

# WHAT A FRIEND WE HAVE IN JESUS: Jesus, A Friend of the Hurting (Luke 7:11-17)

TODAY'S GREETERS: Alyssa Boyle & Alec Boyle

## SUNDAY AM BIBLE CLASSES

Auditorium - Adults (Ray Rose)

Multipurpose Room - Teens (Doug Boyle)  
*The Life of Paul*

## WEDNESDAY PM - January 8<sup>th</sup>

Greeter	Frosty Munsell
Song	Alec Boyle
Scripture (1 Cor. 3:1-4)	C. Key

## WEDNESDAY PM BIBLE CLASSES

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

Teen Room - Teens (Ray Rose)

Fellowship Hall - Ladies Class (Fern Boyle)  
*Biblical Geography*

BLAST Class - PreK - 6<sup>th</sup> (January 8<sup>th</sup>: Kay Scott)

## NEXT SUNDAY - January 12<sup>th</sup>

Greeters	Rocky Gaisford & Darrell Senters
Announcements	Garry Osburn
Songleader	Alec Boyle
Scripture Reading/Prayer	Bill David Walker
Lesson	Ray Rose
Communion	Frosty Munsell
Closing Prayer	Ron Scott
PM Songleader	Greyson Waide
PM Prayer	Roger Gaddie
PM Lesson	Ray Rose

## ELDERS \*Elder of the Month - January

*\*Doug Boyle* Greg Waide



## DEACONS \*Responsible for locking the building - January

Tim Ford - Audio-Visual/Technology Roger Gaddie - Building/Communion Svc  
*\*Tim Behmel* - 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.

	<b>SUNDAY</b>		<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	
	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

January 5, 2025 • Ray Rose

# CHURCH LIFE

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## HAPPY NEW YEAR

Every new year, millions of people make New Year's resolutions. Many of these people resolve to be better. Eat healthier, go to the gym more, stop drinking, read the Bible through, be faithful to keep God's word. Many who make their resolutions have no intentions of keeping them. They make them every year, but they don't follow through.

I want to encourage you to make two resolutions: (1) Be faithful to the Great Commission. (2) Be faithful to the Great Command. I cannot think of two better resolutions than these. Can you? The Great Commission has fallen on hard times lately. Very few are getting the word out. I don't know if we really believe that the Gospel of Christ is the only means of salvation. Jesus said, "You will die in your sins if you believe not that I am He" (John 8:24). The apostle Paul gives this startling warning in 2 Timothy 3:2,4: In the last days men would become lovers of themselves, lovers of money. They would become lovers of pleasures rather than lovers of God. Paul is warning us to be careful. Your heart can become cold toward God. That is, John says, <sup>15</sup> "Do not love the world or the things in the world. If anyone loves the world, the love of the Father is not in him. <sup>16</sup> For all that [is] in the world--the desires of the flesh and the desires of the eyes, and pride of life--is not from the Father but is from the world. <sup>17</sup> And the world is passing away along with its desires, but whoever does the will of God abides forever" (1 John 2:15-17). Love is only for God and people, not things or stuff.

I hope you will work really hard to keep these two resolutions. Don't be like the crowd that makes it a week and then quits. Be resolute. Be faithful. And the Church will have a great year.

*God bless, and may you have the best year yet! — Ray*

# Prayer LIST

"Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God; and the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus."  
*Philippians 4:6-7*

Cody Mitchell (Former Member) & Family...Cody's brother and family were involved in a head-on collision Thursday night. Very sadly, Cody's brother was killed. His sister-in-law and niece are okay.

Mark Merewether (Grandson-in-law of Yee Kow & Sylvia Lee).....Please continue to pray for his safety and the success of the mission.

Max & Lucia (Twin great grandchildren of Pat Monsees)...They are recovering from RSV.

Eero (Great grandson of Jerry & Shirley Lorenz)...He is recovering from covid and croup.

Son & granddaughter of Carolyn Crawford.....They have been sick.

## PLEASE CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR:

Dennis Biby	LeAnna Colby	Vivian Durham
Roger Ediger	Faye Gash	Mike Goodpasture
Eldon & Patsy Gritz	Jerry Hager	Mike Hager
Raymond Henderson	Zane Johnston	Richard & Donnita Kliewer
Yee Kow Lee	Dwayne McLerran	Brandon McNaughton
Larry Miller	Daniel Osburn	Michelle Raney
Ray Rose	Chris Strate	Leatha Summers
Bill David & Connie Walker	Misty Walker	Tina Wilder

Kenneth Strever turns 90 on Tuesday, January 14<sup>th</sup>. Let's shower him with birthday wishes! Cards are available in the Encouragement room.

