

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**TODAY 2:00 pm** Jerry Grisham's Memorial Service - Jerry passed away on May 16.

**TODAY 2:30 pm Wedding Shower for Parker Stockstill & Sandra Byers** in the annex. They are registered at www.amazon.com and Bed, Bath, & Beyond. See Kristi Bryant or Stacy Dial.

**May 27 VBS Volunteer Meeting** immediately following AM Services in classroom #12 (next to Lance's office)

**May 29 7:00-8:00 pm in the annex Stock Market Class** Kyle Kennedy would like to share his expertise in various stock market trading strategies with any members who are interested in learning ways to invest in the market. He has knowledge and experience that may be beneficial to you whether you have traded stocks for several years or you are just interested in getting started. There will be time for question-and-answer and refreshments will be provided.

**June 4 Promotion Sunday** On this morning, all children's bible classes will promote to the grade they will be attending in the Fall of 2018.

**July 29 - Aug 1 Vacation Bible School: Babylon: Daniel's Courage in Captivity** see Kristi Bailey

**Baptism** Donna Sue Parks (Loretta Wilson's sister) was baptized on Tuesday morning at the building.

**Graduation Celebration Invitation:** You are invited to celebrate **Hannah Beth's** graduation on Sunday, May 27th from 4-7 pm at the Pearson's House.

**Camp Texoma Registration** is Underway for current 3<sup>rd</sup> -12<sup>th</sup> graders! Beds fill up fast, so get your paperwork and \$60 deposit into Lance & Ashley ASAP! Dates are July 15-19. Total Cost is \$200.

**Summer (Jun-Aug) Bible Class Teachers are Needed** The signup sheets are in the foyer.

**Thank You** for your support during the recent school board election! Tootie Hall

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

### Worship in Song

Byron Dial

413 - Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

### Welcome & Announcements

### Prayer

Sergei Brajnik

### Scripture

Logan Gilbert

2 Corinthians 9:6-8

\* Praise the Name of Jesus

350 - More Holiness Give Me

304 - Jesus is All the World to Me

\* Give Me a Heart Like Yours

### Lord's Supper

Bradley Bryant  
Jeff Cooper  
Scout Cooper  
Eric Hunter

Ed Cate  
Dan Crow  
Adam Johnson  
Steele Pennington

### Offering

Doyle Sisk  
Ray Hall

Larry Caddell

\* We Bring to You

### Sermon

David Bennett

*"Giving: How to Make an Offering"*

578 - Trust and Obey

### Prayer

Ken Roe

677 - Unto Thee O Lord

## UPWORDS

### Keeping in step

When Krisan and I were courting, we lived about 50 miles apart. I'd drive from Lamesa to Andrews most weekends and we would hang out with friends, watch TV or spend hours just talking. One of our favorite things was to go walk around the "lake."

Yes, Andrews had a lake, complete with ducks, an island in the middle and a nice, wide walking path around the perimeter. It wasn't half a mile around the whole thing, but it was water, and it was close to where she lived. We wore it out.

At times, she'd put an arm around my waist as we walked, and I would drape my arm over her shoulders. Thus linked, we noticed something. For several steps, we'd be right in sync, moving along smoothly, then we'd start bouncing in different rhythms, bobbing up and down so that it was awkward to keep hold of each other. A few steps later, we'd be back in sync.

That's marriage, isn't it? You have times when you're in step and times when you're not. But if you hold on and keep walking in the same direction, it smooths out again.

Our walk with God is that way, too. That's why Paul tells us, in Galatians 5, to "walk by the Spirit" (v. 16) just before he enumerates the acts of the flesh and the fruit of the Spirit. Later, he reminds us: "Since we live by the Spirit, let us keep in step with the Spirit." It's absolutely essential as we grow into Christlike people that we walk, every day, with the Holy Spirit.

Lord, give us love. Give us joy. Give us peace. Make us patient, kind, good, faithful and gentle. And with all that, please give us the self-control to keep walking with you -- especially when we get out of step.

