

YOUTH CONNECTION

- May 17** **Family Ranger Game** Limited amount of tickets available for \$20/ea. This is an event for our youth and their families. Text Lance your name, how many tickets you need, and an email to send your tickets. We will be taking a church van and you are also welcome to meet us at the game. If you ride the van, you will need money for one fast food meal.
- May 26** **Nexus** We will meet 3 times during the summer to worship with other youth groups in the area. Come enjoy singing, snacks, and games. More details will be sent out as it gets closer.
- June 2** **Summer Grubbin'** After morning services come enjoy swimming, lunch, and a devo.
- June 9-15** **Mission Trip: Champ Camp @ High Plains Children's Home** in Amarillo, TX

Sign up for Remind: text @SCCYOUTH2 to 81010

Birthday & Anniversary

May

- 13 Karri & Ben Bennington
14 Tad McDermont
Oleta & Mike Russell
15 Eli Saldivar
Marybelle & Mario Gomez
17 Peter Schneider
Keely & Matthew Isenhower
18 Stella Saldivar
19 Mandy Hays
Shirley & Marshall Lowe
20 Spencer Bryant
21 Pat & Eldon Bird
22 Mozell Davis
Courtney & Chaise Cooper
23 Mia Saldivar
24 Carol & Glen Laminack
25 Linda Miller
Rylee Nichols
26 Tammy & Brett Cheatham
27 Tiffanie Lambert
Paula Lunsford
Elaine & Tim Layton
28 Carol Adams
Kerry Fender
Chance Hall

Records 2023

Bible Class.....	187
Worship	325
Weekly Budget	\$ 8,052
Contribution.....	\$8,916
Baptisms	7

Worship Times

Sunday Bible Class	9:30 am
Sunday Morning Worship	10:30 am
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	Robert Johnson
Byron Dial	Ricky Lowe
Brad Gilbert	David Pearson
Pat Hall	Ken Roe

Deacons

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

Ministers

David Bennett - Pulpit
Lance Hall - Youth

Contribution Counters

Doyle Sisk	Brian Sisk
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Power Point

Jennifer Pennington



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May 12, 2024

ANNOUNCEMENTS

May 15 Supper @ Six in the gym. On the Menu: Hot Dogs, Chili Dogs, Frito Pie, & Dessert

May 17 Family Ranger Game Tickets are \$20. See back of bulletin for more details. Please contact Lance to see if tickets are still available.

May 19 7:45 am-12 pm Beautiful Feet Service Day in Fort Worth - Contacts are David & Candice Pearson

May 29 7 pm Special Prayer Service Mark your calendars. Plan to attend. More details coming soon.

June 2 9 am-1 pm Carter Blood Drive in the Gym Contact is Debby Looney 817-657-8153.

June 2 9:30 am Promotion Sunday for Children's Bible Classes - Kinder-5th Grade will promote to the grade they will be attending in the Fall of 2024 on this particular morning!

Jul 21-24 6-8:15 pm VBS: HERO Hotline: Called Together to Serve God! Every Hero has a role to play! Contact Suann (817.714.6975) if you are interested in helping in any way!

Texas Drive Fore the Cure Golf Tournament benefiting The Cure Starts Now. Central & Parker Co Chapters are joining forces to honor Jade Bridier & Warrior Robert Ballinger at Harbour Lakes Golf Club in Granbury, TX on **May 18 @ 1 pm**. See GraceNotes for the link with all the details. Cassy Ballinger is the contact.

Fall Campout: Mark your calendars for the Fall Family Campout October 4-6 at Mineral Wells (1 week later than usual... praying it allows for cooler temperatures!) You can book reservations 5 months in advance so that is this weekend starting May 4. If you bring an RV try to book Live Oak campground.

A 3rd-6th Grade Bible Class Teacher is Still Needed for the month of May The sign up sheet is in the foyer.

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.

