

# “The Life of the Body”

(Ephesians 4:15-16)

TODAY'S GREETERS: Luke Rehmel & Greyson Waide

## SUNDAY AM BIBLE CLASSES

Auditorium - Adults (Ray Rose)

*One Another: Encourage*

Multipurpose Room - Teens (Alec Boyle)

*1 John*

## WEDNESDAY PM - January 29<sup>th</sup>

**Greeter**

**Song**

**Scripture (1 Cor. 3:10-13)**

**Nicholas Endicott**

**Aaron Boyle**

**Alec Boyle**

## WEDNESDAY PM BIBLE CLASSES

Auditorium - Adults (Greg Waide)

*The Life of Christ*

Teen Room - Teens (Ray Rose)

*The book of Colossians*

Fellowship Hall - Ladies Class (Fern Boyle)

*Biblical Geography*

BLAST Class - PreK - 6<sup>th</sup> (January 29<sup>nd</sup>: Carolyn Rehmel)

## NEXT SUNDAY - February 2<sup>nd</sup>

**Greeters**

**Announcements**

**Songleader**

**Scripture Reading/Prayer**

**Lesson**

**Communion**

**Closing Prayer**

**PM Songleader**

**PM Prayer**

**PM Lesson**

**Frosty Munsell & Dan Biby**

**Ron Scott**

**Greyson Waide**

**Tim Rehmel**

**Ray Rose**

**Bill David Walker**

**Roger Gaddie**

**Ron Scott**

**Greyson Waide**

**Doug Boyle**

## ELDERS

*\*Doug Boyle*

*\*Elder of the Month - January*

Greg Waide

## DEACONS

*\*Responsible for locking the building - January*

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

Bible Classes 9:30 am

AM Worship 10:30 am

PM Worship 5:00 pm

### WEDNESDAY

Mid-Week Boost Meal 5:30-6:30 pm

*(During the school year)*

Bible Study  7:00 pm

# CHURCH LIFE

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## HEAVEN

Heaven is a beautiful word. It's a word that conjures up so many thoughts and pictures in our mind. The Hebrew word for Heaven is "Shamaim." The Greek word for heaven is "Ouranos." The Bible speaks of three heavens: Atmospheric heaven—where the birds fly and the clouds form; the Stellar heaven—where the sun, moon and the stars are located; and the abode of God, the third Heaven (2 Cor. 12:2-4). Jesus said, Pray like this "Our Father in Heaven" (Matt. 6:9). Paul was taken up to the third heaven (2 Cor. 12:2-4). Paul couldn't talk about anything he experienced. Now, almost daily we have people who share stories about how they died and went to heaven. Then they proceed to tell us what they experienced. Why are they allowed to speak about heaven but Paul couldn't? Could it be that these people are not being truthful?

### DESCRIPTIONS OF HEAVEN:

It is called a country (Heb. 11:16), a city (Heb. 13:14), the father's house (John 14:2). God is on His throne in Heaven (Rev. 4-5). Heaven is a place of no more (Rev. 21:4). No more death, no more sorrow, no more crying, no more pain, and NO MORE NIGHT—If this were all that Heaven was, it would be an amazing place. Life is a long series of losses.

*A place of unparalleled beauty (Rev. 21:1-2, 10-25).*

*A place of full intimacy with God (Rev. 21:3; 22:4).* Seeing God is not something you ever finish. You will never lose the wonder of seeing God.

*Heaven's occupants are righteous (Rev. 21:27; 22:15).* There are no wicked people in heaven. Therefore, there is no crime in Heaven.

*Heaven is a place of perfect contentment (Rev. 7:15-17).* Every need we have is met perfectly always.

*In Heaven, we serve God like we do down here (Rev. 7:15; 22:3).* No one is floating around on clouds playing harps.

*Heaven is a place of incredible and dynamic worship (Rev. 4:8; 7:15; 15:3).*

Looking at these descriptions, I couldn't help but think of the song "How Beautiful Heaven Must Be." "We read of a place that's called Heaven, It's made for the pure and the free; These truths is God's word He has given, How beautiful Heaven must be. In Heaven, no drooping, nor pining, No wishing for elsewhere to be, God's light is forever there shining, How beautiful Heaven must be. Pure waters of life there are flowing, And all who will drink may be free; Rare jewels of splendor are glowing, How beautiful heaven must be."

*God bless, Ray*

**PRAYER LIST:**

Frosty Munsell.....He will have cataract surgery on Tuesday.  
 Carolyn Crawford.....She had surgery on her nose on Thursday.  
 Raymond Henderson.....He has gotten a little stronger and is doing some better, but he still struggles to take in enough breath to speak.  
 Bonita Wallers (Mother of Fern Boyle)...She fell on Wednesday and broke her hip. She is in the hospital recovering from surgery. She is 90 years old.  
 Doug Boyle...Please pray for safe travel as he returns today from the Marines Memorial/Reunion in Texas.  
 Brandon McNaughton (Coworker of Travis Key)...They were able to get him moved to Mercy Hospital in OKC.  
 Leni King (Daughter of coworker of Travis Key)...The tumor has finally shrunk enough to be surgically removed this week.  
 Family of Larry Miller...Larry passed away early Tuesday morning. His funeral will be here at our building this Saturday, Feb 1<sup>st</sup>, at 10 am.  
 Family of Mike Goodpasture (Cousin of Dan Biby).....Mike passed away last Saturday night.  
 Mike Ellis (Inmate at Crabtree)....He went before the parole board this past week.

