

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

“You've Been Chosen!”

P.M. Worship

“Christ Strengthens Me”

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

Showered With Love

Everyone (families, singles, etc.) is invited to join us in

Blessing the Hall Family With a Welcome and Back to School Shower

*Mike and Herlinda Hall & their new family of 4 children;
Miguel 8th grd, Isabella 5th grd, Anthony 3rd grd & Alexander 1st grd*

Their adoption was finalized recently and we would like to
bless them with a welcome and back to school shower

Sunday, July 26th
2 - 4 P.M. in the fellowship room

Check out the wish lists from the kids in the adult classroom hallway.

A money or gift card tree will be available at the celebration

Meadow View Ladies' "Day of Creation"

If you think being creative is beyond your reach
join us for a fun day of creative activities.-

Saturday, August 15th

Registration for the activities will be
Sunday, July 26th - Sunday, August 2nd

Cost: \$5 per person for supplies which will be paid when you register
Please, also sign-up to bring either a salad or dessert for our luncheon.

Book Exchange - bring books and take home books

Sign-up tables will be in the foyer beginning
Sunday, July 26th

Pray for the Honduras Mission Trip July 28 - August 4

The team wishes to thank all of those that have contributed and helped in some way. Be it time, donations, loaning luggage, creating coloring books, cutting and sorting crafts etc. We have been so richly blessed in our efforts and we look forward to sharing this with the children in the region of Siquatepeque, Honduras. We ask that the family here at MV keep us in their thoughts and prayers.

Prime Timers' Ministry

Mission Printing / Arlington

2nd Thursday of each month

Meet at 8:45; leave at 9 am

Questions: please contact Bob Watlington

Honduras Mission Team

Regan Andersen	Jordan D'Silva
Cathy Hare	Ann Healy
Katherine Healy	Karissa Kelly
Candy Livingston	Madison Livingston
Steve Livingston	Santos Martinez
Damien Mendez	Louis Mendez
Emilie Olson	Vicky Olson
Victor Trejo	

Please keep the team in your prayers

"CHANGE THE LIVES OF CHILDREN" Green Coin Banks

Benefiting Foster's Home For Children

Meadow View has been supporting the children of Foster's Home in Stephenville through their Coin Bank Ministry for many years. Let's continue helping these children by picking up one of the "Green Cans" and filling it with your leftover change throughout the rest of the Summer.

Over the years MV members have been very creative in ways they have filled their cans. Share your ideas with Kathy Odle or ways you have used the cans to save your coins and she will print it in the bulletin.

Let's make this a great and giving Summer for the children at Foster's Home for Children!! Challenge your children this summer to participate, teaching them practical ways to share with those less fortunate.

The Coin Banks are available at the information desk

Current Pantry Needs Matt.25:40

Canned tuna, Canned chicken
Chili, Canned meats
Diapers for 6- months and up
Complete meal boxes/cans
No corn or green beans yet for awhile

Women's Corner:

Ladies Book Club

Thursday, July 30th @ 6:30 p.m.

July's Book:

True Devotion by Dee Henderson

Hosted at the home of Karen Kofahl

August: *The Daughter's Walk* by Jane Kirkpatrick

Sept: *The All-Girl Filling Station's Last Reunion* By Fannie Flagg

Oct: *Breaker's Reef* by Terri Blackstock

If you have any questions please contact Karen Cox

Baby Blanket Ministry

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

Ladies' Craft/Crop Night at MV

Friday, August 7th at 7 pm

Contact Cathy Hare with any questions.

**Wednesday Night Ladies Bible Class: Room - A1
A Study on the book of Nehemiah**

Strengthening Family: Each Monday Night

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

Questions, please contact Billy Pope

Baptized

Victoria Brinson, 12 year old daughter of Rachel Brinson was baptized by her uncle, Sam Brinson at camp in Tennessee on June 25th

Deaven Binion, son of Toby & Rebecca, was baptized at home on Wednesday, July 15th by his dad, Toby Binion

Chyler Binion, 12 year old daughter of Toby & Rebecca, was baptized Sunday, July 19th by her dad, Toby Binion

Thank You

--**John & Ozella Lipscomb & the Kempf Families** sends thanks for your love and prayers, cards, plant and all the good food that was prepared for their family. Their sweet little Pat is in the arms of Jesus now and is in no more pain and suffering

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Jennifer House Pearson wrote, "Thank you! I appreciate all the prayers and support our Meadowview family has shown us."

