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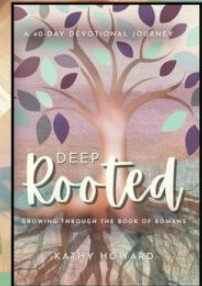
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NEW STUDY
ROMANS:
Deep Rooted
By Kathy Howard



WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY
WEDNESDAYS
2PM | RM 16
CONTACT SHANNA WALKER @ 799-5581 FOR MORE INFO



NEW CLASS starts 10/6

Linked
sunday morning study & fellowship
10:45AM
ROOM 18
grow alongside others as we study, discuss, and build connections. all ages/stages of life welcome.


JOURNEYING WITH OTHERS THROUGH GRIEF
SEPTEMBER 29 | 10:45AM | RM 18
What do you do when a loved one experiences grief? So many of us have experienced this exact thought as someone close to us experiences grief and we feel helpless to offer them the care and/or support they need to process grief in a healthy way. Join us on the 29th as we talk about ways we can support those we love as they process and work through the grief they are experiencing.
Questions? Contact VK Bussen at 575-799-6409.



First Methodist Church Clovis | September 22, 2024

10, BROTHERS AND SISTERS, BECAUSE OF GOD'S MERCIES, I
NO
HAT IS HOLY AND PLEASING TO GOD. THIS IS YOUR APPROPRIATE
PRIESTLY SERVICE. 2 DON'T BE CONFORMED TO THE PATTERNS OF THIS
WORLD, BUT BE TRANSFORMED BY THE RENEWING OF YOUR MINDS SO
HAT YOU CAN FIGURE OUT WHAT GOD'S WILL IS—WHAT IS GOOD AND
LEASING AND MATURE.
TRANSFORMED RELATIONSHIPS
BECAUSE OF THE GRACE THAT GOD GAVE ME, I CAN SAY TO EACH ONE
OF YOU: DON'T THINK OF YOURSELVES AS BETTER THAN ANYONE ELSE. DON'T
O THINK. I'VE HAD BEING AS AN EYE. I DON'T HAVE THE GIFT OF A
PORTION OF FAITH TO EACH ONE OF YOU. 4 WE HAVE MANY PARTS IN
ONE BODY, BUT THE PARTS DON'T ALL HAVE THE SAME FUNCTION. 5 IN
THE SAME WAY, THROUGH THE GRACE OF GOD, WE ARE ONE BODY
IN CHRIST, AND INDIVIDUALLY WE BELONG TO EACH OTHER. 6 WE HAVE
DIFFERENT GIFTS THAT ARE CONSISTENT WITH GOD'S GRACE THAT HAS
BEEN GIVEN TO US. IF YOUR GIFT IS PROPHECY, YOU SHOULD PROPHECY
IN PROPORTION TO YOUR FAITH. 7 IF YOUR GIFT IS SERVICE, DEVOTE
YOURSELF TO SERVING. IF YOUR GIFT IS TEACHING, DEVOTE YOURSELF
TO TEACHING. 8 IF YOUR GIFT IS ENCOURAGEMENT, DEVOTE YOURSELF
TO ENCOURAGING. THE ONE GIVING SHOULD DO IT WITH NO STRINGS
ATTACHED. THE LEADER SHOULD LEAD WITH PASSION. THE ONE
SHOWING MERCY SHOULD BE CHEERFUL.
LOVE SHOULD BE SHOWN WITHOUT PRETENDING. HATE EVIL, AND
HOLD ON TO WHAT IS GOOD. 10 LOVE EACH OTHER LIKE THE MEMBERS
OF YOUR FAMILY. BE THE BEST AT SHOWING HONOR TO EACH OTHER. 11
DON'T HESITATE TO BE ENTHUSIASTIC—BE ON FIRE IN THE SPIRIT AS YOU
ERVE THE LORD! 12 BE HAPPY IN YOUR HOPE. STAND YOUR GROUND
WHEN YOU'RE IN TROUBLE, AND DEVOTE YOURSELVES TO PRAYER. 13
CONTRIBUTE TO THE NEEDS OF GOD'S PEOPLE, AND WELCOME
STRANGERS INTO YOUR HOME. 14 BLESS PEOPLE WHO HARASS YOU—
BLESS AND DON'T CURSE THEM. 15 BE HAPPY WITH THOSE WHO ARE
HAPPY, AND CRY WITH THOSE WHO ARE CRYING. 16 CONSIDER
EVERYONE AS EQUAL AND DON'T THINK THAT YOU'RE BETTER THAN
ANYONE ELSE. INSTEAD, ASSOCIATE WITH PEOPLE WHO HAVE NO
STATUS. DON'T THINK THAT YOU'RE SO SMART. 17 DON'T PAY BACK
ANYONE FOR THEIR EVIL ACTIONS WITH EVIL ACTIONS, BUT SHOW
RESPECT FOR WHAT EVERYONE ELSE BELIEVES IS GOOD.
18 IF POSSIBLE, TO THE BEST OF YOUR ABILITY, LIVE AT PEACE WITH ALL
PEOPLE. 19 DON'T TRY TO GET REVENGE FOR YOURSELVES. MY T
RIENDS, BUT LEAVE ROOM FOR GOD'S WRATH. IT IS MINE. REVENGE
BELONGS TO ME; I WILL PAY IT BACK, SAYS THE LORD. 20 INSTEAD, IF
YOUR ENEMY IS HUNGRY, FEED HIM; IF HE IS THIRSTY, GIVE HIM A DRINK.
BY DOING THIS, YOU WILL PILE BURNING COALS OF FIRE UPON HIS HEAD.
21 DON'T BE DEFEATED BY EVIL, BUT DEFEAT EVIL WITH GOOD.

