

Welcome to
Mountain Ridge Bible Chapel
A Fellowship of Believers United as One Body in Christ
-Proclaiming Jesus Christ to All-

Family Bible Hour April 13, 2019

Prelude

- Hymn #147** • How Great Thou Art
- Hymn #320** • Beneath the Cross of Jesus
- Hymn #305** • Jesus Paid it All
- Hymn #324** • When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

Announcements & Prayer

Missionary Moment

- Speaker** • Kaz Ortiz - II Timothy 4:1-22
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Next week's speaker: Doug Tremper

Thank you for coming to Mountain Ridge Bible Chapel. We hope you enjoy the service today and that you will return in the near future. Please join us downstairs next week at 10:35 for coffee. We very much enjoy your company.

Faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the Word of God.
 Romans 10:17

<p>With joy we meditate the grace Of God's High Priest above; His heart is filled with tenderness, His very name in Love. Touched with a sympathy within, He knows our feeble frame: He knows what sorest trials mean, For He had felt the same. But spotless, undefiled, and pure, The great Redeemed stood, While Satan's fiery darts He bore, And did resist to blood. He, in the days of feeble flesh, Poured out His cries and tears, And, though ascended, feels afresh What every member bears. Then boldly let our faith address The throne of grace and power; We shall obtain delivering grace In every needed hour. Isaac Watts (1674-1748)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Looking Ahead</u> April 21st Easter Breakfast April 22nd – 26th Week of Prayer April 23rd Gavin & Carrie Jones Dinner April 27th What's Next</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">II Timothy 4: 16-18</p> <p>At my first defense no one stood with me, but all forsook me. May it not be charged against them. ¹⁷ But the Lord stood with me and strengthened me, so that the message might be preached fully through me, and that all the Gentiles might hear. Also I was delivered out of the mouth of the lion. ¹⁸ And the Lord will deliver me from every evil work and preserve me for His heavenly kingdom. To Him be glory forever and ever. Amen!</p>	<p>Truths about Friendship from the life of Paul [in 2 Timothy 4]: 1. Paul believed in the critical importance of having close friends - verses 9, 21a. 2. Paul knew from personal experience the pain and anguish of loneliness - verses 10b, 11a, 16a. 3. Paul knew the importance of having the right kind of friends: be discerning and selective - verses 14-15. 4. Paul knew from personal experience the pain of betrayal and abandonment - verses 10a, 16. 5. Paul had learned the importance of forgiving those who had failed him. In fact, he believed in giving old friends who had blown it another chance - verses 11b, 16b. 6. As you grow old in life, in addition to friends, you need books! - verse 13. 7. In the final analysis, when everything is said and done, Jesus will always be your best friend; the only friend you can always count on - verses 17-18.</p>

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Faith, as Paul saw it, was a living, flaming thing leading to surrender and obedience to the commandments of Christ.