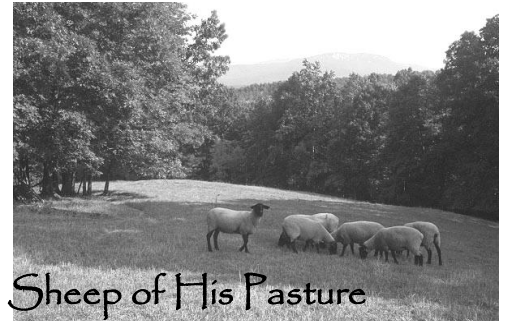


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Psalm
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We Are His people, the Sheep of His Pasture

Sermon Topics

A.M. Worship

"Lessons from a Pile of Stones"

P.M. Worship

"The Love of God"

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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.

Tuesday

Ladies Bible Class 9:30 A.M.
(Sept. – May)

Wednesday Bible Study

7:00 P.M.

***Life Groups will meet again
March, Lord willing.**

(March – May /Sept. - Nov.)

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

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

WELCOME  GUESTS!

Jeremiah 32:27 Behold, I am the LORD, the God of all flesh. Is anything too hard for me?"

TORNADO DISASTER RELIEF EFFORTS

We continue our thanks for all the volunteers that have been working this past week - from Meadow View, Mesquite, Valley Creek, Saturn Road, Eastridge, Wylie, and many others from out-of-town and out-of-state. Much work has been done but there is still much to do. We need many volunteers again this week.

If you are able to volunteer, please:

- Sign up on the signup sheet at the information desk in the foyer and / or...
- Show up in the Meadow View kitchen area at 8:00 AM each/any morning (Monday-Saturday) to join one of the DRT teams for the day.

Let's have another impactful week for Christ.



Wedding Shower

Honoring

Suzi Summers

(Daughter of Bill & Jackie Summers)

Sunday, January 24th
2-4 pm

Meadow View Fellowship Room

Registered: Bed Bath & Beyond

Matthew 6:33

But seek first the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be added to you.

Prime Timers' News!!! We're BACK!



Mission Printing: 2nd Thursday of each month.
Please meet at 8:45 a.m. in the foyer to leave at 9:00 a.m.
Bring a sack lunch.

Potluck Luncheon: Monday, February 7th

Speaker: Shannon Willis, Esq.

Beyond the Will; What you need to know to protect the ones you love

Sweetheart Banquet: Sunday, February 14th

Please join the Youth Group in the fellowship room following the evening service. The Sweetheart Banquet is sponsored each year by the MV Youth.

Prime Timers' Steering Comm. Mtg Monday, Feb. 15, 2:00 p.m.

There will not be a Day Trip in the month of February



Women's Corner:



Ladies' Bible Class Each Tuesday

Starts at 9:30 a.m.
MV Fellowship Room

Wednesday Night Ladies Bible Class: Room - A2

Teachers: Valeria Killingsworth, Jackie Aguilar, & Karen Withrow



Ladies' Book Club



Jan. 28 @ 6:30 p.m. --Home of Karen & Kathy Withrow
Saving C.C. Hunnicut by Beth Hoffman

Feb. 25 @ 6:30 p.m. --Home of Sherry Grice
The Princess by Lori Wick

STRENGTHENING FAMILY

Strengthening Family will not meet on a regular basis for an undetermined period of time. Please contact Billy Pope for meeting dates.

THANK GOD FOR OUR 2016 SENIORS:

Aaron Crowson, Baylee Gachot, Maddie Livingston,
Amber Lockhart, Hannah McCoy,
Jonathan Pich, & Hayley Williams



Senior Banquet

Saturday, April 30th
Siciliano's A Taste of Italy, Garland
6-10 p.m.

More details and tickets coming soon.
Start making plans to attend!

His Shoes / Her Shoes Marriage Seminar

Presented by: Wayne & Tami Roberts

January 29-30

Centerville Rd. Church of Christ
Cost: Free

If interested in attending please contact
Matt or Kelly McCullough

Information sheets at the desk in the foyer



THE BABY BLANKET MINISTRY THANKS YOU FOR YOUR HELP!

We would like to thank everyone who has contributed to, encouraged and supported the Baby Blanket Ministry. You are all a part of blessing the many families and hospital staff over the years the Blanket Ministry has been in existence. Please know that God has been glorified through your generosity, participation and encouragement. Continued prayers as well as donations and participation (many hands serving the Lord lighten the load) are always appreciated. If you have any questions or would like to participate in any way please contact Sherry Grice.



