



## A Family of Christians Growing Together

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**Assembly Times:** Sunday: 9am | Class: 10:30am, Sunday Night: 5pm, Wednesday Class: 6:30pm

## We're glad you're here!

October 21, 2018

Thank you for being a part of today's assembly at Collegeside.

We hope you are uplifted and strengthened as we worship and praise God together.

For more information about Collegeside, check out the Starting Point in the main foyer after morning assembly.

**John Nichols**

Teaching Minister  
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*Philippians 1:15-18 – 15 Some indeed preach Christ from envy and rivalry, but others from good will. 16 The latter do it out of love, knowing that I am put here for the defense of the gospel. 17 The former proclaim Christ out of selfish ambition, not sincerely but thinking to afflict me in my imprisonment. 18 What then? Only that in every way, whether in pretense or in truth, Christ is proclaimed, and in that I rejoice.*

Paul faced detractors. Even though Paul walked in extraordinary power and truth, there were those that sought to wreck his ministry because they felt envy toward that power and truth. Likely there were those that favored Apollos or some other teacher or evangelist. Regardless, Paul wasn't defensive or antagonistic.

Paul's lack of defensiveness is incredible. He could have felt defensive. I think you can make a case that being defensive would have been appropriate for Paul. People are probably thinking that Jesus himself has put Paul in prison because he was teaching inappropriate things as it relates to the Gentiles. Paul should clear the air, right? No. There are times when Paul does clear the air. But not in this case. Why?

If you look throughout the ministry of Paul you will see Paul being aggressive and defensive about one thing only: The Gospel. The few times Paul's defensive speech relates to his personal experience is only to further defend what the Good News Message of Jesus has done in his own life. Paul cared about the TRUTH of Jesus being preached more than he cared about anything else, including his own life and reputation. The fire we feel when the air needs to be cleared should be nothing compared to the passion we feel about Jesus. Paul's personal circumstance was secondary to the Gospel being preached through those circumstances. In other words, let God use you to preach to non-believers. God is using your life to tell the story of Jesus. Let him. Be passionate about the Gospel being displayed through you.

– God Bless, John

UCSC News



**Chip Pugh**  
Campus Minister  
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Our students will be at Camp Discovery for Fall Retreat this weekend. Please pray God uses this weekend powerfully!

**THIS WEEK**

- Sunday: No class since we will be at Camp Discovery
- Monday: Volleyball & Games at 7:00 pm in the Collegeside gym
- Tuesday: Dinner at 6pm, Celebrate Recovery at 7pm, Bible Study at 8pm.
- Wednesday: Mid-Week Peak at 8:00 pm in the Tech Pride Room
- Thursday: LNP at 9:00 pm in UCSC

**UPCOMING**

Gulf Coast Getaway: January 18-21



**Jenna Wooten**  
Women's Campus Minister  
jenna@collegeside.org

**The Hunt - October 27**

The Hunt is coming up! We still need parents to volunteer as team leaders and to provide food for dinner. If you can help with either of these things please contact Matt or Chambers ASAP! We will meet at Collegeside to start The Hunt at 9:30 that morning and will conclude at the Gallagher's by 8. You don't want to miss The Hunt! Contact any member of the Teenside leadership team with questions!

**Third Sunday - October 21**

Third Sunday will be hosted at the home of Brad and Laura Brown! We will meet at the church at 5:30 and will be back at the church no later than 8 for pick up. Third Sunday is an event for teens and their families to bond, share a meal, play games, and worship together. Hope to see everyone there!

**Thanksgiving Dinner - November 4**

Teenside will be doing a Thanksgiving dinner with all teens and their families on Sunday, November 4th. Mark your calendars! More details to come!



**Matt Suggs**  
Youth Minister  
7th-12th grade  
matt@collegeside.org

Sunday, October 28  
**Kidside Parent Meeting**  
9:30 in the auditorium

Sunday, October 28  
**Chili Supper & Trunk or Treat**  
6:00 pm (Gym/Parking Lot)

Saturday, November 11  
**Family Bonfire at Hall Farm**



**Wes Gallagher**  
Children's Minister  
wes@collegeside.org

Teenside News

Kidside News

**Parent Meeting Next Sunday**

Next Sunday, during Bible class, all parents are invited to the auditorium for a Kidside Parent Meeting. This will be a time of vision casting and schedule setting.

We are blessed with so many young lives at Collegeside, and we want to work together to foster their growth.

You are Kidside. Nothing happens without parents and other teen, college and adult workers. Lots of opportunities to serve will be communicated in this meeting. Hope you can be there.

...In Him, Wes

## Prayer Requests

**Bob Hill** is transferring to the Blue roof at CRMC.

**Jim Toombs** and family continue to need our prayers. He is in room 406 at Signature Healthcare in Algood.

Please continue to pray for **Adele Birdwell** as she is currently in the Blue Roof Rehab at CRMC room 22.

Tests came back all clear for **Josh Poplar**. He is back at school and has even been cleared to play football this weekend. Praise God!

Please continue to pray for **Billie Ross** as she recovers from her fall.

**Vegas Koval** asks for prayer for emotional, physical, and spiritual healing.

**Continue to Remember:** Hugh Adams, Dibrell Anderson, Evelyn Birdwell, Bryan Britt, Beatrice Brown, Wilma Brown, Charles Butler, Ava Craighead, Lori Daugherty, Mark Hershey, Stephanie Pinkston, Jean DeCoursey, Brenda Hayes, Jack Johnson, Ed McCain, Betty Neely, Emily Pace, Jordan Terry, Elease Price, Eva Nell Plumlee, Rich Roper, Sue Simmons, Courtney White, and Jim Toombs.

