



SPRINGTOWN Church of Christ

Mini-Series 2025 The Way of Salvation You Gotta Have Faith!

I hear the voice of Guadalupe Rivas - "You gotta have faith!"

The Definition of Faith! Hebrews 11:1

Heb 11:1 "Now faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen."

The Object of Faith! - JESUS Hebrews 1:1-3; John 5:39

John 5:39 "You search the Scriptures because you think that in them you have eternal life; it is these that testify about Me.";

The Doctrine of Faith! Romans 3:21-31

Rom 3:26 "For the demonstration, I say, of His righteousness at the present time, so that He would be just and the justifier of the one who has faith in Jesus."

The Demonstration of Faith! Hebrews 11:2-16

Heb 11:3a "By faith we understand that..."

Take Home:

This morning I don't want you to be a student of Jesus, I long for you to be a BELIEVER in JESUS!

Prayer Requests

Everette Johnston (Lisa Lambert's brother) remains in Neuro ICU on a vent.

He is moving his legs but minimal arm movement. He is awake and recognizes family. He'll likely be scheduled for a tracheostomy & feeding tube next week.

Bob Hussey (Don Moore & Robert West brother-in-law) as he recovers from having his bladder removed on Tuesday. Rejoicing that the cancer had not spread.

Eldon Bird as he recovers from rotator cuff surgery, last Friday.

Dale Cleveland is back at Springtown Park.

Diana Dodson as she continues to heal from extensive oral surgery.

Buddy Draper is dealing with glaucoma and had fluid drained from an eye and dealing with fluid in the other eye. He is almost blind in one eye.

Rusty Greathouse has been diagnosed with 2 types of cancer, lymphoma and another they hope testing will identify.

Twanna Greathouse will be having 2 heart procedures soon.

Ira Paslay will be having open heart surgery soon, to address a valve.

Sandra Tarpley is home and recovering from a bout with diverticulitis.

Ronnie Herron, Dina Osborn's brother-in-law, had a partial ablation and a defibrillator pacemaker installed earlier this week, in Tyler.

Carolyn Brown (Byron Miller's sister) has been diagnosed with Alzheimer's Please also remember her husband, Bob Brown.

Carol Adams, Margaret Allen, Cyndi Arbuckle, Dwayne Alvis, Robert Ballinger, Rowen Cotanch, Lockwanna Dohoney, Freddy & Sulema Guzman, Jack Head, Carol Laminack, Marvalene Lancaster, Marla Stubbs, Denise Taylor, Anicia (Rose Handy's sister), Sue Winkler (Cindy Webb's mom), Jason Daugherty (Robert & Lisa Taylor's nephew), Steve Hall (Diana Dodson's son in law), Bob Hussey (Don Moore's brother in law)

Expectant Mothers: Tarynn Hall, Kelly Stubbs

Sympathy: **Tom Durrett's** funeral was held Saturday at Rhome Church of Christ. Please continue to remember Jayney and the entire family in prayer.

Order of Worship

January 12, 2025

Worship in Song

Byron Dial

276 - Higher Ground

Welcome & Announcements

Prayer

Brad Gilbert

Ancient Words

Scripture Reading: Romans 10:8-13

Logan Turner

275 - Faith is the Victory

708 - I've Been Crucified with Christ

135 - Alas and Did My Savior Bleed

Communion Focus

Thomas Sanders

Lord's Supper

Thomas Sanders

Bradley Bryant

Garrett Davis

Jacob Figueroa

Robert Taylor

Chris Handy

Bryan Cotanch

William Cox

Offering

386 - Faith of Our Fathers

Sermon: "You Gotta Have Faith!"

David Bennett

61 - Blessed Assurance

Prayer

Merrick Harvey

342 - O For a Faith that Will Not Shrink

Announcements

TODAY Building LifeGroup Potluck Lunch in the annex immediately after AM service.

TODAY 2 pm Wedding Shower for Audra Bradley & Logan

Gilbert in the annex. Ashley Hall and Tina Dipprey are contacts for this shower. The couple is registered on Amazon, Target, and Crate & Barrel.

Jan 15 Supper @ Six On the Menu: Meatloaf, mashed potatoes, green beans, rolls, & cobblers for dessert.

