

SUNDAY, APRIL 9, 2023

Breakfast Youth Fundraiser **9:00 AM**

MORNING WORSHIP **10:30 AM**

Call to Worship

Welcome and Announcements

We worship through song

We worship in response to the Word

Scripture Revelation 21:9-19a

Doxology

Prayer

Special

Children's Church

Sermon "The Blessings of the Resurrection"

We worship through our response to the Lord

Closing Song

Closing Prayer

PRAYER MINISTRY

NAB Missions: Elsie Lewandowski, NAB Missionary in Romania

Our Missions: Fulbe People of northeast Nigeria

Region: Meadowood Manor, Winnipeg, MB

Nicole & Darren Boonstra; Rick Bettig

Hillside Baptist, Dickinson, ND

Pastor Rob & Donna Grunden

Awana & Youth: Aksel, Alaina, Alex, Andon, Hannah, Jon, Liv, Luke,

Madelyn, Solomon, Tirzah – youth listeners

Others: Lynn Karges; Sarah Halverson;

Nettie (Margaret's daughter, chemo); Gloria Van Dyke;

Steve Ptacek; Youth for Christ

Our mission is to follow Jesus Christ by worshiping God, loving people, and making disciples, all for the glory of God.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 12

5:45 – Awana family supper, derby, and awards

7:00 – Youth Group

SUNDAY, APRIL 16

9:00 – Children's Sunday School

10:30 – Morning Worship

THURSDAY, APRIL 20

6:00 – Valley City Christian School Fundraiser at Grace Free

Community groups

James & Darla – Sunday 9:00 at church

Liz – not meeting this week

Women – Tuesday 1:00 pm at church

April 19 - Women's group going to Project Ignite Light 10-2.

Meet at church at 9:30 to carpool. Bring a sack lunch

Office hours for Pastor Les

Wednesday 9:00-1:00

Thursday 1:00-4:00

Thursday and Friday mornings he also works at Alley Beans

Looking for a summer job? Crystal Springs Baptist Camp is looking for lifeguards, store managers, waterfront workers, counselors and more. Go to csbcamp.org for more info.

ATTENDANCE AND OFFERING – Week of April 2

AM – 78

General Fund	8,036.00	Income this year	38,308.25
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Weekly Budget	2,970.75	Budget to date	41,590.57
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Deacon Fund	335.00		
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The Blessings of the Resurrection

What are the Blessings of the resurrection?

- I. Blessing #1 – We can avoid the second _____ (Rev. 20:11-15)
 - A. The wicked are _____ (Rev. 20:11-13)
 - B. The wicked are _____ (Rev. 20:14-15)
- II. Blessing #2 – We can spend _____ in Heaven (Rev. 21:1-4)
 - A. There will be a _____ Heaven and Earth (Rev. 21:1-2)
 - B. God will _____ with his people (Rev. 21:3)
 - C. There will be no more _____ (Rev. 21:4)
- III. Blessing #3 – We can have a _____ prepared for us by _____ (John 14:1-2; Rev. 9-21)

- A. It is _____ for us
 B. It will last _____
 C. It will be _____
- IV. Blessing #4 – We can be called a _____ of God (Rev. 21:5-7)

What is the cost for us to get to heaven?

- I. The Father _____ His Son to die in our place that we might be saved (John 3:16)
 II. The Son was _____ (Matt. 26:48-50)
 III. The Son was _____ (Matt. 27:26, 28-31)
 IV. The Son _____ on the _____ (Luke 23:33)
 V. The Son rose from the dead claiming _____ over death (Luke 24:5b-7; I Cor. 15:55-57)

What must we do to enjoy the blessings of the resurrection?

There is only one way!

