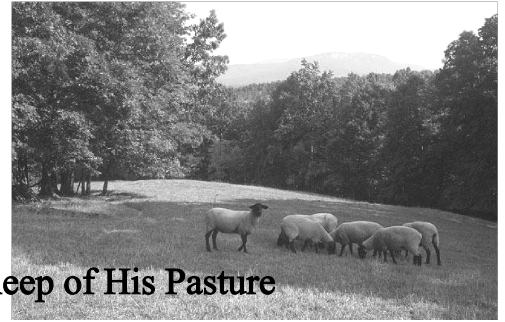


Meadow View

Church of Christ

4100 N. Galloway
Mesquite, TX 75150
972-279-6186
www.meadowview.org

Psalm
100:3



We Are His people, the Sheep of His Pasture

Sermon Topics

A.M. Worship

“Jesus’ Family Inheritance”

P.M. Worship

“The Ephesian Church”

September 29, 2013

Vol. 48

No. 39

Schedule of Services

Sunday:

Bible Classes	9:30 A.M.
Worship A.M	10:30 A.M.
Worship P.M	5:00 P.M.
*Life Groups	5:00 P.M.

(March – May / September - November)

*Last Sunday of the month meet at the building for a combined service
5:00 P.M.

Tuesday

Ladies Bible Class	9:30 A.M.
--------------------	-----------

(Sept. – May)

Wednesday

Bible Classes	7:00 P.M.
---------------	-----------

A People of Grace

Sharing a Message of
Grace with Our
Community and
Around the World

Strengthening Family

Strengthening Family is our ministry designed to encourage and up-lift the members here at MV. A group meets each Monday evening at 6:30 p.m. in the Fellowship room to write cards, visit, pray, etc. There is an opportunity for all ages to participate, though children must be accompanied by a parent. This is a great time for different generations to come together and work towards a common goal. Grab a sack lunch and come prepared to be blessed! If you have any questions contact Billy Pope.

Secret Sisters

Blessing Sunday

September 29th

Bless your Sister with “A Few of Her Favorite Things”

No Life Groups Tonight

Meet at the building for a combined service:
5:00 p.m. Sunday, September 29nd

Bibles For Philippine Mission Trip

Ernest & Cora Vilches

Ernest & Cora will be leaving for their mission trip to the Philippines early next year. They are collecting funds for the purchasing and shipping of 500 Bibles. A donation of \$5.00 for each Bible includes the freight cost. The donations will need to be in by **November 3rd** in order for the Bibles to be shipped out early November.

If you have any questions please contact Ernest or Cora.

Prime Timers' Ministry

Mission Printing/ Arlington

2nd Thursday of each month

Meet at 8:45; leave at 9 am

Health Fair: Skillman Ave. Church of Christ

Thursday, October 3rd

Meet at 9 a.m. Leave at 9:15 a.m.

Lunch Provided

Please sign-up at the information desk;

Sign-up Deadline: Sunday, September 29th

Prime Timers' Potluck Luncheon

Monday, October 7th

Speaker: Jackie Aguilar - Ukraine Mission Trip

Steering Committee Meeting

Monday, October 21st at 2:00 pm

If you have any questions regarding the

Prime Timers' Ministry, please contact Bob Watlington.

Congratulations

Doug & Diane Neveu are proud to announce the birth of their grandchild

Caleb Daniel Sicking born to *Blake & Jessica* on Wednesday, September 25th Caleb weighed 8lbs 9oz and measured at 20.5 inches.

All are doing well

Birthday Announcement

Adam Mendez turns 10 today! Make sure to wish him a happy birthday.

Food Pantry's Immediate Needs

Canned Meats & Chili

Plain boxed macaroni & rice

Food Pantry Ongoing Needs

Complete Dinners, Canned Salmon & Chicken, Canned Soups, Canned Vegetables & Fruits of all kinds, Beans, Box Cereal, Dry Milk, Instant Potatoes, toiletries, condiments or most anything that you would need to prepare a quick meal.

