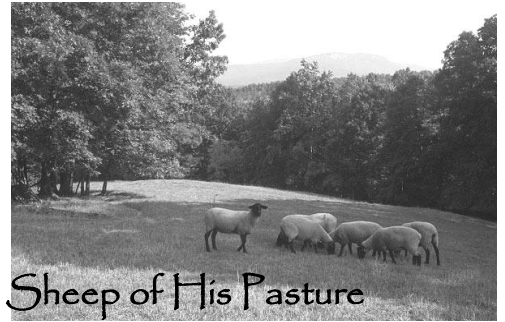


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Psalm
100:3



We Are His people, the Sheep of His Pasture

Sermon Topics

A.M. Worship
"Jesus' Martyr"

P.M. Worship
"The Death of a Priest"

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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!**

I rejoice with those who said to me, "Let us go to the
house of the Lord."
Psalm 122:1

Ladies' Retreat Meeting



*There is a meeting scheduled Today, March
19th, after A.M. Sunday services, to plan for
activities!*

*Please bring a sack lunch and plan to attend
and participate!*

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 Steering Committee Meeting

March 20th
2:00pm in room A1

Prime Timer's Day Trip

March 23rd
Meet at 9:30am to leave at 9:45am
Cost for Seniors is \$6.00
The Butterfly Gardens at Fair Park
Lunch location to be decided

Ernest and Cora Vilches

Have made it safely to the Philippines. They have been busy getting set up there. They have found a building for their church. They would appreciate your continued prayers.

Spring Directory Time Is Here

If you have anything that needs to be added or corrected in the church directory, please notify the office by March 31, 2017

There are many activities going on in some of the area churches around us.

Howe Church of Christ is hosting a Men's Day on, March 25th.

Walnut Hill Church of Christ is hosting a Ladies Day and Luncheon on March 25th.

Marsalis Church of Christ is having a Metroplex Bible Teachers Workshop on April 8th.

Mesquite Church of Christ is having a seminar on, "Does God Exist?" April 9th-12th.

For more details, check the News Bulletin Board across from the office.

Children & Youth News



Combined Devo

Combined Devo at Meadow View , March 26th at 5p.m.

LTC - April 14-15

LTC Practice- 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

"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.

Thank You Card

We received a thank you card from Janet Thompson Woody, Dorothy Thompson's Daughter to thank the Ladies for visiting her mother and giving her a lap blanket.

Food Pantry

The food pantry is full once again. Thank you for meeting the needs so quickly! No food is needed at this time.



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

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



"COVERED IN LOVE"

This is a ministry for women to make quilts for those who cannot get out, or are suffering from serious illnesses, to show them that we love them and are thinking of them.

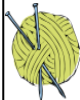
If you are interested in participating in any way, please contact Vicky Olson



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.

Why I Need to Go to Church

The third book of Psalms opens on a dark note. Asaph, a Levite from the clan of Gershom (1 Chron. 6:39, 43), who was appointed along with Heman and Ethan by David to be "in charge of music in the house of the LORD" (1 Chron. 6:31 NIV), had become disenchanted with life. After having seen "the prosperity of the wicked" (Psa. 73:3 NIV), he concluded, "Surely in vain I have kept my heart pure and have washed my hands in innocence" (v. 13 NIV). In other words, Asaph felt like living a godly life is a waste of time since God allows the righteous to suffer and the wicked to prosper; and so why bother?

There was a period of time that Asaph wrestled with this problem on his own but he found no satisfying answers. His spiritual frustration became so great that he almost turned his back on his faith (v. 2)!

Asaph did finally find resolution to his struggle over injustice. Do you know where he found it? Church. He said, "When I tried to understand all this, it troubled me deeply till I entered the sanctuary of God; then I understood their final destiny" (Psa. 73:16-17 NIV). Only when Asaph went into God's house, presumably to serve in the song service, did he recognize that he has to look at the big picture, which includes the judgment and eternity, in order to see God's justice in punishing sin and rewarding righteousness.

Christians often struggle with life's inequities just as Asaph did. And they sometimes respond to their disillusionment by pulling away from church and Christians. They wrestle with their frustration in isolation from God and God's people. But we humans aren't equipped in our own mental faculties to arrive at solutions to life's big problems. Asaph admitted that his own thinking about the problem was stupid; he said, "When my heart was grieved and my spirit embittered, I was senseless and ignorant; I was a brute beast before you" (v. 21 NIV). When you and I are struggling with life, let us not pull away from church. Those are the very times that we need the church and Christians the most. In those times let us be more faithful in our attendance, and we'll find the answers we need in the sanctuary of God just as Asaph did.

--Mike

Sympathy

We express our sympathy and prayers to Jeanette Wright and Karole Harris in the passing of their Aunt and Great-Aunt Dorothy Keeton.

Her celebration of life will be on Wednesday March 22nd, at Thompson's Harvesting Cole Funeral Home in Fort Worth



March 19, 2017

Song Service

Tracy Hare

Call to Worship

162 All Hail The Power of Jesus' Name

Welcome

Mark McSpadden

Scripture Reading

Psalm 72:18-19

Prayer

Howard Killingsworth

288 *Fairest Lord Jesus*

266 *Majesty*

666 *I Am Thine, O Lord*
(communion)

560 *Living By Faith*
Children Exit for Bible Hour

"Jesus' Martyr"
Acts 6-8:3

- I. Stephen's Character (6:5)
- II. Stephen's Courage (6:9-7:53)
- III. Stephen's Confidence (7:54-59)
- IV. Stephen's Compassion (7:60)
- V. Stephen Was Claimed (8:2)

Invitation

915 *Trust And Obey*

Shepherd's Prayer

Billy Pope

509 I Will Sing The Wondrous Story

Closing Prayer

Charles Bowles

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	Tracy Hare	Greg Kofahl
Mitch Kovalcik	Doug Neveu	Ken Odle
J.L. McNamee	Graham Pierce	Fred Rasmussen

Pray for Our Missionaries

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

Attendance

Bible Classes	109
A.M. Worship	215
P.M. Worship/Life Groups	63
Wednesday Classes	120