PRAYER

We would love to pray for you. Please complete this form and place in the offering plate or drop off at one of our prayer rooms as you leave the Worship Center. If you prefer your request to be distributed to the staff only, please check here.

Name

Telephone number

VISITATION REQUEST

If you know someone in need of an assisted living, extended care, home, or hospital visit, we have pastors, pastoral leaders, and volunteers who can help lift these burdens with an encouraging visit and prayer. Please provide the following information.

Name of person needing visit

Address/name of location

Date of surgery (if applicable)

Name of contact person

Phone number of contact person



a message from our senior pastor

We are pleased you have come to worship with us. We hope your experience here encourages you to pursue a lifelong, joyous relationship with Jesus Christ. Thank you for sharing this morning with us.

Please visit the Information Center in the Atrium for information about Sunday morning children's, youth, and adult classes as well as our weekday activities. You'll find people at the counter who are happy to answer any questions you may have.

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Chuck Swindoll, senior pastor

have you ever wondered where you would spend eternity if you were to die today? The Bible says that you can KNOW the answer to this question today (1 John 5:13).

We all begin life separated from God because of sin. "For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God" (Romans 3:23). Further, we are under a penalty from sin. "For the wages of sin is death . . ." (Romans 6:23). As sinners, we are incapable of paying the penalty for our sin, and if we die while separated from God, we will remain separated from Him forever.

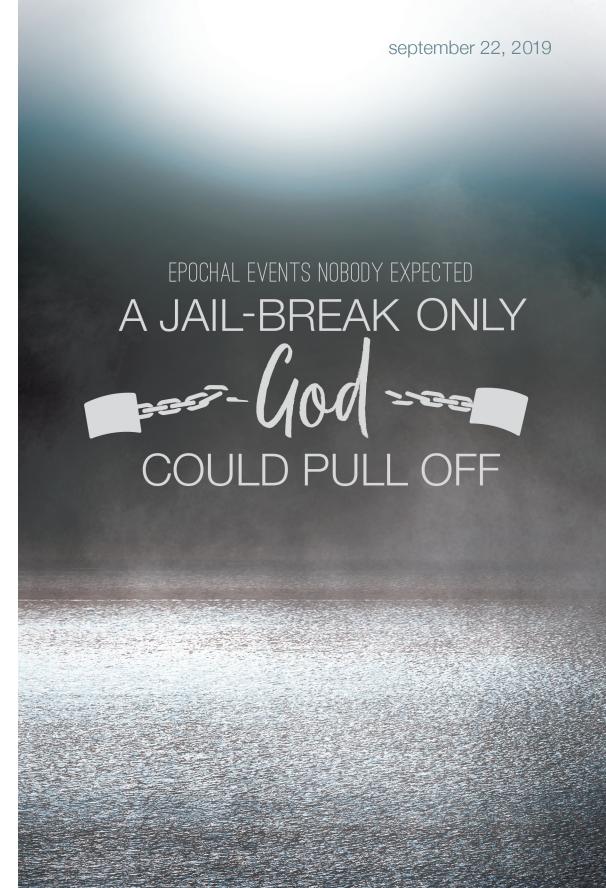
God provided the solution to this problem. "God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us" (Romans 5:8). God sent His Son, Jesus Christ, to pay the penalty for us through His sacrificial death on the cross.

Christ offers us eternal life as a free gift. "... it is the gift of God; not as a result of works ..." (Ephesians 2:8–9). As with any gift, you must receive it in order to reap its benefits. To receive this free gift of salvation, you must place your trust in Christ alone as the only way to Heaven. "Believe in the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved" (Acts 16:31). The gift is undeserved, is fully paid for by Christ, and is offered in love as a gift.

If you made the decision to trust Christ, or are considering doing so, we would love to visit with you. Please visit Prayer Room A102 or A106 immediately following this service, or call 469-252-5200 during the week.

For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him shall not perish, but have eternal life.—John 3:16, NASB





WORSHIP

9:00 & 10:45 a.m.