## Announcements

**Trunk or Treat** is October 28 at 6pm. Bring a pot of chili, set up a trunk to share, or donate some candy if you can't make it. Thanks for helping us show love to our community.

**Mark your Calendars!** There are so many great things happening at Collegeside. Don't forget to mark your calendars and be a part of these upcoming events.

**Bread For Life Thanksgiving** - 11/14/18  
**Ladies Christmas Event** - 12/1/18  
**Christmas at the Park** - 12/2/18

**Wednesday Family Meals**-The menu for Wednesday, October 24th will be Pancakes, Scrambled Eggs, Sausage, Bacon and Biscuits and Gravy. Cost is 5.00 per adult and 2.50 per child. Meal starts at 5:00 pm in the CLC.

**Bread For Life**-Our Bread For Life Ministry served 182 families this past Wednesday. Thank you for your support in this ministry.



## CELEBRATE RECOVERY

**CELEBRATE RECOVERY -- Linda Weeks to share testimony this week**

Celebrate Recovery is a Christ-centered recovery program designed to help people overcome their hurts, habits and hang-ups.

At Meeting Night this Tuesday night, Linda Weeks will share her personal testimony.

Anyone is welcome to attend Tuesday night Meeting Nights at any time. Every week, we have a Newcomers 101 class to help first-time guests get introduced to the program. There is no cost to participate in CR. The meal is \$2 for adults / \$1 for kids. Childcare for ages 2-10 is provided at no cost.

Below is the agenda for Tuesday night. You are welcome to attend any or all three parts of the meeting:

6:00-7:00 - Fellowship Meal

7:00-8:00 - Large Group Meeting

8:00-9:00 - Open Share Groups

[www.collegeside.org/CR](http://www.collegeside.org/CR)

## Sympathy

Our sympathy is expressed to **Levi Bouton** and family at the passing of his Grandfather **Mr. Harvey Spurgeon (Spud) Bouton**. His funeral will be at 11 a.m. Saturday, October 20 at Dyer Funeral Home. Visitation will be October 19th from 05:00 PM - 08:00 PM and Saturday 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM.

Our sympathy is expressed to the family of **Paul Fox (Grandfather of Rebecca Neill and Rachel Pruett)**. Funeral services were this week at Presley Funeral Home.

## Sunday 9am Assembly

**Worship Leader:** Jonathan Delk  
He Has Made Me Glad

**Welcome:** Matt Suggs  
Heavenly Sunlight

**Scripture Reading:** Drew Ray  
( Luke 10:38-42)

**Shepherd's Prayer:** Bill Harris  
A Wonderful Savior  
Because He Lives (Amen)

**Lord's Supper:** Kent Shepherd

**Dismissal to Children's Worship**

The Joy of the Lord  
Blessed Assurance  
O Praise the Name

**Lesson:** John Nichols  
Boundless Love

**Closing Prayer:** Brad Brown

**Shepherds Receiving Responses:**

Bebo Mattson and Mike Palk  
Kit Pogue will be available in the Small  
Auditorium

**Available after assembly for prayers:** Bebo  
and Kathy Mattson

## Sunday 5pm Assembly

**Worship Leader:** Jim Babcock

**Lesson:** Bill Goodpasture

### Just For Kids

Following the children's giving, preschoolers  
age 2 and up are welcome to attend

**Children's Worship** meets in the *Connection*.

**Focus** will meet upstairs for all K-2nd graders.

An **attended nursery** is also available during  
our assembly.

**Children's Worship Leader:** Cara Sheets

**Children's Worship Assistants:** Beth, Kennedy  
& Taylor Dolente, Erin Reaves

**Children's Basket Holder:** Heath Matthews &  
Jalynn O'Grosby

**Nursery:** Donna Yother, Kim Bray, Izzy Lintz

## Sermon Notes

### Identity: Free Part 2

- Be \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ has an \_\_\_\_\_ that we  
\_\_\_\_\_ to the \_\_\_\_\_.
- Who \_\_\_\_\_ more \_\_\_\_\_ in that \_\_\_\_\_?
- Who do you \_\_\_\_\_ in your \_\_\_\_\_?
- Does the \_\_\_\_\_ from his \_\_\_\_\_ to  
serve \_\_\_\_\_ with \_\_\_\_\_?
- Too much \_\_\_\_\_ can be \_\_\_\_\_ of the one  
\_\_\_\_\_.
- Let \_\_\_\_\_ things push you in \_\_\_\_\_ of  
Jesus. Don't let the \_\_\_\_\_ things be the  
\_\_\_\_\_.
- Find \_\_\_\_\_ to be with \_\_\_\_\_.
- In the \_\_\_\_\_ we \_\_\_\_\_ who we  
\_\_\_\_\_ to.

### Core Groups

To join a CORE group,  
please contact **Mike Vaughn**  
(931-252-0841) or **Jason**  
**Nolan** (931-349-2406).

### By The Numbers

Sunday Assembly: 466  
Budget Needs: \$22,600.00  
Contribution Week 10/14: \$28,271.59  
*Thank you for your contribution!*

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