



## March 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>Every Sunday:</b> 9:45am Sunday school for all ages 11:00am Morning Worship Service 6:00pm Pastor's Bible Study & Youth				"For the joy of the Lord is your strength." <i>Nehemiah 8:10</i> 		
<b>The Annie Armstrong Easter Offering</b> is the primary way Southern Baptists fund missions in North America. One hundred percent of gifts given to AAEO go to the field to support more than 2,400 missionary families serving across the United States and Canada. (Don't forget to use the envelopes that are provided in the seat backs. Thanks			1	2	3	4
			Women's Bible Study at 10:30am  Prayer & Bible Study and P.H. Youth at 6pm	Men's Group at 7pm		Men's Breakfast – 8:30am
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Lord's Supper AAEO						Women's Breakfast – 9am
Week of Prayer for North American Missions and the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering – the 5 <sup>th</sup> to the 11 <sup>th</sup>						
Parent info & support mtg. – 5pm	Kid's Club here at 1:30pm	A.A. Meeting at 6pm	See 03/01	See 03/02		Sanctuary reserved at 11am
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Daylight Saving Time Begins  AAEO  Youth Bowling in Modesto and Pizza afterward	See 03/06	See 03/07	See 03/01	See 03/02		
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
AAEO	See 03/06	See 03/07	See 03/01  CMC Meeting at 7pm	See 03/02		
26	27	28	29	30	31	
AAEO	See 03/06	See 03/07	See 03/01	See 03/02		



### Preparing for Easter

This year, Palm Sunday and Easter fall on the first two Sundays of April. This means that March is a month of preparing our hearts for this very significant celebration.

On March 4<sup>th</sup> at 8:30am, there is a **Men's breakfast**. Don't miss this great time to get together with the guys.

On March 5<sup>th</sup>, we will be observing the **Lord's Supper**. Please come with your heart prepared to remember what Christ has done for us.

On March 11<sup>th</sup> at 9am. there will be a **Ladies' breakfast**. Even if you cannot attend our weekly Bible Studies, we would love to have you join us for breakfast.

**Daylight Saving time** begins on March 12<sup>th</sup>. Please remember to move your clocks ahead 1 hour before going to bed Saturday night, so that you're not late for Sunday School and Church. Thanks.

March means giving to the **Annie Armstrong Easter Offering**. This is an offering that we ask you to give above and beyond your regular tithe. This offering is designated for our North American Missionaries. These workers are supported on a full-time basis to plant churches in large cities across our continent. We will see video reports about their work each Sunday morning. Our goal is to raise \$1,000.<sup>00</sup> from your gifts and offerings. If each person participates, we can meet that goal! Thanks in advance.

This month my messages will focus on the fifteenth chapter of Mark. Lord willing, we will finish our journey through **the gospel of Mark** on Easter Sunday. On Sunday evenings we will complete our study of the book of Nahum and begin our study of the book of Hebrews. You are welcome to join us.

We want to congratulate **Logan and Alexandra Vahlstrom** on their wedding, which took place at our church on February 25<sup>th</sup>, 2023. May God bless you both as you begin a new life together. We love you!

May God bless you as you prepare your heart to celebrate Easter.

Yours In His Service,  
*Pastor Tim Rempel*

*"But You, O Lord, are a Shield for me, My glory and the One who lifts up my head." Psalms 3:3*

I am so grateful for our God! He loves and protects me and lifts my head when I start to doubt or worry. I am thankful to have the opportunity and calling to serve Him. This year will mark the 33rd year I have served as a Pastor! I am thankful for you and each person and church and city I have had the wonderful opportunity to serve. I have a meeting on a regular basis with other Pastors and youth pastors in our association; it's hard to believe that I am on the older end of that spectrum but grateful to share, encourage and pray with other servants of Jesus The Christ.

I shared last month that I want to minister to the entire family, so Denise and I will be offering a time for parents, grandparents, anyone who wants to talk to drop in to the youth room on a monthly basis (see the monthly calendar). You are welcome.

The youth are gearing up to go bowling in Modesto this month on the 12<sup>th</sup>, and pizza afterward. This will be with other churches in our association; the last time we met, there were around 30 in attendance.

Coming soon, the youth are going to help with VBS this June 25<sup>th</sup> through the 30<sup>th</sup>. As we visit Daniel in Babylon we will learn what he is experiencing and how God is using him! We will be having some trainings to ready and prepare them as they minister to the children of our communities. Adults will be needed as well, we will be announcing soon the needs if you can help.

Our big event this year will be in November as we attend the youth conference in Southern California. We want to take as many as possible and will need adult chaperones as well. Stay tuned for more information.

God bless you and may your March be a blessing to you and yours!

Serving Him,  
*Ptimmy Weimer, Associate Pastor*