

Announcements!

Weekly Bible Study We invite each of you to attend the mid-week Bible Study, held upstairs each Tuesday evening beginning at 6 pm. We encourage you to attend these vital and exciting studies!

Children's Church Children's Church is available upstairs on the 2nd-5th Sundays starting at 11:00 am. Ages 2-10 are welcome to attend. Please sign your children in and out. A snack is served. Please pick up your children promptly after services. ALL DONATIONS ARE WELCOMED. If you are interested in serving in Children's Church, please see Sarita Agee.

Donuts for Dads! Our children's church ministry would like to invite you to participate in a special treat on Sunday June 17th in honor of all our dads! We will have "doughnuts for dads" immediately following services. Please come by. Thank you! ECC KIDS

Baptism We will have Baptism service on The first Sunday in July, just before the beginning of Sunday School. Please make plans to attend and worship with us.

Words of Wisdom: God's Baseball...

Bob and the Lord stood by to observe a baseball game. The Lord's team was playing Satan's team, The Lord's team was at bat, the score was tied zero to zero, and it was the bottom of the ninth inning with two outs.

They continued to watch as a batter stepped up to the plate whose name was Love. Love swung at the 1st pitch and hit a single, because Love never fails.

The next batter was named Faith, who also got a single because Faith works with Love.

The next batter up was named Godly Wisdom. Satan wound up and threw the first pitch. Godly Wisdom looked it over and let it pass. Ball one. Three more pitches and Godly Wisdom walked, because Godly Wisdom never swings at what Satan throws.

The bases are loaded. The Lord then turns to Bob and told him He was now going to bring in His star player. Up to bat stepped Grace. Bob said "He sure doesn't look like much!" Satan's whole team relaxed when they saw Grace. Thinking he had won the game, Satan wound up and fired his first pitch. To the shock of everyone, Grace hit the ball harder than anyone had ever seen.

But Satan was not worried; his center fielder let very few get by. He went up for the ball, but it went right through his glove, hit him on the head and sent him crashing to the ground; then it continued over the fence for a home run!



The Lord's team won. The Lord then asked Bob if he knew why Love, Faith and Godly Wisdom could get on base but could not win the game. Bob answered that he did not know why. The Lord explained, "If your love, faith and wisdom had won the game you would think you had done it by yourself. Love, faith and wisdom will get you on base, but only MY Grace can get you home. My Grace is the only thing Satan cannot steal."
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Welcome to the Everlasting Covenant Church



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Vision Statement:



*Enhancing Our Knowledge of Jesus Christ,
Empowering All Believers for Ministry, and
Encouraging Continuous Dedication to the Lord.*

Order of Services

Fellowship | Refreshments – 9:30 a.m.

Sunday School – 10:00 a.m.

Morning Worship Services – 11:00 a.m.

Announcements & Recognition of Visitors

Call to Worship: Scripture Reading & Prayer

Tithes and Offerings; Prayer of Thanksgiving

Praise and Worship Selections

Sermon

Invitation to Christ

Benediction

Wisdom Quotes...

Taken from <http://www.wisoldsayings.com/wisdom-quotes/>

- A blind person who sees is better than a seeing person who is blind. - Iranian (on wisdom)
- A new broom sweeps clean but an old broom knows the corners. - Virgin Islander (on friendship)
- A proverb is a short sentence based on long experience. - American (on proverbs)
- A proverb is one man's wit and all men's wisdom. - Lord John Russell (1792-1878)
- Common sense is genius dressed in its working clothes. - Ralph Waldo Emerson (1803-1882)
- Deal with the faults of others as gently as your own. - Chinese Proverb
- Economy is the wealth of the poor and the wisdom of the rich. - French (on thrift)
- Even a fish wouldn't get into trouble if it kept its mouth shut. - Korean (on common sense)
- He that respects himself is safe from others. - Henry Wadsworth Longfellow (1807-1882)
- He who flees at the right time can fight again. - Marcus Trentius Varro (c.116-27 BC)
- He who has a why to live can bear almost any how. - Friedrich Nietzsche (1844-1900)
- In bad things be slow; in good things be fast. - Afghan (on time and timeliness)
- Just because something is common sense doesn't mean it's common practice. - unknown
- Justice is truth in action. - Benjamin Disraeli (1804-1881)
- Lost time is never found again. - Ben Franklin (1706-1790)
- Money buys everything but good sense. - Yiddish (on money)
- Nothing is impossible to the willing mind. - Books of the Han Dynasty
- One head cannot hold all wisdom. - Maasai(East African)(on wisdom)
- One should speak little with others and much with oneself. - Danish (on the conduct of life)
- Plan your life at New Year's, your day at dawn. - Japanese (on planning)
- Plan your life like you will live forever, and live your life like you will die the next day. - unknown, courtesy of Bryan Sullivan
- Proverbs are the daughters of experience. - Sierra Leone
- Silence is often misinterpreted but never misquoted. - unknown
- The errors of a wise man make your rule rather than the perfections of a fool. - William Blake (1757-1827)
- The truly rich are those who enjoy what they have. - Yiddish (on conscience)
- The wise do as much as they should, not as much as they can. - French (on wisdom)
- The wise understand by themselves; fools follow the reports of others. - Tibetan (on wisdom)
- When you say one thing, the clever person understands three. - Chinese (on wisdom)
- Wisdom is easy to carry but difficult to gather. - Czech (on wisdom)
- Wisdom is oftentimes nearer when we stoop than when we soar. - William Wordsworth (1770-1850)
- Wisdom is to live in the present, plan for the future and profit from the past. - unknown
- You can never plan the future by the past. - Edmund Burke (1729-1797)

Sermon Notes

Scripture: _____

Subject: _____

Notes: _____
