

# June 13, 2021 The Lord's Day

Welcome....We are so glad that you have joined with us today for worship, Bible teaching and fellowship. We trust that God may be glorified in our midst and that you might be strengthened in your faith and encouraged in your walk with the Lord Jesus. If you have not already done so, please sign our guest book today before you leave. Thanks!

**Sunday Bible School @ 9:30 a.m.**

**Message: "No Murmuring Allowed!"**

**Scripture Reading: 1 Corinthians 10:1-13**

**Evening Service @ 6:30 p.m.**

**PM: Message: "Be Not Ignorant"**

**Scripture Reading: 1 Thessalonians 4:1-18**

Today we go back to our normal schedule of Sunday services. I am so thankful to the LORD our God for His answer to our prayer to relax the restrictions on our Sunday gatherings. I believe that it was the providential hand of God that moved the 'powers-that-be' to change restrictions in Step 1 of Reopening from 'no change' to 15%. This gives us 26.25 people to be together...albeit with health measures continuing... Welcome back...Together!! ~ pb

**Prayer Meetings on Wednesdays 10:30 a.m. and 7 p.m.**

## Intelligent Artists

And let the beauty of the LORD our God be upon us: and establish thou the work of our hands upon us; yea, the work of our hands establish thou it. (Psalm 90:17)



The ancient, yet beautiful, paintings in the Lascaux cave in France were discovered more than 80 years ago. The paintings are thousands of years old and there seems to be no other record of the painters. In those 80 years,

researchers studying the paintings have deepened their admiration for the intelligence and skill of the artists.

Researchers have found the scaffolding used by the artists as well as the stone lamps they used to light the work area. The palettes and even the pigments still on the palettes have also been found. Using scanning electron microscopes and other high-tech equipment, researchers learned that the artists collected a range of local minerals. Mineral deposits within 15 kilometres of the cave were able to provide a full range of colours. The minerals were ground into fine powder and mixed to create pigmented paints that hold their colour and beauty to this day.

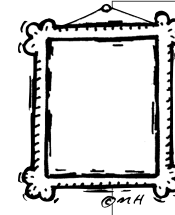
As we look around the creation, we can clearly see that our Creator has a love for beauty. When He made us, He gave that appreciation for beauty to us as well. However, in our day we have also seen how man's rebellion against God can twist art into ugliness and evil. Christians today need to face the question of what is art and what isn't. As we do this, we can ask ourselves whether a given piece of art reflects our Creator's love of beauty, or whether it reflects the ugliness of man's sin and rebellion against his Creator.

Ref: Ivars Peterson. "Pigment Processing for Cave Paintings." Science News, Vol. 125, p. 348. Photo: Lascaux cave painting. Public Domain.

Creation Moments : "Churches may freely copy these bulletin inserts"

## Coming Up

Tues June 15 ~ Missions Committee meeting - 1pm  
Sun June 20 ~ Father's Day...God bless our Dads!  
Tues June 22 ~ P&D meeting - 1pm  
Thurs July 1 ~ Canada Day...God bless our Land!  
Sat July 24 ~ 6 Month Business Meeting - 10:30am



We are planning to make a 25th anniversary history book for Berean... we are looking for photos (printed and/or digital) and personal remembrances from years 2007-Present... if you are able to help with these resources, please let Pastor Bruce know.

## Happy Birthday

TODAY!!...Dave McCracken  
June 20...Seth Little

## Happy Anniversary

July 1...Robert & Linda Wilkinson  
July 7...Greg & Amanda Little  
July 13...Dan & Jan Fletcher



Last Week's Attendance  
SBS suspended, AM 9+8+10, PM - suspended  
Prayer Meetings -4+6

"The issue of faith is not so much whether we believe in God, but whether we believe the God we believe in." R.C. Sproul

## New Prayer Chorus

It will be worth it all -  
When we see Jesus,  
Life's trials will seem so small -  
When we see Christ;  
One glimpse of His dear face -  
All sorrow will erase,  
So bravely run the race -  
Till we see Christ



### Lockdown

Well...things have certainly changed in a week... PTL! We thought that Step1 would begin tomorrow, June 14, but instead it began last Friday. We thought that we wouldn't be back all together until Step2 in July, but instead Step1 was changed to 15% for indoor 'religious' worship gatherings!!

So...we immediately made plans to go back to normal Sunday schedule for services for today... Step2 (which will begin..maybe... on July 2) will also relax attendance restrictions to 25% (43.75 people for us) for indoor worship.

Let's thank and praise the LORD for His grace and provision for us as a church family to be back together again.

As many of you know I have been in the hospital since a heart attack on June 23. But I am on the long road of recovery and I'm very anxious to share with you the many, many blessing the Lord has given me. However, that will need to come at a later date after I have gained some strength.

For now I just want to say a big "Thank you" and express my appreciation for all the prayer, notes of encouragement and reminders of what Christian love is all about. Until then please know that I am rejoicing in God's goodness to me. Emory

### Missionaries of the Month

Benjamin & Jackie Reimer - Liberia

Praise and Prayer

- Pray for answers regarding Emmalyn's health
- Pray for Temple Baptist Church in our absence
- Pray for a profitable furlough time•

Praise God that Emmalyn is currently well

- Praise God for His abundant provision

Emmalyn - Since she was treated in Montreal, Emmalyn has not had any respiratory relapses. She has had a number of appointments with pediatric specialists (and more upcoming), and each of them have said that she looks to be in good health. Her immunologist requested ten (10) vials of blood to be drawn from her to enable

them to do immune testing, and also have extra banked for possible genetic testing in the future. They are also apparently still waiting on some information to be sent to them from her tests done in Montreal. We don't have any answers yet, beyond what we have known for a while.

**Missionary News:** Papua, New Guinea. An MAF Kodiak airplane was burned by an armed group of men after a flight serving an isolated village. This is a disappointment to us all, but we have assurance that our Sovereign God has a plan that is above us all and that this situation will bring Him glory. After over two months, Team Nabire now has a new plane. Please pray for protection for years to come, so that many who are isolated here will have the opportunity to receive the the love of Jesus and respond to His gospel.

### Just For Fun

- Pobody is nerfect.
- Mom: Did you have a good day at school today? 6 yr old: That's not how school works.
- I'm so tired. Could someone just spin my propeller for me?
- Why is it, out of the 50 Chapsticks you buy every year you can only ever find two?
- Remember when you used to be able to call a person 57 times and hang up and they never knew it was you? Good times.
- When I talk to myself , it's because I need expert advice.

Budget Notes for Last Week	
Tithes & Offerings	
Missions @ 17%	\$832.00
Ministry (\$1896 req'd)	\$4058.80
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$4,890.80</b>
Designated:	
Missions	\$615.00
Benevolent	\$70.00
Miscellaneous	\$50.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$735.00</b>
<b>Total Receipts for the Day</b>	<b>\$5625.80</b>

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the  
Scriptures  
Daily..."

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**...to the Glory of God!!**