

EXTRAS:

Spotlight on May 19-21: Conversational Prayer Workshop with Rev. Jeffrey Elmore at COSUMC. Embark on this journey together, a journey to approach God Almighty. Learn how to pray Conscious – not rote; Comfortable – not strained; Conversational – not one directional. Come and be blessed by the power of prayer.

Thursday and Friday evenings from 7-9:00 PM, and Saturday – 9-5:00 PM. Register at COSUMC - \$20.00 Tuition - Scholarships available upon requests.

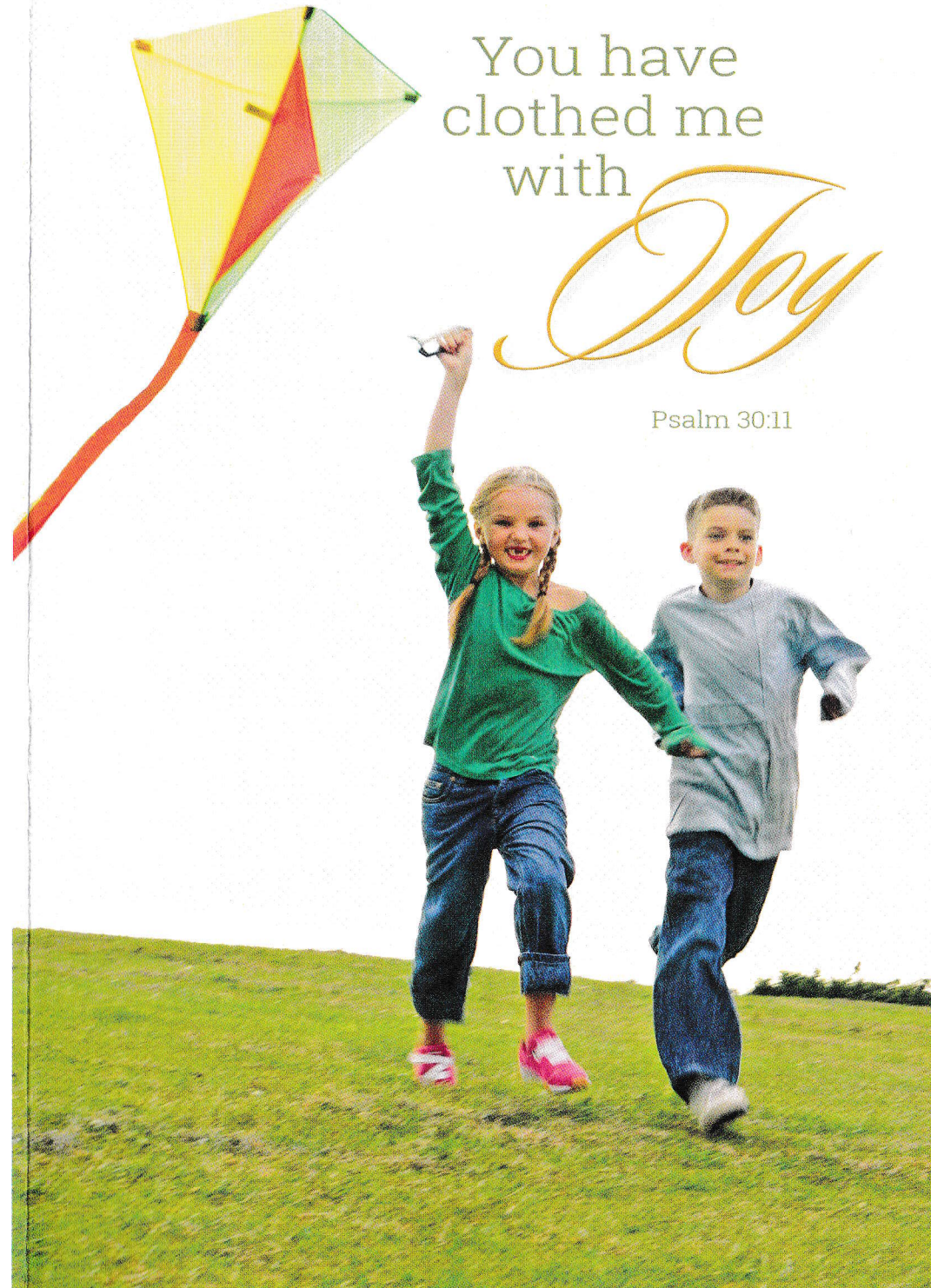
NEW EMAIL for PRAYER REQUESTS

Please contact Pastor Ken Gardner for prayer requests. Call the church office (943-2774) or send an email: pastor@cosumc.com. This email goes directly to Pastor Ken. All prayer requests are confidential.

To make online tithes, gifts and offerings go to:
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Our Worship on April 10, 2016
Worship Leader: Chris Ulvin.

