



Don't forget to set your clocks BACK an hour this Saturday night! Daylight Saving Time ends this weekend. If by chance you forget to change your clock and get to church an hour early, feel free to pull weeds or clean up any cobwebs you find in the Sanctuary 😊

The annual Congregational Business Meeting will be held after church on Sunday, November 10th, where we will elect officers and set a budget for 2025. Lunch will be served as a part of this meeting. Please plan on joining us for this important meeting!

A NEW SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS will be starting Sunday, December 1st, using a book published by LifeStone publishing. Bonnie Reagan will be teaching this class, which will meet in the classroom to the east of the Overflow off the church Sanctuary.

Seniors!!! Our next Senior Gathering will be Wednesday, November 6th, from 8-10am in the Fellowship Hall. Our own Becky Balon will be giving a presentation on avoiding falling prey to Internet and Phone Scams. Invite friends and plan on joining us on the 6th!

Hey Ladies! The Brethren Retreat's annual Ladies Retreat is NEXT WEEKEND! Join with other women in worship, and hear from local novelist Kim Mishler. Registration starts as low as \$129 for the weekend. Go to brethrenretreat.org for more info!

STEWARDSHIP UPDATE

Needed to make Budget each month in 2024: \$8,612
 Given in October (as of 10/20): \$6,540
 2024 Budget giving needed (Jan-Sept): \$77,508
 2024 Actual Budget giving (Jan-Sept): \$77,932
 (\$424 over budget for the year)



October 27th, 2024

Today's Message:

Moses' Story

Exodus 4:18-26

9am– Pastor Appreciation B'fast
10:15am– Morning Worship

Pastor Jeff Estep

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Find us online at www.newparisfirst.com!

Calendar:

Sun., Oct. 27th– Youth Group, 6-8pm

Tues., Oct 29th – Butterfly Mornings, 9:30am

Thurs., Oct. 31st– Trunk or Treat, Sunnyside Park 5-7pm

Wed., Nov 6th– Senior Gathering, 8-10am

Sun., Nov. 10th– Congregational Business Meeting after church

Upcoming Birthdays!!

Thurs., Oct. 31st– Anthony Balon Tues., Nov. 5th– June Fowler

Sat., Nov. 2nd– Austin Mullins

Upcoming Anniversaries!!

Sun., Nov. 17th– Jim & Becky Balon

Prayer Concerns:

- Willie and Kim praise God for all that God has done in Cowboys for Christ ministry over the past 15 years
- Barry Weaver has stabilized but will go to a nursing home in Hospice Care
- Brenda W.– Aunt Diane placed in Hospice Care
- Comfort for Balon family on passing of Becky's grandfather

Prayer Focus Pray that the unsaved in New Paris would grow to know Jesus as their Savior. ALSO ask God to give each of us the wisdom and courage to share His message with them.

**October 27th, 2024–
ORDER OF WORSHIP**

Prelude, Welcome and Announcements

Opening Hymn #462– Savior Like a Shepherd Lead Us

Morning Prayer

Scripture Reading– John 14:23-24

Jesus replied, “Anyone who loves me will obey my teaching. My Father will love them, and we will come to them and make our home with them. Anyone who does not love me will not obey my teaching. These words you hear are not my own; they belong to the Father who sent me.

Hymn #409– I Know Whom I Believed

Message– *Moses’ Story*

Pastor Jeff Estep

Responding with Worship– The Worship Team

Dismissal

If you have an offering to give this morning, please place it in the box at the back of the sanctuary.

Leading Worship Today– Megan Long

Serving Today– Nursery– Peggy Miller

Sermon Notes:

As Moses heads to _____ he is “afflicted” and still full of _____.

Nothing ruins God’s _____ like the hypocrisy of His people.

There are no shortcuts to _____.

Daily Scripture Readings:

Sunday– Exodus 2 **Monday–** Exodus 3

Tuesday– Exodus 4:1-17 **Wednesday–** Exodus 4:18-31

Thursday– Genesis 17:1-14 **Friday–** Deuteronomy 10:1-16

Saturday– Colossians 3:12-17

Upcoming Sermons:

11/3– “Balaam’s Story”– Numbers 22– Just when you’re about to put a curse on your enemies (for a hefty price, of course), God and His angel stop you with the help of a...TALKING DONKEY!

11/10- “Manoah’s Story”- Judges 13– When an angel shows up to announce the coming birth of Samson, Manoah fears seeing the angel will cause his own death. But God comes not to destroy but to save!

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