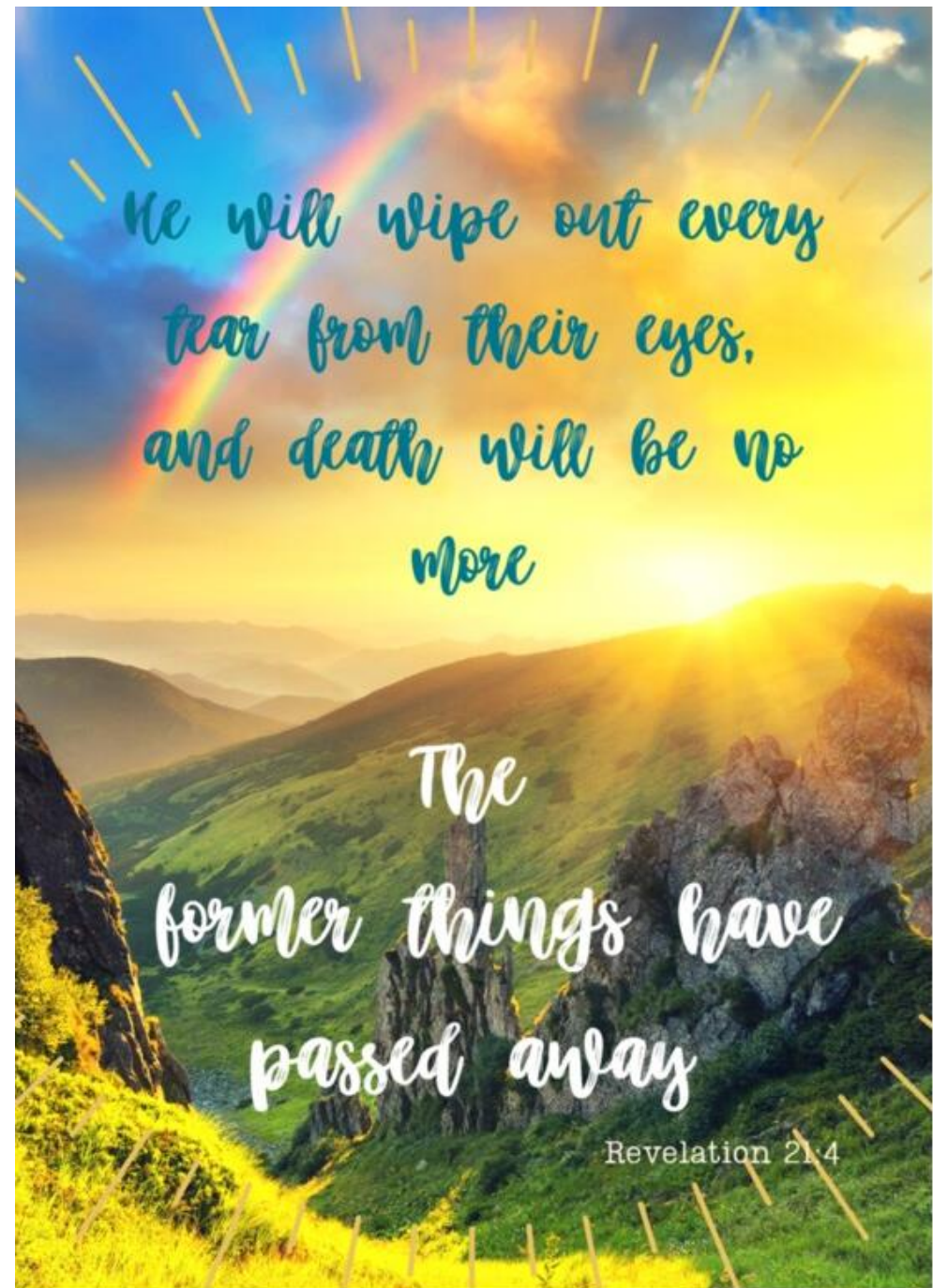
- I. Understanding the problem – We are all _____ and we are unable to _____ ourselves
 II. Understand the solution to our problem
 A. Christ came to _____ us (John 3:16-17; Rom. 5:8)
 B. Christ is the _____ one who can save us (John 14:6)
 III. We need to respond to God's offer – We need to _____ that we can receive the free gift of salvation, if we are willing to accept Christ as our _____ (John 3:16; Rom. 10:9)
 IV. After we accept Christ, we can look forward to our reward – _____ in _____ (John 3:16)

How do we respond to these blessings?

- I. Be _____ (Josh. 1:6-9) Why?
 A. We will _____ others to grow in their faith (Josh. 1:6)
 B. Our _____ to God's Word will lead to spiritual prosperity and success (Building the Kingdom of God) (Josh. 1:9)
 C. God _____ to be with us (Josh. 1:9)
 II. Be fully _____ to the God's work (I Cor. 15:58)
 III. Strive to be _____ free and faithful share the truth of God and His Word (Rev 5:7-8)

Questions to Ponder

- I. Are you a _____ of _____?
 II. Are you _____ by Jesus' death and resurrection?
 III. Are you _____ eternal life with God?
 IV. Are you _____ working to build God's kingdom?



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