

Scheduled to Serve 01/11/26

OPENING PRAYER: Lee Stevenson (AM)
Curtis L. Anthony (PM)

BIBLE READING: Clay Hight

SONG LEADER: Brady Mimms

CLOSING PRAYER: Shaun Paiz (AM)
Jerry Hailey (PM)

LORD'S SUPPER SERVERS:
H-Roy Rush H-Layne Norris
Chris Robertson Nick Paiz
Austin Norris Cody Lunsford

PM LORD'S TABLE: Nick Paiz

Wednesday - 12/31/25

PM Bible Study no class
Ladies Bible Class/Children no class

Sunday - 1/4/26

Bible Class 58
AM Worship 110
PM Worship 33
Contribution \$6,413.26

TV/RADIO PROGRAMS:

Sunday

KAMR:

In Search of the Lord's Way - 6:30am

KCPN:

Key to the Kingdom - 7:00am

Saturday

KAMR:

Key to the Kingdom - 11:00pm

Sunday

Radio KCLV 99.1

In Search of the Lord's Way - 10am

Michael's 1-minute radio spots - weekdays

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SUNDAY MEETING TIMES

Bible Classes 9:00am
AM Worship 10:00am
PM Worship 1:00pm

WEDNESDAY MEETING TIME

Ladies' Bible Class.....9:30am
Bible Study 6:00pm

Seeking Peace

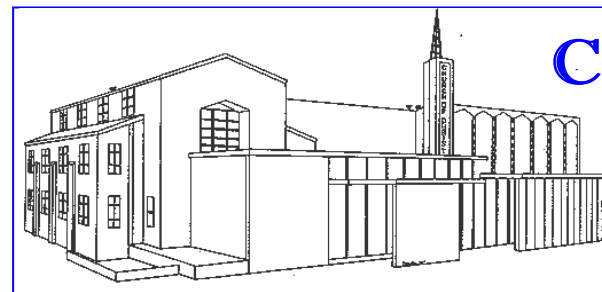
The world's greatest need is inner peace, not world peace. Think about it, if we all had inner peace in our lives, there would be world peace. Peace is found where it is lost, in our attitudes, thought patterns and the choices we make in life. In the pursuit of peace, consider these things.

First, seeking peace begins with God. Paul writes: "Therefore, since we have been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ" (Romans 5:1). Peace begins with God. When we cultivate a relationship with Him, peace follows!

Second, Peace with God will bring peace in our own lives. We are harder on ourselves, than any one else. Peace with God will help us come to terms with our own lives. This means changing our thought patterns, attitudes concerning ourselves, our beliefs, our choices in life.

Third, Peace with God brings peace in our lives, and therefore, peace with other people. We are now able to get along with other people, because we have learned how to restore and to maintain healthy relationships. This process begins in seeking inner peace in one's life.

Michael Harmon



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The Christian and the Spirit

Our studies have been in the book of Galatians. This week we will continue by addressing the Christian and the Spirit. Our text is Galatians 5:16-25. This paragraph is addressing the Christian progress in the Christian life. Let us consider Paul's antidote for living the Christian life!

The Christian and the Spirit: Paul begins to reaffirm the Christian's mode of life. "But I say, walk by/with the Spirit, and you will not gratify the desires of the flesh" (Galatians 5:16). Paul is looking both at the previous verse and looking toward the next verse. "For the desires of the flesh are against the Spirit, and the desires of the Spirit are against the flesh, for these are opposed to each others, to keep you from doing the things you want to do" (17). The Galatians had been wavering between the Spirit and the flesh throughout the writing of Galatians. Paul states that the spiritual man is walking with the Spirit; and not the flesh!

The Christian and the Leading of the Spirit: Paul continues, "But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not under law" (19). Paul uses a conditional sentence to confront the Galatians and their walk in Christ. Paul says, "that to be led by the Spirit is to be led by the word of God." In Romans 8:14, "For all who are led by the Spirit of God are sons of God" (14). This verse and ours in Galatians Chapter Five mean one and the same! The Christian is led by the word of God for their directions in the Christian life! (Galatians 4:19-21)

The Christian and the Fruit of the Spirit: Paul lists the works of the flesh in verses 19-21. The Christian is to cultivate the fruit of the Spirit. "But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control; against such things there is no law" (22,23). The works of the flesh have laws which restrict, while the fruit of the Spirit is without law. These attitudes form the Christian and their walk in Christ Jesus!