**PLEASE CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR:**

Dennis Biby	LeAnna Colby	Vivian Durham
Faye Gash	Eldon & Patsy Gritz	Mike Hager
Raymond Henderson	Zane Johnston	Richard & Donnita Kliewer
Yee Kow Lee	Dwayne McLerran	Brandon McNaughton
Daniel Osburn	Garry Osburn	Ray Rose
Chris Strate	Leatha Summers	Connie Walker
Misty Walker	Toby Weldon	Tina Wilder

**Funeral for Larry Miller**  
 Garriott Rd Church of Christ  
 This Saturday, February 1<sup>st</sup> @ 10:00 am

FOR I AM NOT ASHAMED  
 OF THE GOSPEL OF *Jesus Christ*  
 -ROMANS 1:16

*If you would like a 2024 tax letter, please sign up on the credenza!*

**care & share** Jan 26<sup>th</sup>  
 Frosty Munsell

**DAYS IN GOD'S WORD**  
 (Jan 12-18)  
 Number of days: 166  
 Slips turned in: 27

**SUN PM SCHEDULE:**  
**TONIGHT - Ray Rose**  
 Feb 2<sup>nd</sup> - Doug Boyle  
 Feb 9<sup>th</sup> - Afternoon Devo  
 Feb 16<sup>th</sup> - 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday Singing  
 Feb 23<sup>rd</sup> - Greg Waide

**OUR RECORDS**  
 Week of January 19, 2025

Bible Class .....	49
AM Worship .....	77
PM Worship .....	84
Contribution .....	\$5,649
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 - Jan 26, 2025**

**AM** ANNOUNCEMENTS - Tim Rehmel  
 ELDER WELCOME/PRAYER - Greg Waide  
*Isaiah 61:10-11*

SONGLEADER - Ron Scott  
 627 **There's a Royal Banner**  
 719 **Love One Another**  
 705 **A Common Love**  
 704 **Bind Us Together**  
 709 **How Sweet, How Heavenly**  
 SCRIPTURE/PRAYER - Greyson Waide  
*Ephesians 4:15-16*

LESSON - Ray Rose  
 "The Life of the Body"

912 **Burdens Are Lifted At Calvary**  
 332 **Lead Me To Calvary**  
 LORD'S SUPPER - Greg Waide  
 599 **On and On We Walk Together**  
 CLOSING PRAYER - Dan Biby

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**PM** SONGLEADER - Alec Boyle  
 902 **Nothing But the Blood**  
 903 **There Is Power In the Blood**  
 PRAYER - Greyson Waide  
 EQUIPPING THE SAINTS - Ray Rose  
 "The Sinner's Prayer"

On the afternoon of Sunday, February 9<sup>th</sup>, we will have our annual congregational budget meeting.  
 There will be a potluck lunch after morning worship.  
 The budget meeting will begin at 1:30, with a devotional to follow.  
**NO EVENING SERVICES ON THIS DAY.**



**A LITTLE BIT OF HUMOR**

- 1) What kind of man was Boaz before he married Ruth?
- 2) Why was Samson the best comedian?
- 3) What's a missionary's favorite kind of car?
- 4) Why didn't they play cards on the ark?

ANSWERS:  
 1) Ruthless 2) He brought the house down. 3) A convertible 4) Because Noah was always standing on the deck.



**MONDAY, Jerry & Shirley Lorenz!**

*Seek the Lord AND HIS STRENGTH, seek his face CONTINUALLY.*  
 1 CHRONICLES 16:11

**MIGHTY MEN'S MENTORING CONFERENCE**  
 Theme: Identity  
 This 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://Facebook.com/MightyMentorCom)

**WESTVIEW BOYS' HOME**  
 The Grocery Truck will be stopping by on Monday, February 3<sup>rd</sup>.  
 Lists of their needed items are available in the foyer.

**PASSAGE OF THE WEEK:**

**Isaiah 61:10-11**

"I will rejoice greatly in the LORD, My soul will exult in my God; For He has clothed me with garments of salvation, He has wrapped me with a robe of righteousness, As a bridegroom decks himself with a garland, And as a bride adorns herself with her jewels. 11 For as the earth brings forth its sprouts, And as a garden causes the things sown in it to spring up, So the Lord GOD will cause righteousness and praise To spring up before all the nations."



1<sup>st</sup> Mighty Men's Mentoring Conference in Wylie, TX  
 10 am, Funeral for Larry Miller  
 3<sup>rd</sup> Westview Boys' Home Grocery pick up  
 9<sup>th</sup> 12 pm, Potluck lunch  
 1:30 pm, Budget meeting & afternoon devo  
*(No evening services on this day)*

**MID-WEEK BOOST**

**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 29<sup>TH</sup>**  
 5:30-6:30 pm Fellowship Hall  
**THIS WEEK'S MENU (Jan 29<sup>th</sup>):**  
**Chicken & Dressing Casserole**

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



**POWERFUL PRAYER WARRIORS.**  
 Please pray specifically for these three students:  
**Andrew Cox** - Daughter of Matt & April Cox  
**Damian Munsell** - Grandson of Frosty Munsell  
**Emma Wolke** - Granddaughter of Roger & Beth Gaddie

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

**2025 Daily Reading Schedule:**  
 January 26..... Exodus 25-27  
 January 27..... Exodus 28-29  
 January 28..... Exodus 30-32  
 January 29..... Exodus 33-35  
 January 30..... Exodus 36-38  
 January 31..... Exodus 39-40  
 February 1..... Leviticus 1-4  
 February 2..... Leviticus 5-7

**OUR SHUT-INS:**

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