-- Bob Buckel bbuckel@gmail.com

## LESSON LINES

### Giving: How to Make an Offering

**#1 Jesus has fulfilled every sacrifice.**

**Making a Freewill Offering to God Allows for One's Heart to Be Exposed:**

**The Purpose of the Offering Collected in Macedonia and Achaia is to Glorify God.**  
2Cor. 8:16-19

**Money Matters Call for Great Integrity.** 2Cor. 8:20-23

**The Fulfilling of a Charge/Pledge Causes Praise to God** 2Cor. 8:24-9:5

#### Take Home:

1. How do you feel when you make an offering to God?
2. Is God glorified by your giving?

## PRAYER REQUESTS

**Carol Adams** will not receive a pacemaker but is seeking further diagnostics at this time.  
**Berk Curlee** returned to Harris Hospital in Ft Worth on Thursday, since he has not been able to receive or keep any nutrition in his stomach.  
**Savana Erwin** was able to go home Tuesday after battling a couple of bacterial infections.  
**Marty Findley** plans to have her gal bladder out soon.  
**Pat Hickman** has had allot of back pain and is scheduled to get an epidural on Monday, May 24.  
**Chip Norman** had spinal fusion surgery on Friday at the Methodist Hospital in Addison.  
**Jimmy Parks** (49 year old brother-in-law of Loretta Wilson) suffered a massive stroke last August. He is currently at Texas Rehab in Fort Worth (425 Alabama Ave). He is on an aggressive 14-day rehab program and is looking forward to returning home very soon. He is in Room 131.  
**Brendan Wood** is undergoing some medical testing at this time.

**Brandon Bryant, Ty Bryant, Buddy & Patsy Draper, Rusty Greathouse, Dwight Pyle, Don Coufal** (Lindsey Webb's uncle in CA), **Aaron Parriette** (Collin's brother), **Doss Haugen** (Len & Robin Pennington's grandson)

### Birthday & Anniversary May

20 - Lacey & Sawyer Cooper  
 21 - Pat & Eldon Bird  
 22 - Mozell Davis  
     Courtney & Chase Cooper  
 23 - Mia Saldivar  
 24 - Carol & Glen Laminack  
 25 - Ty Bryant  
     Linda Miller  
     Rylee Rogers  
 26 - Tammy & Brett Cheatham  
 27 - Tiffanie Lambert  
     Paula Lunsford  
 28 - Carol Adams  
     Chance Hall  
 30 - Chase Hall  
     Zach Hall  
     Ken Roe  
     Mari Saldivar  
     Sean South

### June

1 - Lezlie Hall  
 Carol Sanders  
 Nick Webb  
 Brittany & Aron Arthur

## Youth Connection

June 3	Summer Grubbin' Swimming, Lunch, & Devo after AM Services
June 10	Nexus Depart @ 6:30 pm & Return by 9:30 pm Singing, snacks, & games with other area youth groups.
June 17-23	High School Mission Trip to High Plains Children's Home in Amarillo, TX

You will find a yellow prayer request sheet in the foyer, for a continued list of church family and friends in need of prayer. Please contact the church office with any updates.

### Daily Bible Reading

Num 16-17, Num 18-20, Num 21-22, Num 23-25,  
 Num 26-27, Num 28-30, Num 31-32

### Records 2018

Bible Class.....148  
 Worship .....284  
 Wednesday .....173  
 Weekly Budget .....\$7,861  
 Contribution.....\$6,185  
 Baptisms .....3

### Bible Classes for All Ages

Cradle Roll A (0-18 mo)...S. Hall Room 15  
 Cradle Roll B (18-24 mo)...S. Hall Room 11  
 2, 3 & 4 yr old .....N. Hall Room 6  
 Pre K & K.....N. Hall Room 2  
 1 & 2 Grade.....N. Hall Room 4  
 3 & 4 Grade.....N. Hall Room 7  
 5 & 6 Grade.....N. Hall Room 3  
 Jr High & High School.....Ministry Building  
 College.....Ministry Building  
 Young & Old.....W. Side of Annex  
 Family Matters .....Ministry Building  
 Mixed Age .....Auditorium

### Worship Times

Bible Class .....9:30 am  
 Morning Worship .....10:30 am  
 Life Groups.....6:00 pm  
 Wednesday Bible Study.....7:00 pm

### Online Giving Now Available

You can give your offering online. You can also schedule regular contributions. We are partnering with **Givelify** to make this possible. To use your phone, download the app.



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# Freewill Offering

## Romans 12:6-8

- We have different gifts, according the grace given us. If a man's gift is **prophesying**, let him use it in proportion to his faith. If it is **serving**, let him serve; if it is **teaching**, let him teach; if it is **encouraging**, let him encourage; if it is **giving** to the needs of others, let him give generously, if it is **leadership**, let him govern diligently; if it is showing **mercy**, let him do it cheerfully.

### VISITORS WELCOME!

We are glad you have come our way. We would like to have record of your attendance. Please fill out a yellow registration card and place it in the contribution tray as it passes this morning.

You may go to [www.scocx.org](http://www.scocx.org) for more church information.

ALL are welcome to use the back of the registration card for any prayer requests or general communication.

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