

Hebron Happenings



A Note from Jason,

The Easter season lasts until Pentecost in the church. During this time, we remember Christ's resurrection from the dead and all that means for us. Resurrection is an interesting concept because it doesn't simply mean we 'go to heaven' although that is true at first be when we die. However, the promise of scripture is that when Jesus returns, we will all be resurrected with new bodies like Jesus. As Paul writes it in 1 Corinthians 15:52-57:

52 in a flash, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trumpet.

For the trumpet will sound, the dead will be raised imperishable, and we will be

changed. 53 For the perishable must clothe itself with the imperishable, and the mortal with immortality. 54 When the perishable has been clothed with the imperishable, and the mortal with immortality, then the saying that is written will come true: "Death has been swallowed up in victory."

55 "Where, O death, is your victory?

Where, O death, is your sting?"

56 The sting of death is sin, and the power of sin is the law. 57 But thanks be to God! He gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

This is a reminder that Christ has come to give us new life not just as disembodied spirits but a new life in a new imperishable physical body. Not that we know exactly what that entails but it is the promise of scripture. That we will live on the new earth with our imperishable bodies. This is the full hope of the Easter season we are celebrating.

I hope that as you reflect on this reality during this season you will be encouraged by this message that in Jesus, death has lost its sting because we know that it is not the end. "Thanks, be to God who gives us victory through our Lord Jesus Christ!"

God Bless,
Jason



Hebron In Mission



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One Great Hour of Sharing Special Offering. A total of \$926 was raised during this year's campaign for the PC USA Special Offering of One Great Hour of Sharing. An additional \$574 was provided from Hebron's Mission Fund making Hebron's total contribution this year to be \$1,500.00. Thank you for your contributions.

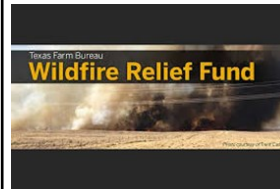


Helping the Smith Family.

A donation of \$500 was provided to our neighbor, the Smith Family, who suffered a total loss of their home, furnishings and belongings from a devastating fire.

Farmers and Ranchers in Texas receive financial assistance.

Catastrophic wildfires have scorched over 1 million acres in the Texas Panhandle. Homes, barns, fences and livestock have been lost. In an effort to help farmers and ranchers who have been affected by the fires, Texas Farm Bureau established the Texas Panhandle Wildfire Relief Fund. 100% of all donations received go directly to farmers and ranchers impacted by the fires. Hebron made a \$1,000.00 donation to this relief fund to help provide financial assistance to those impacted by these wildfires.



Thank you for your continued financial support to Hebron Presbyterian Church. 10% of your weekly offering is dedicated to missions.



Mars Home for Youth and Family Services.

Hebron has been a long-time supportive partner to the children and youth at the Mars Home for Youth in Mars, PA. This spring, the Mars Home for Youth organization is planning to provide a sensory-friendly, inclusive, and accessible playground for their growing number of elementary school students. The playground will incorporate traditional equipment as well as interactive play equipment that is both stimulating and calming for children with sensory processing differences. Hebron has



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