

We are a body of believers
located in northern Harris County
called by the Holy Spirit and
transformed by the Gospel to glorify and enjoy God
as we proclaim the Good News of salvation through Jesus Christ.

Sunday, June 19, 2022

Celebration of God in Corporate Worship

PRE-SERVICE MUSIC

Stephanie Hicks

PRELUDE

Ianice Bradshaw

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastor Ben

PREPARATION TO WORSHIP

Janice Bradshaw

Please take a moment to silently prepare to worship, and reflect on Isaiah 9:2

"The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light; those who dwelt in a land of deep darkness, on them has light shone."

+CALL TO WORSHIP

Pastor Ben

Ezekiel 34:11-12

Leader: For thus says the Lord GOD:

Behold, I, I myself will search for my sheep

and will seek them out.

People: As a shepherd seeks out his flock

when he is among his sheep that have been scattered,

Leader: So will I seek out my sheep,

All: And I will rescue them

from all places where they have been scattered

on a day of clouds and thick darkness.

+PRAYER OF ADORATION

Pastor Ben

+SONGS OF ADORATION

Congregation

Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus (Hymn #571, vs. 1, 3, and 4) (Duffield, Webb)

Faith of Our Fathers! (Hymn #570, vs. 1, 3, and 4) (Faber, Hemy, Walton)

"Give me

understanding that I may keep

your law and

observe it with

Worship begins

where spiritual life begins - with God's call.

Appropriately,

we respond with prayers and

songs of adoration.

my whole heart." Psalm 119:34

DECLARATION OF GOD'S LAW

Pastor Ben

Romans 7:21-24

So I find it to be a law that when I want to do right, evil lies close at hand. For I delight in the law of God, in my inner being, but I see in my members another law waging war against the law of my mind and making me captive to the law of sin that dwells in my members.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Pastor Ben

Leader: Almighty God, we come to you confessing that we are sinners.

On the one hand, we desire to please you,

but on the other hand, in this life we cannot gain total victory

over the war with indwelling sin.

People: Father, we do not do the good we want,

but the evil we do not want to do

is what we keep on doing.

Have mercy on us, and deliver us!

Leader: Lord, we rejoice in you knowing that your commitment to us

is written in the nail pierced hands of our Savior, whose sacrifice has fully atoned for all our sin. So, hear now our silent personal prayers of confession,

and forgive us for the sake of Jesus...

silent confession of personal sin

Amen.

PRONOUNCEMENT OF GOD'S GOSPEL

Pastor Ben

Romans 8:1-2

There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus. For the law of the Spirit of life has set you free in Christ Jesus from the law of sin and death.

PRAYER FOR CHRIST'S CHURCH AND THE WORLD

Pastor Ben

concluding with the Lord's Prayer

+SONG OF THANKSGIVING

Congregation

How Deep the Father's Love for Us

(Townend)

God's law
reveals God's
righteous
requirement. We
confess our
failure to keep
God's law, and
joyfully receive
the good news
of what God has
done for us in
Christ.

"Let your steadfast love come to me, O LORD, your salvation according to your promise." Psalm 119:41 We are called to be faithful stewards of God's Word. Therefore, we eagerly and unashamedly read and proclaim the whole counsel of Scripture.

Having received God's blessing, we depart blessing the name of the Lord. DIACONAL PRAYER Deacon Bill Dietz

OFFERTORY Victory in Jesus Men's Choir

(Bartlett; arr. Lawrence, Bradshaw)

+SONG OF PRAISE The Doxology (Hymn #731) Congregation

(Ken, Bourgeois)

BLESSING OF THE CHILDREN

Pastor Ben

After the blessing you are welcome to send your children ages 4-8 to Children's Worship or they may remain with you. Children will be returned to the Sanctuary after the sermon.

SCRIPTURE TEXT James 5:13-20 Pastor Ben

SERMON Prayer and Care in the Body Pastor Ben

+SONG OF RESPONSE Congregation

Lead On, O King Eternal (Hymn #580)

(Shurtleff, Smart; arr. Linker)

+BENEDICTION Pastor Ben

+SONG OF BLESSING Gloria Patri (Hymn #735) Congregation

(Traditional 2nd century text, Greatorex)

POSTLUDE Stephanie Hicks

Sermon Notes

Prayer and Care in the Body

June 19, 2022

James 5:13-20

Announcements

Monday, June 20 SAA Meeting Youth Building	7:30pm
Tuesday, June 21 Women in the Word 119 CODA Meeting Youth Building	9:30am 7:30pm
Wednesday, June 22	
Thursday, June 23 Women in the Word 119	7:00pm
Friday, June 24	
Saturday, June 25 Ladies' Trip to Newman's Castle	8:00am
Sunday, June 26 Worship Sanctuary & Live Stream Sunday School for all ages	9:30am 11:00am

THANK YOU to everyone who volunteered for VBS, whether through donations, decorations, or lovingly serving with the children on campus! It was a joyful and amazing week for the 40 children who attended as they heard the gospel each day and experienced God's love through the volunteer's sacrificial service. Praise God!

Ladies' & Children's Adventure to Newman's Castle in Bellville Saturday, June 25, 8 am-2 pm Contact: Julie

Hear Ye! Hear Ye! Gather your princes and princesses and come with the ladies of SCPC to explore Newman's Castle in Bellville. We will gather in the church parking lot to caravan together. The cost is \$20/adult and \$10/child ages 6 and under and includes entrance to the castle, a sack lunch (ham/cheese or turkey/cheese sandwich, chips, and a cookie), and a drink. Reservations are required - RSVP by TODAY at springcypresschurch.com/women.

