

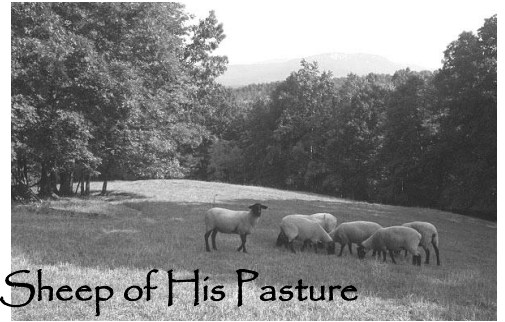
# Meadow View

## Church of Christ

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## Psalm 100:3

We Are His people, the Sheep of His Pasture



### Sermon Topics

#### A.M. Worship

“Jesus’ Biography -- Part 3”

#### P.M. Worship

Year-end Singing at Valley Creek

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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.
(Sept. – May)	

#### Wednesday

Bible Classes	7:00 P.M.
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### *Life Groups*

Will not meet again  
until March

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

## Year-end Singing & Fellowship at Valley Creek

Sunday, December 28<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 pm

**Meadow View: There will not be an evening service at the building. Please make plans to attend the singing.**

## Chili Cook-off & New Year Eve's Party

Wednesday, December 31<sup>st</sup>

Meadow View Fellowship room

Classes are canceled Wednesday night December 31<sup>st</sup>.  
The annual Chili Cook-off will begin at 7:00 pm and go to 12 am

Bring your favorite Chili, Dessert, or Condiments; 2 Liter Drinks

## Christmas Holiday Changes

**Office Closed** - Thursday, December 25 - January 1<sup>st</sup>

**December 28<sup>th</sup>** - Bible Hour Canceled

**December 31<sup>st</sup>** - Classes canceled, Chili Cook-off will begin at 7 pm

# HAPPY NEW YEAR

## FROM

## THE ELDERS & STAFF

MAY JOY BE YOUR GIFT DURING THE HOLIDAYS  
AND MAY FAITH, HOPE AND LOVE BE YOUR  
TREASURES IN THE NEW YEAR.

## Prime Timers' Ministry

Mission Printing/Arlington

2nd Thursday of each month

Meet at 8:45; leave at 9 am

Prime Timers' **WILL NOT** have any activities until January

Questions regarding the Prime Timers' Ministry  
please contact Bob Watlington

## FYI: If There Is Bad Weather And It Requires the Cancellation of Services...

In the event of the cancellation of a church service due to bad weather, we will announce it through the MVCC News. Also we will announce it on the weather page of nbcdfw.com

## Strengthening Family

Will Not Meet Again Until Mid-January

Questions, please contact Billy Pope

## 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.

## Lifeline Chaplaincy Dallas Presents Being There When It Counts

Train to be a spiritual care volunteer

Ministry in Times of Illness and Loss - Part 1

**WHAT:** A 15-hour intensive weekend workshop designed to equip spiritual care providers and other interested persons with basic listening, self-awareness and interpersonal relationship skills necessary for effective ministry.

**WHEN:** Friday, January 16, 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm.

Doors open at 5:00 pm to sign in.

Saturday, January 17, 9:00 am - 9:00 pm Continental breakfast served at 8:30 am

**WHERE:** Mountain View Church of Christ

## Food Pantry

Thank you to all for your support of the Food Pantry and the needs of others at MV and in our community. We could not have so easily helped those who have been in need, especially during the holidays without your support.

## Men's Prayer Breakfast

Friday, January 16<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 am

If you have any questions please contact Mike Hisaw

## Women's Corner:

### Ladies Book Club

Thursday, January 29<sup>th</sup> @ 6:30 pm

Book: *Muscle and a Shovel* By Michael Shank

Hosted at the home of Sherry Grice

### Baby Blanket Ministry

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

### Ladies' Craft/Crop Night at MV

Friday, January 2<sup>nd</sup>; meet at 7:00 p.m.

Contact Cathy Hare with any questions.

### Wednesday Night Ladies Bible Class: Room - A1

Video Series: *James-Mercy Triumphs* by Beth Moore

### Ladies Bible Class

Tuesday, January 6<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 a.m.

### Yarn Donations for the Cancer Center at Baylor

*"Passing the Hat"*

This organization makes caps for cancer patients. If you have yarn to donate, please contact Joy Holmes.

