

*From Robert's Desk*

**Buyouts During the Satan Era**  
**By Robert Orren**

No, the title is not a typo, nor is it a Freudian slip.

I recently read an article about buyouts for college football coaches during the Nick Saban Era at Alabama. Of course, Alabama has had zero buyouts for \$0 since Saban arrived in Tuscaloosa. But buyouts for other coaches at other universities have totaled almost \$178,000,000 during that same period. In case you lost track of the zeroes, that is \$178 million. And this isn't for salaries. This is money paid just to get a coach (or school, depending on the perspective) out of an existing contract.

You can have any opinion you want on the above situation, but understand this...

Because of our sins, we are on the wrong side of an agreement with God. We have earned spiritual death. A buyout is available, but it cost more than \$178 million. It cost more than bulls and goats and all the blood they could shed.

The price of our buyout under the "Satan Era", since that incident in the Garden of Eden, is the perfect sacrifice of the Son of God.

God emptied His pockets. Jesus emptied Himself. He became flesh with all its hardships and temptations. He suffered and died in our place to buy out the contract of sin.

Oddly enough, a coach from Oregon State walked away from his buyout of over \$12 million. He apparently thought he did not deserve it. A case can be made that it was a decision of integrity.

But there is no integrity in walking away from God's buyout for your soul. Sadly some will, but it is absolutely unnecessary. Bring your sins to Jesus by obeying the gospel, and let Him pay for those sins. You cannot afford them. *Have a great week!*

Attendance and Contribution	
January 17 <sup>th</sup>	
Bible Study	17
Morning Worship	20
Evening Worship	12
Wednesday (Jan 13 <sup>th</sup> )	21
Offering (YTD Avg 2020) \$1,636	

Additional Announcements:
The diaper shower for <b>Andi Moore</b> will no longer be a drive through shower, due to her bed rest.
Please bring any diapers or wipes to the church building by <b>January 24<sup>th</sup></b> and they will be delivered to her.

UPCOMING

Men's meeting

Monday, February 1<sup>st</sup>  
6:30 PM at the old house

"People like to scream the first few words of 2 Timothy 4:2 & whisper the last ones."  
— JJ Hendrix

See 2 Timothy 4:2

Helpful Resources:

Good News Today  
7:00 AM Sunday  
KARZ-42 / Little Rock

In Search of the Lord's Way  
7:30 AM Sunday  
KASN-38 / Little Rock

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[gbntv.org](http://gbntv.org)

Prayer Requests

- **Andi Moore**—currently on bed rest due to high blood pressure during pregnancy
- **Carolyn Key, Marilyn Bridges' sister**—diagnosed with B Cell Lymphoma
- Our sympathy is extended to the family of **Patsy Sanders**, who passed away Thursday, Jan 14<sup>th</sup>.
- Our sympathy is extended to the family of **Danny Newton** who recently passed away.
- **Continue to remember:** Karen McClane, Kevin McClane, and Nathan McClane

As always, remember to check in on our shut-ins:

- **Annie Smith** (ONRC)
- **Camille Petree** (Pine Manor Apts)



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THOSE TO SERVE	
<b>Communion preparation for January</b> <b>Brandon and Lacey Burns</b> <b>January 24<sup>th</sup></b>	
<b>Morning Worship</b>	
Lead Singing	Hunter Sanders
Script. & Prayer	David Rowen
<b>Scripture: TBD</b>	
Announcements	Doug Sanders
Opening Prayer	Gail Williams
Lord's Table:	
Preside	Colt Moore
Preside	Brandon Burns
Closing Prayer	Randy Reynolds
<b>PM Worship*</b>	
Lead Singing	Hunter Sanders
Opening Prayer	Clyde Bever
Lord's Table & Prayer	Seb Sanders
<b>Wednesday, January 27<sup>th</sup></b>	
Devotional	Doug Sanders
Opening Prayer	Gail Williams
Closing Prayer	Seb Sanders

January 24, 2021

# WELCOME



We are glad to have the opportunity to worship God with you.

We hope you find our worship to be in spirit and in truth (John 4:24).

## WEEKLY SERVICES & TIMES

*Services will be streamed via Facebook Live & will be archived on our YouTube channel. Like & subscribe to get notifications.*

### Sunday Bible Class

**9:00 AM**

*When I Survey the Wondrous Cross*  
Rod Halliburton

### Sunday Morning Worship

**10:00 AM**

*Part of Me is Already There*  
Rod Halliburton

### Sunday Afternoon Worship

**1:00 PM**

*Four Reasons to Stay Faithful*  
Rod Halliburton

### Mid-week Bible Study

**Wednesday 7:00 PM**

*Class Period*—David Rowen  
*Devo Thought*—Doug Sanders

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