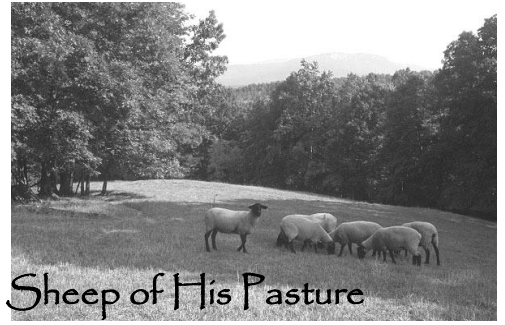


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Psalm
100:3



We Are His people, the Sheep of His Pasture

Sermon Topics

A.M. Worship

"Bartimaeus Receives His Sight"

P.M. Worship

"The Word of the Cross is to Those Who Are
Perishing, Foolishness"

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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**

(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!

Christmas Caroling

*Everyone is invited to go caroling after the evening
worship service on December 18th*



Joy to the World!

If you are interested or have questions, contact Tracy Hare

John 1:1 *In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, And the Word was God.*

vs.14 The Word became flesh and made His dwelling among us. We have seen His glory, the glory of the One and Only, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth.

Luke 2:10 But the angel said to them, " Do not be afraid. I bring you good news of great joy that will be for all the people. vs.11 Today in the town of David a Savior has been born to you; He is Christ the Lord."

Joy to the World the Lord is Come!



2016 Year- End Singing

It is hard to believe that 2016 is quickly coming to an end. This year Meadow View will be hosting our annual, year- end singing.

Wednesday night, December 28th. Our devotional will begin at 7 p.m.

Speak to one another with psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs. Sing and make music in your heart to the Lord

**No Wednesday Night Classes,
December 28, 2016**

Strengthening Family

Strengthening Family group will not meet though the holiday season. We will resume on the 3rd Monday of January.
1/16/2017

Directory and Birthday List Update

Alfred Donker has a new Phone number
214-530-6153

Tyler Bentley's Birthday
December 15th

Holiday Schedule

There will be a 10:30a.m. worship service only, on December 25th and January 1st
There will be no classes or evening worship services on either of these dates.

Office will be closed
December 26th thru December 30th



Children & Youth News



Senior Meeting

Mandatory senior banquet meeting **Today, December 18th** in the youth room immediately following A.M. worship service. Let **Ann Healy** know if you are unable to attend.

LTC Registration

LTC registration forms are available. To pick up your packet see Howard Killingsworth

Congratulations

Congratulations to Bennett Andersen and Sarah McCoy!

They both graduated from Harding University, Saturday December 17th.

Food Pantry

The food pantry is full again!

Many thanks to all of you, for your kind and generous donations of food.

Matthew 25:35 "...For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat..."



Women's Corner :



Wednesday Night Ladies Bible Class: Room - A2

Teachers: Valeria Killingsworth, Jackie Aguilar, &
Karen Withrow

Ladies Bible Class
Tuesdays
9:30 a.m.

Ladies' Book Club

Ladies Book Club will not meet in November or
December.

The Books for January
Moon Over Manifest
by Clare Vanderpool

I Am Malala
by Malala Yousafzai



THE BABY BLANKET MINISTRY THANKS YOU FOR YOUR HELP!

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.

Ladies Craft & Crop Night

Will meet on the first Friday of the month, at 7 pm in the
fellowship room at the building.

If you have any questions contact Cathy Hare.

Sleep Deprivation

A new study indicates that driving while suffering from a lack of sleep is a very dangerous thing. The data used in the study was collected from the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, and it took into account 4,571 car accidents from July 2005 to December 2007.

As sleep deprivation increases, the likelihood of an accident also increases. Those who slept between 6 and 7 hours (that is, less than the recommended 7 hours of sleep per night), were 1.3 times more likely to have an accident. Those who slept between 5 to 6 hours were 1.9 times more likely. A person is 4.3 times as likely to crash if they are driving on 4 to 5 hours of sleep, and an accident is 11.5 times more likely with less than four hours of sleep.

While it seems to be the case that those who choose to drive rather than sleep are more likely to have a car crash, it also seems to be the case that those who choose to sleep rather than pray are more likely to have a spiritual accident. Jesus and his disciples went to the garden (John 18:1) of Gethsemane (Matt. 26:36) on the Mount of Olives (Luke 22:39) at night (cf. John 13:30) after they had eaten the Passover meal (Luke 22:15). Jesus had warned Peter and the disciples that they would stumble because of his arrest (Matt. 26:31-32). Peter adamantly denied that he would ever deny Jesus (vv. 33-35).

In the garden, Jesus passionately prayed only "a stone's throw beyond" (Luke 22:41) Peter, James and John (Matt. 26:37) for deliverance from the cup of wrath. The scene was so dramatic that Jesus was sweating blood and was being ministered to by angels (Luke 22:43-44). However, the disciples were so exhausted that they were sleeping (Matt. 26:40). Jesus rebuked them with these words, "Couldn't you men keep watch with me for one hour?...Watch and pray so that you will not fall into temptation. The spirit is willing, but the flesh is weak" (vv. 40-41 NIV).

Surprisingly, in spite of Jesus' reprimand, the disciples fell back asleep rather than praying. Matthew recalls, "When he came back, he again found them sleeping, because their eyes were heavy" (v. 43 NIV). After praying a third time, he decided to awaken his apostles, asking, "Are you still sleeping and resting?" (v. 45 NIV).

You know the rest of the story. Since Peter and the others chose to sleep rather than pray, they all sinned in abandoning the Lord that night (v. 56).

--Mike

Thank You Cards

Phyllis George

James Johnson & Family

There are several thank you cards for the Holiday Gift Baskets. Cards are located on the board next to the outside office doors.



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Song Service

Tracy Hare

Call to Worship

1001 Hark! The Herald Angels Sing

Welcome

Merrill Jones

Scripture Reading

Psalm 85: 4-9

Prayer

Howard Killingsworth

996 O Little Town of Bethlehem

998 What Child is This?

315 When I Survey The Wondrous Cross
(communion)

129 Amazing Grace

Children Exit for Bible Hour

"Bartimaeus Receives His Sight"

Mark 10:46-52

Invitation

909 There's A Fountain Free

Shepherd's Prayer

Don Olson

470 Victory In Jesus

Closing Prayer

Jonathon Parga

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
Tracy Hare
Doug Neveu
Graham Pierce
Greg Kofahl
Ken Odle
Fred Rasmussen

Pray for Our Missionaries

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

Attendance

Bible Classes 154
A.M. Worship 256
P.M. Worship/Life Groups 78
Wednesday Classes 113