

Teen News

Good morning and welcome to services! We had a great turnout this past Tuesday at our Summer Youth Series here at Crockett Road. We are so appreciative of everyone who helped make it a success! The burgers were delicious, as well as all the cookies they were provided! Tonight we will start Lamp Camp at 6:00! We will meet on Monday and Wednesday nights, too (skipping Tuesday for SYS) and are looking forward to it. We need plenty of help and appreciate all the young people helping to make it happen. If you'd like to help decorate, we will work here at the building starting today at 3:00. Camp Red Oak Springs is coming up! We will be there next week and you can still register to join us! If anyone would like to send our campers mail, the address is Camper's Name, C/O Camp Red Oak Springs – Session 5, 875 Private Road 7007, Newton TX, 77966. Currently, we have Mabry Gipson, Madison Gipson, Susan Lane and Lily Rader attending. Hope everyone has a great week!

DOUG

LADIES

The Summer Ladies Class taught by Cheryl Ellis will meet this Tuesday morning in the small fellowship hall. Please bring finger foods. Stay for the devotional, games and good food. We will meet at 10:00 A.M.

THOSE TO SERVE IN JULY 2023

A.M. Opening

- 2 Kyle Lock
- 9 R.D. Prince
- 16 Charles Steen
- 23 Brandon Franklin
- 30 Henry Baker

P.M. Opening

- 2 Marty Nash
- 9 Clint Satterwhite
- 16 Wayne Cartwright
- 23 Mark Lambert
- 30 Dan Hughes

A.M. Closing

- Carl Rutledge
- Sam Ellis
- Don Smith
- Doug Lowe
- Bill Rawson

P.M. Closing

- Jerame Gipson
- Bill Hawkins
- Mike Whitley
- Tom Watson
- Doug Rader

Serve Communion

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| Austin Evans | Adam Krumnow |
| Scott Roberson | Robert Lopez |
| Dwight Franklin | Jordan Holcomb |
| Henry Baker | David Sparks |

Prepare Communion

JULY

- 2 Rick & Donna Giles
- 9 Eva Walker
- 16 Gregg & Sylvia Gurganus
- 23 Marty Nash
- 30 Bill & Linda Hawkins

If you cannot serve please call the church office. 903-723-6291

July 2nd 2023

Door Greeters

Security Team

Communion Preparation

Rick & Donna Giles

Gospel Worker

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MINISTERS

Dan D. Manuel
Pulpit Minister
Doug Rader
Youth Minister

ELDERS

Dwight Franklin
Dan D. Manuel
Dale Sparks

DEACONS

Henry Baker
Steve Camp
Kyle Lock
R.D. Prince
Doug Rader

SECRETARY

Chloe Collins
Eva Walker

MISSIONS

Brown Trail School of
Preaching, Bedford, TX
Jose Cuadras—Mexico
Hershel Bearden—India
Steve Handley—Prison Min.
Central TX Children's
Home—Buda, TX
Tipton Children's Home
Tipton, OK

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Charles, La

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ASSEMBLY TIMES

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

“SHALL WE GATHER AT THE RIVER”?

Who among us has not pondered the great question, "Will I recognize my friends and loved ones when I get to heaven?" While the Bible does not directly ask this question, the human heart does. In death's dark hour, can we comfort the relatives of those who "died in the Lord" with the hope of a future reunion in heaven? Or, when the funeral director closes the casket, is this truly the hour of final departure? It appears as though the Scriptures assume we will know and recognize one another in heaven. The great patriarch Abraham died at the age of 175. Moses records his death with these words: "Then Abraham breathed his last and died in a good old age, an old man and full of years, and was gathered to his people. And his sons Isaac and Ishmael buried him in the cave of Machpelah..." (Genesis 25:8-9). Notice the sequence: he died, was gathered to his people, then his body was buried in the cave. Though the tomb was new, somehow Abraham was now with his people. This phrase, "gathered to his people," is found recorded at the death of many Old Testament worthies, such as :Ishmael (Genesis 25:17) The destiny of Moses is further described in Deuteronomy 31:16 when God said, "Behold, you will rest with your fathers." This could not possibly refer to his physical body of Moses, for it was buried "in a valley in the land of Moab, opposite Beth Peor" (Deut. 34:6). Not only do we read of individuals being "gathered" to their people, but after the death of Joshua we find an entire "generation had been gathered to their fathers" (Judges 2:10). Congregations of God's people often sing the beautiful song, "*Shall We Gather At The River.*" In it, we bid our brothers and sisters in Christ to look for us on the margin of the river of life, when our earthly journey is completed. We will "gather with the saints at the river, that flows by the throne of God."

SELECTED

“LAMP CAMP”

starts Tonight.

