

The Darkness of the Heart

The state of our hearts directly effects the state of our souls. The two are so closely related that if one falters, the other slips as well. If the desires of the heart are to sin, our souls live in utter darkness. Sin separates us from God because it refuses to let His light in. We should strive always to keep God's love in our hearts in order to protect our souls.

When God is in our hearts, we begin to see things with new perspective. We are not so quick to judge others. We can see beauty in our fellow man. We are emotionally stronger and better equipped to fend off temptation. Let us welcome the light of God into our hearts, and treat our souls like the treasure that they are. (Matthew 12:35-27)

Adrian

Scripture Reading: Matthew 7:15-20

Sermon Title: False Teaching and it's Consequences.

Prayer requests:

Kimberly Shields is home from the hospital. She is still in a lot of pain and has trouble breathing. She also still needs a kidney/liver transplant.

Adam and Norma Garcia continue to need our prayers and support. Adam has cancer and will start treatments soon.

Shirley Fowler has cancer of the liver. The doctors give her two weeks. Prayers needed for her, her family and the doctors. (Friend of the Sillers)

Blanca Hinojos has brain cancer. Pray for her doctors as well as for her and her family. (Friend of the Sillers)

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Saturday, September 1, 2018 = Men's meeting at 10 am

Sunday, September 2, 2018 = Pot Luck Lunch & Fellowship

What is a pot luck lunch? It is a time for all members to bring a casserole or a meal that will serve their family plus 2 others. This meal is shared by the congregation and guests. It is a time for fellowship and getting to know one another better. Please plan to participate by bringing food and staying for fellowship.