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Jan 18 - Jan 24



# WHAT'S HAPPENING

SUN	18th	<b>Worship Service &amp; Baptism</b> - 9:00am, 11:00am / Sanctuary <b>Thrive (Midde Schoolers)</b> - 4:00pm / Youth Center
MON	19th	<b>CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED IN OBSERVANCE OF MLK JR DAY</b> <b>AHG &amp; Trail Life</b> - 6:30pm / Aux Gym <b>Rooted (Young Adults)</b> - 6:30pm / Fellowship Hall
TUE	20th	<b>Widows Support Fellowship</b> - 12:00pm* <b>Busy Man's Bible Study</b> - 7:00pm* <b>Recovery Ministries (PureWord/Broken Chains)</b> - 7:00pm / Fellowship Hall
WED	21st	<b>Awana (MS &amp; HS)</b> - 5:30pm / Aux Gym <b>Awana (2yrs-5th grade)</b> - 6:45pm / Aux Gym <b>Worship Service</b> - 7:00pm / Sanctuary
THU	22nd	<b>Men's Thursday Evening Bible Study</b> - 6:30pm / Homestead <b>Recovery Ministries (PureWord/Broken Chains)</b> - 7:00pm / Fellowship Hall <b>Adult Open Gym</b> - 8:00pm / Aux Gym
FRI	23rd	<b>Revive (High Schoolers)</b> - 7:00pm / Youth Center
SAT	24th	<b>Men of God Bible Study</b> - 8:30am / Homestead <b>Michael Jr. Funny How Marriage Works</b> - 6:00pm* <b>TICKETED EVENT</b> <b>No Worship Service</b> - Join us tomorrow for Sunday services!

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Pastor Ty Orr



# Forgiveness PROTECTS YOUR Heart

Bitterness poisons the soul and interferes with our relationship with God or others, while forgiveness cleanses it. The Bible warns, **“Looking carefully lest anyone fall short of the grace of God, lest any root of bitterness springing up cause trouble, and by this many become defiled”** (Hebrews 12:15). When you hold onto resentment, it grows like a root underground, choking spiritual life and draining our hope for peace.

Forgiveness acts as a defense against that kind of poison. When we forgive, we remove the root before it can spread. Now, forgiveness isn't weakness; it is the revelation of spiritual strength. It's a choice to take spiritual responsibility rather than seek emotional revenge.

Unforgiveness damages prayer, relationships, and health. People who hold onto resentment often feel tension, anxiety, and loneliness. Forgiveness releases us from that cycle. C.S. Lewis said, “To be a Christian means to forgive the inexcusable, because God has forgiven the inexcusable in you.”<sup>1</sup> This is not just a slogan; it's an essential way for the soul to thrive.

Forgiveness also helps us heal by helping us move past something. It restores peace by letting go and renewing our prayer life. Maybe Elsa was right. David prayed, **“Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me”** (Psalm 51:10). A clean heart results from repentance and forgiveness, for when we forgive, we align our hearts with God's mercy and love, even toward our enemies.

Forgiveness is an active and often ongoing process. It requires prayer, humility, and time. It is not the same as forgetting. It involves choosing not to let past pain dominate our present life. We can't wait for feelings to change; instead, we must obey God and trust Him to heal. Forgiveness acts as medicine for our hearts.

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<sup>1</sup>C.S. Lewis, The Weight of Glory.

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**CASH OR CHECK**

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Text \$ amount to 84321  
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# ABOUT **WATERSPRINGS**

## What We Believe

Watersprings Church is affiliated with the Calvary Chapel movement. To learn about what we believe, stop by the Connect Center.

## Communion

We celebrate communion the first weekend and third Wednesday of every month at regular services.



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Meet Pastor Ty in the Homestead

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**FEBRUARY 1**

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*Ladies NIGHT OUT*

**GROUND & STEADFAST**

*Study in Colossians*

**Feb 6 / 7 PM**



**FEB 7**

**8 AM**

**BROTHERS BREAKFAST**



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### WORSHIP SERVICE TIMES

Wednesday - 7:00pm // Saturday - 7:00pm // Sunday - 9:00am, 11:00am

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