

Madill Church of Christ

FAMILY MESSENGER

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Schedule of Services

Sunday

Bible Study 9:45 a.m.
Worship 10:45 a.m.
Worship 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday

Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

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Join us for Family Day!
With Guest Speaker Phil Sanders

Sunday April 2, 2023

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Bible class at 9:45AM and Worship at 10:45AM

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Todd Talks..

We are such a blessed church family! We are so very proud of the 16 who traveled to the High Plains Children's Home in Canyon, TX to bless those kids and that campus. Problems. Sometimes problems are bad, but sometimes problems are good. We have a couple of "good" problems. 1) We have so many kids involved in our Secret Grandparent program that we had to add another table (good problem). So, we're asking the secret grandparents to notice we have two sections based upon the last name of your child. Please put your gift on the appropriate side. Also, for those who do a card from time to time, we have a special basket for all cards. 2) Our Brother's Keepers groups have just about outgrown themselves. There is a genuine need for one or two more groups -thus we need a couple of new group leaders. If you would be willing to help out then please see Richard Bonnet. As we continue to grow, we will have these types of "good" problems. I am grateful for them. We will work through them. We will be better off because of them. Celebrate Family Sunday. I wish I was able to adequately express all the blessings that come from this one special day. It is an opportunity for families to spend a day together that usually only happens at a funeral. It is an opportunity to have a "homecoming" of sorts when people come back and see others whom they haven't seen in a while. It is an opportunity to generate excitement and enthusiasm within the congregation. It can be a springboard for more growth. It can help to open doors and build bridges to relationships that lead to conversions. There are a lot of wonderful Sundays and other special occasions that we do -but Celebrate Family Sunday is the MOST IMPORTANT day and can bring the greatest blessings to our church family. I pray that we all are able to take advantage of this day, invite our families to join us and be ready for the blessings to follow. We will be acknowledging those who traveled the farthest, the number of generations present, those who have added new family members via births or weddings, and the member who has the largest number of family present.

Keep shining His Light in your life!

Love ya, Todd

Prayer List

Joby Bishop, Nanette & Joey Bishop's son, is in OU Medical in OKC in very serious condition due to lung issues. Please keep him and his family in your prayers. Little **Noah Mincey**, small son of Brady & Danyel Mincey, fell from a shopping cart earlier this week and sustained a skull fracture and brain bleed and is currently at Children's Hospital in OKC. Please keep this family in your prayers. **Nadine Garrison** is in the hospital at TMC with breathing issues. **Tim Nelson** will be seeing doctors in Arkansas on March 30th. We pray he can find answers to his health issues. **Tammie Cluck & Joe Kite** are both currently taking treatments for their cancer. **Glenda Henson** will be having a MRI on March 16th and has asked for our prayers. Others in our prayers are: **Levi Jeffery, Dawn Holiman, John Kelly, Charles Thompson, Chuck Tracy, Jill Muegge, Joseph Chidester, Connie Cannon, Marge Rathbun, Darrell Kemp, Martha Perez, George Barr, Denise Marcouiller, Aaron Albright, Loretta Krerber, Ashdyn Simon, Laurie McCall, Victoria Cook, Amanda Brister, Donna Anderson, Jared Hays, Kim Lumpkin, Chloe Wright, Andrea Contreas, Breiana Contreas, Jeff Scott, Jeanie Mayo Elliott, Barbara Hicks, Casey Jacobs, Ray Baxter, Jennifer Alexander, Melinda Wheeler, Jake Hudson, Dawson Muck, Janet Rorex, Joy Henry, Ronald Henson, Vicki Daughtry, Connie Webb, Kendall Whitehead, William Parks, Donny Raley, Dawn Trobaugh, Paula Ward, Kelly Truhall, Patsy Parrish, Leann Shears, Royce Bartee, Mike Hamilton, Tammy Marsh, Frances Webb, & Betty Lumus.**

March:

15 - Meal & Bible Study the theme is "Mexican Food"

19 - Bible Study & Worship

22 - Bible Study at 7:00 p.m. - Meal at 6:00 p.m.
Theme is "Potluck."

25 - Youth/Family Devo at 6:00 p.m.

*"You cannot do a kindness too soon, for you never know how soon it will be too late." —
Ralph Waldo Emerson*



Work Day Planned

We hope that you can join us on Saturday, April 1st here at the building at 8:00 a.m. for breakfast and then a work day to clean up the building before our Family Day that Sunday. We need all kinds of help so mark this date on your calendar!

Oops!!!

Seems the editor of this bulletin left out the punch line on last weeks "On The Lighter Side." Unintentionally of course, but I know that I left you hanging, so here is the punch line for last weeks joke " The jury foreman stood up and said, "We looked but your client didn't." and that is the rest of the story! LOL

Join Us For Bible Study!!!

APRIL 22

WORLDS COLLIDING

building a biblical worldview
in a fallen world
with Sam Dillbeck

HOWE YOUTH DAY
9:30a to 1:30p
Lunch provided

Howe Church of Christ
1205 N Collins Freeway
Howe, Texas

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“Being Habitually Late”

Sometimes things happen that are outside of our control, causing us to arrive late for certain events, but what about someone who is habitually late for spiritual events when they did not have to be? Being habitually late generally indicates several things:

- Selfishness
- Laziness
- Disrespect for other people
- Disrespect for God
- Misplaced priorities
- Lack of interest in spiritual things (being carnally-minded)

Being late can also have a negative impact on others around us:

- It can be a distraction to those who are trying to learn
- It can be a distraction to those who are serious about worshiping God properly (Jn. 4:24), pulling their focus away from God to you
- It can make others think spiritual things should not be a priority
- It can tempt others to do the same thing

God wants us to do our best in everything we do (Eccl. 9:10; Col. 2:23). Let's do our best to be on time, thereby demonstrating our love for God and our love for others.

-Jason Patrick Hilburn

Easter Egg Hunt
@ Pettijohn
Right after worship
April 9, 2023
Walking Tacos
Bring 1 dozen candy
filled eggs per
child

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"Life Signs"

	3/12	1 yr	5yr
AM Worship	128	89	136
A.M. Bible Study	nc	nc	nc
PM Worship	nc	nc	nc
Wednesday	nc	nc	92
Contribution	\$4,923	\$5,475	\$4,321
Hispanic Church	A.M. 41		
	P.M. nc		
	Cont. \$441		

A Special Thanks!

Dear Church Family,

Thank you for all the prayers and love while I have been sick. Getting better every day but not there yet. God's sweet grace gave Chuck enough so he stayed with me the whole time. God is good!

*In Christian love,
 Sheila Tracy*



Please keep our youth and our youth leaders in your prayers as they travel to High Plains Children Home in Canyon, Texas (near Amarillo, Texas) this week. We are so proud of Lonny Goff & Tyler Ramirez and what they are doing with our youth! Please let them know that we appreciate them and the job they are doing and please support our youth in any way you can! They are our future!

**4th & Jackson St. Church of Christ
 Hugo, OK**

Youth Rally

March 26, 2023

**Speaker: Logan Cates
 (Durant Church of Christ)**

5:00- Mixer

6:00- Worship

7:00- Taco Bar

We hope all area youth will join us for this night of worship & fellowship.

Please RSVP to Allan Ousley at 580-743-5691 in order to aid in food preparation or if you have any questions.