TRUE SPIRITUALITY
BECOMING A ROMANS 12 CHRISTIAN



FIRST METHODIST CHURCH CLOVIS
September 22, 2024 | 18th Sunday after Pentecost

VOLUNTARY Ferrell Roberts, organ
Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven
Raymond H. Haan

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS Rev. Jeb Archey

***CALL TO WORSHIP** Anne Nelson
Leader: Our help is in the name of the Lord our God,
People: the Maker of heaven and earth,
Leader: who comes to our aid in times of need,
People: who gives us the courage to do what we know is right,
Leader: who invites us to turn away from the influences of the
world around us and confess Him alone as Saviour
and Lord.
People: This is our God! Let us worship God together.

***HYMN** Come, We That Love the Lord UMH #732

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** Anne Nelson
I believe the Word was in the form of God
and did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped.
He emptied himself, took the form of a servant,
and was born in our own likeness.
I believe he humbled himself and became obedient unto death.
I believe God has highly exalted him
and bestowed on him the name
which is above every name.
I believe that at the name of Jesus every knee shall bow,
every knee in heaven and on earth and under the earth.
I believe that every tongue will confess that Jesus Christ is Lord
to the glory of God the Father. Amen!

***GLORIA PATRI** UMH #70
Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen. Amen.

PASSING OF THE PEACE

CHILDREN'S TIME Lorraine Weingates

MORNING PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER Rev. Jeb Archey

***HYMN** His Name Is Wonderful UMH #174

***SCRIPTURE** Romans 12:2 Rev. Jeb Archey
The Word of God, for the people of God.
Thanks be to God.

ANTHEM Consider the Lilies Chancel Choir
Roger Hoffman/A. Laurence Lyon

SERMON R12—True Spirituality Separated Rev. Jeb Archey

TITHES AND OFFERINGS Rev. Jeb Archey

OFFERTORY Ferrell Roberts, organ
O Master, Let Me Walk With Thee
Dale Wood

***DOXOLOGY** UMH #94
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him, all creatures here below; Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise God, the source of all our gifts!
Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

***HYMN** Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven UMH #66

***BENEDICTION** Rev. Jeb Archey

POSTLUDE Ferrell Roberts, organ
Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus
Jason D. Payne

*you are invited to stand as able



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Flowers are given by Mike & Shanna Walker in honor of our children at First Methodist Church.

WORSHIP VOLUNTEERS:
Liturgist: Anne Nelson
Piano: Alison Brown
Children's Time: Lorraine Weingates
Ushers/Greeters: Team 4
Acolytes: Liam Castillo, Jace Walker
Sound/Media: MaryNell Urban,
Greg Jennings, Calvin DeWitt,
Rigby Hunt

SUNDAY SCHOOL
10:45—11:30AM
AGES 4 TO ADULT

NURSERY CARE
The nursery is open Sunday mornings for children birth to preschool. Our nursery is located in the north/education wing.

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