Welcome to this Worship of the Lord our God! Let us fill His house with songs of praise and feast upon His Word. If you desire prayer, please note your request on one of the slips in the chair pockets and place it in the Offering Basket, or come forward at the conclusion of our Worship. We especially invite our guests to remain after Worship to enjoy some friendly conversation and refreshments in our Lobby.

PRAISING GOD TOGETHER

Announcements – *Please sign and pass the red friendship books.*
Opening Devotion and Prayer
Singing Praises to Jesus
Greeting Each Other and Welcoming Our Guests

HEARING GOD'S WORD

Scripture Reading John 21:15-19 & Revelation 5:11-14
Pew Bible Pages 755/851
Message by Pastor Ken Gardner: "A Guilty Man Got Up & Walked."

POWER FOR MINISTRY

Offering Our Gifts to God

Closing Song

Prayer of Blessing on Everyone

WEEKLY HIGHLIGHTS

TODAY: Prayer Quilt is for Lori Baumgartner, Pat Hanson's daughter. Lori suffered injuries in auto accident last week. Pray for Lori's complete healing and recovery.

This week our Wednesday morning "Bible Study for Busy Lives" wraps up its 20-week tour through the entire Bible. However, starting the next week on Wednesday April 20 from 9:30 - 11:00 Pastor Ken will begin a new Bible study in the New Testament book of Galatians. We will take a detailed walk through this fascinating book that will most likely last through the summer. Everyone is welcome to attend. No previous Bible knowledge or skills are required. There are no books to buy. Come every week or come when you can.

MONDAY: 6:30 PM – New Member Class

TUESDAY:

9:00 AM – Prayers & Squares
6:30 PM – Women's Bible Study
7:00 PM – Men's Bible Study

WEDNESDAY:

9:30 AM – *Discipleship for Busy People*

FRIDAY: 6:30 PM – Grace Resource Development Dinner, **Light in the AV** - 25th Annual Development Dinner Friday, April 15th at AV Fairgrounds. COSUMC is hosting a table of eight. We have room left at the COSUMC table. Contact Susan Abrams, 661 816 1278.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Apr. 14th – Women's Walk to Emmaus
Apr. 22nd – Emmaus Gathering
Apr. 30th - North District Conference – 9:30-12 noon
May 10-20th - General Conference – Portland, OR
May 19-21 – Conversational Prayer Workshop with Rev. Jeffrey Elmore
June 16-18th – Annual Conference, Redlands, CA

"THE DAYS AFTER EASTER" Series

Message #2 of 4

"A Guilty Man Got Up And Walked"

Understanding your brokenness and failure is essential to fully experiencing the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ.

John 21:15-22 & Revelation 5:11-14

April 10, 2016

1. EMPTINESS & SURPRISE (John 21:1-9)

- ✓ "I'm going out to fish." (v.3)
- ✓ "We'll go with you." (v.3)
- ✓ "They got into the boat but that night they caught nothing." (v.3)
- ✓ "Early in the morning Jesus stood on the shore, but the disciples did not realize that it was Jesus." (v.4)
- ✓ "Friends, haven't you any fish?" (v.5)
- ✓ "No." (v.5)
- ✓ "Then the disciple whom Jesus loved said to Peter, 'It is the Lord!'" (v.7)

- **You thought it was over ... it's not.**

"God is confident we will look back and be lost in wonder at the spectacular love that God planned even our darkest moments." – Timothy Keller

2. BROKENNESS & FAILURE (John 21:10-17)

- ✓ "Do you truly love me?" (v.15a)
- ✓ "Do you truly love me?" (v.16a)
- ✓ "Do you love me?" (v.17a)

"Peter was hurt, because Jesus asked him the third time." (v.17b)

- ✓ "Yes, Lord, you know that I love you." (v.15b)
- ✓ "Yes, Lord, you know that I love you." (v.16b)

- ✓ "Lord, you know all things; you know that I love you." (17b)

- **You really are worse than you think you are.**

"May I never boast except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, through which the world has been crucified to me, and I to the world." – Galatians 6:14

3. FORGIVENESS & RESTORATION (John 21:15-17)

- ✓ "Feed my lambs." (v.15c)
- ✓ "Take care of my sheep." (v.16c)
- ✓ "Feed my sheep." (v.17c)

- **God's grace is truly better than you even imagined.**

"I tell you, her many sins have been forgiven — for she loved much. But he who has been forgiven little loves little." – Luke 7:47

4. FOLLOWING & FOCUSING (John 21:18-22)

- ✓ "When you were younger you ... went where you wanted, but when you are old you will stretch out your hands ... and lead you where you do not want to go." (v.18)
- ✓ "**Follow** me!" (v.19)
- ✓ "Peter turned and saw that the disciple whom Jesus loved was **following** them (and) asked, 'Lord, what about him?'" (v.21)
- ✓ "You must **follow** me." (v.22)

- **God is more in control than you ever expected.**

"I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me. The life I live in the body, I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me." – Galatians 2:20