Prelude Woodwind Quintet I Sing the Mighty Power of God arr. Keveren see hymn 128 for text

Welcome & Video

Chuck Swindoll

Associate Pastor Introduction

Gary Steffes, wife Michelle
Junior High Ministry

The Church in Worship

Don McMinn

Call to Worship
Misty Miller, director

The Lord Is My Light Courtney; orch. Thompson

Hymn 17

Our Great Savior verses 1, 2 & 5

Congregational Song

Wonderful, Merciful Savior Rodgers, Wyse

Congregational Song

The Power of the Cross Getty, Townend; arr. Thompson

Scripture Reading & Prayer

Acts 12:1-19

Offertory

Ginger Hiott, vocals
Alice Lee, cello

In God Alone Hiott; orch. Reddick music printed on insert

Message from God's Word

Chuck Swindoll

A Jail-Break Only God Could Pull Off

Organ Postlude

John Dill

Please note that we record our 10:45 a.m. service, and anyone present in the Worship Center may be visible on camera.

Find details on these announcements at stonebriar.org/events.

Need to reconnect with your family? Sign up for our *What's for Dinner* challenge! Pick up a guide at any information desk so you can complete activities, track points, and aim for the grand prize beginning October 1.

Men, come to our fall retreat for powerful teaching from Bill Butterworth and quality time in the great outdoors at Pine Cove. Sign up online to join us October 18–20.

October is Domestic Violence Awareness Month, so we are hosting a seminar on Sunday, October 6 at 4 p.m. in room A220. Join us to get informed and discover ways you can help care for and empower survivors of abuse.

Come to Stories of Grace for an evening of worship, prayer, and encouragement. Join us Tuesday, October 8 at 6:30 p.m. in the HUB to hear stories of how God is rescuing, redeeming, and restoring hearts in our church.

Create community in the comfort of your own home as a Home Fellowship Leader. Our next leader training course begins October 13, and you don't have to be an experienced leader to join. Stop by the Atrium for details.

Student Ministries' fall retreat will be November 1–3. Early bird pricing (\$149) ends this Thursday, so register your junior high or high school student online today. To give to our scholarship fund, contact mollyi@stonebriar.org.

Save the date for our Fall Festival on Friday, October 25 from 6 to 9 p.m. Everyone is welcome, and admission is free! Bring your friends, family, and neighbors to enjoy games, bounce houses, face painting, candy, and more.

fall festival service opportunities text [keyword] to 469-275-9049 for details

Serve at Fall Festival on Friday, October 25 to help with games, hospitality, and more. [text: FALL]

Help with our first Fall Festival Special Needs Night on Thursday, October 24. [text: GIFTFEST]

Bring a baked good for our Fall Festival Bake Walk (desserts due between October 22 and 24). [text: BAKE]

upcoming events

brary this week's hours

today, 8 a.m. to 1 p.m., 4 to 7 p.m. wednesday, 8:30 a.m. to 8:30 p.m.

9/24 griefshare

6:30 p.m., B226

marriage core

6:30 p.m., B241–B242

shelter from the storm sexual abuse support group

6:30 p.m., B150

parenting prodigals

6:45 p.m., B203

men's major Bible themes study 7 p.m., A220

9/25 women's Bible study: Isaiah

9:30 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.

midweek dinner 5:30 to 6:15 p.m.

divorcecare

6:30 p.m., A220

family ministries programs

6:30 p.m., for kids of all ages

men's Bible study with steve farrar

6:30 p.m., worship center

9/26 crafters for Christ 10 a.m., B151

7 p.m., B181

transit college ministry

text your offering 469 - 275 - 9473

example: to give \$50, text GIVE 50

general fund giving fiscal year to date

income needed

\$2,898,078

income received \$2,494,385

PLEASE LET US KNOW YOU BETTER

To help us better serve you, please provide the following information and place the form in the offering plate. If you are a regular attendee and your information has changed, please complete this form, or e-mail changes to records@stonebriar.org.

☐ This is a change of information.☐ 1st-time guest ☐ Regular attendee
Please print: Mr. Mrs. Ms. Miss

Single	Married
Divorced	Widowed

Sp	ouse's n	name			
Is	spouse	present	today?	Yes	No

State,	Zip	

Name

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E-mail

How did you hear about us?

- I would like to learn about starting a relationship with Jesus Christ.
- I would like to grow deeper in my faith as a Christian.
- I would like to be contacted about volunteer opportunities.

Telephone or e-mail