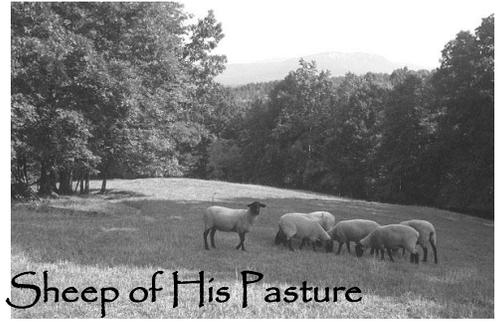


# *Meadow View*

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Psalm  
100:3



We Are His people, the Sheep of His Pasture

## Sermon Topics

A.M. Worship  
"Church Work"

P.M. Worship

"Follow the Example of Christ"

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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!

Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord, not for men, since you know that you will receive an inheritance from the Lord as a reward. It is the Lord Christ you are serving.  
Colossians 3:23-24

## *Mid-week Meal and Devotional*

Please come and enjoy the Mid-Week Meal and Devotional on, Wednesday, August 16<sup>th</sup>. Beginning at 6:45p-8:00pm. It is a great time of fellowship, singing and a short devotional.

There is a sign-up sheet on the information desk in the foyer.

Please sign-up so we know how many meals to order.



**Mission Printing:** 2<sup>nd</sup> 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- August 1<sup>st</sup>**, at Northwest Church of Christ in Fort Worth. Meet at MVCC at 5:30p.m. to ride the van.

**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.**

**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

**Thank You Cards**

The Livingstone's and Wheeler Family  
Candy Livingston  
Hattie Livingstone  
The Mendez Family

**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.

**Sympathy**

We extend our love and prayers to Dorris Duncan in the passing of her brother Robert Lytle. Robert passed away on July 24, 2017

**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.



## Women's Corner :



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

Teachers: Valeria Killingsworth, Jackie Aguilar, &  
Karen Withrow

### Ladies' Book Club

August 31, 2017

6:30pm

"The Golden Son"

by Shipi Somaya Gowda

Hosted at the home of Karen Kofahl

#### Book for September:

"The Aviator's Wife"

by Melanie Benjamin

### "COVERED IN LOVE"



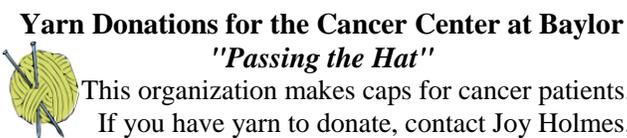
This is a ministry for women to make quilts for those who cannot get out, or are suffering from serious illnesses, to show them that we love them and are thinking of them.

**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.**

## "Under the Influence"

While on our way to evening services last Sunday, we drove upon a man who was passed out in his truck at a stop light. After calling 9-1-1 and being told by a Mesquite operator that it wasn't their jurisdiction and then not getting a response from Sunnyvale, I stopped to check on the man, thinking that he was having a medical emergency. His response made it clear to me that he was under the influence of some chemical, whether drugs or alcohol. The man quickly and recklessly drove off. I again called 9-1-1, this time getting a response. Police later found him passed out in his truck at a stop light. They found drug paraphernalia in his vehicle.

The influence of drugs hampers one's judgment and reasoning faculties. It makes one a danger to themselves and to others. Actually, the influence of drugs is a fitting illustration of the influence of sin.

The Bible defines sin as deeds performed by people (1 John 3:4). It becomes a reality when specific laws of God like his prohibitions against murder and adultery are broken (2 Sam. 12:13). It is also described as a condition that corrupts those who habitually practice it, just as disease can corrupt a tree and ruin its fruitfulness (Matt. 12:33-35). People who commit sin become sinful or evil (Matt. 7:12).

Paul wrote of sin's power over the one who is "sold as a slave to sin" as follows: "I do not understand what I do. For what I want to do I do not do, but what I hate I do. And if I do what I do not want to do, I agree that the law is good. As it is, it is no longer I myself who do it, but it is sin living in me. For I know that good itself does not dwell in me, that is, in my sinful nature. For I have the desire to do what is good, but I cannot carry it out. For I do not do the good I want to do, but the evil I do not want to do--this I keep on doing. Now if I do what I do not want to do, it is no longer I who do it, but it is sin living in me that does it" (Rom. 7:15-20 NIV).

Hopefully only a small minority of people are driving our streets while under the influence of drugs and alcohol, but a vast majority who fill the earth are under sin's power. There is no law or man-made addiction program that can set them free. Jesus alone can break sin's power in their lives (Rom. 7:25).

~Mike



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*Song Service* Andrew England

*Call to Worship*

23 Our God, He is Alive

*Welcome* Merrill Jones  
*Scripture Reading* Psalm 103:1-2

*Prayer* Howard Killingsworth

XXX *We Gather Together*

242 *Sing Hallelujah to the Lord*

XXX *How deep the Father's Love for Us*  
*(communion)*

684 *Nearer, My God to Thee*  
*Children Exit for Bible Hour*

"Church Work"

I. Evangelism

II. Edification

III. Benevolence

*Invitation*

647 *Soldier's of Christ Arise*

*Shepherd's Prayer* Billy Pope

XXX *To the Work*

*Closing Prayer* Brent Smalling

**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 138  
A.M. Worship 278  
P.M. Worship/Life Groups 94  
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