

NOVEMBER TEACHING SERIES

**TEN THOUSAND REASONS** >  
— to be thankful —

This is a perfect time to send a postcard to people that have enriched your life. These stamped postcards are in the foyer. Take as many as you want. It's a great way to bless people!



NEW TUESDAY BIBLE STUDY SERIES

CHRISTINE CAINE

**UNASHAMED**

Drop the baggage, pick up your freedom, fulfill your destiny!

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 28



**EMMA GREBENICK REQUEST**



Emma was hospitalized on Tuesday at St. Alexius Hospital. Pray for her condition to stabilize quickly and for the Lord to course life to her body.

DECEMBER TEACHING SERIES

**Christmas**

FROM MANGER TO MAJESTY

- Dec 03 » The Humanity of Jesus
- Dec 10 » The Deity of Jesus
- Dec 17 » The Virgin Birth
- Dec 24 » Jesus: The Savior of the World

**THE Christmas PLEDGE**

- 1. To remember those people who truly need my gifts. | 2. To express my love for family and friends in more direct ways than presents. | 3. To rededicate myself to the spiritual growth of my family. | 4. To examine my holiday activities in light of the true spirit of Christmas. | 5. To initiate one act of peacemaking within my family and friends.



**CONNECTION CARD**

Each week everyone will be asked to fill out a Connection Card in order to "MEASURE" our church in five key areas. There will be a summary report each week in the bulletin that identifies those five key metrics.

Please turn in your card each week. Members, leaders and guests will be asked to turn these in.



# TEN THOUSAND REASONS

— to be thankful —

Nov 05 » Forgiveness  
 Nov 12 » Healing  
 Nov 19 » Lovingkindness  
 Nov 26 » Good Things

## PRAYER REQUESTS ▶ THINKING-OF-YOU PRAYER

Breanna V. ▶ Health Issues	<input type="checkbox"/>	Michelle G. ▶ Spiritual growth	<input type="checkbox"/>
Elizabeth S. ▶ Health Issues	<input type="checkbox"/>	Brian H. ▶ Salvation	<input type="checkbox"/>
Suzie S. ▶ Health Issues	<input type="checkbox"/>	Benjamin G. ▶ Salvation	<input type="checkbox"/>
Noe F. ▶ Health Issues	<input type="checkbox"/>	Rick W. ▶ Pinched nerve	<input type="checkbox"/>
Kenny D. ▶ Neurological	<input type="checkbox"/>	Ray H. ▶ Salvation	<input type="checkbox"/>
Danny L. ▶ Peace Corps	<input type="checkbox"/>	Karen W. ▶ Salvation	<input type="checkbox"/>
Phyllis L. ▶ Health Issues	<input type="checkbox"/>	Cheyenne W. ▶ Salvation	<input type="checkbox"/>
Misty L. ▶ Headaches	<input type="checkbox"/>	Tommy F. ▶ Healing	<input type="checkbox"/>
Jason G. ▶ Salvation	<input type="checkbox"/>		

## ▶ URGENT PRAYER

Barb S. ▶ Cardiac Issues	<input type="checkbox"/>	Stein Family ▶ Salvation	<input type="checkbox"/>
Toni R. ▶ Health Issues	<input type="checkbox"/>	Danny R. ▶ ALS	<input type="checkbox"/>
Peggy K. ▶ Health Issues	<input type="checkbox"/>	Gerry G. ▶ Health Issues	<input type="checkbox"/>
Emma G. ▶ Health Issues	<input type="checkbox"/>	Ray S. ▶ Health Issues	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sam H. ▶ Cardiac Issues	<input type="checkbox"/>	Ruth H. ▶ Health Issues	<input type="checkbox"/>
Judi G. ▶ Health Issues	<input type="checkbox"/>	Terry P. ▶ Cancer/spleen	<input type="checkbox"/>
Gearen Family ▶ Drawn closer to God	<input type="checkbox"/>	Bob Z. ▶ Lung Cancer	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cindy ▶ Cardiac Issues	<input type="checkbox"/>		

## QUOTE OF THE WEEK

*“God’s going to put you on somebody’s mind who’s in a position to restore what you lost.” —T.D. Jakes*