If you have any questions, contact Harold Kempf

Care Calendar / Help With Food For Those Who Have Long Term Care Needs

HELPER LOGON: To access each person's personal Care Calendar site, visit <http://www.carecalendar.org/logon> and enter the following information in the appropriate spaces:

Murrell & Bernice Carmack:

Calendar ID: 106317; Security code: 6625

Other members who would appreciate occasional meals:

Eary/Gowen Family

Questions... please contact Vicky Olson at 972-226-4863 or Dahlia Dougherty at 972-816-3547

Women's Corner:

Ladies Book Club

Thursday, October 24th at 6:30 p.m.

October's Book: *Petticoat Ranch* by Mary Connealy

Hosted at the home of Cathy Hare

Come join us for fun and fellowship -
reading the book is not required for attendance. ☺

Baby Blanket Ministry:

Please contact Sherry Grice with any questions or offers of assistance.

Ladies' Craft/Crop Night at MV

Friday, October 4th Meet at 7:00 pm

Contact Cathy Hare with any questions.

Wednesday Night Ladies Bible Class: Room - A2

Study: *What Happens When Women Say Yes To God*
by Lysa TerKeurst

Teachers: Romonna Wilson, Jackie Aguilar & Karen Withrow

Ladies Bible Class

Class will meet each Tuesday morning at 9:30 a.m. during the MISD School year in the MV Fellowship Room

Teacher: Jackie Aguilar

Yarn Donations for the Cancer Center at Baylor

"Passing the Hat" - make caps for cancer patients.
If you have any to donate, please contact Joy Holmes.

The Tract Rack in the foyer has been replenished. There are over 70 different tracts written by over 30 different authors.

Fundamentals of Our Faith

The next session taught by Mike Hisaw will begin at 4:00 p.m. on Sunday, October 13th

Prayers for Mission Work and Travel

Please keep *Vicki Grubbs* in your prayers as she continues her mission outreach in Cordoba, Argentina.

Sympathy

We extend our love and prayers to Alexia Pullen at the passing of her grandmother on Sunday, September 15th

CHILDREN & YOUTH NEWS

SNAC DEVO
Sunday, September 29th

5th Quarter

Friday, October 11th

Meet at the building at 6:15 pm to attend the game of
Mesquite vs. Horn

Bring money for game & food

Meet back at the building around 11:30 pm

Christian Care Center

4th Sunday of Every Month

Meet at the MV bldg. at 1p.m. for Worship at CCC

KFC Activity: Halloween Party

Saturday, October 26th

Youth Recycling

Items can be taken to the High School classroom

KFC 2013 Calendar of Events

Nov 10-College Care Packages

Dec 14-Christmas Party

Mark Your
Calendar!

Diligent Hands

Proverbs 10:4

Diligent Hands is a program where Meadow View Teens
will do jobs around your home for a scholarship donation.

If you are interested or would like more information
please contact Tim Lampley.

Men's Prayer Breakfast

Friday, October 18th

Meet 6 a.m. in the MV fellowship room

In the Military:

Check out the Military Bulletin Board
in the hallway across from the office

Joe Aguilar, Texas Army National Guard, left for Germany Aug.3

Shane Anderson, nephew of Mitch & Leigh Kovalcik, Japan

Phillip Barnes, Grandson: Ruth Fox/Harry Barnes, stationed in VA

Jason Boulware, South Korea; his wife Tasha is in Killeen, TX, Tasha is
Helen Lyon's granddaughter

JP Fields, son of Harold & Lynn Kempf, at home in Army Reserves

Sgt. Jeannette Henry, Army Nurse, friend of Sarah Blythe, Afghanistan;
2nd tour to the Middle East

Lt. Col. Manlee Herrington, friend of Claudio & Rosella Chisholm.

