

### Shepherds

Jason Bryan  
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Casey Flint  
Matt Hayes  
Taylor Keith  
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Darren Pierce  
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### Preacher

Danny Boggs

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### Worship Assemblies

10 a.m. Sunday  
5 p.m. Sunday

### Bible Classes

9 a.m. Sunday  
7 p.m. Wednesday

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## *Be Careful, Little Ones and Walk, Don't Crawl*

When our children were very small, they learned a song in their Sunday morning toddlers' Bible class that was a lesson which could serve them well for life. It was entitled "Be Careful, Little Eyes," and it taught little children that they always need to be careful with their actions, their thinking, and their trust. It went like this:

*O be careful little eyes what you see,  
O be careful little eyes what you see,  
For the Father up above  
Is looking down in love  
So, be careful little eyes what you see.*

The song continues for several more verses, exhorting the children to be careful of their little ears what they hear, to be careful of their little tongues what they say, to be careful of their little hands what they do, to be careful of their little feet where they go, to be careful of their little hearts whom they trust, and to be careful of their little minds what they think. While singing this little song was enjoyed by the toddlers, its purpose was more detailed than just them singing and putting the motions into use. It was a life lesson sung repeatedly on a near-weekly basis, but it was also intended to go with the children throughout their lifetimes, teaching them to instill godly and sound actions into their lives. This song teaches Biblical principles to help individuals avoid situations and places that are sinful, immoral, or not ones in which a Christian should go.

It has been difficult for some in the past to avoid questionable and/or down right sinful situations, but I think today with most people having access to—and heavy contact with social media, those problems have multiplied many times over.

Philippians 4:8 (NASB) states: "Finally, brothers *and sisters*, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is right, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence and if anything worthy of praise, think about these things." God knew our world would be flooded with Satan's unhealthy, immoral, ugly, and ungodly things, so He instructed us to focus our attention on pure, lovely, praiseworthy, good and godly things instead.

Some of today's "stylish" behaviors are nothing more than Satan, the Deceiver's, old tricks, just clothed in new names. Could we say his tricks are accepted because our minds think these things are worthy of praise? We have frequently been appalled to hear about "Christian" couples living together outside of marriage. How and why that became so acceptable shows one's lack of knowledge of Biblical principles. Remember the exhortation to focus on things pure and commendable. Would Christ label these actions as such? Recently we were made aware of something termed "bar crawling," an activity involving going to a previously established list of multiple bars to visit (and usually drink) after attending or celebrating a major event such as a concert, a special performance of some type, or even a wedding. How can going to bar after bar and drinking be something even remotely classified as lovely or excellent? Knowledgeable believers know from where these things come, and it isn't God's word, nor do they have God's blessings. Christians, our Heavenly Father up above is looking down on us in love. Let us walk with Him and not crawl with the devil.

*Bill Reiboldt*



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*His own people, eager to do what is good - Titus 2:14*



Kay Anderson, Angela Bigbee, Jack Brodie, Fred Bukowich, David Conness, Vera Cornell, Lee Crabtree, Tammy Crawford, Don Deffenbaugh, Judy Dorris, Vera Douthitt, Katherine Enfield, Mary Jane Flint, Joe Freund, Sally Fry, Jason Giebler, Robin Haggard, James Honeycutt, Nathan Honeycutt, Jean Johnson, Josiah Keith, Dan Lazure, Alice Kitch, Bob Murray, Scott Neel, Larry and Vickey Owen, Susan Phillips, Brandon Ross, Lawrence Sanders, Harold Speir, Karl Stauffer, Jennifer Thogmartin, Edith Toney, Ken Tyler, Debi Wince.

- Jack Brodie had a fall last week and due to some lung complications they are not planning on doing the carotid artery surgery. He is getting some additional care at home.
- Mary House is doing much better and would like continued prayers for some upcoming tests.
- Bill Reiboldt saw the surgeon on Friday. He is hopes to find out next week when he can have hip surgery.
- Lawrence Sanders was able to go home! We give thanks to God for his recovery.
- Mary Jane Flint is scheduled for a bone scan of her knee and hip on April 2. She will have sinus surgery on April 10.

**Every "One" Counts:** When you give an extra dollar each Sunday, it goes to help someone in need. If you know of someone in need, please tell Jennifer Daniels or Natalie McInturff.



### Today's Sermons

- AM: *Pray When You're Sad*  
(Danny Boggs)
- PM: *Prayers Sung, Said and Read*  
(Caleb Boggs, Danny Boggs, Jason Giebler, Josh King)

#### WORSHIP LEADERS

Today	This Wednesday
AM Opening Prayer: Pete Babb	Announcements/Prayer: Lowell McInturff
Communion Prayer: Jason Bryan	Singing: Ethan Middleton
Prayer for the Offering: Bryan Reiboldt	Invitation: Alec Fehring
PM Opening Prayer: Noah Reiboldt	Closing Prayer: Miles Wolgamott
PM Closing Prayer: Taylor Keith	

### Devoted to Prayer

TOMORROW THROUGH NEXT SUNDAY

- ✓ Read your Bible and week 5 in your book.
- ✓ Pray every day!
- ✓ Share your thoughts on Lightpost.
- ✓ Submit questions about prayer for shepherds to answer.
- ✓ 10 AM Sunday: *When David Prayed for More than He Knew*
- ✓ 5 PM Sunday: *Shepherds' Wisdom for Prayer Leaders*

Today is a **fifth Sunday**. We will meet for services and then have a potluck lunch together in the activities center. Come and enjoy the fellowship. We will meet back in the auditorium after lunch around 1:00 for our evening service.

This coming weekend, several of our children will be attending **Lads to Leaders** in Little Rock, AR. The theme this year is *Faith Works*. They have been working hard studying James and 1 & 2 Peter. Events include song leading, speeches, bulletin boards, Bible reading, art and Bible bowl. Our children participating are Cheyenne, Cooper, Colton, Liddie, Lexie, Ellana, Annie, Jonah, Liam and Corbin. They will be joined by Brady Honeycutt and Sophia, Aliyah, and William Copeland. They have all been working together for the last several months. Please pray for them as they finish their presentations and for safety.

Join us next Sunday at **Gran Villas** for a devotional.

**Men's breakfast** has been postponed until next week. They will meet at Braum's on April 8 at 7:00.

Week 2 at **Green Valley Bible Camp** will be June 7 - 13. You can register now at [greenvalleybiblecamp.com](http://greenvalleybiblecamp.com).

Teens: It is time to sign up for **Horizons**. See Caleb for details.

Neosho Christian School is having their **benefit banquet** April 18. Please buy a seat or a table and help the school with this important fund raising event.

Mark your calendars:

- April 12: Tri-State Youth Series in Miami
- April 19: New Devo at the Deffenbaughs'
- May 1-3: Gospel Meeting with Lonnie Jones
- May 2: Tri-State Youth Series at Hillcrest
- May 10: State of the Youthion with Ben Coleman
- May 31: Singing in the Park

RECORDS	3-22-26	3-23-25
Bible Study	141	129
AM Worship	175	172
PM Worship	118	129
Wednesday	122	138
Contribution	\$8,678.19	\$8,242.10
Budget	\$9,410.00	\$8,500.00