

What is Biblical Repentance?



Introduction. Many commonly believe biblical repentance is many things which it is not. Some of the definitions for saving repentance are necessary elements which are involved in repentance, but do not make up the whole.

What saving repentance is not. Repentance is not simply ceasing from sin. The Lord repented (Gen .6:6). Does that mean the Lord ceased sinning? Repentance is not just godly sorrow. Godly sorrow works repentance (2 Cor. 7:10). Repentance is not reformation of life, as such. The son who initially refused to work in the vineyard, afterward "repented and went." (Matt. 21:29). Repentance, in this case, led to his going or change in life. Repentance is not an act which immediately and apart from any other act results in salvation, in the case of the non-Christian (Acts 2:38).

What biblical repentance is. I suggest that when repentance is used in the climate of man's salvation, it is a change of mind or will which has been produced by godly sorrow and which will result in a change of life. The change of will element is seen in Matthew 21:29: "he repented and went"

**Repentance is essentially a change of man's will
– denying our will and submitting to God's will.**

This change of volition is caused by the goodness of God and godly sorrow (Rom. 2:4, 2Cor.7: 10) – it is not sorrow simply because one got caught!

**True repentance will result in reformation of life,
or, put another way, there will be the fruits of repentance**
(2 Cor. 7:10, 11, Matt. 3:8).

Repentance without either of these essential elements is not saving repentance.

**Repentance is required for the non-Christian
and for the erring child of God**
(Acts 2:38, 2 Cor. 7:9-11).



Order of Worship

**Song Leader
Jeremiah D.**

Welcome & Announcements
Opening Prayer

**Song # 871 -
Beautiful**

**Song # 382 -
Why Did mM Savior
Come to Earth?**

Lord's Supper
Contribution

Kids 4 Kids
Bible Hour

Prayer Requests

**Song # 831 -
Let Me Live Close to Thee**

Scripture Reading
Acts 2:37-39 (NIV)

**Sermon by:
Darryl Darden**

“Peter Principles”

Song of Invitation:

**Song # 674 -
I Have Decided
to Follow Jesus**

**Song # 753 -
Farther Along**

Closing Prayer

This Week's Schedule of Events

**** (In person & Zoom)**

Building Lock Up: Cy hante' Brewster

Greeter: Rose Bliss

****9:00 a.m. - Bible Class**

Intro to the Gospel of John

****10:00 a.m.
Sunday Worship**

****10:00 a.m. - En Linea Servicio de
Adoracion (via Facebook Live)**

**3:30 p.m. AVAC Worship
with Johnny Latham.**



Mon., July 6th

**7 p.m. - Spanish Night
of Prayer (Zoom)**

7 p.m. - En Linea Noche de Oración

Tues., July 7th

**10 a.m. Tuesday Ladies'
Bible Study**

**“What does it
Mean to be Lost
or Saved?”**



Wed., July 8th



**7 p.m.
Bible Study
on Zoom.**

Fri., July 10th

**7- 8:30 p.m.
Men's Bible Study
POSTPONED
and will resume
July 17th.**



July

This
Week's

Birthday's

5th - Garrett Agnew
5th - Leah Darden
5th - Logan Denson
5th - Noah Paxia

6th - Antonia Bell
9th - Aaron Everly
10th - Sencere Barnes
11th - Laurie Holman

Anniversaires

9th - Ryan & Tammy Turner



VBS 2026
July 20th-23rd
5-8 p.m.
Sunday July 26th
Worship at 10 a.m.
followed by lunch and water activities!

Ages: 3 yrs - 6th Grade & Special Friends, and Adults.

Scan to Register

Register now for this free event!
Snacks provided each day.

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Prayer Requests



Please pray for our church leaders; our congregation; the homeless, and the veterans. Also for our country's leaders, our troops; and the future of our country.

Shut-Ins

Barbara Tidwell; Hank Pritchard; and Sandy Wooten.

Continual Prayers

The Ahumada's; Anthony Avalos; Antonia Bell; Barbara Tidwell; Christina Wityczak; Gennie Lorenz; Hosia Ford; Ida Crawford; John & Kelly Tynan; Kathy Najera; LaVonne Powell; Marie Guess; Melanie Gammage; Pablo Aguayo; Pauletta Hobson; Tim Kuca; and Vicki Brown.

General

Barbara Tidwell; Mariah McClellan & Kyler Sutherland; Orvella Stallings; Teddy Jordan; Orvella Stallings; and Barbara Tidwell.

Health

Barbara Holliday; Bill Yingling; Cydney Holliday; Diana; John & Kelly Tynan; Silvina Martinez; and Vera Owens.

Thanksgiving

The McClellan's

For Their Losses

Prayers for Gerald Thomas and his family on the passing of his mother.

It is with a heavy heart that we inform you that our dear sister,

Theresa Patton

passed away the morning of June 29th.

She will be dearly missed. Please keep the Patton & Rose families in your prayers as they cope with the loss.



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Darryl Darden – Pulpit Minister

Carlos Ornela – Spanish Minister

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Craig Beck – Security

Mark Gruwell – Teens

Bernadett Gramling - Office Manager
Erica Lee - Bookkeeper

Staff

Andrea Gómez - Janitorial
Billy Caldwell - Auditorium Seating

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 - **Set up an account**
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 - **Scan the QR code.**



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Last Week's Statistics

Financial

Contribution 06/28/26	\$	2,420.65	Teen Fund	\$	5,031.86
Contribution 06/21/26	\$	2,937.97	Mission Fund	\$	2,453.00
Special Contributions	\$	765.00	Scholarship Fund	\$	3,080.00
Y.T.D. Contribution	\$	171,640.12	Kids 4 Kids	\$	95.00

Attendance

A.M. Worship

In Person 91 Via Zoom 25