## METRICS THAT MATTER (11/19/17)

ATTENDANCE ▶ 27    GIVING ▶ \$865.<sup>25</sup>    GUESTS ▶ 0  
 VOLUNTEERS ▶ 15    DECISIONS FOR CHRIST ▶ 0

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# GOOD THINGS

<sup>1</sup> Praise the LORD, my soul; all my inmost being, praise his holy name. <sup>2</sup> Praise the LORD, my soul, and forget not all his benefits— <sup>3</sup> who forgives all your sins and heals all your diseases, <sup>4</sup> who redeems your life from the pit and crowns you with love and compassion <sup>5</sup> who satisfies your desires with good things so that your youth is renewed like the eagle's. *Psalm 103:1-5*

## THE REASONS TO BE THANKFUL

- » "forgives all your sins."
- » "heals all your diseases."
- » "redeems your life from the pit."
- » "crowns your life with love and compassion."

THANKFUL



## Good Things

### PROVISION

The Lord shall increase you more and more, you and your children. *Psalm 115:14*

But remember the Lord your God, for it is he who gives you the ability to produce wealth, and so confirms his covenant, which he swore to your ancestors, as it is today. *Deuteronomy 8:18 NIV*

I have been young, and now am old; yet have I not seen the righteous forsaken, nor his seed begging bread. *Psalm 37:25 KJV*

<sup>3</sup> Children are a heritage from the LORD, offspring a reward from him. <sup>4</sup> Like arrows in the hands of a warrior are children born in one's youth. <sup>5</sup> Blessed is the man whose quiver is full of them. *Psalm 127:3-5*

### FAMILY

Start children off on the way they should go, and even when they are old they will not turn from it. *Proverbs 22:6*

God sets the solitary in families; He brings out those who are bound into prosperity; But the rebellious dwell in a dry land. *Psalms 68:6*

# ENCOURAGEMENT



The LORD your God is in your midst, a mighty one who will save; he will rejoice over you with gladness; he will quiet you by his love; he will exult over you with loud singing. *Zephaniah 3:17*

So we do not lose heart. Though our outer self is wasting away, our inner self is being renewed day by day. For this light momentary affliction is preparing for us an eternal weight of glory beyond all comparison, as we look not to the things that are seen but to the things that are unseen. For the things that are seen are transient, but the things that are unseen are eternal. *2 Corinthians 4:16-18*



And as you wish that others would do to you, do so to them. *Luke 6:31*

# FRIENDS

One who is righteous is a guide to his neighbor, but the way of the wicked leads them astray. *Proverbs 12:26*

# OPPORTUNITIES



This is the confidence we have in approaching God: that if we ask anything according to his will, he hears us. And if we know that he hears us—whatever we ask—we know that we have what we asked of him *1 John 5:14-15 NASB*

"For the Lord God is a sun and shield; The Lord gives grace and glory; No good thing does He withhold from those who walk uprightly." *Psalms 84:11*



# PAUL BAUER Request

Paul Bauer, a friend of Joshua Staar, was in a serious auto accident last Sunday evening, November 19. His injuries were extensive, including a shattered pelvis and femur (broken in two places). He has already undergone several surgeries. Let's intercede for Paul so that this test becomes a testimony that gives great glory to the Lord.

## HERE ARE SOME STRATEGIC PRAYER POINTS BY BRIDGET:

- » No problem with bleeding/blood clots as a result of the procedures.
- » No infections at all to wound sites that need to heal and are close to each other.
- » That the fusion of bones on the hip points **LINE UP** and stay **LINED UP** so that more surgeries will not be needed.
- » No arthritis.
- » No hernias down the road.
- » Quick recovery from the first and second surgeries as we go into surgeries for ankle and elbows.



## PRAY THE WORD FOR PAUL'S HEALING!

- "I cry out to the Lord and He heals me." *Psalm 30:2*
- "He sends his word and heals me and rescues me from the pit of destruction." *Psalm 107:20*
- "I shall not die but live, and shall **DECLARE** the works and recount the illustrious acts of the Lord." *Psalm 118:17*
- "He heals my broken heart and binds up my wounds (curing my pains and sorrows). *Psalm 147:3*
- "I will listen closely to God's words. I will not let them out of my sight—I will keep them within my heart; for they are life to all who find them and health for the whole body." *Proverbs 4:20-22*
- "My light shall break forth like the morning, and my healing (my restoration and the power of a new life) shall spring forth speedily." *Isaiah 58:8*