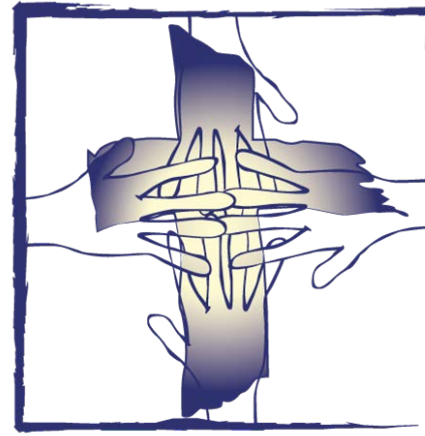


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Congrats

Six members of FaithWorks of Abilene's 36th class graduated in early May and are venturing out into the world with new determination, resources and our prayers. Applications are being accepted for a new class, because the FaithWorks ministry isn't finished. Do you know someone who is ready for FaithWorks?

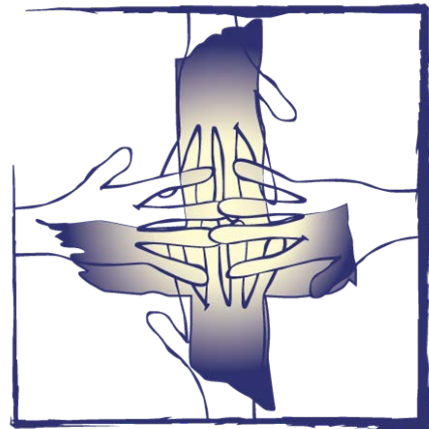


Members of FaithWorks graduating class 36 receive a blessing at Highland Church.

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Thanks, I needed that

There are times when the world seems so very dark. We cannot escape the stories of the violence in Baltimore as we also mourn if we can even fathom - the loss of over 6,000 souls robbed by an earthquake in the Nepal community. My 11-year-old Border Collie named Levi died at 4:30 this morning.



JOYCE DALZELL

It is almost too much. Yet in the midst of the grieving, today I am also celebrating a season of hard work and accomplishments with the incredible FaithWorks spring class's graduation, our 36th, in the Grace Fellowship building.

Being present at a FaithWorks graduation is one of the best reminders that there is light and goodness in the world. We share in impressive stories of darkness turned to light.

"Magnificent Meg," a graduate from class 33, did an outstanding job of chronicling her life from a time that she describes as brokenness to her current life where she is halfway through her two-year study to become certified as a chemical dependency counselor. Her face shone as she spoke of how much she loves going to work every day at Serenity House.

"Keen Craig," with a pew filled with family, told his story of transitioning from a former life of addiction and poor money management to full-time employment at Dr. Tom's Preventive Healthcare for your Computer and consideration of enrolling in

TSTC.

"Proud Priscilla" interned at Hendrick Cancer Center with the incredible Linda McNeil and plans to continue assisting in that department and working as a certified nursing aide in home health while she enrolls in Cisco College to obtain her LVN nurses license.

Jesus tells his disciples, his students, in Matthew 5 that they are the light of the world. These FaithWorks graduates are bringing light into our world into a computer repair shop and the Cancer Center at Hendrick. And certainly into Serenity House.

It is a highlight of mine to know that this light also shines in Mardel's Bookstore and comes with an enthusiastic hug as you walk into the store.

This light is at the metal recycling center on North Treadaway.

And The Oaks at Radford Hills.

You may think the welding torch provides the brightest light at Frontier Welded Products, but it could actually be the light from the FaithWorks graduate (and now, board member) holding that torch!

This light shines at an Abilene Taco Bell as well as an area Subway sandwich shop.

The list goes on . . . and the LIGHT continues to shine!

And as we prepare for our SUMMER class, our midpoint in our 13th year that begins June 1, you may know of someone who would benefit from spending their summer at FaithWorks of Abilene. We are currently taking applications.

April gifts in memory of

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- Gary and Sue Ball
- Tim and Vicki Deveny
- Jack and Ann Griggs
- Mel and Jan Hailey

Remembered

- Bob Allen
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- Janet Hardy
- Roland and Jeri Orr
- Billye Proctor Shaw
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Members of class 36 pray together during their graduation ceremony.

Our prayers are with them



A luncheon at the home of Executive Director Joyce Dalzell was part of the graduation celebration.



Magnificent Meg offers a graduation address.



Paul Mathis presents a certificate to Sherri.