

FEBRUARY 2, 2020

Today @ Central Church

9:45–10:45 am	Life Enrichment Groups ~ All Ages	
10:30-10:45 am	Worship Team	
11:00 am–12:15 pm	Family Worship	
	Offering of Praise Sing to the King	
	Welcoming	
	Worship and Prayer Love Lifted Me #335 As the Deer	
	Worship in Giving The Power of the Cross	
	Worship in the Word Renewal ~ Renewing Your Mind Romans 12:2	
	Worship in Commitment Nearer, My God, to Thee #475	
	Closing Prayer	
	Postlude Everything Glorious	



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Prayer Requests

Spiritual Needs

Unspoken
Pray for our country!
Unsaved family/friends

Material Needs

Facility needs

Our Armed Forces

Landon Koonce
Brock Koonce
Nancy's granddaughter, Alex

Health Needs

Chad Breshears
Margaret Starnes
June Nolen
Mavis Clark
Edwin Bowden
Shirley Bowden's sister, Marilyn
Edwin's nephew, Matt
Anne & Rod Rule
Allene Yearta
Kathy Yokley
Wynona Dodd
Amy's friend, Jessie
Alan Kinder

Prayer Family of the Week

Gary & Nicole Breshears, Gregory, Nicholas, Nathaniel

For Prayer Chain requests please contact Pastor Alan at (816) 868-2080
or Nancy Branham at (816) 588-5418

Coming Events

Deacon Ministry Team Meeting
February 9th 12:30-1:00 pm
Meeting to discuss family group issues.

Facility Board Meeting
February 16th 12:30-1:00 pm
Meeting to discuss upcoming facility maintenance and repair issues. Roofing estimate review.

Advisory Board Meeting
February 18th 6:30-8:30 pm
Review of ministry reports, planning for future events, and discussion of Facility Board report.

Greater KC District Meeting
March 7th Time TBA
The Greater Kansas City District Association of Free Will Baptists will hold its annual meeting on Saturday, March 7th, time and location yet to be determined.

Advisory Board

Amy Smith ~ Chairman
Gary Breshears ~ Treasurer
Brett Daire
Laura Griffie
Anna Breshears

Deacon Ministry Team

Larry Starnes ~ 872-6838
Max Breshears ~ (913) 948-0010
Tim Smith ~ 806-1992
Gary Breshears ~ 518-8691
Brett Daire ~ 778-1786

Facility Board

Tim Smith
Max Breshears
Mathew Williams
Nancy Branham
Larry Starnes

Renewal ~ Renewing Your Mind

Romans 12:2

During January we looked at the need for change, and the prerequisites for change to occur. During February we're going to take a look at four things that must be renewed if we're going to be able to experience change. We start with our minds. As we think, so do we act. We'll never change our actions until we change our thinking. It all comes down to choosing to change...

We Have a Choice

It isn't automatic...

Two contrasting points:

- ◆ Conform— _____
- _____
- _____
- ◆ Transform— _____
- _____
- _____

You're my place of quiet retreat; I wait for Your word to renew me.

PSALM 119:114 (THE MESSAGE)

Transformation

We need renewal...

Why we need this:

- ◆ Our thinking is futile— _____
- _____
- ◆ Our understanding is darkened— _____
- _____

Renewal of our mind:

- ◆ Establish a like-new/improved condition— _____
- _____
- ◆ Transform how we think and understand— _____
- _____

Process of Renewal

An act of the will...

Change how we think:

- ◆ About ourself— _____
- _____
- ◆ About the church— _____
- _____
- ◆ About serving— _____
- _____

Conclusion

Two facets repeating...

We're going to fail, so remember:

- ◆ _____
- ◆ _____

The first step in truly changing our behavior is to change how we think. Psychological studies have shown this to be true, we act in accordance with how we think.

Paul didn't just recommend any way of thinking, he told us to **renew** our mind. That means to restore it to the as-designed status. It means to improve it. Our minds were designed to be able to discern God's will. Our sins have left us unable or unwilling to try and discern what is right or what is wrong. We tend to act as our own jury. We fall into the trap written about is mentioned in Proverbs 21:2 (ESV) ~ *Every way of a man is right in his own eyes...*

It goes back to a choice, either you will allow God's Spirit to transform how you think by renewing your mind or you will conform to the world. You'll fit their mold, instead of showing the world the mold that God designed for us.

<p><u>Nursery Worker</u></p> <p>Life Enrichment Gary Breshears Community Worship Nicole Breshears</p> <p><u>Toddler's Church</u></p> <p>Amy Smith</p>	<p><u>Audio-Visual Technician</u></p> <p>Tim Smith</p> <p><u>Security</u></p> <p>Gary Breshears</p> <p><u>Greeters/Hosts</u></p> <p>Brett & Beth Daire</p>
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<p>WE WILL WORK TO BECOME A FAMILY OF BELIEVERS IN THE GRANDVIEW AREA WHO LABOR TOGETHER TO LOVE GOD, LOVE OTHERS AND SHARE THE TRUTH OF SALVATION THROUGH KNOWING JESUS.</p>	<p><u>BIRTHDAYS</u></p> <p><u>ANNIVERSARIES</u></p>
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