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March 20	Psalm 77
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**NURSERY VOLUNTEERS**  
 March 20  
*Victor and Gayle Threatt*  
*Janice Jacobs, Mary Andero*



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# Coming Soon

**SUNDAY, MARCH 20**

Sunday School	9:00 - 9:45 AM
Worship Service	10:00 - 11:00 AM
Youth Middle School (Grades 6-8) Event	6:00-8:00 PM

**MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY Adult Exercise at 8:30 AM**

**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 23**

- Family Night Supper at 5:00 PM  
 MENU: Homemade Chicken Spaghetti, French Bread, Salad, Dessert

CHILDREN'S MENU: Hot Dogs or Chicken Nuggets  
 - College Bible Study (5:30 PM at the Highland House)  
 - Prayer Meeting (6:00 PM)  
 - Youth Worship (6:00 -7:00 PM)  
 - Kidz WOW (6:00-7:00 PM)  
 - Adult Choir Rehearsal (7:00 PM)

**SUNDAY, MARCH 27 SPRING EVANGELIST IN THE MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE, Gary Permenter**

A Love Offering will be taken.

**MARCH 27** Lauderdale Baptist Association Bible Drill  
**CONGRATULATIONS TO COLSTON NICKLAS, BRADY SCOTT AND ELIJAH TORRES WHO WILL ADVANCE TO THE ASSOCIATIONAL BIBLE DRILL.**

**APRIL 5** State Bible Drill  
**APRIL 6** Bible Drill Celebration

**FROM OUR MUSIC WORSHIP LEADER..**

We've had several different tastes of spring weather lately and it's been so nice. I love everything about every season except Summer. The heat can just put me in a terrible mood! I love pool days, beach vacations and all of the experiences Summer offers us, but I would just love Spring weather to go along with it instead of blazing hot temperatures.

Each spring, I start cleaning out closets, putting sweaters and closed toe shoes up for the next fall, cleaning out under the cabinets and just trying to get ready for what the next season brings. It's like I just need a reset- a new rhythm. This is almost what every parent feels when Summer is over. It's been nice not having to follow a routine, but when August hits and school is back in session, every parent breathes a sigh of relief to know that a routine is back in place (or at least the Type-A parents do).

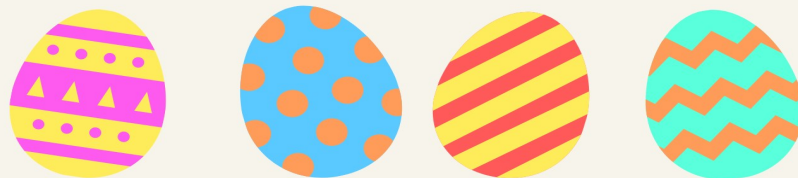
God allows for resetting and provides a way for it. In the Bible, you see the regularity with which God's people require a reset—whether through unconscious drifting or conscious decisions. It's gracious that God provides a way of calling us back and creating rhythms. It's not so much about whether we experience a drift, but rather, a matter of rhythms, practices, and the means of grace that are set in place for restoration when we do.

There are all kinds of rules in sports- a built-in process for what to do. For example, when there is a false start, you go back and start again so everyone can begin anew. We see the same thing in the Old Testament with the scribe and priest, Ezra. In the book of Nehemiah, God uses Nehemiah to lead his people to rebuild the walls of Jerusalem and to rebuild their distinctive identity as God's people. One of the powerful messages of Nehemiah is how much can be accomplished when we align ourselves with the will and plan of God.

Resets are all throughout Scripture. On a weekly basis, there is the Sabbath. Daily, we renew our minds. Each is a reset. Think about the way our calendar is constructed. Every week, every month, every year is a reset. Living in the presence of God requires a continual resetting on him. There is no need for guilt; only for transparency and honesty in his presence.

Do you need a reset? If so, what, specifically, is needed? Is it your relationship with God? Is it time with him? Is it your relationships with others? Does it involve work or other commitments? Take it to the One who can speak truth to you. He understands resets and desires for you to draw near. He not only allows for it; he's provided a way for it. He's waiting.

**WE NEED CANDY-FILLED EASTER EGGS!**



**PLEASE FILL PLASTIC EASTER EGGS WITH PREPACKAGED CANDY. BUT PLEASE, NO CHOCOLATE**

**Drop the eggs in the baskets scattered around Highland or at the church office!**

**SCHEDULE FRIDAY, MARCH 18**

- 7:30 Hub Devotional Check-in at ministry hub locations
- 8:30 Hub Devotional - prayer time, orientation to the city, and Vision for the Day
- 9:00 Dismissal from hub/travel to project site
- 9:15 Morning briefing at project site/project work begins
- Noon Lunch provided at job site
- 1:00 PM Continue with project
- 4:00 Debrief with project team leader and pack equipment
- 5:15 Dinner and Serve Tour Rally at Temple Theater
- 7:15 Dismiss



**SCHEDULE SATURDAY, MARCH 19**

- 7:30 AM Check-in at ministry hub locations
- 8:30 Hub Devotional - prayer time, orientation to the city, and Vision for the Day
- 9:00 Dismissal from hub/travel to project site
- 9:15 Morning briefing at project site/project work begins
- Noon Lunch provided at job site
- 1:00 PM Continue with project
- 4:00 Debrief with project team leader and pack equipment
- 5:00 Dismiss\* \*NAS project will not be over until 7:00 PM and packing after

**MEMORIAL FLOWERS**

**The flowers in the Sanctuary today are in memory of Paul Bowles given by his family.**

**STEWARDSHIP REPORT MARCH 13, 2022**

<b>Budget</b>	15,277.60	<b>CDC Req. to date</b>	276,199.00
<b>Child Development Center Designated</b>	.00	<b>(11@25,109.00)</b>	
	1,491.00	<b>CDC Receipts to date</b>	197,355.50
<b>Total</b>	16,768.60		
<b>Budget Req. to date (11@ 23,996.67)</b>	263,963.37	<b>SUNDAY SCHOOL</b>	182
<b>Budget Receipts to date</b>	236,735.76	<b>MORNING WORSHIP</b>	227