Yarn Donations for the Cancer Center at Baylor "Passing the Hat"

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

Change of Address for the DIRECTORY

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If you are not currently receiving the Meadow View Church of Christ's *weekly e-mail updates*, please send your request to be added to the e-mail list to the office at **klodle@meadowview.org**.

😊 Children & Youth News 😊

Jan. 31--*Christian Care Center Services
Meet at the building at 1:15
(1:30-2:30 p.m.)

*SNAC Devo at Meadow View
with Mesquite CoC after services

Feb. 14 -- **Sweetheart Banquet** honoring
the Prime Timer's. Following the Sunday
evening service. See Howard for details



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- **Diligent Hands** is a program where Meadow View Teens will do jobs around your home to earn a scholarship donation.
- If necessary, **funds are available** to supplement your donation.
- If you are interested or have questions, please contact **Howard Killingsworth**.

Bible Teachers Workshop

Developing Fishers of Men

Marsalis Ave. Church of Christ, Dallas

Saturday, April 9th 7:30 am - 2:30 pm

Craft & Crop Night

Will continue to be the first Friday night
of each month.

For information, see Cathy Hare.

ANIMAL RIGHTS FROM A BIBLICAL PERSPECTIVE

Genesis 1 presents God as having made the animal kingdom on the fifth and sixth days of the Creation Week. Truly God's greatness is seen by studying these magnificent creatures (cf. Job 40:15-41:34).

Many of us have animals as pets. There is nothing new about this. The Bible speaks of the ancients making pets out of different varieties of animals. Nathan told King David a parable about a poor man who "had nothing except on little ewe lamb...[which] as like a daughter to him" (2 Sam. 12:3-4 NIV). God described the fierceness of Leviathan with this contrast: "Can you make a pet of it like a bird or put it on a leash for the young women in your house?" (Job 41:5 NIV). The Canaanite woman demonstrated her faith to Jesus by saying, "Even the dogs eat the crumbs that fall from THEIR master's table" (Matt. 15:27 NIV; emphasis mine).

While the Bible explicitly affirms several times that humans are of greater value than animals (Matt. 6:26; 10:29-31; 12:12; et al.), it also clearly teaches that animals have value as God's creatures. God's slowness to destroy Nineveh was in part due to his concern for the animals. He said, "And should I not have concern for the great city of Nineveh, in which there are more than a hundred and twenty thousand people who cannot tell their right hand from their left--and also many animals?" (Jon. 4:11 NIV). The Bible teaches what we might call Animal Rights.

The Bible teaches what might be called Animal Rights. Since animals have the capacity to suffer (Joel 1:18), and we should treat them humanely; "The righteous care for the needs of the needs of their animals, but the kindest acts of the wicked are cruel" (Prov. 12:10 NIV). It is necessary to discipline animals, as Solomon said that "a whip is for the horse" (Prov. 26:3 NIV). However, Balaam was rebuked by the angel for unjustly beating his donkey (Num. 22:32-33). The Fourth Commandment provided for a Sabbath-rest for animals as well as people, lest they be overworked (Exod. 20:10). And Moses commanded that we feed our animals (Deut. 25:4). It was right for a Jew to violate the Sabbath in order to rescue his animal from some danger (Luke 14:5). Those who love their animals will seek to protect them from predators (John 10:11-13).

Scripture does allow hunting and fishing for food (John 21:6; et al.). The Bible also allows the killing of animals for useful purposes besides food (e.g. clothing--Gen. 3:21; food storage--Matt. 9:17; sacrifice--Lev. 1-7; et al.). While we should allow wild animals to eat from our land (Exod. 23:11), we are allowed to stop them if they become destructive to it (Song of Sol. 2:15). It is right to kill threatening predatory animals (1 Sam. 17:34-37).

-- Mike

Thank you cards on the Hall Bulletin Board.



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Andrew England

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Mark McSpadden

Call to Worship

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"Lessons From a Pile of Stones"
Joshua 7

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II. The Temptation to Sin (7:16-21)

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Billy Pope

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Meadow View Church of Christ Family Record

Ministers

Pulpit Minister: Mike Hisaw
Youth Minister: Howard Killingsworth

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
Ken Odle

Pray for Our Missionaries

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

Attendance

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