

“WHAT A FRIEND WE HAVE IN JESUS: FRIEND OF THE ADDICTED”

(Luke 8:26-33)

TODAY'S GREETERS: Rocky Gaisford & Darrell Senters

SUNDAY AM BIBLE CLASSES

Auditorium - Adults (Doug Boyle)
The Life of Paul

NO TEEN CLASS TODAY
Please join the auditorium class.

WEDNESDAY PM - December 18th

Greeter	Dan Biby
Song	Greyson Waide
Scripture (1 Cor. 2:14-16)	Aaron Boyle

WEDNESDAY PM BIBLE CLASSES

Auditorium - Adults (Greg Waide)
Daniel's Prophecies & God's Sovereignty

Teen Room - Teens (Ray Rose)
Matthew 10:37

Fellowship Hall - Ladies Class (Fern Boyle)
Biblical Geography

BLAST Class - PreK - 6th (December 18th: Beth Gaddie)

NEXT SUNDAY - December 22nd

Greeters	Ron & Kay Scott
Announcements	Ron Scott
Songleader	Doug Boyle
Scripture Reading/Prayer	Tim Rehmel
Lesson	Ray Rose
Communion	Garry Osburn
Closing Prayer	Frosty Munsell
PM Songleader	Alec Boyle
PM Prayer	Greyson Waide
PM Lesson	TBD

ELDERS *Elder of the Month - December

Doug Boyle *Greg Waide



DEACONS *Responsible for locking the building - December

Tim Ford - Audio-Visual/Technology *Roger Gaddie - Building/Communion Svc
Tim Rehmel - Education

If you ever miss a robo-call from the church, you can hear the most recent message again by dialing: 1-877-333-9336.

PULPIT MINISTER - Ray Rose **SECRETARY** - Jennifer Waide

Office Hours: Mon, 8:30-12:30; Wed - Fri, 8:30 to 4:30 Notary services are available in the office.

	SUNDAY		WEDNESDAY	
	Bible Classes	9:30 am	Mid-Week Boost Meal	5:30-6:30 pm
	AM Worship	10:30 am	<i>(During the school year)</i>	
	PM Worship	5:00 pm	Bible Study 	7:00 pm

CHURCH LIFE

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Don't Worry, Be Faithful

We worry a lot, whether it be about our job, what food we're going to eat, whether we'll have time for this or that, etc.

A lot of times we'll even worry about things that are completely out of our control!

I saw a sign once that said, "Today I will not worry about things which I cannot control."

This is what we need to practice as Christians.

Jesus said, "Do not worry then, saying, 'What will we eat?' or 'What will we drink?' or 'What will we wear for clothing?' For the Gentiles eagerly seek all these things; for your heavenly Father knows that you need all these things." (Matthew 6:31-32 NASB1995)

We worry about so much! And yet Jesus repeatedly emphasized, "Don't worry, I'll take care of you."

Let's consider how much we worry about what we're doing for God. Sometimes we'll worry about whether we're doing enough for God, or doing the right things, or how much of an impact the things we're doing actually have.

God doesn't tell us to worry about these things; God tells us to be faithful and to trust Him.

The scriptures say, "And we know that God causes all things to work together for good to those who love God, to those who are called according to His purpose." (Romans 8:28 NASB1995)

Be faithful to God, follow His commands, and don't worry about the rest, because God will take care of everything.

"Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and do not lean on your own understanding." (Proverbs 3:5 NASB 1995)

Don't worry, 'Did I say the right thing?' or, 'What are they going to do now with what I've said to them?'

Trust in God after you've done all that you can.

-In Christian Love, Alec Boyle



PRAYER LIST:

Zane Johnston...She will be having surgery at St. Mary's on Wednesday to remove two of her toes. She will be admitted for 24-48 hours following the surgery.

Kelly Winters...She will be having surgery on Wednesday and would appreciate prayers for a successful surgery and recovery.

Connie Walker...Her third chemo treatment went well. They are adjusting her medication to help with low sodium, magnesium and white blood cells. As the chemo makes her sick for a few days, please pray she will feel well enough to celebrate Christmas with her family.

Faye Gash (Grandmother of Cody Wieden)...She fell and broke her hip and is in Bass Hospital.

Michelle Raney (Daughter-in-law of Matt Nichols' boss)...She has been dealing with cancer and thought she had beaten it, but they have now found spots on her leg and between her lungs.

PLEASE CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR:

Janice Hunter (Friend of Bill David & Connie Walker)...She recently had a kidney transplant, but it is looking like her body may be rejecting the new kidney.

