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## "Spur One Another On"

"Therefore, brothers, since we have confidence to enter the Most Holy Place by the blood of Jesus, by a new and living way opened for us through the curtain, that is his body, and since we have a great high priest over the house of God, let us draw near to God with a sincere heart in full assurance of faith, having our hearts sprinkled to cleanse us from a guilty conscience and having our bodies washed with pure water. Let us hold unswervingly to the hope we profess, for he who promised is faithful. And let us consider how we may spar one another on toward love and good deeds. Let as not give up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but let us encourage one another—and all the more as you see the Day approaching."

The third of the five "let us" statements found in Hebrews 10 says, "Let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds." Inherent in this statement is the responsibility that we have to consider each other. Yes, I am ultimately responsible for my own salvation and relationship with God. However, we each have a responsibility to one another to encourage, strengthen and help each other as we strive together to serve God. The writer says that we need to "consider" how to do this. This means that encouraging (spurring) is a calculated effort. It means that I should have you in my thoughts and prayers. It means that I should be consciously thinking about ways to encourage you and vice versa.

As a part of a somewhat large church family, it is easy for people and their needs to go unnoticed. It is up to each of us to be looking around and noticing others. We need to have eyes like Jesus who always seemed to notice those who were hurting.

"Spurring" may not sound enjoyable, especially to the "spurred"! But there are times when each of us needs a kick in the pants to get our attention. Of course this must be done as gently as possible and with the most sincere of motives. It also shows the importance of having a relationship with each other. I am going to be much more receptive to you spurring me if you have already shown that you love me and are genuinely concerned about my spiritual walk.

So yes, we need to encourage each other. And yes, sometimes we need to spur each other. But at all times we need to be considering each other.

## PRAYING FOR THE SICK

Shelby Hunt had back surgery on Tuesday in Plano. The surgery went well and she is home. Olivia Dublin had surgery on her fractured arm where they put in pins. It went well and she is home. Wanda Purdy fell last Thursday and sustained a fractured bone in her face and several stitches above her eye. She was to see a facial doctor today (Thursday) in Tyler. Sue Sloan continues with chemotherapy. Patti Holt, who is employed at Chapel Hill ISD, has cancer and in need of our prayers. Several of our members do know her. Ann Clevenger remains in The Oaks under hospice care. Continue your prayers for Wanda Davis, sister of our Emma Martin, who is under hospice care at her home in Hubbard. Please continue prayers for the following: Fave Alford, Catherine Allen, Glen Baird, Nelda Banks, Carla Barnes, Marlene Bohr, Bettye Brantley, Ann Clevenger, Desiree Corbello, Colby Cox, Maggie Cox, Sue Cox, Terry Cox, Dee Frankford, Beth Fuller, Faye Galloway, Betty Grainger, Patti Holt, David Ingram, David Ingram, Jr., Corrine Jacobsen, Glenn Justiss, Kenneth Kesterson, Olov & Patricia Lindkvist, Emma Martin, Janiece Miller, Diann Mueller, Will Parks, Will Pendergrass, Colleen Prahl, Don Prahl, Lloyd & Julia Puckett, Wanda Purdy, Don Richey, Vonnie Ross, Phil Saunders, James Shoellmann, Jo Speck, Jeffery Sweet, Jeremy Sweet, Julia Sweet, Royce Sweet, Sid Tietz, Jimmy & Bobbie Walker.

### LOVE & SYMPATHY

We extend our love & sympathy to the family of <u>Dorothy Braddock</u>. She passed from this life last week after a battle with Alzheimer's disease. Services were held in Lubbock. She was the sister of our <u>Nelda Maynard</u>. Please pray for the family.

### IT'S A BOY!

Colt Wayne Grissett was born in Denton on October 2, weighing 7 lbs. and 9 ounces and was 21" long. Proud great-grandparents are our John & Gerry Seeley and Proud parents are Cody & Tessa Grissett.

### **IT'S A GIRL!**

Taylor Noelle Thurman was born on October 2, in Gallatin, TN weighing 7 lbs. & 9 ounces and was 19 1/2" long. Proud parents are Chris & Susan Thurman and proud uncle and aunt is our Mark & Ju White.

#### TANZANIA MISSION

Please pray for <u>Curtis & Ranae Baker</u> as they leave on a mission to Arusha, Tanzania on October 12-27. They are the parents of our <u>Amanda Luensnmann</u>.

#### FYI

MEN'S BUSINESS MEETING ON SUN-DAY EVENING & OUR ELDERS WILL MEET ON MONDAY, 7:00, IN THE CON-FERENCE ROOM.

## HARVEST TIME

On Sunday evening <u>Demonica Williams</u> responded asking for prayers. <u>Demonica</u> and her mother, <u>Narene</u>, are both new residents of Daingerfield. Please pray for <u>Demonica</u> and her mother.

#### **HARVEST TIME**

On Monday evening Floyd & Brinda Currey were baptized into Christ. Although Brinda was baptized at an early age, she wanted to be assured that her motives were sincere. We love and appreciate both Floyd and Brinda and rejoice with them.

#### **STRIVE TO THRIVE**

Weight loss support group will meet Tonight (Thursday) at 6:30, here at the building. They will meet the 2nd & 4th Thursdays of the month) If you have any questions see <u>Misty Andrews</u>.

## TUESDAY NIGHT FOR THE MASTER

We had another great TNFTM this week!

There was 32 present, 10 phone calls made, 47 cards written and 7 visits. Signup next week

and come and work with us!

#### **NEW MEMBER**

Maude Harper (a former member) has let it be known that she wants to be associated with this church family again. We are very happy to welcome her and her two grandchildren, Melanie & Noah Anderson. Their address 564 CR 4345, Omaha, TX 75571 and phone number is 903-573-5889. Welcome back!

#### UPCOMING EVENTS

Oct. 14-Men's Business Meeting

Oct. 15-Elders Meet

Oct. 21-FLGs Meet

Oct. 28-Trunk or Treat

Nov. 11-Thanksgiving Fellowship

# "Youth Stuff"



NETSYS FALL
RETREAT
OCTOBER 12-14.

Sign up on bulletin board!
We will leave at 6:00 Friday (eat before you come) and return around 12:00 noon, Sunday

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## TRUNK OR TREAT

Our annual Trunk or Treat will be held on Sunday evening, October 28, following services. Donations of candy & trinkets will be appreciated. A signup sheet is in the foyer if you would like to have a "trunk" Any questions, see Erin Shumate.

