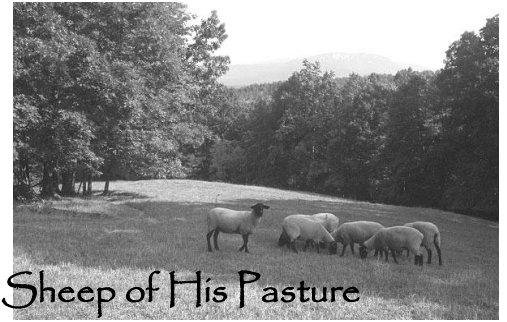


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Psalm
100:3



We Are His people, the Sheep of His Pasture

Sermon Topics

A.M. Worship

"Standing at the Crossroads"

P.M. Worship

"Expect a Miracle?"

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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.
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(Sept. – May)

Wednesday

Bible Classes	7:00 P.M.
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Life Groups

Begin TONIGHT, Sunday, September 7th

Please continue with the group you were in last Spring. If you are new to Life Groups and are not currently a part of one please contact Tracy Hare and he will help you with any questions you have or information you need.

Welcome Home Jackie Aguilar
From Your Mission to the Ukraine

Ladies Bible Class Begins....

Tuesday, September 9th at 9:30 a.m.

MV Fellowship Room

A Welcome Back Continental Breakfast will be provided

Last Day to Return Your Green Cans

supporting Foster's Home for Children

Wednesday, September 10th

The Prime Timer's will deliver them to Foster's Home
Saturday, September 13th

Prime Timer's Day Trip: Foster's Home for Children

Date Correction: Saturday, September 13th

The Prime Timer's will be collecting items to SHOWER Foster's Home for Children with love from Meadow View. If you would like to help out with this there is a list below of items that are most needed. A collection box has been provided in the foyer at the Prime Timer's table.

Solo Cups (large- 18 oz.)	Foil	Bath Tissue
Paper Plates (sm. - large)	Press & Seal	Paper Towels
Paper Napkins	Wax Paper	Ziplock (qt. - gal.)
Bowls (small, for cereal etc.)	Kleenex (Puffs)	Computer Paper
Thumb Drives (sizes: 2-8 MB)		

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

Prime Timers' Ministry

Mission Printing/ Arlington

2nd Thursday of each month

Meet at 8:45; leave at 9 am

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BBQ Lunch provided by Foster's Home

Please sign-up at the information desk and check out the list of needed items on the front of the bulletin.

Potluck Luncheon: Monday, October 6th

Senior Adult Health Fair

Thursday, October 2nd from 10am - 1pm

Skillman Ave. Church of Christ

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.

Women's Ministry Planning & Prayer Breakfast

Saturday, September 20th
9:00 a.m.

Ages High School and up...

Come with lots of ideas, a servant's heart and a breakfast item from the sign-up list in the foyer

Men's Prayer Breakfast

Begins: Friday, September 19th

Meet in the fellowship room at 6:00 a.m.

Congratulations to New Grandparents

Congratulations to **Brad & Iris Chapman** on the birth of their newest grandbaby. **Kathryn Claire** was born to Kathryn & Joseph at 2pm on Saturday, August 23rd in Nacogdoches. "Kate" was 6 lbs 13 oz. 20 inches long. Mother and baby are doing well.

Congratulations to **Terry & Gerri Anderson** at the birth of their first grandchild, **Kyleigh Nicole** born to their daughter Jewel on Wednesday, August 20th at 2:46 p.m. Kyleigh weighed 8 lbs. 6 oz. Mother and daughter are doing great!

Congratulations to **Mitch & Leigh Kovalcik** at the birth of their first grandchild, Caleb Mitchell Kovalcik born to Chris & Sarah on Wednesday, August 27th at 12:37 a.m. in Charleston, S.C. Caleb weighed 7 lbs. 15 oz., 21½ ins. long.

Women's Corner:

Ladies Book Club

Thursday, September 25th at 6:30 pm

September's Book: Her Daughter's Dream
by Francine Rivers

September's Book Club hosted at the home of Phyllis Jackson

October's Book: The Plain Truth

by Jodi Picoult

Hosted at the home of Vicky Olson

Baby Blanket Ministry

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

Ladies' Craft/Crop Night at MV

Friday, October 3rd ; meet at 7:00 p.m.

Contact Cathy Hare with any questions.

Wednesday Night Ladies Bible Class: Room - A2

New Study Beginning Wednesday, September 10th

Mercy Triumphs by Beth Moore

Teachers: Romonna Wilson, Jackie Aguilar & Karen Withrow

Change of Address

Michelle Hajdar

1737 Oates Drive #111, Mesquite, TX 75150

Yarn Donations for the Cancer Center at Baylor

"*Passing the Hat*" - makes caps for cancer patients.

If you have yarn to donate, please contact Joy Holmes.

Grief Share

Sunday evenings at Prestoncrest Church of Christ

Starts Sunday, September 14th ; 5:30 - 7:00 pm

What is Grief Share? It is a small group that meets for 13 weeks to work through the challenges of losing a loved one, and move toward rebuilding their life.

