

Just a reminder that tonight after the worship service in the church auditorium we will all meet in the activity building for a period of fellowship. We are having a sandwich supper. We will pay special recognition to those of you young people who went to L.T.C. in Dallas recently. We are so proud of all of you and your participation in the activities that we plan for you. We will hand out medals and awards to those have worked so hard prior to and at the annual event in Dallas. Please make sure and be with us. Thanks to all of you for being here in class this morning and we will look forward to seeing you all tonight.

BEN

GET TO KNOW FACEBOOK

If you would like to know more about FACEBOOK, beginning on Sunday afternoon May 1st, Adam Harding will begin teaching an introduction class to FACEBOOK. This is for anyone interested in learning how to set up a Facebook account or just to learn more about Facebook. This class will begin at 5 P.M. Prior to the evening worship service and will last for 45 minutes. This class will begin two weeks from Today. If you would like to know more about the class, call the church office or see Adam.



Those To Serve May 2016

A.M. Closing

Dennis Ellison

Dennis Homann

Russell Johnson

Brandon Franklin

A.M. Opening

- 1 Dale Sparks 8 J.B. Matlock
- 15 Jerry Thompson
- **22 Jerry Sturgess**
- 29 Sam Ellis

P. M. Opening

- 1 Johnny Jenkins
- 8 Marty Nash
- 15 Richard Giles 22 David Sparks
- 29 Tom Watson

P. M. Closing Jim Ricard

Jeff Sparks

- **Clint Ellis**
- Cory Camp Billy Lane
- **Javden Townsend**

Serve Communion

Jeff Seale **Robert Taylor** Wayne Cartwright **Harold Johnson**

Larry Finley Doug Lowe John Mottern **Doug Sumrall**

Communion Preparation



- 1 Charlie & Loretta Young
- 8 Mike & Renee Whitley
- 15 Charles Steen
- 22 Larry Finley
- 29 Deanna Chapman

DOOR GREETERS - May 1, 2016 Truman & Susie Tate

COMMUNION PREPARATION May 1, 2016 Charlie & Loretta Young

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MISSIONS

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ASSEMBLY TIMES

Sun: 9:30 AM Class 10:30 AM Worship 6:00 PM Evening Wed: 7:00 PM

What About Your Funeral?

Have you ever thought how interesting it might be to take a survey from church members as to what they would like to have said concerning themselves at their funerals. Should the preacher A) tell the truth about you, B) exaggerate your good qualities and eliminate your flaws; or C) throw integrity to the wind and simply lie. If you were asked to write a short paragraph providing the preacher a "script" exactly what would you say? Franklin Camp, now deceased, was a great and beloved gospel minister of several years past. He was a gentle and kind man, and one of pristine quality. On one occasion he was called to conduct the funeral of a brother who was anything but faithful. He struggled to know what to say. According to his own testimony, this is what he said, as kindly as he could, regarding the deceased gentleman. "He was a member of the church but was careless in attendance. He was a member of the church, but he did not think Bible study was important, so he never came. He was a member of the church, but he never gave as he prospered. His funeral is being conducted in this building paid for by others. He was a member of the church, but no one gathered here today has he taught the truth. He has now gone to judgment to meet his God; all he can say to God is, 'I was a member of the church." Franklin Camp later commented that as people filed out of the church building, he heard an irate person comment, "He preached him straight into hell." No, he did not. By that time, the brother was already at his destination, and the funeral comments had nothing to do with that. Have you ever though: if a faithful evangelist should be called upon to preach your funeral, do you have any suggestions as to what he should say? **ADAPTED**

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L.T.C. Participants to be honored tonight at Sandwich Supper. MONDAY NIGHT FOR MASTER tomorrow night at 6:15 P.M.



From Dan's desk:



Thanks all of you for being present today for worship and Bible class. To those who may be visiting with us today, we say "thank you for coming." We had some 18 of our young people go to L.T.C. this year. Tonight following the evening worship service, we will have a sandwich supper in the activity building and we will honor them with medals and awards. Please bring either sandwiches or desserts. We appreciate our young people and Ben and Keri for their work with the youth. Plan to come and enjoy the evening with us. Dale is recovering from surgery this last week. He is doing great. Continue to remember him in your prayers as he recuperates at home. Continue to remember Dennis Ellison, James Singleterry and others in our congregation who have been on the prayer list recently. Remember "Monday Night For The Master" tomorrow night. We will meet in the activity building for the meal at 6:15 P.M. and then work between the hours of 7-8 P.M. We hope you will make the effort to be with us as we labor for the Lord. So many good things can be accomplished when we work together. The month of April is just about over and next Sunday will usher in a new month. The Month of May promises to busy month for the congregation here. A lot of plans have been made for the church during the upcoming new month. We hope to see you tonight at the evening service and fellowship. DAN





TO KEEP IN OUR PRAYERS

<u>DALE SPARKS</u> is recovering from heart by-pass surgery last Monday. He is back home.

<u>DENNIS ELLISON</u> will begin treatment for his cancer soon.

THEO JOHNSON, brother of Nancy Mooney & Harold Johnson, has a inoperable mass on his pancreas.

HEATHER PARKER, granddaughter of Robert & Rita Taylor, had a cardiac ablation.

<u>JAMES SINGLETERRY</u> is also recovering from knee surgery.

SYMPATHY

Our sympathy is extended to Joyce Matlock in the death of her mother this last week. ELOISE FLEEMAN. Services were held last Weds. in Dallas.

Our sympathy is also extended to Toni Warren in the death of her father, LOWELL LEWIS. He passed away on Monday. Services were held on Thursday in Frankston.

WELCOME VISITORS

A big hearty welcome to those visiting today. Allow us to meet and greet you following the worship service this morning. At the end of the service today you will be given a gift bag from our congregation. "It is a small gift, but it comes from big hearts." Thanks again for coming.

The Bible and the TV Guide





On the table side by side
The Holy Bible

and the TV Guide

One is well-worn and cherished with pride, But that one is not the Bible; it's the TV Guide

One is used daily to help folks decide.

No! It isn't the Bible, it's the TV Guide.

As the pages are turned what shall they see?

Oh! It doesn't matter, just turn on the TV.

Then confusion is started for they can't agree,

Just what they shall watch on the old TV. So they refer to the book in which they all confide,

But it isn't the Bible, it's the TV Guide.

The Word of God is seldom read,

Maybe a verse before they crawl into bed,

Exhausted and sleepy and tired as can be,

Not from reading the Bible, but from

watching TV.

Then back to the table, side by side, Go the Holy Bible and the TV Guide. No time for prayer; no time for the Word, The plan of salvation is seldom heard. Forgiveness of sin, so full and free, We find in the Bible and not on TV.

Via "The Messenger"