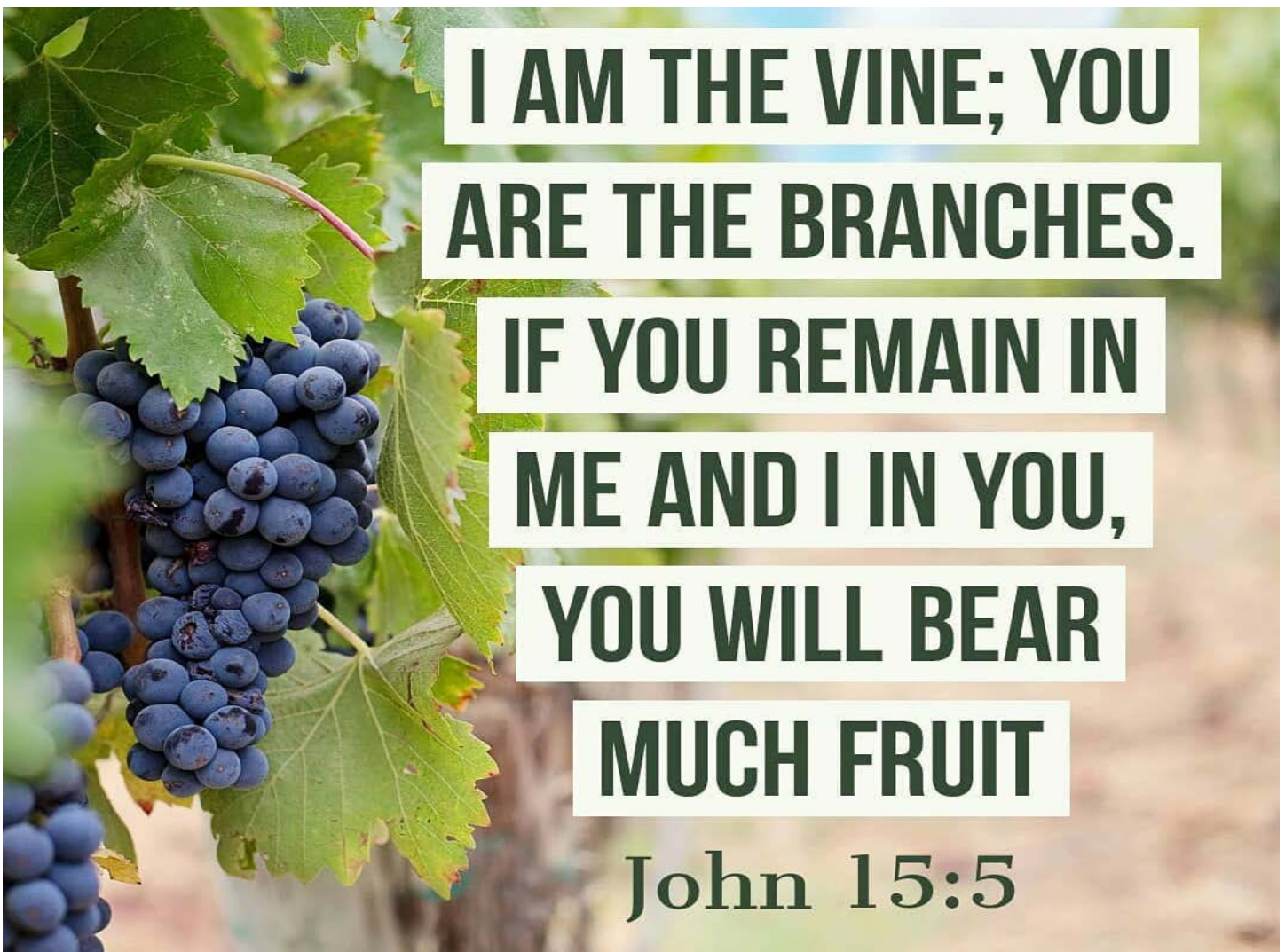


April 3, 2022



**I AM THE VINE; YOU**

**ARE THE BRANCHES.**

**IF YOU REMAIN IN**

**ME AND I IN YOU,**

**YOU WILL BEAR**

**MUCH FRUIT**

**John 15:5**

**Rocketdyne Road Church of Christ**  
*“Every member a minister...through service”*

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Max Ruhl has been moved into the ICU at KU Med center due to lower GI complications. Bonnie Gray will have surgery April 6th. Remember Nancy Richardson, Linda Channel, Gladys Cobb, Sherry Smith, Scott Cagle, Shirley Obenshain, Dale Gray, Brian Deckman, Ralph Cope, Helen Elder, and Rachel Pyron as they deal with ongoing health issues.

Also remember our brothers and sisters in Ukraine at this time.



Our Annual Easter Egg Hunt will be Sunday, April 17th, following morning services. We will have an egg hunt outside, along with pictures with a special visitor. We need your help with candy! Please bring wrapped candies or small treats like stickers. We have a big tub of plastic eggs left over from previous years. Our teens will fill those with the treats donated. Please have candies and treats here by Sunday, April 10th. Place candies/treats in the box in the Family Room.