### Reindeer Express has come to an End for 2014...

Thank you to all who helped to support the Reindeer Express. The kids were so excited to be able to shop for their parents and siblings. Valuable lessons are learned through this ministry and the children look forward to it each year. It would not have been possible without your generous support.

### Can You Help

**Dorothy Hinds**, a newcomer to Mesquite is in need of a ride to services on Sundays. She is living in the Waterford apartments. She uses a walker.

Please contact the office if you can help.

**Sympathy:** We express our love and sympathy at the passing of Bob Gowen on Friday, December 19<sup>th</sup>. Bob and Wandeen Gowen are former Meadowview members. Bob is Gwyn Eary's father and Charonne King's & Michael Eary's grandfather. Please keep this family in your prayers.

### Baby Blanket Ministry

Because of the tremendous generosity of Meadow View we would like to expand the Baby Blanket Ministry to include close family of Meadow View members. If you have family with a new baby to whom you would like to bless with one of our hand sewn blankets, please contact *Sherry Grice, Linda Wright or Kathy Odle*.

The purpose of this ministry is to open doors of opportunity to share the gospel at this important time in people's life.

Thank you again for your support of this ministry.

## Children & Youth News

### Christian Care Center

4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Every Month

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

### ICCC Singing

Granview Church of Christ

Sunday, January 25<sup>th</sup>

Mark your Calendar!

### Youth Advance

February 27 - March 1!

### \*\*\*\*\*Youth Recycling Donations\*\*\*\*\*

All recycling donations can be left in Rm. 2  
in the children's wing -

### Thank You Cards:

*LaVerne Baker; Vickie Boren; Petrice Crittendon  
Murrell & Bernice Carmack; Novice Ferguson;  
Ruth Fox; Hellen McSpadden; Neva Pope;  
Kathy Power; Robert & Sue Taylor; Fern Teel;  
Peggy Thomas; Katherine Whitley*

*Thank you from Pondra Jennings for all of Meadow  
View's help for her during this past year. She  
sincerely thanks everyone for their love and support.*

*Verna Williams thanks the congregation for the  
holiday fruit basket*

### 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  
*Lt. Col. Manlee Herrington*, friend of Claudio & Rosella Chisholm.  
*Justin Kent*, Army, Roy & Joan's grandson, South Korea  
*Jason Kniffen*, Army, Saudi, Jean Segroves' cousin  
*Chris Kovalcik*, Navy, N. Carolina, wife Sarah  
*Diana Lutze*, 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 VA  
*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  
*Frank Vilches*, USA

## "How Busy Are You Keeping the Angels?"

A man had the nicest dream one night. He dreamed he went to heaven for a visit and got a special guided tour of the whole place.

First, he saw a large workroom filled with angels handling tons of paper. "And what is this room", he asked his guide? "Oh, this is the RECEIVING SECTION for all the prayer petitions we receive", the angel guide replied.

Next they went to another busy section labeled "PACKAGING & DELIVERY SECTION". This is where we send out the answers and blessings to all the prayers that come from earth.

Finally, they walked a long corridor to reach a tiny room which had only one angel on duty, and he was sitting down, doing nothing. The man's guide seemed embarrassed when the visitor to heaven asked, "Why is there no work going on here?" His guide for the tour sighed and said, "It's so sad, but this is where we process the thank-you notes that come from earth. As you can see, we don't get many "thank you notes acknowledging the blessing and expressing their appreciation."

2014 has been a tough year for many. But, we've all been blessed by God in countless ways. Have we sent the appropriate number of "thank-you notes" to heaven this year?

"Give thanks in all circumstances, for this is  
God's will for you in Christ Jesus"  
(1Thessalonians 5:18 NIV)

-Adapted by Mike Hisaw



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*Call to Worship*

Song Service Tracy Hare

23 Our God, He Is Alive

Welcome Don Olson

Call to Worship Psalm 103:1-5

Prayer

266 Majesty

852 When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder

180 Jesus Is Lord

*(Communion)*

162 All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name

*(Bible Hour Canceled)*

"Jesus' Biography -- Part 3"

Acts 1:1

I. He Rules Creation (Acts 2:34-36)

II. He Redeems Creatures (Acts 2:21, 47)

III. He Roots for Christians (Acts 7:55-56, 59)

Invitation

903 There Is Power in the Blood

Shepherd's Prayer Billy Pope

578 We Will Glorify

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 189  
A.M. Worship 320  
P.M. Worship/Life Groups 100  
Wednesday Classes 60