

# The Newsline

Our family reaching out to your family

June 2020

## Hope4You

Welcome Back!

We so missed every one of you and prayed for your safety every day.

Many are wondering what this ongoing coronavirus outbreak has to do with the times we are living in. Are we near the end. Yes. Absolutely. Maybe. (See Guzik quote below)

The word for church in the Bible is *eklesia* and means “those who are called out.” In other words, those who are separate from the world. As the world cowers in fear, we are to demonstrate faith.

The second hand on the clock of the universe has moved past 11:59:59 and is about to strike zero hour. People will scoff at that. They scoffed at Noah right until the rain started falling.

David Guzik on all the things lining up in the world with end time prophecy...

“None of these guarantees that the return of Jesus is soon. It is possible that in the wisdom of God, the time is not soon – yet, if that were the case, God would have to allow the same kind of circumstances that mark our present age to assemble again at a later time.”

Everything is now lined up exactly as God said it would be in the day that Jesus returns. Every prophecy regarding that day has been fulfilled. The building of the third temple does not need to be done while the church is still on earth, and will almost certainly be completed during the first half of the tribulation period.

There are literally Billions of people watching to see how the “church” responds to the days events. How are we, as a body of believers, going to respond? The answer to that question, both here in America and around the world, is still up in the air.

I missed you all. I love you all.

Pastor Brian

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A belated Mother's Day Prayer.....



# Class of 2020

**Congratulations to all that have achieved this point in your education! Our church will be recognizing each of our graduates at a date to be determined in July.**



## UPDATE

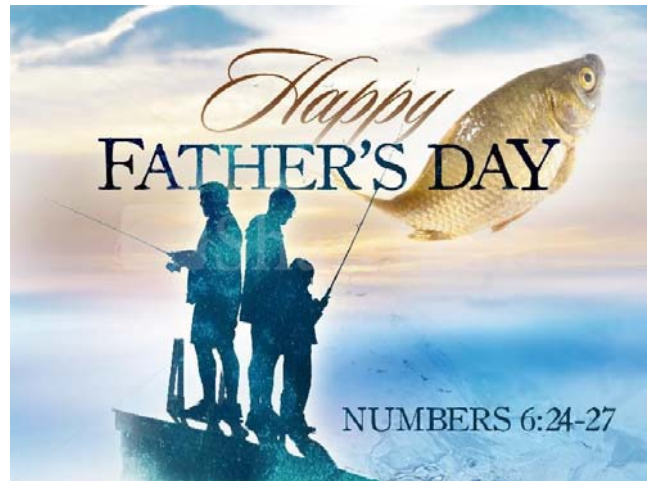
VBS will look a little different this year. Due to the current situation of social distancing we will be having a **Drive -Thru VBS**. We love sharing the Good News with our kids each summer and want them to know Jesus loves them and so do we.

**Saturday, June 20<sup>th</sup>  
from 10:00 – 1:00**

We will be handing out our VBS in a bag. It will consist of a hardback book, a workbook, some crafts, snacks and other items for them to enjoy. Every child from the ages of Pre-K through 5<sup>th</sup> grade will receive a bag. No registration is needed but it is limited to the first 100 kids!

If you would like to help we surely would love to have you join us. We will be advertising on Facebook and our website, and posting flyers in the village. Please tell your family and friends, everyone is welcome

\*\* If you would like to help offset the cost by contributing to our VBS mini-mission through the month of June it will be appreciated!



The LORD bless you and keep you; the LORD make his face shine on you and be gracious to you; the LORD turn his face toward you and give you peace.

Alexandria Baptist Church  
Rules for Return to Worship

*Opening for Worship at 9:30 a.m. Sunday, June 7th*

*Live streaming will be available for those choosing to stay home*

Rules for attending church worship services:

Safe distancing at all times.....No contact please.

Enter and exit the church by the back door only. No greeters.

Please use hand sanitizer provided as you enter.

Seating will be every other pew with 1 family group per ½ pew which means you may not be able to sit in your usual pew.

No Bulletin: The order of service will be projected on the screen.

No special music at this time.

We will not be singing our congregational hymns aloud as usual – but familiar hymns will be shared by Deb so we can worship the Lord in our minds and hearts during those times.

The offering plate will be placed in the vestibule to place your offering in at the end of the service. Dismissing will be done from the back to the front.

Our restrooms will be for emergency use only so plan accordingly.

There will be NO Jr. Church or Sunday school at this time.

Please exit the back door and do not congregate in the Fellowship .. ..