HALLMARKS

Yelling at the City Gate

As I stand at the city gate, I proclaim the praise due to my mom. Many of you could stand at the city gate and do the same. Having a mom who is praiseworthy is a supreme blessing. There is no such thing as a perfect parent, but my mom is pretty close. She is kind, gentle, and always available. She is intentional and compassionate. She gives freely of her time and resources to bless those around her. She is ever a servant and has a heart that seeks to follow Jesus. She is an encourager, a comforter, a friend, and she holds me accountable. She is much of the reason for who I am today. I am supremely blessed.

As Ashley and I reflect over the last eighteen years of parenting our own kids... As I remember the struggles or the times I did not live up to the standard I had for myself, I am even more amazed at my own mom. She was a constant source of love, and as I recall, there was never an issue or rough stretch. I look back fondly on all the years of being parented...except she probably didn't get it all right either... and there were rough stretches and hard moments. As parents, we fail all the time. We don't always get it right. We look back and wish we would have done this differently or handled that another way, but I have learned this...love covers over a multitude of missteps. My Mom has done way more to bless me than to hurt me, but even when something did not go how I wanted it to go...I have never doubted her vast love for me. I believe this one simple thing allows us to look back over our years with gratitude and to appreciate the blessing. We can sing the praises of our mothers, not because they got it right all the time...but because their unwavering love was steady and true, day after day after day. Lance Hall

Proverbs 31:28-31

28 Her children arise and call her blessed; her husband also, and he praises her:

29 "Many women do noble things, but you surpass them all."

30 Charm is deceptive, and beauty is fleeting; but a woman who fears the Lord is to be praised.

31 Honor her for all that her hands have done, and let her works bring her praise at the city gate.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Paula Hall has been experiencing back pain. After seeing a specialist, they have determined it is nerve related. They are discussing surgery to alleviate her pain and get her back on her feet again.

Kandy Foster started radiation on Wednesday and will have 5 consecutive treatments. Prayers are needed that radiation will not hit or affect the optic nerve as the tumor is wrapped around this nerve.

Denise Taylor has 3 appointments scheduled this week with different doctors to try to get answers about her liver function.

Sam Merrell is now at Texas Rehab in downtown Fort Worth.

Trudy Wells is dealing with health issues and having lots of tests.

Sulema Guzman continues to battle liver problems and balance her diabetes. She is very weak.

Baby Lila (Kathleen & Tim Rae's niece) one year old who got into her mom's medicine. She is slowly improving. Please keep her and her parents in your prayers.

Dwayne Alvis, Cyndi Arbuckle, Robert Ballinger, Duane Casey, Dale Cleveland, Rowen Cotanch, Buddy Draper, Tom Durrett, Twanna Greathouse, Freddy Guzman, Ira Pasley, Marla Stubbs, Anicia (Rose Handy's sister), Steve Hall (Diana Dodson's son in law), Brady Weaver (married to Paula Hall's cousin), Randy Lewis (Glen Laminack's cousin), Sue Winkler (Cindy Webb's mom), Hayden June (Leanne McGrath's niece)

Sympathy:

John Guthro (Bill Wood's brother in law) passed away Monday in Winthrop, MA.

Darwin Watson (Pat Bird's dad) passed away on Wednesday.

LESSON LINES

Explaining the Cross! Acts 2:14-36

For the first time we turn around and look back at the cross!

The Cross Ushers in the Salvation of the Last Days! Acts 2:14-21

The Cross Explained! Acts 2:22-24

22 "Men of Israel, listen to these words: Jesus the Nazarene, a man attested to you by God with miracles and wonders and signs which God performed through Him in your midst, just as you yourselves know—

23 this Man, delivered over by the predetermined plan and foreknowledge of God, you nailed to a cross by the hands of godless men and put Him to death.

24 "But God raised Him up again, putting an end to the agony of death, since it was impossible for Him to be held in its power.

The Cross Reveals Jesus as both Lord and Christ! Acts 2:25-36

36 "Therefore let all the house of Israel know for certain that God has made Him both Lord and Christ—this Jesus whom you crucified."

Take Home:

The cross was planned. The cross reveals God's power over death. The cross was the coronation of the King of Kings!

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66 - He Gave Me a Song

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