



February 21, 2021

Mark 5:34

*He said to her,  
"Daughter, your faith has  
healed you. Go in peace  
and be freed from your  
suffering."*

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*"Every member a minister...through service"*

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Remember Wil Dabbs, Gladys Cobb, Roger Zartman, Gavin Payne, Jerry Dorris, Mike Hutchison, Melissa Vaught, Christiane Hobart, Bob Hughes, Sherry Smith, Shirley Obenshain, Dale Gray, Judy Roark, Brian Deckman, Garry Naylor, Donnis Luck, Nolan Edmondson, Ralph Cope, Helen Elder, Rachel Pyron, and Don Johnston as they deal with ongoing health issues.



LTC  
will not meet  
again until  
March

## Sympathy

We express our sincere sympathy to JoNell Towler and family. JoNell's sister, Betty Bowers, from Ft. Worth, Texas, passed away February 14th.



The leadership here at Rocketdyne has partnered with Right Now Media to provide a resource to bless us to grow and be equipped in the Lord. Right Now Media is a Christian video resource (think Netflix) that has 2000+ videos for all ages. There are movies for kids, small group curriculums, Bible studies, parenting and marriage resources, and much more. If you would like a Right Now Account, please email or text Tye your email address.

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Neosho Public Schools  
Character Trait For February

## HONESTY

Being the kind of person whom  
other people can have confidence in

## Story:

Faith is different from feelings. Feelings are based on circumstances, perception (real or imagined), and even chemical influence made in the body or put in the body. Feelings can change like the weather. Faith involves trust. Faith is acting on the choice to believe and trust that God is real, at work and working for the believer's good, regardless of what one may happen to feel at the moment. In fact, sometimes faith leads believers in the opposite direction of their feelings because their trust in God's story is greater than their trust in what they are feeling at the moment.

In Paul's letter to the Romans, he encourages us to trust in God's plan to save us by the amazing grace of Jesus. He declares that the journey of trust is good, beyond the feelings that we may be experiencing. This is why he can say things like:

*"We know that for those who love God all things work together for good..." Romans 8:28*

*"How can we who died to sin still live in it?... We were buried therefore with Him by baptism into death, in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, we too might walk in newness of life." Romans 6:1-4*

*"... Wretched man that I am! Who will deliver me from this body of death? Thanks be to God through Jesus Christ our Lord!" Romans 8:21-25*

God invites us to faithfully trust Him for all of life. The way of Jesus is the way of trust in the story that He is inviting us to be a part of, and Jesus is the invitation as well as the way. All throughout His life on earth, Jesus demonstrated absolute faith in His Father and challenged His followers to exercise the same kind of faith.

What we find in this invitation into story is that our feelings are important and a part of who we are, but our trust and faithfulness is a much better guide. This is why Jesus calls us to believe in order to understand our feelings in the journey of our stories. In the struggle with doubt and unbelief, Jesus encourages people, *"Don't be afraid; just believe (Mk 5:36)."* The way of Jesus is the way of trusting God's story every day!

Tye



## Thank You!

A big thank you to all who donated toward the 'Spread The Love' Peanut Butter Drive for Neosho Bright Futures.

Thanks to you, we were able to provide 235 jars of peanut butter for students in need in our area.

We have quite a bit that we are gearing up for this next week: It's almost here!!! The **February Retreat at Sky Ranch** in Cave Springs, Oklahoma, is this Friday. We will leave the building at 5:00pm. Please bring a sleeping bag, towels, toiletries, and winter clothes. I get it: it's going to be almost 60 degrees this weekend...but still, warm clothes will be needed!!! (Yes, I was asked this question specifically by a teen and I just wanted it on the record! LOL) We have 17 teens and 6 chaperones signed up to go over the weekend!! Getting very excited! Cost is \$40 and you can pay on Friday.



It's hard to believe most of you have had two whole weeks off from school! I can't believe it! I know several of you have shared interesting stories of what has happened to you and your family during this crazy weather. Always feel free to reach out!! We may not be able to get together in person, but digitally is the next best thing! And thank you to everyone who joined our virtual get together to celebrate Lane Pyron's 16th birthday!! I've always said if it's going to be this cold, we might as well have snow...but let me tell ya: I am now ready for these spring-like temperatures and the snow to go away!! I hope you have a great week.

Zac



## For Ages 3 years - 4th Grade

Imagination Station did not meet last week because of the very cold weather and ice on the parking lot. We are excited to be able to meet again today.

### February Memory Verse

*Jesus said, "Come follow me.  
I will make you fishermen for men."  
Matthew 4:19, ICB*

When you have this verse memorized, you can say it to the teacher in Imagination Station at the beginning of class for a treat from our treasure box!

### Schedule

#### Today - February 21

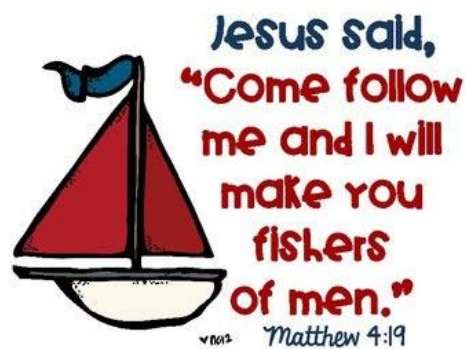
Lesson: Mary and Martha Follow Jesus  
Teacher: Sherry Whiteman  
Helpers: Debbie Bass, Zaine Powers

#### February 28

Lesson: Bartimaeus Follows Jesus  
Teacher: Theresa Widener  
Helpers: Beth Brower, Nash Crane

#### March 7

Lesson: Jesus Stops a Storm  
Teacher: Karina Zola  
Helpers: Heather Merrill, Cassie Davis



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 Partners in the Gospel

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Zac Erisman  
 Tye Zola



God has placed you where  
 you're at in this very moment  
 for a reason. Trust He is  
 working everything out!



*No Attended Nursery  
 At This Time*



Honey

**OUR MISSION**  
**To Worship God**  
**To Become More Like Jesus**  
**To Nurture the Children**  
**To Share His Love by Honoring and Serving One Another  
 and the World**  
**To the Praise and Glory of Our God**

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