

## THE LORD'S COURT

An interesting story comes from years ago. This was a time when all this political correctness was not forced upon us like today. It seems there was a gravel company that had erected a giant cross in a public park. Over the years that cross became a symbol of the Christian faith found in Eugene, Oregon. The cross was even lighted for special occasions.

Soon there came a campaign to have the cross removed. A suit brought by a Unitarian minister demanded the cross be removed because of 'the separation of church and state.' The court ordered the cross removed. Money among church groups was collected and led to an appeal all the way to the Supreme Court of the State of Oregon. The highest Court of the State said the cross could stay.

Bad news? The Court ruled that the cross had become a mere universal symbol and no longer held any religious significance. Wow.

The ruling was one of a good news, bad news scenario. Had the cross really become nothing of any religious significance for the town of Eugene? What about our lives in 2019? Is the cross of Christ significant to us? Could we be found guilty in a court that the cross truly matters to us?

The Eternal Judge is coming. Read what scripture says about that day:

**"Then I saw a great white throne and him who was seated on it. From his presence earth and sky fled away, and no place was found for them. And I saw the dead, great and small, standing before the throne, and books were opened. Then another book was opened, which is the book of life. And the dead were judged by what was written in the books, according to what they had done. And the sea gave up the dead who were in it, Death and Hades gave up the dead who were in them, and they were judged, each one of them, according to what they had done."**

**Revelation 20:11-13. ESV.**

With Jesus beside us at that great day, we will be fine!

God Bless, Brethren.

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## Medical & Prayer Needs

**Jordin Andrews**-brain tumor, school friend of Lindsey.

**Janet Bolton**-Hessie's niece. Hospital. Room 908 bed 2.

**Natalie Bullo**-surgery, Connie's niece.

**Rita Carr**-prayers, Allen's sister.

**Linda Caldwell**-fell, broke hip.

**Debbie Harris**-shoulder issues, Gail's sister. To have surgery 19<sup>th</sup>.

**Carolyn Hall**- Phareta's sister-in-law, colon cancer.

**Barb Lenchak** - back issues, to see surgeon.

**Bill Morrison** - ill.

**David Pollard** - Prayer requested.

**Shane Resinger** - Lung ca, 18 yrs old. Steve Miller's co-worker's nephew.

**Shirley Sarver**-ill for some time

**James Smith**-high BP. Jayme's father.

**Tara Taylor**—had outpatient procedure.

**Ken Woodrum**-shoulder pain. Injection and an MRI.

Please keep in prayer those on our **Extended Prayer List**, also.

## Military Prayer List

Anthony Chesck, Brianna Jordan, Philip Pape, Ralph Reed, Kenneth Redd II, Ethan Vance, Chris Westbrook.

**Today At 4:30** – Women's and Men's meeting.

**Feb. 17** – Carry-in. Food and great fellowship! In P.M.

**March 16--Ladies Day** at Mentor. See Board for details.

**NOTE:** Bill Brown to be married on February the 14<sup>th</sup> to Mildred! See board for details. Congrats!

**NOTE:** College Student **Care Package** gifts are to be given by today. Thank-you!

## Extended Prayer List:

Bill & Virginia Ackley, Betty Alley, Bill Brown, Norma Jean Carman, Hazel Driver, Giada Foneseca, Richard & Wanda Foy, Barbra King, Laura Day Leach, Howard Priddy Family, Olivia Smith, Georgianna Spriestersbach, Tom Tablett, Jenise Veris, Marie Wilburn.

## Attendance – 2/3/2019:

Bible Study	38
AM Worship	73
PM Worship	31
Wed. Bible Study	26

# East Broad St. Church of Christ



February 10, 2019

God's Word for the Week

“Then children were brought to him that he might lay hands on them and pray. The disciples rebuked the people, but Jesus said, let the little children come to me and do not hinder them, for to such belongs the kingdom of heaven.” And he laid hands on them and went away.”

**Mt. 19:13-15. ESV**

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**WELCOME**

*We welcome our visitors to the worship services today as our honored guests. Please fill out a Visitors Card and give it to one of the greeters at the door as you leave. We hope & pray you will return soon.*

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Assembly Times

Sun. Bible Class            10:00 am  
Sun. Worship                11:00 am  
Sun. PM Worship           6:00 pm  
Wed. Bible Study            7:00 pm

February Birthdays & Anniversaries

- Grace Robertson            3
- Nancy Scarborough        4
- Shirley Sarver                4
- Terry Spriestersbach       5
- Alyson Spriestersbach     8
- Carla Harbert                8
- Georgianna Spriestersbach 11
- Lou Ropog                    12
- Joe Spriestersbach         13
- Jeffery Scarborough       14
- Sandy Hodgkins            16
- Allen Kerns                  19
- Bill Morrison                22
- Wilma Thompson            25
- Aiden Scarborough        26
- Stephan Miller              28
- Glenn & Nancy Scarborough 23

Trivia answers/scriptures are given to Gary on paper with your name OR by texting him. **More join in!**

**Trivia Question:** What piece of the armor of God can quench the fiery darts or flaming arrows of Satan?

**Last Week's Question:** What famous relative of Jesus did both Isaiah and Malachi foretell?

**Answer:** John the Baptist.

**Location:** Isaiah 40:3; Malachi 3:1.

**Answers:** Paul Barnes, Harold Cantley, Ken and Sharon Woodrum, Lola and Denice Anderson, Nancy Scarborough, Cheryl Hunnicutt.

Widows & Widowers

Betty Alley, Lola Anderson, Kimber Banks, Joyce Brewer, Bill Brown, Frances Brown, Harold Cantley, Norma Jean Carman, Kathy Carter, Hazel Driver, Joyce Fetzer, Eunice Henry, Barb Lenchak, Elaine Leonhardt, Kathy Lindsey, Sue Massey, Phareta Reddick, Shirley Sarver, Betty Scheutzow, Georgianna Spriestersbach, Qualla Tablett, Ruth Watson, HESSIE WEESE, Marie Wilburn, Diana Wirth.

REMEMBER OUR SHUT-INS

*Prayers, Cards, Visits, Calls*

Barbara Lenchak, Qualla Tablett, Georgianna Spriestersbach, Marie Wilburn.