

Teen News

The young people, Keri and I want to thank each of you who helped in any way last Sunday night at the chili cookoff and cake auction. It turned out great and everyone had a good time. The chili entries were all real good. 1st place winner was Laura Howell, 2nd place went to Jennifer Sparks and 3rd place went to Dwight Franklin. The sale of the cakes and special donations to the youth fund totaled around \$4,000.00. We are so thankful for your generosity and love for the youth. We really appreciate each of you. We will look forward to L.T.C. and Summer Camp.

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THE ATHEIST

An atheist scientist came to God and said, "We've figured out how to make a man without you."

God said, "OK, let me see you do it."

So the atheist bent down to the ground and scooped up a handful. But God stopped him and said, "Oh, no you don't. Get your own dirt!"

"The Bible Is Not A Dead Letter"

The Holy Scriptures and the truth of God it contains can never be destroyed. Matt. 24:25. It has outlived and outlasted the attacks of atheists, so called higher-criticism, scientific skeptics, and liberal theologians. One man wrote, "A thousand times over, the death knell of the Bible has been sounded, the funeral procession formed, the inscription cut on the tombstone, and committal read. But somehow, the corpse never stays put." Though men may seek to put it away, the word of God is here to stay. That's the tenacious truth.

Dan



Those To Serve March 2016

A.M. Opening

6 Henry Baker
13 Clint Satterwhite
20 Don Norwood
27 Carl Rutledge

A.M. Closing

Johnny Jenkins
Tom Watson
Doug Lowe
Daniel Plummer

P. M. Opening

6 George Wooden
13 Brandon Franklin
20 Dwight Franklin
27 David Sparks

P. M. Closing

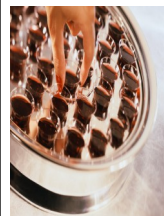
Bill Chandler
Steve Camp
Charles Steen
J.B. Matlock

Serve Communion

J.B. Matlock
Marty Nash
Mike Whitley
Colby Seale

Robert Duzan
Charles McCullough
Orre Costlow
Luke Lane

Communion Preparation



6 David Sparks
13 Toni Warren
20 Doug Rader
27 R.D. Prince

DOOR GREETERS – Mar 6, 2016

James & Sandy Singleterry

COMMUNION PREPARATION

Mar 6, 2016
David Sparks

Gospel Worker

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MINISTERS

Dan D. Manuel
Pulpit Minister
Ben Rhone
Youth Minister

ELDERS

Dan D. Manuel
Dale Sparks

DEACONS

Henry Baker
Sam Ellis
Dwight Franklin
Adam Harding
Kyle Lock

SECRETARY

Lorelee Reeder

MISSIONS

Brown Trail School of
Preaching, *Bedford, TX*
Jose Cuadras– *Mexico*
School of Preaching
Hershel Bearden
India Mission
Central TX Children's
Home—*Buda, TX*
Tipton Children's Home
Tipton, OK
GBN T.V. NETWORK
GIVE ME THE BIBLE
T.V. Program
KETK-56 Tyler, TX.
FOX 44– Waco, TX.
FOX 33 Shreveport, LA.
FOX 29, Bryan-College
Station, TX.
NBC 53– Lufkin, TX.

ASSEMBLY TIMES

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



"Monday Night for the Master" will take place on Monday night Feb. 29 We will meet at 6:15 for the meal. We will begin our work for the night at 7 PM. Please plan to be with us. See Sandy Singleterry if you can provide a dessert.

2016 Texas Primaries

Early Voting: Feb. 16–26

Election Day: March 1



Be sure to vote on Tuesday. It is a privilege that many do not have in our world. Pray about those who are running for office and ask God to help in making your decision.

One Responds For Prayer Election Tuesday Go Vote!



From Dan's desk:



Thank you for being present this morning. We are glad you have come to worship with us. If you are visiting in the community or just stopped by on your way somewhere, we are delighted to have you in our worship service. Last Sunday was a wonderful day. Sunday GRAHAM WILLIAMS asked for the prayers of the church here. We commend him for his humility and decision. The Chili and Cake fellowship was great. The young people raised close to \$4,000.00. It was a wonderful day. We also gave special recognition to George Lester upon his 90th birthday. That is indeed a milestone. We are happy for him. Remember that tomorrow night is Monday Night For The Master. This monthly time of fellowship and effort together provide the encouragement we all need, as I mentioned last Sunday. So much good is accomplished when we work together in such efforts. Not only is much done, but it makes you feel blessed by doing something above and beyond what is routine in your life. We continue to have numerous visitors frequent our worship services and this is great. Be sure to make them feel welcome among us. God is blessing the church here in wonderful ways. We are so thankful to our Lord for the numerical and the spiritual strength we receive each time we meet in worship. Continue to be mindful of the upcoming election on Tuesday. Your vote does count and we need to do our part as citizens of the United States of America to help elect leaders who will guide us into the 21st century. Be praying about those who are candidates and ask God to help you make the right choice. See you tonight. DAN

PLEASE TURN OFF ALL CELL PHONES



TO KEEP IN OUR PRAYERS

RICK GILES had sinus surgery last Tuesday at Palestine Regional.

PHILLIP CASTILLO is undergoing treatments for his cancer this week.

LORELEE REEDER has been sick at home and has been undergoing tests .

EMALIE TUSCHOFF has been in the local hospital this last week for tests and treatment. She is home and doing better.

SHELLY ROGGENDORFF daughter of Robert Duzan is undergoing cancer treatment at M.D. Anderson hospital in Houston.

JAMES SINGLETERRY is still having problems with his leg. He will undergo surgery soon on his knee.

**All others who have been ill
are doing better.**

RESPONSES FOR PRAYER GRAHAM WILLIAMS

DISHES

Several dishes remain in the small fellowship hall. Please see if any belong to you.

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.

"JUST PLAIN IGNORANCE"

Is it possible that the phrase In Acts 17:21 "these times of ignorance" describe our own times? Will Rogers once noted, "Everyone is ignorant, only on different subjects." How many brilliant minds are ignorant of God? Some have bought into the idea that a brain stuffed full of scientific facts and empirical data is automatically educated. But the apostle Paul says in Romans 1:22 about people in the first century: "Professing to be wise, they became fools." He doesn't mean they suddenly forgot everything science and research and education had taught them. He means that in spite of all their vaunted advances in thinking and education, they chose to be ignorant of God. In each generation some of the most brilliant people on earth are also some of the most ignorant of God. In college classrooms, brilliant but atheistic professors use eight and nine syllable words trying to explain the origin of man in purely materialistic terms without reference to God. Others who have brains stuffed full of empirical facts and data use their bodies in immoral ways that deny and dishonor God. Human history testifies with one voice- societies that don't know God will soon find themselves valuing things more than God or people, and also find their moral and spiritual values deteriorating. Theodore Roosevelt once said, "To educate a person in the mind but not the morals is to educate a menace to society." Many things are troubling our world today and many of them are attributable to the fact that men do not know the Bible and do not practice it. Just ignorance that's all.

Dan Manuel