

SCHEDULE

In-person Gathering **Sun. 10:00 am**
Live-streaming **Sun. 10:00 am**
Prayer Event **Wed. 6:30 pm**

PROCLAIM THE NAME

"Some boast in chariots, and some in horses, but we will boast in the name of the Lord, our God." Psalm 20:7

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

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Ages K-6 th grade

Each Wednesday
/6 weeks
beginning

Jul 7 / Aug 11

MEN'S
BREAKFAST/BIBLE STUDY

Clear your calendar for this epic event—Saturday, **July 17 @ 9:00 a.m.**
This is the beginning of a New Season.

Join us for food, camaraderie, and timely teaching—on the Huerta's patio.

Wise Women of Valor - Kickoff
The Wise Women of Valor-Parties on the Patio
Tuesday, July 20 @ 6:30 p.m.
Pursue God - Build friendships - Enjoy life - Be together.

BACK TO SCHOOL
Picnic | **SAT, AUGUST 21 @ 7:00 PM**

12:00-4:00 P.M.

Primrose Farm 5N726
Crane Road St. Charles

COVER THESE FOLKS IN PRAYER

(for educational/vocational choices)

- ▶ Amanda S. ▶ Aleah M. ▶ Mikaela H. ▶ Matt S. ▶ Jeremy S. ▶ Sam B.
▶ Keri W. ▶ Mattea H. ▶ Briana V. ▶ Ben G. ▶ Nathaniel S.

A NEW NORMAL

Jul 04 » Time to Cross Jordan
 Jul 11 » Gilgal: When the Past Catches Up to You
 Jul 18 » Shout for It!
 Jul 25 » Crazy Big Requests

PRAYER REQUESTS

► SALVATION

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Jason G. | <input type="checkbox"/> Ray H. | <input type="checkbox"/> Gearen Family | <input type="checkbox"/> Stein Family |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Brian H. | <input type="checkbox"/> Karen W. | <input type="checkbox"/> Rick L. | <input type="checkbox"/> Kirk Aricioglu |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Benjamin G. | <input type="checkbox"/> Cheyenne W. | <input type="checkbox"/> Mike F. | <input type="checkbox"/> Dave S. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ryan K. | <input type="checkbox"/> Tyler M. | <input type="checkbox"/> Tom M. | <input type="checkbox"/> Bato R. |

► HEALTH ISSUES

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Sam H. » Cardiac Issues | <input type="checkbox"/> Macario A. » Dialysis | <input type="checkbox"/> Carolyn » Stg. 3 Lung Cancer |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ruth H. » Health Issues | <input type="checkbox"/> Juan A. » Health Issues | <input type="checkbox"/> Armando L. » Back Injury |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Jean G. » Health Issues | <input type="checkbox"/> Randy F. » Immune disorder | <input type="checkbox"/> Sergio P. » Needs kidney donor |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Michael D. » MS | <input type="checkbox"/> Bill W. » Heart aneurysm | <input type="checkbox"/> David S. » Shoulder replacement |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Art B. » Health Issues | <input type="checkbox"/> Laura K. » Auto Immune | <input type="checkbox"/> Dan B. » Liver transplant |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Don H. » Health Issues | <input type="checkbox"/> Ozzie M. » Dialysis | <input type="checkbox"/> Harold J. » Mobility |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tommy P. » Anxiety | <input type="checkbox"/> Macario A. » Dialysis | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Noe F. » Health Issues | <input type="checkbox"/> Michael D. » Deliverance | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Shirley P. » Restoration of health | <input type="checkbox"/> Eloisa » Severe diabetes | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Evie » Respiratory Issues | |

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

“Transformation in the world happens when people are healed and start investing in other people.” —*Michael W. Smith*

METRICS THAT MATTER (07/04/21)

ATTENDANCE ► 22

GIVING ► \$2,298

GUESTS ► 0

VOLUNTEERS ► 7

DECISIONS FOR CHRIST ► 0

A NEW
NORMAL

Gilgal: The Place Where Your
Past Catches Up With You

*And the Lord said to Joshua, "Today I have rolled away the reproach of Egypt from you." And so the name of that place is called Gilgal to this day. **Joshua 5:9***

For a New **Season**

- We rarely need to add anything to begin a new season.
- There is almost always something we need to subtract.
- We need to stop repeating old patterns.

There is never a convenient time to do the one nagging thing God has been prompting you to do.

- Provision rarely comes first.
- We have to sever the cord first and trust that God will provide on the other side.



The Gilgal **Experience**

- God had commanded their ancestors that every male be circumcised.
- None of the men in Joshua's generation had been circumcised.
- Circumcision was to be performed on the eighth day after the child's birth.
- What was important to God would now become important to them.

Delayed obedience often complicates our lives and can result in painful circumstances our obedience would have avoided.

Resetting the Story

- God forces his people to confront their past and deal with their disobedience.
- God's objective: break the cycle of disobedience and shame.
- Gilgal is named not as the place of pain, but where their SHAME was rolled away.
- Gilgal is a place of letting go of things you don't need.
- Gilgal is not where you die—it's where your REPROACH dies—where your SHAME dies.
- It's the place where the remnants of the old life are cut away so you can fully inhabit this new land.

God will not let the past catch up with you—not so you can be conquered by it, but so you can confront it and make things right.

Land of Healing

Gilgal is not just the place for cutting away—Gilgal is also a place for healing.

- What happens at Gilgal is sacred.
- At Gilgal full restoration occurs.
- During this season of recovery they keep the Passover Celebration.

*And the manna ceased the day after they ate of the produce of the land. And there was no longer manna for the people of Israel, but they ate of the fruit of the land of Canaan that year. **Joshua 5:12***