

## The Weight of the World

So many people complain about “having the weight of the world on their shoulders.” It sounds like it would be a metaphor, but it really isn’t. The world does carry weight, and most of the time it’s so much that you and I cannot bear it alone. The weight of the world can make us feel weak, it can make us feel dread, and it can make us feel alone.

The problem is that we usually just take this load that the world puts on us, and we live with it. However, there is a better way to live than carrying around all this baggage that has been unloaded onto us.

Jesus tells us to give Him the weight that the world has given to us. He tells us that we are not strong enough for that burden, but to Him, it’s no burden. Why are we carrying around a burden that we don’t need? Give it to Jesus. His yoke is easy, and His burden is light.

*Matthew 11:28-30, “Come to Me, all who are weary and heavy-laden, and I will give you rest. <sup>29</sup> Take My yoke upon you and learn from Me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. <sup>30</sup> For My yoke is easy and My burden is light.”*

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## Sunday, December 22, 2019

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| <p><b>Prayer List Updates</b></p> <p><b>Renell Beach</b> – new medication for heart arrhythmia</p> <p><b>Steve Cockrell</b> – Stephanie Bolar’s father; pancreatic cancer, possibly spread to liver</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div> <p><b>Birthday</b></p> <p>David Penix                      December 25</p> <p><b>Anniversary</b></p> <p>Larry and Joy Brooks<br/>December 24</p> | <p><b>Upcoming Events</b></p> <p>Tuesdays ladies’ Bible study<br/>10 am        in activity building;<br/>                  children welcome</p> <p>Dec. 24        van leaves for Mission<br/>                  Outreach at 3:30, serving<br/>                  dinner at 5</p> <p>Dec. 25        no evening services</p> <p><b>Announcements</b></p> <p>There is a sign-up sheet on the back table for food for Christmas Eve dinner at Mission Outreach. We are also collecting hats and gloves for the mission. Please place them in the box at the back.</p> <p>There are new sign-up lists on the back table for communion preparation and building cleaning in 2020.</p> | <p><b>December Haiti Needs</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">sanitary napkins<br/>deodorant</p> <hr/> <p><b>Last Week’s Attendance</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sunday morning: 47<br/>Sunday evening: 34<br/>Wednesday evening: 32</p> |
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## Weekly Service Assignments

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| Sunday Morning    | Bible class: 9:45 am<br>worship: 10:45 am  | Sunday Evening           | 6:00 pm                 |
| First Prayer      | Ken Beach  | First Prayer             | Dakota Crossno          |
| Announcements     | Rudi Cagle   | Closing Prayer           | Ken Beach               |
| Second Prayer     | Matthew Sills  | Lord’s Supper            | Ken Beach<br>Rudi Cagle |
| Scripture Reading | Matthew Sills  | <b>Wednesday Evening</b> | <b>7:00 pm</b>          |
| Lord’s Supper     | 1. Ken Beach                      3. Rudi Cagle<br>2. Jerry Bolar                        4. Justin Beach | no services              |                         |
| Closing Prayer    | Joel Ingram  |                          |                         |