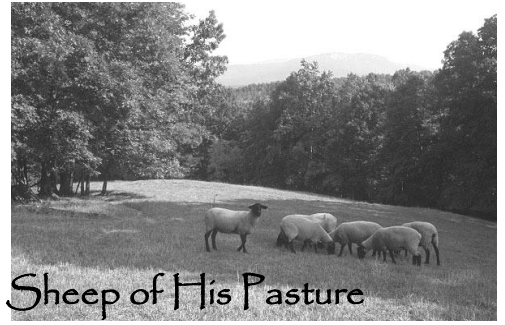


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Psalm
100:3



We Are His people, the Sheep of His Pasture

Sermon Topics

A.M. Worship
"The First Church Scandal"

P.M. Worship
"The Blessing"

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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.
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(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!

May our Lord Jesus Christ himself and God our Father, who loved us and by his grace gave us eternal encouragement and good hope, encourage your hearts and strengthen you in every good deed and word.
2 Thessalonians 2:16

It's a Boy!



*Baby Shower
Today!*

*Honoring Heather Ervin
(daughter of Karen Withrow)*

*Sunday, Feb. 26th 2-4 p.m.
In the MV fellowship room*

*Registered at Amazon.com and Target
(She is registered as Summer Heather Ervin)*

Prime Timers' News!!!

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

Prime Timer's Luncheon

March 6th at 11:30am

Our guest speaker will be Jackie Aguilar

Prime Timer's Day Trip

March 23rd

The Butterfly Gardens at Fair Park



Ladies' Retreat

Date: May 19th, 20th, 21st

(arrive Friday evening, leave Sunday morning)

Where: Lakeview Camp & Retreat Center

Waxahachie, TX

Cost: \$35.00/person (covers lodging and meals)

We will have a guest speaker.

Meeting will be scheduled to plan for activities!
Please plan to attend and participate!

A signup sheet will be available soon!

If you have questions, please reach out to Valeria Killingsworth, Twyla McSpadden, or Vicky Olson.

Baby Shower



It's a Girl!

Honoring Daniela Martinez

Sunday, March 5th 2-4p.m.

In the MV fellowship room



Children & Youth News



SNAC Devo March 5

Meet at 5 PM to go to Mesquite CoC

LTC - April 14-15

LTC practice will start **today**. We will meet weekly from 2:00 P.M. to 4:45 P.M. Drama and puppets will practice from 2:00 until 4:00; chorus will practice from 4:00 until 4:45.

Senior Banquet

The Senior Banquet will be **April 22, 2017**

Where: The Rowlett Community Center

Entertainment: Master Stage Hypnotist, Ron Miller

Time: 6pm - 10pm

Tickets go on sale **today** for \$20.

Our Seniors this year are: Kevin Alexander, Katherine Healy, Gabby King, Merissa Mejia, DeAndre Kennedy



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**.

Food Pantry Needs

Beans-canned	Ravioli
Black-eyed peas	Manwich
Black beans	Chili
Soup	Tuna
Dry pasta	Spaghetti sauce
Instant potatoes	Oatmeal



**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 

Book for March

Amazing Grace by Eric Metaxas

March 30th at 6:30pm

Hosted at the home of Linda Wright

Books for the following months

April: Love Over Scotland
by Alexander McCall Smith

May: A Mother's Choice
by Kristen Noel Fisher



**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.

**Note.. There will be No craft night in the month
of February**

THE STRENGTH OF FORGIVENESS

There has been an age-old debate over the nature of forgiveness: is it an act of strength or weakness? Some worldly-minded people say that forgiveness is weakness; strong people seek to get even. What does the Bible say?

Numbers 13-14 are very sad chapters. Though God had miraculously delivered Israel from Egypt and supernaturally cared for them for going on two years, they rebelled against him and refused to go up to conquer Canaan. God had it, and he told Moses, "I will strike them down with a plague and destroy them, but I will make you into a nation greater and stronger than they" (14:12 NIV). Moses responded to God with this plea: "Now may the Lord's strength be displayed, just as you have declared: 'The LORD is slow to anger, abounding in love and forgiving sin and rebellion. Yet he does not leave the guilty unpunished; he punishes the children for the sin of the parents to the third and fourth generation.' In accordance with your great love, forgive the sin of these people, just as you have pardoned them from the time they left Egypt until now" (vv. 17-19 NIV). Note that God's strength, in part, is that he is "slow to anger, abounding in love and forgiving sin and rebellion."

There is no such thing as sin without loss. When sin is committed, either the sinner suffers the loss by being punished, or the person who forgives suffers the loss by not seeking restitution. When God forgives us, he does so on the basis of the fact that he suffered the loss by giving his Son to die the death penalty for the sin (cf. Matt. 26:28). Therefore, God forgives from a position of strength and not weakness. When we choose to forgive, we are actually choosing the harder path; we're choosing to bear the loss in the sin. Forgiveness is not an act of weakness, but of strength.

--Mike

"Bible Basics"

Adult Wednesday Night Bible Class in Room A5
A Wednesday night class is being offered covering the most basic facts necessary to begin studying the Bible.

Please join Billy Pope in room A5.



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Song Service

Andrew England

Call to Worship

04 *To God Be the Glory*

Welcome

Merrill Jones

Scripture Reading

Psalm 47:6-7

Prayer

Brian Cole

18 *Faithful Love*

XXX *In Christ Alone*

315 *When I Survey the Wondrous Cross*
(communion)

689 *Be Still, My Soul*
Children Exit for Bible Hour

"The First Church Scandal"
Acts 5:1-11

I. The Conspiracy (1-2)

II. The Confrontation (3-10)

III. The Fear (11)

Invitation

770 *Dear Lord and Father of Mankind*
Shepherd's Prayer Don Olson

537 *Here We Are But Straying Pilgrims*
Closing Prayer Christopher Smith

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 117
A.M. Worship 247
P.M. Worship/Life Groups 90
Wednesday Classes 123