



Pastor Paul's Newsletter 9-27-26

Living in Love!

When people love each other, they are living like God; because God is love. He doesn't just have love; He IS Love. When we become born again, we become like Him, spiritually speaking. If God is Love, and He is, so are we in this world. Love is the most important subject of the Bible. When we understand Love, we will understand God. The reason that He does anything that He does is because He is motivated by what He is; which is Love. When I say 'God', I could interchange it with 'Love', because the Two are the same. OK let's get into some Scripture verses that reveal this to us today.

1 John 4:7 KJV Beloved, let us love one another: for love is of God; and every one that loveth is born of God, and knoweth God.

1 John 4:7 TPT Those who are loved by God, let His love continually pour from you to one another, because God is love. Everyone who loves is fathered by God and experiences an intimate knowledge of Him.

1 John 4:16-18 KJV And we have known and believed the love that God hath to us. God is Love; and he that dwelleth

in Love dwelleth in God, and God in him. [17] Herein is our love made perfect, that we may have boldness in the day of judgment: because as He is, so are we in this world. [18] There is no fear in Love; but perfect Love casteth out fear: because fear hath torment. He that feareth is not made perfect in Love.

1 John 4:17-18 TPT By living in God, Love has been brought to its full expression in us so that we may fearlessly face the day of judgment, because all that Jesus now is, so are we in this world. [18] Love never brings fear, for fear is always related to punishment. But Love's perfection drives the fear of punishment far from our hearts. Whoever walks constantly afraid of punishment has not reached Love's perfection.

Ephesians 3:17-20 KJV That Christ may dwell in your hearts by faith; that ye, being rooted and grounded in Love, [18] May be able to comprehend with all saints what is the breadth, and length, and depth, and height; [19] And to know the Love of Christ, which passeth knowledge, that ye might be filled with all the fulness of God. [20] Now unto him that is able to do exceeding abundantly above all that we ask or think, according to the power that worketh in us,

Ephesians 3:17-20 TPT Then, by constantly using your faith, the life of Christ will be released deep inside you, and the resting place of His Love will become the very source

and root of your life. [18-19] Then you will be empowered to discover what every holy one experiences-the great magnitude of the astonishing Love of Christ in all its dimensions. How deeply intimate and far-reaching is His Love! How enduring and inclusive it is! Endless Love beyond measurement that transcends our understanding-this extravagant Love pours into you until you are filled to overflowing with the fullness of God! [20] Never doubt God's mighty power to work in you and accomplish all this. He will achieve infinitely more than your greatest request, your most unbelievable dream, and exceed your wildest imagination! He will outdo them all, for His miraculous power constantly energizes you.

Romans 5:3-5 KJV And not only so, but we glory in tribulations also: knowing that tribulation worketh patience; [4] And patience, experience; and experience, hope: [5] And hope maketh not ashamed; because the love of God is shed abroad in our hearts by the Holy Ghost which is given unto us.

After all these years of studying the Bible, I believe I've come to understand that God only does what He does because of His love for us. If we can comprehend how much He loves us and, then love each other in the same way, we will be living on Earth like Heaven. The pain, the sorrow, and the suffering will be stopped in our lives when we understand and live by receiving and giving love.

Love you,
Pastor Paul

This Week's Daily Bible Readings

Monday	1 Samuel 24
Tuesday	1 Samuel 25
Wednesday	1 Samuel 26
Thursday	1 Samuel 27
Friday	1 Samuel 28
Saturday	1 Samuel 29
Sunday	1 Samuel 30

STAY CONNECTED

- Men's Fellowship: Saturday Oct 3, 9am at Golden Corral
- Crosses at the Corner: Saturday 11a-1pm
- WOW Conference coming up October 30-31. Cost is \$40; \$30 for first timer, and \$20 for Youth 13-16. No one under 13.
- The Christian Center app:
<https://subsplash.com/thechristiancenter/app>
- If you need prayer, call our Prayer Line 580-704-0505

REGULAR ACTIVITIES

Daily

- Early Morning Prayer: Sanctuary M-F 6:15-7:15am
- Women's Walk and Talk: Gym 10-11am M-W-F

- Noonday Bible Study: M-F 12:15 in Sanctuary or live stream on TCC app, or tune into one of our three radio stations: 91.1fm Lawton; 91.9fm McAlester; 95.9fm Woodward

Weekly

- Sunday Services: 9:45am classes; 10:45am Main Service
- Monday Night Care Group: Under balcony 7pm
- Wednesday Night Prayer: 6pm in NW Classroom
- Wednesday Night: 7pm Adult & Youth Services, and Children's Church
- MobilePrayer: Fri 2-3:30pm Hobby Lobby parking lot
- Friday Night Prayer: 7pm in NE 'Healing' classroom

Monthly

- Men's Fellowship: 1st Sat. 9am at Golden Corral
- Crosses at the Corner: 1st Sat. 11am-1pm corner Sheridan/Cache Rd.
- Women's Fellowship: 3rd Sat. 9am Golden Corral
- Relationship Class: 4th Sat. 10am-12 Fellowship Hall