Prayers for wisdom

Justin Kent, Army, Roy & Joan's grandson, South Korea

Chris Kovalcik, Navy, South Carolina

Diana Lutzke, Ruth Golden's granddaughter, Air Force

Gregg Moseley, Judy Bramlett's son, Air Force, Virginia

Claudia Niemiec, Nurse, Friend of Claudio & Rosella Chisholm

Ben Pimentel, Doug & Diane Neveu's son-in-law, serving in CA

Ryan Scarborough, son-in-law of Karen Withrow, Ft. Bliss, El Paso

Frank Vilches, returned to the USA

Robert Stovall, friend of Glenn & Dahlia Dougherty; Afghanistan

"Be a Hot or Cold Christian"

This week in The Story we read about the seven letters to the seven churches. Jesus Himself told John to write these things down. Let's take a look at what Jesus tells the church in Laodicea. Jesus says, "I know your deeds, that you are neither cold nor hot. I wish you were either one or the other! So, because you are lukewarm- neither hot nor cold- I am about to spit you out of my mouth" (Revelation 3:15-16).

Jesus says that He wishes the Laodicean church were either hot or cold. Many take this to mean that the Christians should either be Christians on fire for God (hot) OR not claim to be Christians at all (cold). They take this position because of our modern-day language, where hot can mean "passion" and cold can mean "unemotional." Instead of just accepting this interpretation, let's look at some history that can tell us more about what Jesus was really trying to say.

During this time, the city of Laodicea was located between two other important cities, Hierapolis and Colossae. Hierapolis was a city that was located about four miles north of Laodicea. This city was known for its hot springs. These springs were famous for their healing properties. Colossae was located about five miles south of Laodicea. Colossae was famous for its very cold, pure water. This water would have been very refreshing to drink, especially after a long day's work.

History tells us that Laodicea used Hierapolis and Colossae as their water supply. There was an aqueduct that ran from both Hierapolis and Colossae to Laodicea. But by the time the hot springs from Hierapolis reached Laodicea, the water was lukewarm. Likewise, by the time the cold water from Colossae arrived in Laodicea, the water was no longer cold. Hot springs are good for healing, cold water is nice and refreshing, but lukewarm water does not serve any type of purpose!

Jesus was using this metaphor that they would have understood a lot more than we can today. But the point to the church in Laodicea would have been clear: stop being worthless like lukewarm water! The Christians there in Laodicea were being challenged by Jesus to be useful!

In the mornings, the first thing I want is a hot, cleansing shower. On a hot summer's day after working in the yard, the first thing I want is a tall glass of iced water. Both hot and cold water serve a purpose. Never do I have any need for lukewarm water. May we learn from the lesson taught to the church in Laodicea. May we too decide that we will serve a purpose. Let us allow God to make us useful to serve in His Kingdom.

Tim Lampley

Thank You Card

Petrice Crittendon

Gene & Edith Sutterfield



September 29, 2013

Call to Worship

Song Service

Tracy Hare

869 We're Marching To Zion

Welcome

Mark McSpadden

Call to Worship

Psalm 113

Prayer

72 Blessed Be The Lord God Almighty

875 Home Of The Soul

867 To Canaan's Land I'm On My Way

364 Come, Share The Lord (Communion)

870 Beyond This Land OF Parting

(Children Exit for Bible Hour)

“Jesus’ Family Inheritance”

Revelation 21:1-8

I. *We Will Inherit A New Creation (5)*

II. *We Will Inherit the Water of Life (6)*

III. *We Will Inherit Sonship (7)*

924 Just As I Am

Shepherd's Prayer

Billy Pope

860 There Is A Habitation

Closing Prayer

Terry Anderson

Meadow View Church of Christ Family Record

Ministers

Pulpit Minister: Mike Hisaw
Youth Minister: Tim Lampley

Elders

Merrill Jones
Mark McSpadden
Don Olson
Billy Pope

Deacons

Brad Chapman
Mitch Kovalcik
Matt Langford
Ken Odle
Tinker Rich

Howell Gibbs
Gary Kelly
J.L. McNamee
Graham Pierce

Tracy Hare
Greg Kofahl
Doug Neveu
Fred Rasmussen

Missionaries

Cesar & Tini Basantes,
Children: Gabriel, Sanchay, and Rosa
Jerry & Helda Manawan -
Children: Joshua & Jeremia

Attendance

Bible Classes 170
A.M. Worship 327
P.M. Worship/Life Groups ----
Wednesday Classes 135