

Proclaims and Explains



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Life Application

Paul proclaimed the gospel in synagogues and marketplaces, to Jews and Gentiles, to the working class and the upper class—but he always did so in a way his audience could understand. Part of "seeing and responding" is offering Christ, whether through words or actions, in ways appropriate to other people and their situations. We become instruments of God's grace when we proclaim and explain His love in ways that can be understood and received.

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Jesus was sent to proclaim the good news about God's kingdom—in what ways do you think His actions demonstrated the truth of His message? (See Luke 7:18–23)
During His ministry, do you think Jesus was better known for His words or His actions? Why?

Why are words and action both important? (See James 2:14–26)

A non-threatening way to begin a meaningful discussion with someone is by asking, "Where are you spiritually?" This allows the other person to say as much or as little as she feels comfortable and doesn't make any assumptions on your part. Remember, also, to ask the Holy Spirit to help you respond appropriately, wisely and with genuine care for the other person.

Why is trying to understand Scripture important?

We all start as spiritual infants and that's OK. Over time, however, it is necessary to grow in our understanding of God's Word. It is not only for our benefit but for the benefit of others.



Save the Date

August 9, 2015, 8th Annual Restore Hope Sunday

According to Restore Hope's records, 60 percent of all their client households are "extremely low income" and well under the poverty line. Your cash donations will give Restore Hope wholesale buying power at the Community Food Bank as well as support resources to help families out of their current crisis and onto a path of economic and spiritual vitality. More details to come on how you can participate in this incredible opportunity.



September 13, 2015, 12:00-5:00pm

We will take the church into the Tulsa community by helping with painting, moving furniture, packing care boxes, neighborhood cleanup and much more. All logistics will be taken care of; all that is needed is a willing heart. Everyone is invited to participate in this intergenerational event; age doesn't matter because there are a variety of jobs to choose from. We especially encourage you to invite friends and neighbors to join us. This is a great opportunity to honor Jesus by serving others.



God & Country — Patriotic Concert June 28 at 4:00 pm

Celebrate God and country at Asbury in the Sanctuary. Our choir, orchestra, special guests and soloists will present patriotic classics and songs of faith.

Interested in joining Asbury? The next luncheon is June 28 in the Parlor.

Meet the pastors and find out more about Asbury from 12:15–2:15 in the Parlor. Child care is available for 6 weeks to sixth grade.

Register at www.myasburytulsa.org. For more information, call 918.392.1191.



Be a Part of Something Big.

Meaning. Hope. Community. Courage. Peace. We're all looking for something. And whatever it is, God can provide. He brought you here today with a purpose—to surround you with the love of His family in a church whose mission is to help you develop your full potential in Christ. We're glad you're here. And we're excited to see what God has for you!

Worship with us on Sunday

8:00 am–Traditional Service In Mason Chapel 9:15 am–Traditional Service in Sanctuary 11:00 am–Modern Service in Sanctuary

Order of Worship | June 21, 2015 8:00 AM

WELCOME Dr. Guy Ames

PRELUDE

CONGREGATIONAL HYMN Onward Christian Soldier Dr. Pat Calhoun

Hymn #575

SPECIAL MUSIC Mike Bennett

CREED / GREETING / NEW MEMBERS

CONGREGATIONAL HYMNS Faith of Our Fathers

Hymn #710

Thy Word is a Lamp Hymn #610

PASTORAL PRAYER Dr. Tom Harrison

DOXOLOGY

OFFERTORY

SCRIPTURE Acts 17:22–31

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SERVICE OF WORD AND TABLE Dr. Guy Ames

POSTLUDE

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June 22: Acts 18:24–28 June 23: Acts 22:1–16 June 24: Acts 17:32–34 June 25: Acts 6:1–7 June 26: Acts 8:1–17 June 27: Acts 19:8–22

Next Week: **Ekklesia: Welcomes and Multiplies**

Order of Worship | June 21, 2015

9:15 AM

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP Sean Groombridge

WELCOME Rev. Gloria McGee-Denton

MILESTONE ANNIVERSARIES

BAPTISMS

ORCHESTRAL SPECIAL Redeemed, How I Love to Proclaim It

CONGREGATIONAL HYMNS We Are God's People

> O Zion, Haste Hymn #573

SOLO Find Us Faithful

John Combs

PASTORAL PRAYER Dr. Tom Harrison

DOXOLOGY

OFFERTORY Joy and Elation

Handbells

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CHORAL BENEDICTION The Lord Bless You and Keep You

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POSTLUDE Rosanna Corrales

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SONGS HEARD TODAY

Jesus Paid It All Hands To The Heavens Doxology How He Loves

Worship Pastor: Jon Odom
Worship Leader: Chris Cleveland

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