**Watermelon supper
next Sunday evening.**

**One responds for prayer Two for
membership**

From Dan's desk:



The “LAMP CAMP” for the youth will begin tonight. Parents be sure to bring your children. They will be blessed by participating in this great activity. Thanks to all the parents who are helping this year and for your support of our youth. **RODNEY COVINGTON** responded to the invitation last Sunday morning and asked for the prayers of the church. We commend him for taking this step. We welcome back to Crockett Rd. **AUSTIN AND JANA E EVANS** and their three sons. We are glad to have them back with our church family. The annual youth r3136ally last Tuesday was a great success and we are grateful to those who cooked and prepared the meal for the youth people in attendance and to Caleb Griffith for doing a good job as speaker. It is great to see these youth involved in such activities that can strengthen their lives spiritually and to the parents who show continued support of the youth program. Please be reminded that next Sunday evening July 2nd we will have our annual “watermelon supper”. This is always a great time. This will follow the evening worship service. We will meet as usual between the activity building and the chapel. We encourage all in attendance to stay for the delicious watermelon and the great fellowship. We will celebrate our Country’s birthday. How fortunate we all are to live in a country where we have the privilege and freedom to assemble in worship to our Lord God. Please take advantage of such opportunities. See you tonight at 6 P.M. DAN

PLEASE TURN OFF ALL CELL PHONES



**TO KEEP
IN OUR PRAYERS**

**DOUG SUMRALL continues to un-
dergo treatment in Tyler**

**DALE SPARKS has been undergo-
ing tests for dizziness.**

**CECIL STANALAND continues to
undergo tests.**

**TOM WATSON has been in hospi-
tal locally and in Longview, Texas
with heart issues.**

**RICK GILES has prostate cancer
and will be undergoing radiation
treatment soon.**

**DAN HUGHES has been in Scott
& White In Temple for tests.**

Pray for all of these.

RESPONSE

Rodney Covington

FOR PRAYER

FOR MEMBERSHIP

**Austin and Janae Evans
(Sons: Brock, Axton, Crew)**

P.O. Box 3176

Palestine, Texas

Austin 903 724-4868

Janae- 903-724-3635

WELCOME!

“Bring Glory To His Name”

“Emmanuel” means “God with us.” Based on the promise of Hebrews 13:5, “I will never leave thee nor forsake thee,” we can say, “God is with us.” The language of Matthew 1:21, which quotes from Isaiah 7:14 in the Old Testament, has a much stronger meaning. The language means that “this child born to Mary is God.” This harmonizes with the statement of I Timothy 3:16, “God was manifest in the flesh...” Jesus, the Son, is also identified as God in Hebrews 1:8. “But unto the Son he saith, Thy throne, O God, is for ever and ever: a sceptre of righteousness is the sceptre of thy kingdom.” We can say based on plain Bible statements, “Jesus is God with us.” The title “Lord” means “Master,” the one in command over us. The Philippian jailer asked, “Sirs, what must I do to be saved?” Paul’s answer included the titles “Lord,” “Christ,” and the name “Jesus.” “Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved, and thy house” (Acts 16:30-31). “Neither is there salvation in any other: for there is none other name under heaven given among men, whereby we must be saved” (Acts 4:12). Jesus our Savior has the right family history, He was born at just the right time, in the right town, and he has the right name for his character and mission. He is worthy of our love and praise. Let us honor His name.

DAN

June 25th, 2023

PLEASE CONTINUE TO REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Tom Watson has been undergoing heart issues in the hospital in Longview.

Paul Cartwright continues to recover and has started radiation in Houston.

Glenda Baskin is recovering from surgery on her foot, but is now home improving. (She was in worship last Sunday)

Cecil Stanaland has been diagnosed with Parkinson's tremors. Still undergoing tests.

Rick Giles has prostate cancer and will undergo radiation soon.

Doug Sumrall is still undergoing treatment in Tyler.

Kenneth Holland continues to have issues with COPD.

Dan Hughes has been in the hospital in Temple for tests and possible surgery.

Delmer Wilson had a biopsy on his face in Tyler and no cancer but awaiting additional tests and removal of facial growth.

Cooper McClung grandson of Jerry and Gwynette Sturgess has cancer and is taking chemo.

Dale Sparks undergoing tests for dizziness.

Gayle Hamilton is recovering from surgery and rehab. She is home improving.

Gerald Wilcher is recovering from a recent fall at his home. He was in worship last Sunday.

Shelia Thompson's granddaughter, Kymber (8 months old) has stage 2 cancer and the family request our prayers.

Becky Barnes' great grandson had a bone marrow transplant. He is under observation.

Prayers for Tara Patton, sister of Robin Covington. She had tests this last week on her heart. Awaiting results.

Tina Teetz, daughter-in-law of Pat Baird, is improving. As a result of her cancer treatment her tumors are shrinking.

Bryce Stewart, former member, is still undergoing tests and cancer treatment.

Deborah Hagemeyer (former member) has cancer and requests prayer.

Jerry Thornton of Canton, brother-in-law of Bill Rawson has cancer & requests prayer.

Remember those in nursing homes and the homebound in your prayers.

Courtney Bell, Patsy Bush, Mary Chambless, Opalene Chapman, Mary Ann Colling, Ed and Kathleen Compton, Ruth Cox, Blackie Foreman, Jerry Graham, Sue Grubbs, Gerry Hahn, Bobby Johnson, Jessie Kraus, George Lester, Joyce Matlock, Lanova Mitchell, David Mitchell, John Mottern, Lorelee Reeder, Martha Sims, Monty Todd, Marlene Thompson, Gary and Emalie Tuschoff and Charlie Young.

NOTE: We try to update the prayer list each week. When people are improving and doing better we remove their names and add new ones who have asked to be on the list. We need those of you who are acquainted with those on the prayer list to let us know when they are improving. If you know of someone who needs to be on the supplement prayer list or removed, please notify us in the church office.

THE ELDERS