

*Beloved of God,*

*As the celebration of the Resurrection is upon our hearts this month, I want to encourage you to dig deeper into the life of Jesus. And to also look for ways that you can spread the sweet fragrance of His love to others in the communities around you. Invite someone to church, encourage a friend, remind your loved one about the hope of the gospel. In all areas of your life this month, may you be a doer of God's Word. May you be strong in the Lord and in the strength of His might. And may you take up the whole armor of God, that you may be able to withstand in the evil day!*

*Respect the Blood,  
Dalton Mathis*

**Bible Verse of the Month:**

*“Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! According to His great mercy, He has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead.” 1 Peter 1:3*

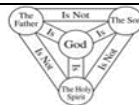
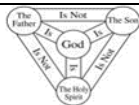
**Church History Quote of the Month:**

**“When Jesus Christ shed his blood on the cross, it was not the blood of a martyr; or the blood of one man for another; it was the life of God poured out to redeem the world.”**

**Oswald Chambers**

**Hymn Line Of The Month:**

**“Now let the heav'ns be joyful!  
Let earth the song begin!  
The world resound in triumph,  
and all that is therein;  
let all things seen and unseen  
their notes in gladness blend;  
FOR CHRIST THE LORD HATH RISEN,  
OUR JOY THAT HATH NO END!”  
John of Damascus, 8<sup>th</sup> century  
“The Day of Resurrection”**



**Trivia With the Trinity**

- Simon of Cyrene was forced to help Jesus carry His cross. What were the names of Simon's two sons ?
- Pilate wrote an inscription and put it on the cross of Jesus. What did it say, and in what three languages was it written?
- When Jesus yielded up His spirit, the Bible records four supernatural events. What were they?
- Which gospel records the chief priests paying the soldiers to tell people “His disciples came by night and stole Him away while we were asleep?”
- What did Jesus eat to prove to His disciples He was not a “spirit?” Which gospel writer recorded this Truth?

**MINISTRY MAGNIFIED!**

**SALT CREEK BAPTIST CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT**

Kim Nelson leads our Children's Ministry. Kim taught for 29 years in the public school system. Her experience proves invaluable as she coordinates, plans, and directs Salt Creek's ministry to children. She teaches Kindergarten through Fifth Grade in Children's Church each Sunday. Kim also leads our older children on Wednesday during our Bible Study time. Her organizational skills and her willingness to “step in” at a moment's notice ensures every need within this ministry is met. More often than not, Kim is assisted by her mom, Bobbie Scott, on Sundays and Wednesdays. Bobbie displays a sweet, loving spirit toward each child, and her presence blesses each life she touches!

Angie Miller serves as our Nursery Director, and Peggy Smith assists her. Their love for our Savior is manifested in the way they care for these beautiful babies.

Pam McCullough leads the toddlers. Pam seeks to show these precious preschoolers that they are loved and cherished by their Savior and their church.

Upcoming events for the children's department include an Easter celebration focused on teaching the true meaning of Easter. We are also preparing for Vacation Bible School, scheduled to take place June 10 - 12, 2024. In the fall, Kim incorporates all ages to host our church's Fall Festival. Last year, our children and youth departments participated in the Brownwood Christmas Parade for the first time. The children were dressed as characters in the Nativity while the youth handed out candy and “invitations” to visit Salt Creek Baptist Church. We hope to make this an annual occurrence.

Kim and her team lead our children in many fun, Christ-centered activities. They strive to impress upon children of all ages the unconditional, eternal love God has for each of us.

*Thank you to Kim, Bobbie, Pam, Angie, Peggy, and all our faithful volunteers for showing your love for our Lord by feeding His precious little “lamb’s!”*



# WHAT'S HAPPENING AROUND THE CREEK?

## MARCH DATES OF IMPORTANCE

- † Sunday, March 10 - Deacon's Meeting - 4:45 p.m. Business Meeting - 6:00 p.m.
- † Wednesday, March 13 - SPRING BREAK - NO WEDNESDAY NIGHT ACTIVITIES
- † Saturday, March 16 - "Choose Joy" Women's Conference in Comanche 1:00 - 5:00 p.m.  
Cost: \$30.00
- † Wednesday, March 20 - Good Samaritan Volunteer 1:00 - 5:00 p.m.
- † Sunday, March 24 - "4<sup>th</sup>" Sunday Luncheon immediately following the worship service
- † Sunday, March 31 - EASTER SUNDAY - A CELEBRATION OF OUR SAVIOR'S RESURRECTION

## WEDNESDAY NIGHTS AT SALT CREEK:

- † Prayer Meeting: 5:45 p.m. Join us as we go over our prayer list and pray to the Living God!
- † Children's Ministry: 6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.  
All kids 5th grade and under— Bible Study - Fun - Snacks and Drinks
- † Youth Ministry: 6:30 p.m. Keep up with our Salt Creek Youth on their Facebook page @Salt teens and Instagram @saltteens\_youth
- † "Encouraging Words" Ladies Bible Study: All women are invited as we let the Living Word encourage us and help us walk in the footsteps of Jesus at 6:30 p.m. We are studying the book of Colossians.
- † Men's Bible Study: All men are invited to meet at 6:30 p.m. We are studying the book of Matthew.

## Mission Opportunity offered through Trinity Christian Ministries

Some of our church members felt burdened to sponsor school children in Uganda. These sweet ones desperately need financial support for their school uniforms and scholastic materials. Perhaps even more needed is prayerful support as they navigate through the difficulties of their young lives. The total cost to sponsor one child per year is: \$ 600.00. This includes their trousers, shirt, sweater, shoes, socks, books, pens, geometrical set, school bag, and umbrella.

If you feel led to participate, please contact Alan and Janet Ogden, Pastor Dalton Mathis, or Pam McCullough. There is a table set up in the foyer with pictures of the six children in need of sponsorship.

Alan: 325-643-8125 Janet: 325-998-3095 Dalton: 940-207-9882 Pam: 325-642-1833

## GET TO KNOW MY FAMILY MEMBERS:

- 1) What is your favorite thing about Salt Creek?
- 2) What is your favorite Bible Verse?
- 3) What do you love most about the Spring?
- 4) What are you most looking forward to in Heaven?
- 5) If you had to fight Satan with a water pistol, who from the Bible (other than Jesus) would you take with you?

### Carol Brown's Answers:

1. Salt Creek feels like home with a sincerely loving family!!
2. Jeremiah 29:11
3. Spring is beautiful with everything renewing for another year, and all the new babies on the farm!!
4. Heaven will be so peaceful with no worries of the world we live in with all the Satan evil everywhere!
5. I'd want Job on my team!! His faith got him through it all!!

### W. T. Harris' Answers:

- 1.) The Fellowship and my friends
- 2.) John 3:16
- 3.) The sunshine and the change of the seasons.
- 4.) Since I am the historian type, I long to see all the ancient men of God. Those like Moses and of course Jesus. And I want to see what God is really like!
- 5.) David

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**SALT CREEK GOOD NEWS!**  
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