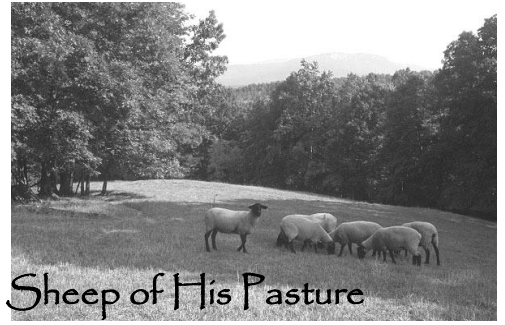


Meadow View

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Psalm
100:3



We Are His people, the Sheep of His Pasture

Sermon Topics

A.M. Worship
"Getting 'A Head' in Life"
P.M. Worship
"Drawing Water"

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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!

This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice
and be glad in it.
Psalm 118:24

Baby Shower
It's a Girl!

Baby Shower Honoring Laura Claybrook
(sister of Sarah and Andrew England).
Today, Sunday, July 23rd, 2pm - 4pm at Meadow View



Registered at Amazon

We had a big turn-out Wednesday night, for
our Mid-Week Meal and Devotional. All who
came, enjoyed good singing, a relaxed catered
meal, and an uplifting devotional.
If you missed it, we will be doing this again on
Wednesday, August 16th. We encourage
everyone to come and enjoy the fellowship and
devotional.



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 are collecting the following items for:

Foster's Home for Children

- Gallon and Quart size zip lock bags
- Sandwich bags
- Aluminum Foil
- Saran Wrap
- Paper Towels

There are boxes by the doors in the foyer to drop off your donations. The Prime Timer's will deliver them in September.

Children & Youth News



SYS- July 25th, at Bedford Church of Christ in Bedford. Meet at MVCC at 5:45p.m. to ride the van.

SNAC DEVO- Sunday, July 23rd, hosted at the home of Wayne and April Bentley.



Fun Friday- July 28th,

Congratulations



Congratulations to Roy and Barbara Vaughn on the birth of their granddaughter, Ava Karola Beard. Little Ava was born to Anneliese and Michael Beard on July 17, 2017. She weighs 5lbs. and is 18 1/4 in. long.

Welcome Baby Girl!

Baby Shower for Lily Claire Coker, Matt & Danah Coker's baby girl.
Sunday, August 13, 2017
2pm -4pm at Meadow View



Registered at Walmart and Target

Prepare Communion?

Preparing Communion- We have 2 vacancies for preparing communion trays for Sunday worship services. Those who prepare serve for 1 month.

Please contact Dick Grice if you would like to do this for either, May or June.

Directory Update

Alfred and Bridgett Donkor have a new address:
4112 Gaillardia Way
Heartland, TX 75126

Ellen Yonley's new home phone # 469-446-8688

Nursery Needs



The nursery is in need of gently used toys, books, and puzzles. If you would like to donate any of these items, please see Ann Healy.

Food Pantry

Our food pantry is getting low on these items:

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|-----------------------|--------------|
| Peanut butter | Boxed meals |
| Oatmeal | Mac-n-cheese |
| Soup | Tuna |
| Spaghetti sauce/Pasta | |

Please black-out the barcode on the items you bring.



**Wednesday Night Ladies Bible Class:
Room - A2**

Teachers: Valeria Killingsworth, Jackie Aguilar, &
Karen Withrow

Ladies' Book Club 

**July 27, 2017
6:30pm**
"Miriam"

by Mesu Andrews
Hosted at the home of Cathy Hare

Book for August:
"The Golden Son"
by Shipi Somaya Gowda

"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.

"Baruch Rebuked"

The prophet Jeremiah had a secretary who helped him to produce his book. Jeremiah 36:4 says, "So Jeremiah called Baruch son of Neriah, and while Jeremiah dictated all the words the LORD had spoken to him, Baruch wrote them on the scroll" (NIV). After Baruch finished writing down Jeremiah's words, Jeremiah sent him to read them in the temple. "Baruch son of Neriah did everything Jeremiah the prophet told him to do; at the LORD's temple he read the words of the LORD from the scroll" (v. 8 NIV).

Long story short, the king, Jehoiakim, wasn't happy with what Jeremiah and Baruch had done. He cut up and burned their scroll, and he ordered that Jeremiah and Baruch be arrested (v. 26). Baruch began to feel sorry for himself, and said, "Woe to me! The LORD has added sorrow to my pain; I am worn out with groaning and find no rest" (45:3 NIV). I think that I would feel just like Baruch if the king had issued an arrest warrant for me only because I had done what God commanded.

God, however, wasn't impressed with Baruch's complaint. He said through Jeremiah, "This is what the LORD says: I will overthrow what I have built and uproot what I have planted, throughout the earth. Should you then seek great things for yourself? Do not seek them" (vv. 4-5 NIV). God basically said, "Baruch, I'm suffering because I must destroy my creation in order not to be unjust. Since I must suffer now, why do you think that you shouldn't have to suffer?"

This rebuke really becomes poignant when we hear it as Christians. Our sinless savior, Jesus, was "a man of suffering" (Isa. 53:3) who didn't live much beyond the age of 30 (Luke 3:23). He didn't own his own home (Matt. 8:20) and had to borrow most things that he needed (cf. Luke 19:30-31). His life ended with the most unjust and cruel execution imaginable (Phil. 2:8). Becoming a Christian means that one answers the call to "deny themselves and take up their cross daily and follow [him]" (Luke 9:23 NIV). Since Jesus had to suffer as he did, and since becoming a Christians means that one agrees to live a life of self-denial like Jesus, should we really be shocked at, disappointed with and bitter over the suffering that have to endure?

~Mike



July 23, 2017

Song Service Andrew England

Call to Worship

474 Thank You, Lord

Welcome Mark McSpadden

Scripture Reading Psalm 18:1-3

Prayer John D'Silva

123 *The Steadfast Love of the Lord*

10 *A Mighty Fortress*

XXX *In Christ Alone*
(communion)

749 *Battle Belongs to the Lord*

Children Exit for Bible Hour

"Getting 'A Head' in Life"

I. Getting Ahead by Dishonoring Others (1 Sam. 31:9)

II. Getting Ahead by Betraying Others (2 Sam. 4:7)

III. Getting Ahead by Cruelty (2 Ki. 10:7)

IV. Getting Ahead by Silencing Critics (Matt. 14:9-11)

V. Getting Ahead by Faith (1 Sam. 17:51)

Invitation

923 *I am Coming Lord*

Shepherd's Prayer Billy Pope

63 I Will Call Upon the Lord

Closing Prayer Rick Aguilar

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
Doug Neveu
J.L. McNamee
Tracy Hare
Ken Odle
Graham Pierce

Greg Kofahl
Fred Rasmussen

Pray for Our Missionaries

Ernest & Cora Vilches
Serafin & Amada Rodriguez

Attendance

Bible Classes 143
A.M. Worship 275
P.M. Worship/Life Groups 92
Wednesday Classes 129