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| Dennis Biby | LeAnna Colby | Lavon Cook & Family |
| Vivian Durham | Roger Ediger | Tom Gaul |
| Mike Goodpasture | Eldon & Patsy Gritz | Mike Hager |
| Richard & Donnita Kliewer | Yee Kow Lee | Sam Lyons |
| Dwayne McLerran | Brandon McNaughton | Larry Miller |
| Daniel Osburn | Ray Rose | Chris Strate |
| Leatha Summers | Connie Walker | Misty Walker |

We will have a potluck meal tonight in conjunction with 3rd Sunday Singing. Please bring food to share and meet in the Fellowship Hall at 5:00 pm!

care & share
Dwayne & Margaret McLerran

DAYS IN GOD'S WORD

(December 1-7)

Number of days: 163
Slips turned in: 27

SUN PM SCHEDULE:

TONIGHT

Singing & Potluck in the Fellowship Hall

Dec 22nd - Ray Rose
Dec 29th - Doug Boyle



OUR RECORDS

Week of December 8, 2024

Bible Class.....	No count
AM Worship.....	No count
PM Worship.....	No count
Contribution.....	\$4,536
Wed PM.....	50



MAKING DISCIPLES OF ALL NATIONS

MISSIONS WE SUPPORT:

- Elio Vergara - Panama
- Eduardo Bulnes - Baxter Institute, Honduras
- Andrew Boyle - Memphis School of Preaching
- Jonathan Crowell - World Bible Institute
- Southern Africa Bible College
- HBS
- Garriott Road Prison Ministry
- Lariat Creek Christian Camp
- Future Teacher Training Camp

ORDER OF WORSHIP - Dec 15, 2024

AM ANNOUNCEMENTS - Garry Osburn
ELDER WELCOME/PRAYER - Greg Waide
Rom. 16:17-20

SONGLEADER - Alec Boyle

NIB How Great Is Our God

791 On Bended Knee

845 Gentle Shepherd

113 His Grace Reaches Me

801 Where No One Stands Alone

SCRIPTURE/PRAYER - Ron Scott

Luke 8:26-33

LESSON - Ray Rose

"Friend of the Addicted"

490 It Is Well With My Soul

324 Alas! And Did My Savior Bleed?

LORD'S SUPPER - Dan Biby

823 Lead Me Gently Home, Father

CLOSING PRAYER - Garret Wyman

5 PM, SINGING & POTLUCK in the Fellowship Hall

Zachariah & Alexis (Goben) Lockhart, along with their families, request the honor of your presence at their wedding ceremony!

Saturday, December 28th, 2:00 pm
Garriott Rd church of Christ
Reception to follow



Zippy & Lexi

Please RSVP to Lexi at 580-478-8066 as soon as possible!



HOLIDAY WORSHIP SCHEDULE:

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 25TH - NO SERVICES

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 31ST - 7 PM, MID-WEEK DEVOTIONAL

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 31ST - 8 PM, NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 1ST - NO SERVICES

Ladies, if you were in charge of a Hearts in Harmony ministry in 2024, please complete the evaluation form in your binder and return your binder to the office by December 31st.

A NEW DIRECTORY PAGE IS AVAILABLE AT THE WELCOME CENTER!



MEN'S MENTORING CONFERENCE

Theme: Identity

Saturday, February 1, 2025

New Location:

Wylie Church of Christ, Wylie, TX

Registration Cost: \$30 + fees = \$35.01

Visit WylieChurchofChrist.org



TUESDAY, Greg & Jennifer Waide!

TODAY

@ 2 pm
Everyone is invited to meet at the building to go caroling!



VERSE OF THE WEEK:

Romans 16:20

"The God of peace will soon crush Satan under your feet. The grace of our Lord Jesus be with you."



- 15th** 2 pm, Christmas Caroling - Meet at the building.
- 18th** 5:30-6:30 pm, Mid-Week Boost, Fellowship Hall
- 22nd** 2-4 pm, Shepherds' Christmas Come & Go at the Boyles' home
- 25th** Merry Christmas! No services on this Wednesday night.
- 28th** 2 pm, Wedding & Reception for Zippy & Lexi (Goben) Lockhart
- 31st** 7 pm, Tuesday Night Mid-Week Devotional
- 8 pm, New Year's Eve Party - Bring finger foods & games!

JANUARY

1st No Services on this Wednesday night.



MID-WEEK BOOST

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 18TH

5:30-6:30 pm Fellowship Hall

THIS WEEK'S MENU: A Variety of Soups

COST: Suggested donation of \$5/adult; \$3 (12 & under); \$20 max



POWERFUL PRAYER WARRIORS,

Please pray specifically for these three students:

Ourania Statton - Granddaughter of Frosty Munsell

Maci Nichols - Granddaughter of Mike & Marsha Nichols

Matthew Cox - Grandson of Dwayne & Margaret McLerran

THIS WEEK'S CHRONOLOGICAL

BIBLE READING:



- Dec 15 Ephesians 1-6
- Dec 16 Philippians 1-4
- Dec 17 1 Timothy 1-6
- Dec 18 Titus 1-3
- Dec 19 1 Peter 1-5
- Dec 20 Hebrews 1-6
- Dec 21 Hebrews 7-10

SHUT-INS:

Virgie Lee, The Commons, Rm 305

Zane Johnston, The Commons, Rm 108

Ken Strever, Garland Rd Nursing & Rehab, Rm 521-B

