

Sunday, September 10, 2017
1 Corinthians 10:1-33
Dr. Charles Parrish


GREENACRES
BAPTIST CHURCH



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*Welcome! We are glad you have chosen to worship with us today.
Our prayer is that you feel the power and presence of the
Holy Spirit during your time with us.*

Order of Worship

Song
Welcome
Song: *Blessed Assurance*
Song: *We Believe*
Offertory Song: *What A Day*
Children Leave for Children's Church
Scripture Reading / Prayer: 1 Corinthians 10:1-33
Song: *In Christ Alone*
Sermon
Invitation
Song: *How He Loves*
Closing Prayer

For You Version Users: Today's sermon notes are titled "**1 Corinthians 10:1-33**".
Download the You Version app to use in today's service.
For access to You Version, WiFi Network is Sanctuary / Password is !Sanctuary

Wednesday night menu:

Lasagna, Texas Toast, Salad, Brownies & Ice Cream
Please RSVP by Tuesday noon if you are not on the permanent reservation list

Our Ministry Team

Dr. Charles Parrish Pastor
Stephanie Hancock Music Minister
Heather Fountain Children's Minister
Carly Van Laar Weekday Preschool Director
Kathy Parrish Congregational Nurse
Amy Smock Administrative Coordinator

Weekly Opportunities

Sundays:
9:15 AM Sunday School
10:30 AM -12:00 PM Worship
5:30 PM-6:30 PM Prayer Service
Wednesdays:
5-6 pm Fellowship Dinner
6-7:30 pm Kingdom Kids
6-7:30 pm Youth Fellowship
6-7:30 pm CAUR Group Fellowship
6-7:30 pm Adult Bible Study
6:15 pm Choir Practice
7:15 pm Praise Team Practice
Mon, Wed, Fri:
9-10 AM Ladies Exercise Class
3rd Monday: CUFF Senior Adult Fellowship Luncheon 11:30AM

Inclement Weather Policy: In the event we have inclement weather ~ if Clarke County schools close or cancel their after school activities, there will be no activities at the church..

Deacon of the week:
Bill Holmes and Guthrie Stone

**Upcoming Events:
TODAY**

Blood Pressure Checks between
Sunday School & Church
Getting Your Ducks in a
Row Class ~ 3-4:30 pm ~
Reception Room ~ Class 1 of 3
Prayer Service ~ 5:30 - 6:30 pm

September 16

FEAST Food Distribution
September 17
Getting Your Ducks in a
Row Class ~ 3-4:30 pm ~
Reception Room ~ Class 2 of 3
"Around the Table" Dinner
Prayer Service ~ 5:30 - 6:30 pm

September 18

CUFF Luncheon ~ 11:30 am
September 24
Getting Your Ducks in a
Row Class ~ 3-4:30 pm ~
Reception Room ~ Class 3 of 3
Prayer Service ~ 5:30 - 6:30 pm

October 1

Deacon Meeting ~ 3 pm
Parent Bible Study ~ 5 pm
Prayer Service ~ 5:30 - 6:30 pm
October 3
WMU ~ 7 pm
Stewardship Meeting ~ 7 pm

October 8

Church Conference following
church service
Prayer Service ~ 5:30 - 6:30 pm

October 13-15

October 16

Kids Retreat
CUFF Luncheon ~ 11:30 am
October 21

Men's Conference at Timothy
Baptist Church ~ see Buddy for
details

*The flowers are placed in the
sanctuary today by Al &
Judi Krumnow in
remembrance of our
parents.*



Children's Volunteers This Morning

Carol Rogers, Evelyn Eidell, Melony
Cowart, Kim & Leah Marshall, Brett &
Emily Nolan, Bill & Pat Holmes, Sam
Tyner & Youth Helper

Youth Ministry Team

Phillip & Ashleigh Bentley

College/Young Adult Ministry Team

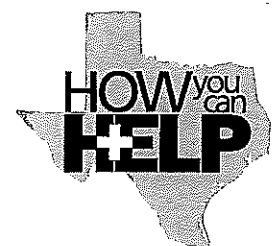
Jay & Lynn Dixson
Guthrie Stone

CAUR

College & Young Professionals Group
Join us each Sunday morning at 9:15 a.m. in
the CAUR House (170 Forest Rd.) for a
hearty Bible Study and a hearty Breakfast
(every Sunday).

HOME BIBLE STUDY for Parents - not
meeting in September, next meeting is
October 1st ~ 5 pm at the Fountain's
Home - children included - sign-up by
emailing gabckidsministry@gmail.com

We will take up
a love offering
for victims of
Hurricane
Harvey next
Sunday,
September 17th.



We have a church app!!
We hope you will download
the app and see all that's
there! Just search "GABC
Athens" in the app store
on your mobile device!



Monthly Required Offering: \$ 41,809.00
Received 9/3/17: \$ 6,858.00
Month to date: \$ 6,858.00
Sunday School Attendance
9/3/2017: 128

1 Corinthians 10:1-33 ~ September 10, 2017

Verses 1-13

- Paul is aware that there is an attitude of spiritual arrogance in the church, and that the church had no basis for such arrogance. He points back to their Hebrew forefathers who followed Moses out of Egypt, into the desert toward the Promised Land. God gave these people a cloud to follow and opened the Red Sea for them. The people ate the manna and drank the water God gave them. They enjoyed all the privileges of God's chosen people, yet how did they respond? They fell to every temptation they met. They worshipped the idols of the Moabites and the Midianites and made their own idol. They engaged in every immorality. They tempted God by assuming that no matter what sin they committed God would forgive them. They were blessed like no other people, yet their hearts were not filled with gratitude but grumbling.
- So take heed. Temptation will come. Temptations are never new or unique. Satan's oldest tricks are always the best.
- But God always provides a way out. He does not stand idly by as we fall, but makes a way for us to stand again.

Verses 14-22

- Idolatry has always been one of Satan's favorite ploys: encouraging people to fashion a god of their own making, often in their own image. Anything that we elevate above God becomes such an idol, and this is sin, this is evil. So Paul asks, if we share in the body and blood of Christ, how can we share in sin, how can we share in evil?
- So many people today are so very like the people of Corinth. They speak with such spiritual certainty, but lack the spiritual authenticity to do so. They foolishly, wrongly believe they can sit, stand, and march with demons and still sit, stand, and march with Christ. Not only do they deceive themselves, and therefore sin against themselves, but even commit the greater sin of deceiving others and causing others to stumble, fall, sin.

Verses 23-33

- All things belong to God, but not everything may be good for you in every circumstance. So approach life with spiritual wisdom. Don't create problems where none exists, but do all things for the glory of God.
- Think..."am I being a stumbling block by doing _____?" If the answer could even be slightly "Yes" then don't do it.
- Paul asks, "...why is my freedom judged by another's conscience?" He gives his own answer. "Let no one seek his own good, but that of his neighbor...Give no offense (to anyone)...do all to the glory of God...(never seeking) my own profit, but the profit of many, that they may be saved."