

NEWSLETTER - MAY 2, 2024 705 E. RICKENBACKER DR. MWC. OK. 73110 **SUNDAY**

SUNDAY SCHOOL WORSHIP

9:00AM 10:15AM

WEDNESDAY

FELLOWSHIP MEAL 5:00PM BIBLE STUDY 6:00PM

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS MON - THURS: 8:30AM-5:00PM

Church Family,

On Sunday, we began a new series of sermons that I have entitled *Contending for the Faith:* A Study Through the Epistle of Jude. Jude is a short first-century letter that God preserved as a gift for His church. In it, Jude offers correction to a church that has fallen prey to false teaching influenced by the prevailing culture. He calls this church "to contend for the faith that was once for all delivered to the saints." In our culture of confusion today, God's people must again embrace this call to contend for the faith. My prayer for our church is that God, through His Word, would equip us over the next several weeks, as we study Jude together, to be faithful to our calling. Jude's corrections are sharp, but I trust God will use them for our good and His glory in the days ahead. I love you church family.

In Christ, Pastor Trey



REECE'S PIECES- REASON ENOUGH

"The eyes of the Lord search the whole earth in order to strengthen those whose hearts are fully committed to him" (2 Chronicles 16:9). As Pastor Trey preaches through the book of Jude, we will all be challenged to be fully committed to Jesus as Lord. When false teachers infiltrated the church in Jude's day, he asked the followers of Christ to "contend for the faith" (Jude 3). Over two-thousand years later, church members are still contending for the faith as we are pressured by our world to accept false teachers, false religions, and a smorgasbord of false ideas about salvation and truth. We are asked to "water down" our faith and our values and accept alternate means of salvation. We must decide, "Is there reason enough to believe in Jesus as Savior and Inrd?"

Songwriters Ernie Haase, Wayne Haun, and Joel Lindsay sought to answer that question when they wrote their song, "Reason Enough." They wrote the following lyrics that the choir will sing this Sunday.

You have walked me through the valley of the shadows dark and low; And that's reason enough to believe.

You have shown me endless mercy; O why, I'll never know; And that's reason enough to believe.

So I won't wait for signs and wonders to teach me how to trust; 'Cause You've already proven, Lord, the depths of Your great love. You took the cross so willingly and spilled Your precious blood; And that's reason enough to believe.

The beginning of the second verse says, "When I took Your grace for granted, You granted even more; and that's reason enough to believe..." It is God's amazing grace that gives salvation to all who accept Jesus as Savior by faith in Christ alone. Let's fully commit to live for Christ as we praise and glorify Him!

WORSHIP ARTS CAMP FOR KIDS WORSHIP ARTS CAMP FOR KIDS JULY 22-24 AGES: COMPLETED 3RD - 6TH GRADE COST: \$50 SIGN-UP: NOW DEADLINE: JULY 14 PROGRAM: JULY 24 @ QUAIL SPRINGS BAPTIST CHURCH SEE REECE OR BRIANNA TO SIGN-UP

STUDENT MINISTRY

Summer Sunday Activities

9:00 AM Sunday School 10:15 AM Worship Service

Midweek Summer Services in the Fuquay

(Wednesdays)

5:30 PM Doors Open 6:00 PM Service Starts

Graduation Sunday- May 19

Graduate Breakfast: 8:30 AM
Worship: 10:15 AM

Make Reservations & Email Pictures by May 15

Midweek Summer Kickoff/
Falls Creek Sign-up Party
May 15th 6:00-8:00 PM

Slip-and-slide kickball, Water balloon fight, Food, & Raffle Prizes Bring a friend!

FALLS CREEK

Camp dates: July 1st-6th!
Parent/Camper meeting June 12th @ 8:00 PM
Sign-up deadline Wednesday June 26th
Cost: \$135.00

