

Together In Faith



Prayers needed

Norma, Jessica, Kelly,
Mike and Garry' son Joe and
daughter Amanda
Torie, Chester and baby
Stetson,

Cypress Cowboy Church
Alberto & Esmerelda

Chris (Rosemary's
Grandson)

Military Members
Law Enforcement

Prayer request?

Email Kelly

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Bible Study Opportunities:

BIBLE STUDY

Every Sunday
At 9:15 am @ CCC

WEDNESDAY WORD

Every Wednesday
At 7pm on ZOOM

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Last Tuesday of the Month
At 7 pm on ZOOM

Scriptures from today



John 15:16-20

John 3:1-8

John 17:12

John 20:24-25

Luke 23:42-43

Mathew 7:21

John 13:35

Announcements

July 18th- volunteer/leadership meeting 11am CCC Cafe

July 19th- Potluck

July 28th- Men's Bible Study @ 7pm on Zoom

No Ladies Bible Study in June, July, and August

A Reflection on Sunday's Word

This week's message challenged us to consider a powerful question: Can we walk with Jesus without truly being part of Him? It reminded us that simply identifying as a Christian, attending church, or even walking alongside Jesus does not automatically mean we have genuine faith. Throughout Scripture, we see examples of people who were physically close to Jesus yet failed to truly believe, as well as those who came to authentic faith even in their final moments. These examples reveal that true belief is not measured by proximity, knowledge, or religious activity, but by a heart that fully trusts and surrenders to Christ.

The message also reminded us that because of Adam and Eve's sin, all of humanity was separated from God and stood in need of salvation. Jesus came to restore that broken relationship, offering forgiveness and eternal life to all who place their faith in Him. Salvation is not earned through good works or outward appearances but is received through genuine faith in Jesus.

We were encouraged to examine our own hearts and ask whether our faith is simply based on what we do or on who Christ is in our lives. True discipleship is reflected in a life transformed by God's grace—a life marked by obedience, love for others, and a sincere desire to follow Him. Rather than relying on the label of "Christian," we are called to cultivate a real, living relationship with Jesus that changes the way we think, live, and love each day.

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Journaling Activity

Is My Faith Genuine?

Reflect

- What does it mean to you to truly belong to Jesus rather than simply know about Him?
- Have there been times when your faith was more about routine or religious activity than a personal relationship with Christ?
- What evidence of God's transforming work do you see in your life today?
- How do your words, actions, and attitudes reflect your love for Jesus and your love for others?
- Is there an area of your life that you have been reluctant to fully surrender to God?

Read & Respond

Spend time reading the passages referenced in this week's message. As you read, consider:

- What do these passages teach me about genuine faith?
- What warnings or encouragements stand out to me?
- How is God calling me to respond?

Prayer

Lord, thank You for loving me and inviting me into a real relationship with You. Help me to examine my heart honestly and to place my trust fully in You. Let my faith be more than words or routine—let it be reflected in the way I live, love, and obey You each day. Transform me to become more like Christ, and give me the courage to follow wherever You lead. Amen.

Weekly Challenge

Choose one intentional way to demonstrate your faith this week. It could be forgiving someone, serving a neighbor, sharing your testimony, spending extra time in prayer and Scripture, or showing Christ's love through a simple act of kindness. At the end of the week, journal about how God worked through your obedience and what He taught you in the process.



Open Positions

Secretary

Additional Board Members

Ladies Bible Study

Youth Leader

Additional members of the worship team

If anyone is interested in filling any of these open positions, please see a board member (Michael, George, Andrew or Kelly) about what it entails and next steps in filling the opening.

