



**MAN LOOKS AT THE
OUTWARD APPEARANCE,
BUT THE LORD
LOOKS AT
THE HEART.
1 SAMUEL 16:7**

Unshakable in 2021

“Therefore, let us all be thankful that we are a part of an unshakable Kingdom & offer to God worship that pleases Him & reflects the awe & reverence we have toward Him” – Hebrews 12:28

“What does the Bible say about ‘Race’?”

Welcome to St. Paul!

We always thank God for all of you and pray for you constantly.

~ 1-Thessalonians 1:2

Welcome

Together: God is so wise. (Job 9:4)

All the time and I am a witness.

Opening Song “The Church’s One Foundation”

Prayer/Opening Announcements

Psalm 50:4-6 (NKJV)

⁴ He shall call to the heavens from above,

And to the earth, that He may judge His people:

⁵ “Gather My saints together to Me,

Those who have made a covenant with Me by sacrifice.”

⁶ Let the heavens declare His righteousness,

For God Himself is Judge.

Old Testament Reading ... 1 Samuel 16:4-7 (CEB)

⁴ Samuel did what the Lord instructed. When he came to Bethlehem, the city elders came to meet him. They were shaking with fear. “Do you come in peace?” they asked. ⁵ “Yes,” Samuel answered. “I’ve come to make a sacrifice to the Lord. Now make yourselves holy, then come with me to the sacrifice.” Samuel made Jesse and his sons holy and invited them to the sacrifice as well. ⁶ When they arrived, Samuel looked at Eliab and thought, That must be the Lord’s anointed right in front. ⁷ But the Lord said to Samuel, “Have no regard for his appearance or stature, because I haven’t selected him. God doesn’t look at things like humans do. Humans see only what is visible to the eyes, but the Lord sees into the heart.”

New Testament Reading ... Galatians 3:26-29 (NIV)

Focus of Message

²⁶ So in Christ Jesus you are all children of God through faith, ²⁷ for all of you who were baptized into Christ have clothed yourselves with Christ.

²⁸ There is neither Jew nor Gentile, neither slave nor free, nor is there male and female, for you are all one in Christ Jesus. ²⁹ If you belong to Christ, then you are Abraham’s seed, and heirs according to the promise.

Gospel Reading ... Matthew 23:8-12 (NASB)

⁸ But as for you, do not be called Rabbi; for *only* One is your Teacher, and you are all brothers *and sisters*. ⁹ And do not call *anyone* on earth your father; for *only* One is your Father, He who is in heaven. ¹⁰ And do not be called leaders; for *only* One is your Leader, *that is*, Christ. ¹¹ But the greatest of you shall be your servant. ¹² Whoever exalts himself shall be humbled, and whoever humbles himself shall be exalted.

P The Gospel of the Lord.

C Praise to You, O Christ.

Children’s Message Laurie Lentz

Message “What does the Bible say about ‘Race’?”

Worship Song “My Hope is Built On Nothing Less”

Prayers

The Lord’s Prayer

Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day He rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, The holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Confession & Words of Assurance

P: Most Merciful God,

C: I confess my sins to You. I have sinned against You in thought, word and deed by what I have done and by what I have left undone. I have not loved You with my whole heart; I have not loved my neighbor as myself. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on me. Forgive me, renew me, and lead me, so that I may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways, to the glory of Your Holy Name. Amen.

Holy Communion

We welcome all believers in Jesus Christ and are baptized into Him. We usually commune children from fifth grade on. Other children will receive a blessing.

Closing Song Doxology

Benediction

A: Choose this day whom you will serve.

C: As for me and my house, we will serve the Lord.

Postlude

Serving Today

Presiding Minister Beverly Kelling
Ushers..... Jody Jacobs & Stuart Franke
Lector..... Lee Ann Runnels
Acolyte..... Lazarus Deleon & Collin Sprenger
Pianist..... Rhiannon Smith
Guitarist Jody Jacobs
Organist..... Grace Reed
Vocals..... Kathy Carrigan, Lynda Halbardier,
David Hershberger & Jan Sprenger

*Altar flowers are given in thanks to God for His abundant blessings
by Rod & Betty Prewitt.*

The Sanctuary Lamp shines brightly for the glory of God!

Responsibilities: May 23rd

Flowers: Beverly Kelling

Sanctuary Lamp: Beverly Kelling

Ushers: Loraine Miller & Dianne Bradley

Lector: Pam Westbrook **Acolytes:** Wesley Nickols & Colton Wiemers



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“And never stop praying.”

