WELCOME! We're glad you're here and have decided to join us today!

We pray and expect you will connect with God and have an experience with the Holy Spirit who heals, guides, comforts and saves.

TEACHER: Pastor Garry Nyenhuis

SCRIPTURE: Today, we follow Easter by reading John 20:19-31.

# SUMMARY: In this passage, we read of Jesus appearing to the disciples after His death and we focus on several questions:

- Why did the disciples continue to meet? What was it that drew them together? Are there similarities for us today?
- Do we need to question what the purpose of our meeting is? Do we have something that ties us together?

# As we attempt to apply these lessons to our lives, could it be that we are called to one or all of the following action steps?

- What are you scared of? What is it that you haven't handed over to God and are holding on to as a fear? Name it. Write it down. Pray it. Tell God of your fear.
- 2. What do you need? Not what do you THINK you need, but what do you REALLY NEED? Could it be that you already have it? Think through what this means in your life.
- 3. What have you been sent to? What have you been tasked with? Have you identified your specific job that God has placed on your life? What are you uniquely positioned to do? Identify it and own it as your calling.

NOTES:

## **OUR FAMILY**

<u>PRAY</u>: Please pray for Angela Fearnow's dad, Bill Kibby, who lives in Oklahoma; Bill is experiencing mini strokes. (SH)

<u>PRAY</u>: Please continue prayers for April Sunday who has been struggling with heart issues again recently. She is on bedrest at home until she is scheduled for surgery at Mayo Clinic. (OC)

Next Sunday (Apr 15)

Sun, Apr 8

11:00am - Please plan to join us for a Huddle Meeting following the worship service at both campuses to review and discuss the LW finances

**6:00pm** - Combined Abuse Caregiver Session - all who attended the training sessions at either the OC or SH Campus are invited to attend.

# 9:30am Coffee Shoppe 10:00am Worship

Mon, Apr 9
7:00pm Council Mtg (OC)

Tues, Apr 10
7:00pm Women's Bible Study (SH)
8:30pm Post-high Bible Study (OC)

Wed, Apr 11
6:45pm OC Gems - Immanuel CRC OC
6:45pm OC Cadets - Calvary CRC OC
7:00pm Overflow (OC)
7:00pm Apris Council (SLI)

7:00pm Men's Group (SH)

Meet at SH Pizza Ranch

Fri, Apr 13 7:00pm Financial Peace Class (SH)

Questions? Contact Jason Vander Berg

712-363-4643

<u>Sat, Apr 14</u> 10:00am Chemical Dependency Support - 12 step (OC)

## CALENDAR BEYOND THIS WEEK

Mon, Apr 16 - 6:00pm - Unity Meal (SH) - This is a free meal; everyone is invited!

Fri, Apr 27 - 7:00pm - Men's Movie Night (held at the SH Campus) "The Heart of Man." Anyone 18 years or older is invited; popcorn and pop will be provided. There will be a message and discussion time after the movie. If you have any questions contact Dale Schmidt 712-324-1117.

### **GET INVOLVED**

#### **INFANTS**

**NURSERY:** Nursery is available throughout the service for newborns thru 2 years The nursery is located in the room next to the kitchen.

#### CHILDREN

**LITTLE TREASURES:** Sunday school for 3 yrs and older

Meets in the large room by the nursery the last Sunday of each month

#### YOUTH

OVERFLOW: 9th-12th grade. Meets from 7:00-8:30pm on Wednesday (OC)

GEMS: Girls 4th-8th grade. Meets from 7:00-8:30pm @ Immanuel CRC (SH)

1st and 3rd Wed evenings For more info contact Julie 712-230-2372

**CADETS:** Boys 4th-8th grade. Meets from 7:00-8:30pm @ 1st CRC (SH)

1st and 3rd Wed evenings.

#### ADULTS/FAMILIES

**SECOND SUNDAY:** An ongoing project of collecting food items on the second Sunday of each month. Requested donations will be announced prior to the second Sunday. On the second Sunday, donations can be placed in the grocery cart in the front lobby area. Items will be placed in the Sheldon Living Water Food Closet and given to those in need and in partnership with Love, INC.

**COMMUNITY GROUPS:** Small groups of people who enjoy staying connected to each other by discussing life, studying scripture, playing, eating, serving, and investing in one another. Contact Shirley Elgersma shirleyelgersma@gmail.com

<u>7-4-3 GROUPS</u>: Groups of about 7 people gathering for a meal 4 times over a 3 month period. Contact Shirley Elgersma shirleyelgersma@gmail.com

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY: Bible study, fellowship and prayer for men -college-age or older. Meets 2x a month on Wednesday evenings beginning at 7:00pm. For more info, contact Dale Schmidt at dschmidt19@msn.com

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY: Meets every other Tuesday evening at 7:00pm. For more info contact Nicole Tubergen ncltbrgn@gmail.com Brittany Negus bklaahsen@gmail.com or Sara Wolthuizen sarawolthuizen@hotmail.com

#### **CHURCH STAFF:**

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