

## YOUTH CONNECTION

**April 14** **Old Time Worship GRUB** Come enjoy Worship & Dinner - Meet @ the church @ 4:45. Bring \$10 to help with your meal. We will return by 9 pm.

**Apr 19-21** **JH/HS Spring Retreat "Manna"** Weekend Retreat for current 6th –12th grades at Camp Texoma Go to [scoctx.org](http://scoctx.org) to sign up by April 7.

**April 21** **Pictures Due for Senior Sunday** (20ish pics per Senior) You can give pics to Lance digitally or you can give him prints to scan .

**May 5** **Senior & Youth Sunday** Youth will participate and serve in many ways during service. Each senior will have a table in the foyer to honor them. There will be a basket at each table to place a card or gift to congratulate them. We will also celebrate our graduating seniors by giving them bibles, have a slide show, and enjoy an all church luncheon in the gym.

*Class of 2024 Seniors: Taylor Bennington, Thomas Bennington, Delaney Brajnik, Landon Brajnik, Kelby Castro, Daren Hall, Patrick Hall, Jake Henderson, Darren Loper, Zoie McBee, Morgan Mitschke, Rylee Nichols, Ian Schnelle, Katence Turner, Logan Turner*

**Sign up for Remind:** text @SCCYOUTH2 to 81010

### Birthday & Anniversary

#### April

07 Jackie Saldivar  
09 Keely Isenhower  
Jessie Lunsford  
Cody Pyle  
10 Summer & Justin Harvey  
11 Kirk Lambert  
12 Ron Elston  
Doreen & Michael Mount  
13 Ian Schnelle  
Susan & Stan Stockstill  
Gemma Webb  
14 Cy Saldivar  
15 Dale Cleveland  
Sam Merrell  
Javi Saldivar  
16 Eldon Bird  
Lisa Lambert  
17 David Bennett  
Hudson Dipprey  
Megan Hall  
18 Alicia & Rodolfo Saldivar  
19 Suann McDearmont  
Kari & Adam Littlepage

#### Records 2023

Bible Class.....156  
Worship .....390  
Weekly Budget .....\$ 8,052  
Contribution.....\$14,720  
Baptisms .....4

#### Worship Times

Sunday Bible Class .....9:30 am  
Sunday Morning Worship ....10:30 am  
Sunday Building Life Group...5:00 pm  
Tuesday Ladies Bible Class ...10:00 am  
Wednesday Evening Meal....6:00 pm  
Wednesday Bible Study.....7:00 pm

### Online Giving

You can give your offering online. You can also schedule recurring contributions.

We are partnering with  Pushpay to make this possible. Scan the QR Code to



#### Elders

Doug Bryant Ricky Lowe  
Byron Dial David Pearson  
Ken Roe Robert Johnson

#### Deacons

Ben Bennington Lance Hall  
Sergei Brajnik Pat Hall  
Bradley Bryant Ray Hall  
Ed Cate Corey Pennington  
Joe Coronado Rudy Saldivar  
Brad Gilbert Doyle Sisk  
Mario Gomez

#### Ministers

David Bennett - Pulpit  
Lance Hall - Youth

#### Contribution Counters

Doyle Sisk Brian Sisk

#### Power Point

Doug Bryant



# SPRINGTOWN

## Church of Christ

# Tell me - whose side are you living on?

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April 7, 2024

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**TODAY 2:30 pm Wedding Shower for Carly Hittle & Balin Bryant** in the annex. Contacts for this shower are Amy Hall, Lisa Hall, & Lisa Taylor. The couple is registered on Amazon.

**Apr 10 Supper @ Six** in the gym On the Menu: Mexican Pile Up, Chocolate Cake, Pralines, Sopapilla Cheesecake

**Apr 14** Just for the month of April **Beautiful Feet** will be 2nd Sunday. This avoids the conflict with the Youth Spring Retreat. Contacts are David & Candice Pearson.

**Apr 14 2:30 pm Baby Shower for Kate & Jason Landon** in the annex. To be a hostess or give on a group gift, please see Ashley Hall or Kristin Gilbert. It's a BOY! They are registered on Amazon.

**Apr 26-28 Spring Family Campout @ Ft. Richardson State Park** in Jacksboro, Texas. Pickup a flyer in the foyer for all the details. Please see or call Ashley Hall (817.614.7085) for more information.

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**Camp Texoma Registration is now LIVE!** Registration is online this year! This is for current 3rd-12th graders.

Dates: July 7-11. Cost \$230. You can sign up today and pay later. Please see link in GraceNotes sent out on Apr 3.

