

Usher Schedule

	Early Service 8:00am	Late Service 10:00am
July		
3	Michael Weinreis	Dan Huitema
10	Dick Severson	Tom Nelson
17	Rich Bartz	Kyle Post
24	Matt Burk	Gordie Kamphuis
31	Tim Dillie	Mike Posthuma
August		
7	Stuart Linger	Andrew Vis
14	Don Korff	Ben Geisthardt
21	Michael Weinreis	Dan Huitema
28	Dick Severson	Tom Nelson



VBS Week: JULY 25TH - JULY 29TH 9am - 12pm

KIDS (AGES 4 - 6TH GRADE) ARE WELCOME TO JOIN US FOR VBS WEEK!

Check out the VBS table in the lobby for registration forms. Take extras for your friends and neighbors! If you're interested in helping out, there are volunteer forms.

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Church Office Hours: 8:30am - Noon Mon - Fri

Sunday Worship Times:
8am and 10am

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TERRACE SHORES
evangelical free church

July 3rd, 2022

Welcome

Rejoice always, pray continually, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus.
1 Thessalonians 5:16-18

Good Morning Friend.

We're so glad you are joining us to worship the Lord. Can you think of some areas in which you are tempted to go astray? Today's Scripture passage gives us an honest look at Samson, with lessons we can learn about the 'weak links' of our lives. May God continue to strengthen us in those weak areas, helping us to live out lives of dedication to Him.

Thanks so much for coming; have a great week!

ORDER OF SERVICE

Welcome & Announcements

Worship

Congregational Prayer

Ministry For Prayer: Randy and Wanda Potratz

Hymn

(Children may leave for children's church during late service)

Message: Samson's Weakest Link

Hymn

Closing Prayer

"Satan gives Adam an apple, and takes away Paradise. Therefore, in all temptations let us consider not what he offers, but what we shall lose."

- Richard Sibbes

"Temptation may even be a blessing to a man when it reveals to him his weakness and drives him to the almighty Savior."

- F.B. Meyer

"He who chooses the beginning of the road chooses the place it leads to. It is the means that determines the end."

- Harry Emerson Fosdick

"Temptations are an appeal to meet righteous needs in an unrighteous way."

- William Thrasher

Judges 14:1-20

Samson's Marriage

1 Samson went down to Timnah and saw there a young Philistine woman. 2 When he returned, he said to his father and mother, "I have seen a Philistine woman in Timnah; now get her for me as my wife." 3 His father and mother replied, "Isn't there an acceptable woman among your relatives or among all our people? Must you go to the uncircumcised Philistines to get a wife?" But Samson said to his father, "Get her for me. She's the right one for me." 4 (His parents did not know that this was from the Lord, who was seeking an occasion to confront the Philistines; for at that time they were ruling over Israel.) 5 Samson went down to Timnah together with his father and mother. As they approached the vineyards of Timnah, suddenly a young lion came roaring toward him. 6 The Spirit of the Lord came powerfully upon him so that he tore the lion apart with his bare hands as he might have torn a young goat. But he told neither his father nor his mother what he had done. 7 Then he went down and talked with the woman, and he liked her. 8 Some time later, when he went back to marry her, he turned aside to look at the lion's carcass, and in it he saw a swarm of bees and some honey. 9 He scooped out the honey with his hands and ate as he went along. When he rejoined his parents, he gave them some, and they too ate it. But he did not tell them that he had taken the honey from the lion's carcass. 10 Now his father went down to see the woman. And there Samson held a feast, as was customary for young men. 11 When the people saw him, they chose thirty men to be his companions. 12 "Let me tell you a riddle," Samson said to them. "If you can give me the answer within the seven days of the feast, I will give you thirty linen garments and thirty sets of clothes. 13 If you can't tell me the answer, you must give me thirty linen garments and thirty sets of clothes." "Tell us your riddle," they said. "Let's hear it." 14 He replied, "Out of the eater, something to eat; out of the strong, something sweet." For three days they could not give the answer. 15 On the fourth day, they said to Samson's wife, "Coax your husband into explaining the riddle for us, or we will burn you and your father's household to death. Did you invite us here to steal our property?" 16 Then Samson's wife threw herself on him, sobbing, "You hate me! You don't really love me. You've given my people a riddle, but you haven't told me the answer." "I haven't even explained it to my father or mother," he replied, "so why should I explain it to you?" 17 She cried the whole seven days of the feast. So on the seventh day he finally told her, because she continued to press him. She in turn explained the riddle to her people. 18 Before sunset on the seventh day the men of the town said to him, "What is sweeter than honey? What is stronger than a lion?" Samson said to them, "If you had not plowed with my heifer, you would not have solved my riddle." 19 Then the Spirit of the Lord came powerfully upon him. He went down to Ashkelon, struck down thirty of their men, stripped them of everything and gave their clothes to those who had explained the riddle. Burning with anger, he returned to his father's home. 20 And Samson's wife was given to one of his companions who had attended him at the feast.

Welcome Visitors of Terrace Shores

Please feel free to take a visitor bag with you today!
In it you'll find an informational brochure and other items we would like you to have for being our guest this morning!

Baptism Service and Congregational Meeting July 24th

Immediately following the 10am outdoor service, we will be doing baptisms in the lake. Stick around for a lunch after, an online sign-up will be posted soon if you would like to bring a dish to share. After the lunch we are holding a congregational meeting, only members can vote but all are welcome to attend.

If you are interested in being baptized as a follower of our Lord Jesus Christ, or have questions regarding that, please contact Pastor Gary (920-229-6734). Thanks so much.

Ushering

Anyone feeling comfortable in helping (whether you ushered in the past or not - free training!!), Please contact the church office letting us know what service you would prefer. Thank you!



"SAMSON'S WEAKEST LINK"

JUDGES 14:1-20 PASTOR GARY ZACHARIAS

INTRODUCTION

I. In the _____: Samson's _____ (14:1-4)

II. In the _____: Samson's _____ (14:5-9)

III. In the _____: Samson's _____ (14:10-14)

IV. In the _____: Samson's _____ (14:15-18)

V. In the _____: Samson's _____ (14:19-20)

CONCLUSION

Back Porch Ladies Fellowship

Ladies, save the dates! We have two gatherings this summer. The 1st one is **July 23rd, starting at 1pm**. Join us for a fun afternoon, whether you enjoy water sports (bring your swimsuits), yard or board games (do you have a favorite? - bring it along), or just sitting on the deck. We're also having a salad potluck, there's a sign-up in the lobby for that. Any questions, feel free to contact Carmen Zacharias at 920-229-8049. The 2nd event will be on August 20th at Terrace Shores. More info to follow!