris Erb, North Carolina; Jacob Cutler; Sam Allen; Jessica Parmer, in Colorado; James Sparks; Shane Hickman (Linda St. John's nephew), in Idaho; Nick Hickman (Linda St. John's nephew), in Colorado. Please keep all our military service people and their families in prayer.

For Your Information: If we are here alone, the door will be locked for security. Please knock or call us and we'll come to the door! Bill & Ryan are available whenever there is a need. Church office: (812)828-9840

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To connect people to Jesus

Our vision:

Be passionate pursuers of Christ Be models of truth and love Be involved in our community



April 5, 2020



Your OVCF ministry staff and leaders are working together to make wise decisions for our church family as a whole. Please watch for updates on our church Facebook page, via e-mail and our website www.ovcf.org. We will do our best to keep you updated in a thoughtful & timely manner. *You may go to our FB page, Owen Valley Christian Fellowship & request to join if you

are not currently part of our group. At this time, all activities are cancelled through April 30th.



Until we are able to meet again in person, you're welcome to drop off (we now have a mailbox @ the east entrance!) or mail in your tithes & offerings. Feel free to use these options as we still have bills to pay and missions to support. Please check with the church office to make sure we are here if you plan to come by the office.

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- We will meet virtually! Join our Facebook group or find us online at www.ovcf.org for the podcast.
- All the day's offering will be given to Missions, unless designated.

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We will also upload it to our Facebook page,

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Volunteer Appreciation Night

at the Tivoli Theatre is tentatively

rescheduled for Sunday, May 3.

April 5, 2020 2020 Theme: Truth Series: More Than A Man

Title: Why?

Scripture: Isaiah 52:13-53:12



I. THE CERTAINTY OF HIS DEATH

Did Jesus really die? Some facts:

- 1. Jesus repeatedly said this would happen.
- 2. Pilate delivered Him to be crucified.
- 3. The Romans designed crucifixion to make sure the person was dead.
- 4. The Romans scourged Jesus within an inch of his life.
- 5. The centurion at the cross pronounced him dead.
- 6. They put Him in a tomb guarded by centurions.

II. THE SIGNIFICANCE OF HIS DEATH

Please turn to Acts 8 for an important exchange.

- 3 highlights found in our Scripture passage:
 - 1) 52:13-15- Revealed Israel's Messiah and King would both (<u>suffer and be exalted</u>).
 - 2) 53: 4-6- Graphic description of Jesus' suffering and death. You are reading about a doctrine called (<u>penal substitution</u>). It is a fancy way of saying, "Jesus paid the penalty for our sin."
 - The wrong perception in this verse: "by his stripes we are healed."
 - 3) 53: 7-10- Jesus was (<u>submissive</u>) to His Father in His death.
 - Check out I P.2:21b-24.

NEXT WEEK:

<u>Theme</u>: Truth/<u>Series</u>: More Than a Man (2 weeks) <u>Title</u>: Seriously? Acts 2: 29-36