**Nina Johnston** will celebrate her 86th birthday April 11th Her address is 4050 E. 23rd St., Joplin, MO 64804.



**Nathan Anderson**  
**Wyatt Burns**  
**Garret Douglas**  
**Jackson Schriever**

## I Am The True Vine

*If you abide in Me and My words abide in you, ask whatever you wish and it will be done for you. My father is glorified by this, that you bear much fruit, and so prove to be My disciples. - John 15:7-8*

Isaiah’s story is an amazing revelation of Jesus’ claim that there is life only in the LORD, if we are trusting to be pruned to bear fruit. Notice Isaiah 4-6.

In chapter 4, Isaiah receives a hopeful prophecy that “the Branch of the LORD” will bring fruit and shelter for God’s people. Yet the next prophecy Isaiah receives is a song from God about a vineyard He has planted in joy that had rejected Him and has grown wild (Isaiah 5). So when Isaiah has a vision of God’s throne room he realizes he is in need of being “pruned” so that he can bear good fruit. He cries out, “Woe to me, I am ruined! For I am a man of unclean lips... (Isaiah 6:5)” God provides cleansing forgiveness from His altar to remove the dead material that was keeping Isaiah from bearing good fruit. Isaiah’s next response is a declaration to live for the LORD and bear good fruit in the midst of a garden that needs to be taken care of!

May we trust Jesus’ proclamation that He is the “true vine” that we may abide in Him and truly bear good fruit!  
 Tye

## Thank You

Thank you to all who helped with Hope Kitchen. We had a great turn out of workers! A shout out of thanks to all the kids who came! There were 6 kids who helped bless the community! Also a big thank you to Mechell Shaver for co-ordinating our participation in Hope Kitchen. Stay tuned for our next community service.

## Easter Food Baskets

A corral is set up near the front door to collect donations for an Easter dinner. We need the following items: canned green beans, canned corn, Jello, cake mix, frosting, cookies, gravy, and dinner rolls. The church will provide a ham, potatoes, eggs, milk and butter. If you have the name of a family who would benefit from an Easter food basket, please let Earl or Zac know.





# JUST 4 YOUTH!

Did you survive the Neosho City Wide Garage Sale Weekend?! I tried to get out of town. We went to Silver Dollar City on Friday as a youth group for those who were out of school or able to be absent for the day. But Saturday, we have our first round of soccer games!! If you ever want to attend one of Beth or Eli's soccer games, feel free to let me know and I'll let ya know what time it's going down.

This Sunday in Bible Class, we are starting to look at the stories of Jesus in the scriptures as depicted in the series 'The Chosen'. This will be a great launching point for discussion and to prepare our minds for Easter.

Our next SNT: Sunday Night Together activity will be next Sunday, April 10th after church. We are going shopping for the Easter Holiday Food Baskets and seeing what fun we can get into along the way. For those of you who have been on a Walmart trip with me...you never know what will happen!

**SAVE THE DATE:** Teen-Led Imagination Station & Junior/Senior Bible Study on April 24th. More details next week!

I am praying for you! And I am praying that this 4th Quarter treats you all well. 4th Quarter and all its hard work just means one thing: Summer Break is coming!!! Have a great week. -Zac

## Happy Anniversary



Congratulations to Ben and Susan Lane. They will celebrate their 54th Wedding Anniversary April 4th..

### Mid-Week Meal

Wednesday, April 6

6:00 - 6:45

### Baked Potato Bar

Bring desserts

Please help put away tables and chairs after the meal.



## For Ages 3 years - 4th Grade

Thank you to Cheyenne Wilson for teaching us a lesson about the Triumphal Entry. Join us today for a lesson about the Last Supper.

### April Memory Verse

*"All I want is to know Christ  
and the power of His rising from death..."*

*Philippians 3:10*

Just a reminder, whenever you are ready, you can say the memory verse to the Imagination Station teacher for a treat from the treasure box!

### Schedule

#### Today - April 3

Lesson: The Last Supper

Teacher: Teresa Wilson

Helpers: Megan Ryan, Lane Pyron

Monitor: Sage Crane

#### April 10

Lesson: Good Friday

Teacher: Samantha Beeson

Helpers: Renee Lewis, Mattie Davis

Monitor: Brian Lewis

#### April 17

Lesson: The Resurrection

Teachers: Trish and Nash Crane

Helper: Theresa Widener

Monitor: Phillip Whiteman

Neosho Public Schools  
Character Trait For April

### PERSEVERANCE

Continuing to do the right thing  
even though others may not;  
pressing toward a goal even in difficult times

OUR  
*Leaders*

**Elders**

Al Beaver  
Tom Condict  
Clyde Hopper  
Don Hounsshell  
Ben Lane  
Jim Pyron  
Earl Reynolds  
Ray Stipp

**Deacons**

Bryce Beeson  
Sage Crane  
Adam Lett  
Kael Powers  
Jason Stipp  
Alan Woodward

**Ministers**

Zac Erisman  
Tye Zola

## Sunday Assignments

### Today

**Shepherd's Prayer**  
Ben Lane

**Serve Communion**

Jon Reagan, Randy Bass  
Phillip Whiteman, Brent Marion  
Derrick Davis, Seth Wilson  
Greg Hatfield, Xander Woodward

### Next Sunday

**Shepherd's Prayer**  
Jim Pyron

**Serve Communion**

Daniel Witcher, Adam Lett  
Ray Stipp, Pete Ramon,  
Dale Naden, Alan Woodward  
Jackson Davis, Sage Crane



Food  
Collection

Fair Haven Children's Home Needs

Chili Powder  
Jelly  
Snacks

ABIDE

*If you keep My commandments,  
you will abide in My love.*