More details in the flyer at the information desk

Harding University Lectureship

September 28 - October 1, 2014

For information go to www.harding.edu/lectureship

Strengthening Family

Meets each Monday evening

Meet in the fellowship room at 6:30 p.m.

If you have any questions please contact Billy Pope

Children & Youth News

Christian Care Center

4th Sunday of Every Month

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

SNAC DEVO

Sunday, September 28th

Hosted by Mesquite Church of Christ

K F C Activity : Date Change

Buckner Shoe Sorting

Moved to Saturday, September 27th

Youth Recycling Donations

All recycling donations can be left in

Rm. 2 in the children's wing

Electronics Non-fiction Books

Toys & Games Collectibles Sports Equipment

Jewelry Pottery Cookware & Glass

Home & Garden Musical Instruments

Video Games Entertainment Electronics

Multimedia Computers Cameras

Items can be taken to Room #2 in the
Children's Wing marked for Youth Recycling

Parent & Youth Meeting

Sunday, September 14th

Bring your schedules and be prepared to plan events for the rest of the year. If you have questions please contact Tim Lampley

In the Military:

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

Joe Aguilar, Texas Army National Guard

Shane Anderson, nephew of Mitch & Leigh Kovalcik, OK

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

Jason Boulware, Ft. Stewart, Georgia; Tasha is Helen Lyon's granddaughter

Dee Brown, Navy; Training School

Niki Brown, *Dee's wife*, Navy; Training School

JP Fields, son of Harold & Lynn Kempf, Army, Afghanistan

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

Lt. Col. Mantee Herrington, friend of Claudio & Rosella Chisholm. Prayers for wisdom

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

Jason Kniffen, Army, Saudi, Jean Segroves' cousin

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

Cpt. Krystal Rall, sister of *Heather Watson* (Aguilar's daughter-in-law), Kuwait.

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

Jacob Stephenson, Navy, CA

Robert Stovall, friend of Glenn & Dahlia Dougherty; Afghanistan

Frank Vilches, returned to the USA

"Fair-Weather Righteousness"

Zedekiah was the last of Judah's twenty kings who reigned over it after Jeroboam led the northern tribes to break off from it. Nine years after his coronation, Babylon, the world power of his day, began to besiege Jerusalem. The prophet Jeremiah interpreted the disaster for Zedekiah, explaining that it was God's judgment upon him and Judah for their sin.

What Zedekiah did next was very commendable; he repented (Jer. 34:15). God had commanded 800 years before through Moses that Hebrew slaves were to be set free after six years of service (Jer. 34:12-14a; Deut. 15:12). However, the Israelites hadn't done that (Jer. 34:14b). When the Jews began to suffer for having broken God's law through Moses, they decided to conform to God's word. Everyone who owned slaves in Jerusalem made a covenant in the temple to set their servants free (Jer. 34:15)

God is such a merciful God (Exod. 34:6-7)! He has no pleasure in carrying out judgment upon sinners (Exod. 33:11). When he threatens judgment and sinners repent, God averts the judgment (Jer. 18:1-10). That was what he did when Zedekiah and the Jews repented; he caused Nebuchadnezzar and the Babylonians to lift the siege and depart from Jerusalem (Jer. 34:21-22).

What happened then was the most disgraceful thing in this whole shameful episode. When Zedekiah and the Jews got some relief from the Babylonians' departure (that is, when they experienced God's mercy rather than his wrath), they went back on their covenant to free their slaves and enslaved them all again (Jer. 34:11).

Times change but people really don't. How many of us are like those sixth-century Jews? When we suffer we do all we can to get right with God, but when everything is good in life we go back on our promises to the Almighty and live as we please. The old saying, "There are no atheists in foxholes," is true. However, we need to make sure that our righteousness extends beyond the fowl-weather periods in life. Let's be righteous also in fair weather.

-Mike Hisaw

Attention Christian Singles! Prestoncrest Church of Christ presents the FREE, 8th Annual *ALIVE in the Metroplex 2014* in Dallas on the weekend of Sept. 12-14. Planned by a team of single, Christian adults for others in surrounding congregations, the group has invited keynote speaker, Patrick Mead. For more information, go to alive@prestoncrest.org or contact Gary Cochran, Tel. 972-233-2392.

Thank You Cards

Tom & Wilma Allen

Greg & Sheila Moring



September 7, 2014

Call to Worship

Song Service Cliff Gunnels

797 Lord, We Come Before Thee Now

Welcome Merrill Jones

Call to Worship Psalm 134

Prayer

932 O Heart Bowed Down with Sorrow

XXX At the Crossroads

379 If That Isn't Love

(Communion)

753 Farther Along

(Children Exit for Bible Hour)

"Standing at the Crossroads"

Jeremiah 6:16

I. Ancient Paths

II. Good Paths

III. Elected Paths

922 Jesus Paid It All

Shepherd's Prayer Don Olson

XXX Just Over in the Glory-land

Closing Prayer

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
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 174
A.M. Worship 287
P.M. Worship/Life Groups 103
Wednesday Classes 157