**care & share** **Jan 5<sup>th</sup> PAT MONSEES**

**DAYS IN GOD'S WORD**  
*(December 22-28)*  
 Number of days: **141**  
 Slips turned in: **24**

**SUN PM SCHEDULE:**  
**TONIGHT - Ray Rose**  
 Jan 12<sup>th</sup> - Ray Rose  
 Jan 19<sup>th</sup> - 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday Singing  
 Jan 26<sup>th</sup> - Doug Boyle  
 Feb 2<sup>nd</sup> - Ray Rose

## OUR RECORDS

Week of December 29, 2024

Bible Class.....	61
AM Worship.....	81
PM Worship.....	43
Contribution.....	\$3,181
Tuesday PM.....	NC

## 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 - Jan 5, 2025

**AM** ANNOUNCEMENTS - Dan Biby  
 ELDER WELCOME/PRAYER - Doug Boyle  
 2 Cor. 4:7-5:8

SONGLEADER - Greyson Waide

- 4 **To God Be the Glory**
- 53 **Father, I Adore You**
- 742 **When Upon Life's Billows**
- 189 **Master, the Tempest Is Raging**
- 484 **You Are My All In All**

SCRIPTURE/PRAYER - Travis Key  
 Luke 7:11-17

LESSON - Ray Rose  
 "Jesus, A Friend of the Hurting"

- 395 **Follow Me**
- NIB **Above All**

LORD'S SUPPER - Tim Rehmel

- 351 **He Bore It All**
- CLOSING PRAYER - Garret Wyman

**PM** SONGLEADER - Ron Scott

- 650 **Send the Light**
  - 622 **Ring Out the Message**
- PRAYER - Dan Biby  
 EQUIPPING THE SAINTS: Ray Rose

"Preach the Word"  
 2 Timothy 4:1-8

**Baby Shower Honoring Garret & Ashley Wyman**  
 This Saturday, January 11<sup>th</sup>, 2-4 pm, Fellowship Hall  
*The Wymans are registered at Amazon.*

**BOOKS FOR BABY WYMAN:**  
 One small request that won't be too hard: please bring a book instead of a card; Whether Cat in the Hat or Winnie-the-Pooh, sign in the cover with a note from you.

**DIAPER RAFFLE:**  
 Keeping baby changed is really hard so please consider diapers instead of a card. Just bring a pack other than newborn size and you'll be entered to win a prize.

*Men, if you plan to attend the Mighty Men conference, please see Doug Boyle. He is working on making hotel reservations. The plan is to leave from the building on Friday, January 31<sup>st</sup>, at noon and return late Saturday night.*

**MIGHTY**  
 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](http://WylieChurchofChrist.org)  
 or [Facebook.com/MightyMentorCom](https://www.facebook.com/MightyMentorCom)



**TODAY,**  
 Darrell Senters!

**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 as soon as possible.**



## VERSES OF THE WEEK:

### 2 Corinthians 5:1-2

<sup>1</sup>For we know that if our earthly house, [this] tent, is destroyed, we have a building from God, a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens. <sup>2</sup>For in this we groan, earnestly desiring to be clothed with our habitation which is from heaven,



11<sup>th</sup> 2-4 pm, Baby shower—It's a boy!  
 Honoring Garret & Ashley Wyman  
 12<sup>th</sup> 3pm, Hearts in Harmony Annual Meeting  
 All ladies of the congregation are invited!

**THE TOTAL GIVEN IN LAST WEEK'S 5<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY SPECIAL COLLECTION WAS \$3,030. THESE FUNDS WILL BE PUT TOWARDS GENERAL MISSIONS FOR 2025.**



The Westview Boys' Home Grocery Truck will be stopping by on Monday, February 3<sup>rd</sup>. Lists of their needed items are available on the credenzas.

## MID-WEEK BOOST

**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 8<sup>TH</sup>**  
 5:30-6:30 pm Fellowship Hall  
**THIS WEEK'S MENU: El Dorado Beef Casserole**  
**COST: Suggested donation of \$5/adult; \$3/12 & under; \$20 max**



**POWERFUL PRAYER WARRIORS.**  
 Please pray specifically for these three students:  
**Anthony Gray** - Grandson of Sandy Knox  
**Oakley Driskell** - Grandson of Randy & Kay Howard  
**Greyson Blythe** - Grandson of Marshall & Joy McCoy

**READ THROUGH THE BIBLE IN A YEAR!**  
**THIS WEEK'S BIBLE READING:**

**2025 Daily Reading Schedule:**

January 5 .....	Genesis 16-18
January 6 .....	Genesis 19-20
January 7 .....	Genesis 21-23
January 8 .....	Genesis 24-25
January 9 .....	Genesis 26-28
January 10.....	Genesis 29-30
January 11.....	Genesis 31-32
January 12.....	Genesis 33-35

## OUR SHUT-INS:

Virgie Lee, The Commons, Rm 305  
 Zane Johnston, The Commons, Rm 108  
 Ken Strever, Garland Rd Nursing Home, Rm 521-B

