

Marbleton Community Free Will Baptist Church

WELCOME

Week of April 21, 2024 Schedule of Services:

Sunday School	10:00 A.M.
Sunday Morning Worship Service	10:45 A.M.
Board Meeting	5:00 P.M.
Sunday Evening Worship Service	6:00 P.M.
Tuesday, Meet for Prayer	6:00 P.M.
* Special Prayer Request: Pulpit Committee and God's direction for a new pastor	
Wednesday, Quarterly Business Meeting	7:00 P.M.
Followed by our regular Mid-Week Worship Service	
Happy Birthday: Lisa Jones (April 19 th) J.M. Whitson, 80 years young today	

Some thoughts on the Jewish celebration of the **Passover** which begins this year on April 22nd at sunset and ends April 30th at nightfall:

As Christians we still acknowledge the importance of the Passover, yet Jesus fulfilled the Passover through His death on the cross. The Passover pointed toward Jesus as the Lamb of God, whose death and shedding of blood would protect those who trust Him as their savior. Easter as well as Passover is an annual reminder of how we are delivered from the wages of sin.

"For the wages of sin is death; but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord." Romans 6:23

The Lord did not check who inside the house was worthy. He checked for the blood on the doorposts. None of us is worthy. Only the blood of Jesus can cover us. **Has the blood of Jesus Christ been applied to your life?**

WHEN I SEE THE BLOOD

*Christ our Redeemer died on the cross,
Died for the sinner, paid all his due;
Sprinkle your soul with the blood of the Lamb,
And He will pass, will pass over you.
When I see the blood,
When I see the blood,
When I see the blood,
I will pass, I will pass over you."*

— John G. Foote

His Plan for me

Sometimes the path He chose for me has led through pleasant ways,
Through peaceful valleys, quiet streams, with warm and sunny days.
Sometimes the climb is steep and rough with darkness overhead,
With chilling winds and falling stones, but still the path I tread.
I know this path was planned for me according to His will;
I've trusted Him throughout the past and I will trust Him still.
And someday He'll reveal to me the wisdom of His choice,
Then I'll know why this path was best and praise Him, and rejoice.

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Something Good

Wouldn't this old world be better if folks we meet would say,
"I know something good about you" and then treat us just that way.
Wouldn't it be fine and dandy if each handclasp warm and true
Carried with it the assurance, "I know something good about you!"
Wouldn't life be lots more happy if the good that's in us all
Were the only things about us that folks bothered to recall?
Wouldn't life be lots more happy if we praised the good we see?
For there's such a lot of goodness in the worst of You and Me.
Wouldn't it be nice to practice that fine way of thinking, too?
You know something good about me!
I know something good about you!

Author Unknown

Pray for One Another

I cannot tell why there should come to me
A thought of someone miles and miles away!
In swift insistence on the memory,
Unless a need there be that I should pray.
Too hurried oft are we to spare the thought,
For days together, of some friends away;
Perhaps God does it for us and we ought
To read His signal as a call to pray.
Perhaps, just then, my friend has fiercer fight.
And more appalling weakness and decay
Of courage, darkness, some lost sense of right;
And so, in case he needs my prayer, I pray.
Friend, do the same for me. If I intrude
Unasked upon you, on some crowded day,
Give me a moment's prayer as interlude;
Be very sure I need it, therefore pray.

Margaret Famingham