Jan 19 Beautiful Feet Service Day Donations of men's jackets, sweatshirts, underwear, jeans, and shoes are always appreciated. David & Candice Pearson are contacts for this ministry.

Jan 20 6:30 pm Women's Ministry First Gathering of 2025 will be **Dinner @ Dos Hermanos**. Hope to see you all there! Contact is Kim McGee.

Jan 22 Wednesday PM Ladies Bible Class Please purchase the 8 week Study Guide "Luke: Gut Level Compassion" by Lisa Harper. Meet in the gym adult classroom, after singing in the auditorium. Contacts are Sabra Hall & Candice Pearson.

Mar 13-16 Family Camp @ Camp Texoma

Mar 21-23 Women's Retreat at Pettijohn Springs Christian Camp Hargrove Retreat Center

Sunday Morning Auditorium Class Teachers:

Jacob Figueroa will be teaching the auditorium class in January

Robert Johnson has agreed to take a quarter beginning in February

Mission Sunday Update: \$ 66,500 Goal

\$ 42,642 Received

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Deacon Digest - by Ray Hall January 12, 2025

I often tell people, "I know a little bit about a lot of things, but not a whole lot about any one thing". That also refers to my ability to quote many Bible scriptures. I think many of us may be that way to a certain extent. As I am around people and see their Bible knowledge and ability to quote scripture at any given time, I am inspired. I can quote a few scriptures, and I may have more memorized than I realize. And while many scriptures stand out to me, the following two are a couple of my favorites due to the promises from God they contain. The first one is Joshua 1:9:

⁹Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged, for the LORD your God will be with you wherever you go."

The second verse is John 3:16:

¹⁶For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.

I think knowing and being able to quote scripture is very admirable and something we should all strive to do, but I think understanding God's promises to us contained within these scriptures is of even more importance. Realizing the weight of the promises made to us in these verses and holding tight to them will bring peace to us and joy to God. I hope you have your favorite scriptures that give you comfort and confidence that God is in control. May God bless us and guide us in our walk with Him.

Youth Connection

- Jan 17-19 JH/HS Winterfest** - 7th-12th graders will attend at the Southwest Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth a weekend full of worship, powerful speakers, and Christ-centered entertainment.
- Jan 26 Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon** immediately following service, in the gym, to honor all of those that help make youth group happen.
- Jan 27 The Winter GRUB** Dinner, devo, and more! 6-9 pm. Meet at the gym. More details as it gets closer.
- Feb 9 Annual Progressive GRUB** Enjoy a 3-course meal in the houses of Bonnie Bell as we progress from course to course. Vans will leave the church at 6 pm and return by 9 pm.

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
Mario Gomez	Doyle Sisk

Ministers

David Bennett - Pulpit
Lance Hall - Youth

Contribution Counters

Doyle Sisk Brian Sisk

Power Point

Doug Bryant

Worship Times

Sunday Bible Class9:30 am
Sunday Morning Worship10:30 am
Sunday Building Life Group .12:00 pm
Tuesday Ladies Bible Class ...10:00 am
Wednesday PM Meal.....6:00 pm
Wednesday Bible Study.....7:00 pm

Records 2025

Bible Class.....133
Worship245
Weekly Budget####
Contribution\$10,159
Baptisms 0

Birthday & Anniversary Jan

12	Robert Taylor
14	Dale Allen
	Brandon Bryant
	Larry Caddell
	Dee Ann Karr
	Oleta Russell
15	Debby Looney
	Reagan Pennington
	Doyle Sisk
17	Maggie Allen
	Marlene Bird
19	David Bleakney
21	Chad Alvis
	Rose & Chris Handy
22	Logan Gilbert
23	Jennifer Pennington
24	Ellery Brajnik
	Len Pennington
26	Kathy Anderson
29	Teresa Bobo
	Bradley Bryant
	Jackie & Javier Saldivar

Visitors:	January 12, 2025
Family Name: _____	Address: _____
Phone: _____	E-Mail: _____
Church Affiliation: _____ Just Visiting - Guest of _____	
Would like more information about this church _____	Would like to place membership _____

Prayer Requests: Publish Private