**Bible Class Teachers are Now Needed for the month of April & May** Sign up Sheet is in the Foyer.

Curriculum is available. See education deacons, Lance Hall, Bradley Bryant, or Sergei Brajnik if you have questions.

**Our VBS Theme is:** HERO Hotline: Called Together to Serve God! Every Hero has a role to play!

Dates: July 21-24, 2024, 6-8 pm. Contact Suann (817.714.6975) if you are interested in helping in any way!

**The Premier Academy of Fine Arts of North Texas Shoe Drive** "Shoe Us the Love" is a mission based fundraiser where a school collects shoes that are picked up by a charitable foundation that helps impoverished people in Third World countries learn how to run a micro business. We are asking for your gently used tennis shoes, boots, high heels, flip-flops, loafers, etc. for men, women, and children! Contact Dr. Elizabeth Tinius (316.992.9297).

## HALLMARKS

### A Heart Like His

Living life with Jesus has to have an effect on me. When I put myself in the presence of the Savior, the time I spend with Him can't help but transform me. And when transformation occurs, others can't help but notice. In a world of darkness, people desperately need to experience light. They need to see a reflection of Jesus and His attributes in each of us. They need to see love that goes deeper than our words...a love lived out by the way we serve and show kindness to others. They need to see a heart quick to forgive and who holds no grudges. They need to see a people bent on freely handing out grace and mercy, because we know what great mercy and grace have been lavished on us. Other people should be able to tell who we follow just by hanging around us for a little while!

I love the story in Acts 4, where Peter and John stand before the Sanhedrin to be questioned. The Sanhedrin is not happy Peter and John have been proclaiming the resurrection of the dead. Peter, filled with the Holy Spirit, boldly gives an answer to their questions. His answer rings with wisdom, power, truth, and tact. When the religious leaders saw the spirit, confidence, and courage Peter and John spoke with, they were astonished...and the Bible says they **took note that these men had been with Jesus**. This past week, in the Rainbow kids' devotional, I recounted to the preschoolers the story of Zacchaeus, who climbed down from his tree, met up with Jesus...and had his heart transformed. These stories, and many others in the Bible, remind us that spending time with Jesus is a transforming experience! Our moments spent with the Savior should continually shape us into His image! We won't ever accomplish this perfectly, but our hope is when people encounter us, they will see our savior in us and "take note that we have been with Jesus".

Lance Hall

## PRAYER REQUESTS

**Denise Taylor** is home recovering from back surgery.

**Marilyn Gipson** (Robert's mom) remains on hospice care in Amarillo.

**Randy Lewis** (Glen Laminack's cousin) has advanced stomach cancer and is seeking treatment at MD Anderson. He lives in Gorman.

**Marla Stubbs** started phase 1 of a clinical trial, this past week, in hopes for a cure and to also help others. It is a very intense process but she is excited to be proactive.

**Brady Weaver** (married to Paula Hall's cousin) is a Springtown resident and Arlington firefighter was released from the hospital on Mar 29. He is home recovering.

**Sue Winkler** (Cindy Webb's mom) remains at Springtown Park Rehab, room 405.

**Debby Looney's brother** had a recent PET scan. He will receive results on Tuesday.

Dwayne Alvis, Cyndi Arbuckle, Sherry Anderson, Robert Ballinger, Duane Casey, Dale Cleveland, Rowen Cotanch, Buddy Draper, Tom Durrett, Robert Gipson, Twanna Greathouse, Freddy & Sulema Guzman, Ira Pasley, Anicia (Rose Handy's sister), Steve Hall (Diana Dodson's son in law), David Row (Kay Sisk's nephew), Hayden June (Shaun & Leanne Roseman's niece)

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**Sympathy**

**Jaye Rutherford's** (daughter of Jerrell & Donna Rutherford & granddaughter of Skid & Judy Skidmore) celebration of life was held at our building on Saturday. In lieu of flowers, please consider donating to your local animal shelter. Jaye loved all animals.

**Mayo Loper's** (granddad of Dax Loper & friend of the Bennett's) funeral was held in Abernathy, TX, last Tuesday.

**Jesse Springfield's** (son of David Springfield & nephew of Vicki Thompson) graveside service was held last Wednesday here in Springtown.

## LESSON LINES

### Living on the Lord's Side!

Mt. 16:1-20

**Diverting the Attack!** Vv. 1-4

**Warning about The Wrong Influence!** Vv. 5-12

**Testing the Followers!** Vv. 13-20

**Take Home:**

Whose Side are you living on today?

Who do you say that the Son of Man is this morning?

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