Children & Youth News

Summer Youth Series

Tuesday, June 28th

Cold Springs Church of Christ (Lancaster)

Meet at the building at 5:45p.m. to leave at 6 pm

Discipleship University (DU)

August 7-9

Youth Weekend for those 7th -12th grade

Dripping Springs, Texas

Cost: Free! No registration Free lodging
4 free meals T-shirt: \$10, optional

Check with Matt or Kelly McCullough for details

Upcoming Events

Honduras- July 28-August 4

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 call the church office.

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

Joey Broyles, grandson of Joe & Deanna Shero, Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio

JP Fields, son of Harold & Lynn Kempf, Army

Jody Fox, Army Boot Camp, S. Carolina

Sgt. Jeannette Henry, Army Nurse, friend of Sarah Blythe

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

Justin Kent, Army, Roy & Joan's grandson, transferred to Ft. Bliss

Jason Kniffen, Army, Saudi, Jean Segroves' cousin

Chris Kovalcik, Navy, NY, wife Sarah

Diana Lutzke, Ruth Golden's granddaughter, Air Force

Donavin Martin, son of John & Mandy Robertson, Marines, Camp LeJeune

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)

Jacob Stephenson, Navy, CA

Robert Stovall, friend of Glenn & Dahlia Dougherty

" A POTPOURRI ON ABORTION "

Christians have always stood opposed to abortion. Abortion was common in the Roman Empire in which Christianity was born. Though there is no explicit New Testament reference to it, abortion was clearly condemned in the Christian literature immediately following the New Testament. For instance, in about AD 100 the Didache instructed, "And now the second commandment of the teaching. Do not murder...do not engage in pederasty...do not use enchanted potions, do not abort a fetus or kill a child that is born" (2:1-2). A law was passed in AD 374 that outlawed infanticide, child abandonment and abortion in the Roman Empire. Christians were very influential in the passing of that law.

The Bible doesn't allow Christians to be silent on this issue. Solomon said, "Rescue those being led away to death; hold back those staggering toward slaughter. if you say, 'But we knew nothing about this,' does not he who weighs the heart perceive it? Does not he who guards your life know it? Will he not repay everyone according to what they have done?" (Prov. 24:11-12 NIV).

When discussing this topic with a non-Christian, they won't accept arguments from Scripture condemning abortion. Arguments will have to be made from reason. That fetuses are not qualitatively different from children who have been born is clear from the acronym SLED. The difference between the two is:

-S-ize: fetuses are smaller than children who have been born, but that doesn't make them less human. Hillary Clinton is smaller than Barack Obama, but she's not less human.

-L-evel of Development: fetuses are less developed than children who have been born, but that doesn't make them less human. A one-month-old baby is less developed than a teenager, but it isn't less human.

-E-nvironment: fetuses are in utero until birth. However, environment doesn't determine one's humanity. Are astronauts less human while walking on the moon than they are while walking on the earth?

-D-egree of Dependence: fetuses are more dependent upon their mothers than children who have been born, but that doesn't make them less human. A diabetic is dependent upon those who manufacture their insulin, but their dependence doesn't make them less human than a non-diabetic person.

-Mike



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Call to Worship

Song Service Cliff Gunnels

XXX All the Way My Savior Leads Me

Welcome Billy Pope

Call to Worship Psalm 122:1

Prayer

XXX Lord I Lift Your Name on High

226 Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

261 Lord of Our Highest Love

(Communion)

133 The Love of God

(Children Exit for Bible Hour)

"You've Been Chosen!"

Ephesians 1:3-4

I. We Were chosen in Christ

II. We Were Chosen Before Creation

III. We Were Chosen for Change

Invitation

945 Kneel at the Cross

Shepherd's Prayer Don Olson

712 Jesus Is Coming Soon

Closing Prayer

Meadow View Church of Christ Family Record

Ministers

Pulpit Minister: Mike Hisaw
Youth Minister:

Elders

Merrill Jones
Mark McSpadden
Don Olson
Billy Pope

Deacons

Brad Chapman
Mitch Kovalcik
J.L. McNamee
Graham Pierce
Howell Gibbs
Gary Kelly
Doug Neveu
Fred Rasmussen

Tracy Hare
Greg Kofahl
Ken Odle

Missionaries

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

Attendance

Bible Classes 166
A.M. Worship 331
P.M. Worship/Life Groups 109
Wednesday Classes 122