The Christian and the Spirit: Paul concludes with what he began with in verse 16. Paul concludes, "And those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires." "If we live by the Spirit, let us also walk by the Spirit" (24,25). To walk by the Spirit is walk in accordance with the Spirit and the Word!

- Michael

Elders: Chad Davis Ronnie Montague Howard Pipes Roy Rush Kenneth Whitecotton

Upcoming Events

Sunday, January 11th and 25th—Devo at Wheatfields 2:30 p.m.

Friday, January 23rd—Devo at Retirement Ranch 10:30 a.m.

Saturday, January 24th – Men’s Breakfast at Mom’s Café 8:00 a.m.

January Celebrations

- 5 Kenneth Jones
- 5 Margaret Riley
- 10 Dylan Marks
- 12 Nina Fondy
- 13 Caruth Johnston
- 14 Mary Gonzales
- 14 Lily Morales
- 15 Kasey Lunsford
- 24 Henry Martin
- 29 John Prater
- 30 Rick Mayfield
- 31 Gladys Clark (100)



2 Jerry & Carol Hailey



Remember in Prayers

Numerous members are sick with seasonal illnesses and staying home. Please pray each recovers quickly and reach out to those you know who were unable to attend recently. Also, keep the shut-in list of our regular sick, in mind:

Dudley and Pat Cash - are slowly improving

Delores Eichenberger - shut-in

Doyle Goldsmith - Prayers appreciated as he struggles with health conditions.

Pansy House - is home from hospital-she is improving as are Terry and Sonja Watts.

Albert Jackson - dealing with health issues

Caruth Johnston - COVID, doing better

Myrle Rush - Continues her chemo treatments



SYMPATHY

Our sympathy to the family of Jennie Goldsmith who passed away Wednesday morning.

Funeral service will be at the Farwell Church of Christ, Saturday, January 10th at 10:00 a.m. CST.

Friends and Family Members With Continuing Problems

Elaine Barnett - Carillon House #3125, 1717 Norfolk Ave., Lubbock, TX 79413

Weldon Embry - Trust Point Rehab, 4302 Princeton St, Room 111, Lubbock, TX 79415

Jerry Kendall -

“We Care”

If you would like to start receiving “We Care” text messages, which let the congregation know about deaths, illnesses and hospitalizations, prayer requests, and other events, please contact the office and let us know the phone number where you would like to receive these text messages. We can also send the “We Care” messages by e-mail, if you prefer. Please provide a good e-mail address.

“We Care” is an excellent way to keep in touch with the congregation during the week or while you are out of town.

On the Move: A person usually gets somewhere when he develops a brake for the tongue and an accelerator for the brain.

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Shut-In Members

Alice Bennett, Gale Blackwell, Albert Jackson, Alene Martin, Lucille McBride, Mary Lou Williams

Retirement Ranch

Sue McClaren, Wessie Magness White

Wheatfields

Lois Barnes, Joanna Blakey, Gladys Clarke, Nina Fondy, Ribble Holloman, Leona Hughes, John & Kay Prater

Coronado Care Center

1700 S. Ave. O, Portales 88130
Debby Johnson

Park View Care Center

1100 W. Ave. J, Muleshoe, TX 79347
Weldon Crim

Regular Works Supported by 16th

Brown Trail School of Preaching
Amarillo College Bible Chair
Tipton Children’s Home - Tipton, OK
Manuelito Children’s Home - Gallup, NM
Mountain States Children’s Home - Longmont, CO
India - Ricky Gootam
New Mexico - Hogback Church of Christ
Nigeria - Chad Wagner
Nigeria - Sylvester Imogoh
Sudan - Tyrone Mynhier
Ukraine - Terry Harmon
World Bible Institute - David Hamrick