# WAITING FOR THE BUS A Jogful 'toon by Mike Waters WHY WAIT ANY LONGERP I CAN GET YOU ON YOUR GET YOU ON YOUR GET HE BUS WILL EVER GET HERE! ON TIME! WAITING

Wait for the Lord;
be strong and take heart
and wait for the Lord.

- PSALM 27:14 NIV

Yesterday, was a day one could say "why me?". However, as I always remember, "Count it all joy when you fall into various trials knowing that the testing of our faith produces patience. But let patience have its perfect work that you may be perfect and complete, lacking nothing." Yes, from the book of James." I was enjoying my Saturday morning cup of coffee with my husband when he announced at 7:10 am that we had a meeting at the Church at 8:00 am. I rushed to get ready to go. On my way to the Church, I thought I should stop and get gas as I was planning on going to a memorial at noon then to Carson to visit with my dad. I filled the car with gas and then when I went to put the key in the ignition, it decided not to go in. Then when it did go in, it wouldn't turn on. I waited patiently for a tow truck. When I called to check the ETA, I was told it may be another two hours (2). Needless to say, I missed meetings and all my Saturday fun at Church. I waited three hours for help. Here's the joy: the station attendant tried to help. Then my husband came to my rescue, but he couldn't turn the key. Then three hours later (with a lot of things that happened in between), my son-in-law, Nick came with a temporary solution. The challenge was then we were almost late for the memorial. I didn't realize how important it was to me until we almost couldn't go. But when we got there, I was blessed from beginning to end. The blessings were abundant. Our dear friend, Don was well remembered. We met his niece and visited with his son, Ty. We spent time with friends. I met a woman who had the whipple surgery 5 years ago and is pancreatic cancer free. That was encouraging as my friend, Janice is still in recovery after 6 months and my bosses father just had the same surgery just weeks ago. I witnessed love and caring all through the day. My car is still ill. It may take a lot to fix it, but it is 18 years old. My daughter and Nick showed true character and love. Linda helped so much. I did not get to visit my dad however Sheryll was with him. Even though, I am truly blessed. "This was a day the Lord had made; let me rejoice and be glad in it!" Amen!

FOOD PANTRY - DISTRIBUTION EVERY 1st and 3rd" SATURDAY each MONTH @ 9:30 am. Your donations go a very long way to help the families in our community. **LOOK FOR THE CAN**. Blessings!



Please keep Alice in prayer during this season. Please pray for a speedy recovery for Terrie and a speedy rehab for Marie. Please pray for my car to be made well. Please pray for tow truck guy who never showed as he was overwhelmed and angry. As Henrietta shared last Sunday, please pray for believers to be hungry for the Word of our Lord – Amen!

## **Special March 2025 Events:**

Gary Prince – March 5 Glenn Claiborne – March 6 McKenzie – March 12 Steve K – March 15\* Pastor Wilson – March 18 Randy Foote – March 28

\*New date - Feb. 28th

# LET'S READ <u>HIS WORD</u> TOGETHER IN <u>2025</u>

# Meditate on these:



Monday – Genesis 44 Tuesday – Genesis 45 Wednesday – Genesis 46 Thursday – Genesis 47 Friday – Genesis 48 Saturday – Genesis 49 Sunday – Genesis 50

### Sparkle Team – Bless these hands Father!



Please consider joining our Sparkle team. Your hands and feet will bless this house. We are here every Saturday morning at 9am. We are so thankful for Dan and Linda for taking care of the Church and preparing for Sunday service and the upcoming daycare for the week. We are thankful to Rev. Dr. Henrietta for teaching at Bible study again this past Wednesday. We are grateful for everyone who stepped up to prepare a brunch while Terrie recovers. We are grateful for you. Amen!

Steve Kunselman
Please join Steve's family and the
Church Ohana for Steve's
celebration of his life on
Saturday, March 22, 2025 at
2:00 pm here at his Church,
University Family Fellowship.

# THIS WEEK'S MEMIORY VERSE:

"Joseph said to them, 'Do not be afraid, for am I in the place of God? But as for you, you meant evil against me; but God meant it for good, in order to bring it about as it is this day, to save many people alive. Now therefore, do not be afraid; I will provide for you and your little ones."

Genesis 50:19-21



# SUNDAY SCHOOL HAPPENINGS by Linda *Curtis*

. Be kind to each other. Ephesians 4:32. Our story, today, is about a woman who used her sewing talents for people in her community. She gave freely of her talent and when she died, the community was heartbroken as she was well-known for her kindness in making garments for them. Peter, feeling their distress, attended her and through the power and love of Jesus, he brought her back to life. Dorcas's love for them and her kindness was a very valuable part of her community. Just as our kindness to one another is also necessary to our community. We need to practice it as freely as Jesus gave of his kindness. Our teacher today is Elaine who also daily



Please join us in the fellowship hall after service hosted by Cindy Towles and thank you, Gary & Terrie for hosting fellowship last

week. See Terrie if you would like to host a brunch.

MONDAY NIGHT PRAYER – Monday, March 10, 2025 at A Voice in the Wilderness from 7-9 pm. "What! Could you not watch with Me one hour? Watch and pray, lest you enter into temptation. The spirit is willing but the flesh is weak.". Matthew 26:41

Login to www.universityfamilyfellowship.org to hear the sermons.