Ladies' & Children's Play Date Wednesday, June 29, 10:30 am Timarron Park Sprayground 550 North Green Print Cir, The Woodlands Contact: Carrington

Moms, grandmoms, aunts, bring your kiddos and pack a picnic lunch and join us for some cool fun at Timarron Park Sprayground! There are playgrounds for both younger and older children as well. We will meet at the sprayground to start.

Volunteers for Created for a Purpose Contact: Amy

It's almost here! Created for a Purpose, our creative arts camp for girls, will be happening July 18-22. If you have already volunteered, you should have received an email this week. If you have not volunteered but would like to be involved in this amazing ministry highlighting the fact that each girl is created by God, in His image, for a purpose, we are still in need of additional volunteers. Contact Amy if you're interested in helping!

Prayer

Pray for Our Church

General Assembly - Our denomination's annual General Assembly convenes this week in Birmingham. Please pray for our church's commissioners: Pastor Ben, Justin Chandler, Erik Haaland, and Danny McDaniel.

Pray for Our Congregation

Charlotte Achterkirch - PRAISE - Charlotte is safely home from her two week medical missions trip to Athens and Samos, Greece. She had an extraordinary experience serving refugees, sharing the Word, and spreading joy. To God be the glory! Thank you for your prayers and financial assistance!

Jeff Cory - PRAISE - no cancer was found outside of the surgical area! Pray for complete recovery. *Arlene Rodney* - PRAISE - the heart catheterization indicated that no stents were required! Pray for increased energy.

Ongoing health concerns: René & Clairice Chapelle, Carl & Rose Gregory, Rick & Jeanne Maddy, Katie Medeiros, Mark Morrow, Jim Spiritosanto.

Pray for Our Military and First Responders

Peter Achterkirch, Army, Washington Christian Cory, Army, New York Chris Dietz, Navy Reserves, Texas Shawn Maya, Spring Fire Department Jessy Wykes, Army, Kentucky

Pray for Our College Students

Charlotte Achterkirch, Samford University Zach Allan, Tarleton State University Rebekah Duncan, Montana State University Austin Gatlin, Louisiana State University Justin Gatlin, Louisiana State University Jenna Haaland, Samford University Rebekah Kooiman, Abilene Christian University Ayden Steagall, Lone Star College AJ Tousha, Lone Star College Izzy Tousha, Lone Star College

Pray for Our Families and Friends

Cason Moncrief - PRAISE for his promotion to manager! Pray that his training will go well.

Shelley Steagall's mother, *Laura Parker* - PRAISE - knee revision surgery went well. Pray for complete recovery, and for strength and patience for Shelley's dad *Charles* as he cares for her.

Mindy Burton's dad, *Tim Nesbitt* - healing with immunotherapy treatments for stage 4 lung cancer; peace for his family.

Arlene Rodney's cousin, *Marilyn* - PRAISE - her hemoglobin is up. Continue to pray for grace for her and her family.

Emily Wykes' friend, *Sydnee Stanley* - PRAISE - Sydnee was able to go home, and for her incredible witness to her medical team, friends, and family as she's endured excruciating pain and debilitation. Pray for continued healing, and for strength and relief from pain.

Pray for Our Missionary of the Month

Rick & Betty Aschmann, Mission to the World, Quito, Ecuador

- Church Plant Praise that they are able to meet in person again.
- Translation Work Pray for the ongoing translation of the Old Testament into the Central Highland Quichua language.
- Safety Pray for their physical safety; crime is rampant in Ecuador!
- **Travel** Pray for a blessed time while they're in the US visiting Anne, Betty's family, and checking out colleges for Nathan.

General Information

To our visitors:

Welcome, we're so glad you're here today!

- Stop by the Visitor's Center in the Narthex for a free gift!
- Please complete a connect/prayer card if you want us to be in touch, and so we know how we can pray for you.
- If you do not have a Bible of your own, please take one of the pew Bibles home with you today.

To learn more about us and our ministries, visit our website, springcypresschurch.com

To see how our church participates in the global cause for Christ, check out the touchscreen monitor in the Narthex

Like and follow us on Facebook: Spring Cypress Church

Restrooms are located in the Narthex.

Parents of Young Children:

- Nursery is available in the Children's Wing for children 4 years and younger.
- A cry room, located on the piano side of the sanctuary, is available for parents with young children.
- Children ages 4-8 are welcome to go to Children's Worship prior to the sermon, and they are returned to the Sanctuary near the end of the service. On Communion Sundays (first of each month), children will remain with their families so that they regularly participate in corporate worship with our entire church family!

Giving at SCPC:

We present our offerings as an act of worship, expressing our thankfulness for God's provision, our trust for God to meet all our needs, and our desire to be used of God for the furtherance of His kingdom on earth.

You may place your gift in the offering plate, mail a check to the church office, or give online at springcypresschurch.com/give.

Our Church Leadership & Staff

Elders

Ian Achterkirch
Justin Chandler
Erik Haaland

Tim Kooiman
Danny McDaniel

The elders may be reached at: session@springcypresschurch.com

Deacons

Jakob BashamDavid JonesKyle BoddenStephen KovachBill DietzScott LewisDavid FarmerBob Pickard

The deacons may be reached at: deacons@springcypresschurch.com

Staff

Rev. Ben Duncan, Senior Pastor ben@springcypresschurch.com

Dr. Wesley Lawrence, Music Director wesley@springcypresschurch.com

Elisa Haaland, Multidisciplinary Ministry Coordinator elisa@springcypresschurch.com

Robin Trygstad, Office Administrator robin@springcypresschurch.com

If you've lost or misplaced an item, please check with the office.

Office hours: Monday-Thursday, 9am-3pm

6000 Spring Cypress Rd, Spring, TX 77379 · 281-320-3650 · springcypresschurch.com