~ 1Thessalonians 5:17

Healing & Comfort:

Helen Jones, Raquel Fair, Alycea Snowden, Susie Carroll, Bill Reus, Betty Newman, Cindy Fitzgerald, Euona Rathjen, Nora Luna, Mark Reus, Lynda Hook, Cece Rogers, Matthew Hook, Dorothy Wells, Pat Dunn, Bridget Weir, Imelda Gallardo & Penny Soliz.

Homebound and Nursing Homes:

Brian Boehle, Mabel Jackson, Marian Lindeburg, Ottalie Schmidt, Mary Beyer & Bernice Lehmborg.

Active Military:

Sean Stewart, Larry & Teresa Sullivan, Adriel Schoenhals, Kelly Mueller, John Howerton, Rebecca Bryant, Patrick Green, Riley Lynch, Collin Bezely, Briana Jernigan, Kephren Adams, Kendle Adams, Clayton Reed, Les & Rachel Armstrong, Desiree (Warner) Pointer, Joshua Fair, Heath Runnels & Ethan Kammer.

Birthdays this Week:

Jeanelle Proctor, Craig Luedke, Julie Cowan, Hannah Guenther, Lauren Guenther, Jason Molitor, Jaynelle Reed, Brian Boehle, Keith Solbrig, Sandy Porter, Nikolaus Barlow & Michael Beard



Prayer Ministry

Email – Don Krumrey: dkrum45@att.net

Individual Prayer – offered at the end of service

Contact: Don Krumrey (830-741-9991)

Shirley Krumrey (830-931-4311)

Kathy Carrigan (830-363-7510)



If you are interested in becoming a member please let Pastor Beverly know or contact the church office at (830)426-3222.

“Come As You Are” ~ 6pm Worship Service

May 19th – Open Mic

May 26th – Diane Cosgrove

THIS WEEK AT ST PAUL

Sunday, May 16th

9:00am Worship Service
10:00am Fellowship
10:30am Sunday School (Join Us!)

Monday, May 17th

6:00pm Women's Bible Study

Tuesday, May 18th

7:00am Prayer Group
6:00pm Women's Bible Study
(Education Bldg)
7:00pm Council Meeting

Wednesday, May 19th

6:00 "Come As You Are"
High School meeting after worship
7:00pm Bible Study

Thursday, May 20th

Office Closed

Friday, May 21st

Newsletter Deadline

Saturday, May 22nd

Sunday, May 23rd

PENTECOST SUNDAY

SENIOR SUNDAY

9:00am Worship
"Filled with Shock & Awe"

TACO SUNDAY

10:00am Fellowship
10:30am Sunday School (Join Us!)

**Senior Sunday & Taco Sunday
has been rescheduled for
May 23rd Pentecost Sunday**

Congratulations
to Mallory Matthews on an
outstanding game of golf at the
state competition this past week
that earned her
second place in the
State of Texas!!
Mallory is the daughter of
Mark & Amy Matthews and is a
junior at Hondo High School.



Congratulations to
Tres & Stephanie Summerlin
on the baptism of their son
Layne Harvey Summerlin
happening today!
Grandparents are
Scott & Stacey Saathoff and
Kristi & Newell Summerlin.
Godparents are
Lexie & Connor Hoffman

What the Bible says about Race

Question: How does the Bible define race?

Know: "Bible reveals that all people who have ever lived are descendants of Adam & Eve."

Adam(ah) is Hebrew for: ' _____ ',
' _____ ' & ' _____ '.

"Then the Lord God formed the man of dust from the ground, & breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and the man became a living person" Genesis 2:7

The _____ is without any racial distinction for
_____ or _____.

"So in Christ Jesus you are all children of God through faith," Galatians 3:26

In _____,

God establishes _____ in

_____ which existed before the Fall.

"There is neither Jew nor Gentile, neither slave nor free, nor is there male & female, for you are all one in Christ Jesus." Galatians 3:28

When we are in Christ, we find our _____

in _____ & _____.

"If you belong to Christ, then you are Abraham's seed, & heirs according to the promise."
Galatians 3:29

KEEPER: "Every Christian is a part of the family of God & this means that all Christians are brothers & sisters in Christ."

***Interesting Documentary: "Human Zoos" by John G. West.**