

August 23, 2019

St. Mary's MESSENGER

This Week: Aug 19-24

Tuesday
11:00 AM
Morning Prayer

7:00 PM AA

Wednesday 12:00 PM Holy Eucharist II

Thursday 7:00 PM AA

Friday 7:00 PM AA

Next Week: Aug 26-31

Tuesday 11:00 AM Morning Prayer

7:00 PM AA

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From Your Priest:



"Standing Up"
Luke 13:10-17

The harshest criticism Jesus metes out is "You hypocrites!" He often catches the religious of his day (and ours) in hypocrisy. Most often it is a failure to see the forest for the trees, a focus on the

unimportant as we miss God in the process. Self-righteousness and hypocrisy go hand in hand and get religious people tied up in knots on just about every issue imaginable. A woman has been crippled for two decades, imprisoned by a failed skeleton. At the touch of Jesus she stands up straight. Her reaction is to praise God but—wouldn't you know it—there is someone who gets wound up and says "We don't do it that way here!" What is wrong with this picture? This might be a good time to take stock in our own lives where we substitute rules that give us some comfort for the will of God which challenges us.

Mid-Week Holy Eucharist

Rev. Bill has resumed Wednesdays at NOON. At the mid-week Eucharist, he preaches on the "Holy Women, Holy Men" calendar. Hope to see you there!

UPCOMING EVENTS

The Lampasas Mission is in need of some supplies. If you can help donate to this amazing program, it would be greatly appreciated!

Friday 7:00 PM AA

This Sunday Aug. 25, 2019

Isaiah 58:9b-14 Psalm 103:1-8 Hebrews 12:18-29 Luke 13:10-17

Celebrants:

Rev. William Fowler

<u>Eucharistic</u>

<u>Minister:</u>

Rev. Milly Williams

Acolyte

Tulisha Wendele

Altar Guild:

Judy L./Jo Wooten

<u>Ushers:</u>

Mike & Janie Watson

Vestry person:
Mike Watson

QUICK LINKS
Our Website

The Diocese of Texas

The Lectionary



"For You are great and do wondrous deeds; You alone are God.."

oatmeal
pancake mix
canned soups
Ramen soups
1 lb cans of coffee
misc pastas
tomato sauce
canned meats
frozen beef or pork
paper towel
toilet paper
feminine hygiene products

Their hours for accepting donation are Mondays 5-8 pm, Tuesdays & Thursdays 1-3 pm. Thank you!

**Ladies Fall Bible Study*

"To Live Is Christ" - A Study on the Apostle Paul (Videos by Beth Moore)

Led by D'Anne Willis 10:00 AM

Tuesdays, Sept. 10th - Nov. 19th or

Thursdays, Sept. 12th - Nov. 21st

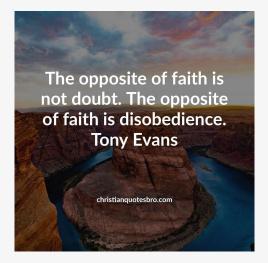
507 S. Arnold Street, Lampasas, Texas

Contact Martha Casbeer for workbooks (\$18.00)

(512) 556-8388 or tomandmarthacasbeer@gmail.com

Come join us as we study God's Word!

THINK ON THIS:



Psalm 86:10 (NAS)



Bow the Knee

"Trust the heart of your Father when the answer goes beyond what you can see..." -Chris Machen

Prayer List:

Melanie Delaune, Ann Gilmore, Larry & Becky Hart, Roz & J.M. Finley, Wilder Brown, Anne Brown, Jim Richardson, Jim & Pat Anderson, Margaret King Cole, Glynda, Kiersten, David, Mary JP, Norman, Karal, Buck, Alex, Debbie, Randy, Amanda, Jack, & Jerry Richardson.

All bishops and ministers and those in authority in government.

Remember those traveling and returning from vacations and teachers, administration and students as they prepare to return to school.

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