

# Teen News

Please keep all those from the youth group in your prayers this week, we are heading out today for the 4 States Praise Camp in Canfield, AR.

We would like to thank everyone who came out Saturday to our car wash to support the youth, the money that you donated helped out the 14 people that leave for camp today. We greatly appreciate it.

The Quarterly Fellowship luncheon which was scheduled for June 21st has been cancelled, since we just had one in May.

“For God so loved the world that He gave His only Son”

## Children in Church

A little boy was in a relatives wedding. As he was coming down the aisle, he would take two steps,

Stop, and turn to the crowd. While facing the crowd, he would put his hands up like claws and roar. So it went, step, step, ROAR, step, step, ROAR, all the way down the aisle.

As you can imagine, the crowd was near tears from laughing so hard. By the time he reached the pulpit. When asked what he was doing the child sniffed and said. “I was being the Ring Bear.”

A Sunday School teacher asked her little children, as they were on the way to church service, “And why is it necessary to be quite in church?”

One bright little girl in the back replied, “Because people are sleeping.”

One particular four year-old prayed, “And forgive us our trash baskets As we forgive those who put trash in our baskets.”

**DOOR GREETERS– June 14, 2009**

Tom & Ann Watson  
Frank & Patsy McClelland

**COMMUNION PREPARATION**

June 14, 2009  
Fred Freeman

# Gospel Worker

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### MINISTERS

Dan D. Manuel  
*Pulpit Minister*  
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*Youth Minister*  
Owen Perry  
*Personal Evangelism*

### ELDERS

Dan D. Manuel  
Dale Sparks

### DEACONS

Henry Baker  
Sam Ellis  
Dwight Franklin  
Adam Harding  
Scott Johnson  
Kyle Lock

### SECRETARY

Lorelee Reeder

### MISSIONS & OUTREACH

Brown Trail School of  
Preaching *Bedford, TX*  
Bear Valley School of  
Preaching-*Denver, CO.*  
Mexico School of  
Preaching  
Hershel Bearden  
*India Mission*  
Ken Upchurch  
*Tanzania Africa Work*  
Central TX Children's Home  
Gospel Broadcast Network

### ASSEMBLY TIMES

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

## HOW TO STAY SAFE?

1. Avoid riding in automobiles because they are responsible for 20% of all fatal accidents.
2. Do not stay home because 17% of all accidents occur in the home.
3. Avoid walking on streets or sidewalks because 14% of all accidents occur to pedestrians.
4. Avoid traveling by air, rail or water because 16% of all accidents involve these forms of transportation.
5. Of the remaining 33%, 32% of all deaths occur in hospitals. Above all else, avoid hospitals.

You will be pleased to learn that only .001% of all deaths occur in worship services of the church, and these are usually related to previous physical disorders.

Therefore, logic tells us that the safest place for you to be at any given point in time is at church!

Bible study is safe too. The percentage of deaths during Bible study is even less.

FOR SAFETY 'S SAKE-Attend church and Bible Study. It could save your life.

**V.B.S. Planning Meeting**  
**Roof Work Continues**  
**New Roof to Replace Old One**  
**Over Education Wing and**  
**Chapel Area.**

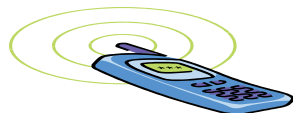


**From Dan's desk:**

Our Vacation Bible School meeting last Sunday afternoon went well. We are grateful for those who are teaching in our V.B.S. this year. The theme for the school this year is "Riders of The Great Roundup." We have several helping this year who are new and have not worked in V.B.S. The school will be a great opportunity to reach out to the community as well as the opportunity to teach our own young children here in the congregation. Our Summer speaker series starts this coming Wednesday night with Richard Williams from Groesbeck speaking on the subject, "The Christ Like Mind." The series for the summer is "The Spiritual Mind." We hope and trust that you will want to be present for each of these lessons.

The work on the building continues. A new white metal roof will soon replace the existing composition roof. The shingles are old and several leaks have been detected. We appreciate your cooperation. See you tonight.

PLEASE TURN OFF ALL CELL PHONES  
OR PUT THEM ON VIBRATE.



**TO KEEP  
IN OUR PRAYERS**

**REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:**  
**OPALENE CHAPMAN** fell and has a fractured hip. She will have surgery soon.  
**ELMER ALFORD** has learned that his cancer has spread to lymph nodes.  
**ADELLE BENGÉ** learned she is severely anemic.  
**BOB COLLINS**, father of Bobby Collins, is in the hospice unit, in a hospital in Arlington, in very serious condition with cancer.

**CONTINUE TO REMEMBER:**  
 Donna Freeman, Ed Furman, Elmer Alford, Glenda Wilson, Gary Oliver, Lydia Herren, Ida Lee Parkman, Sybil Perry, Edith Lamb, Harlan Cook, Dewona Hall., Ellen Tanner.  
**THOSE SERVING OUR COUNTRY:**  
 Michael Harding, Jeffery Oden, & David Sims

**ADULT SUMMER SERIES**  
 Theme: "The Spiritual Mind"

This series begins this Wednesday night:  
 June 10th-Richard Williams- Groesbeck, TX  
 "The Christ-like Mind"  
 July 8th- David Arnold- Athens, TX  
 "The Steadfast Mind"  
 August 12th- Keith Hodges- Marshall, TX  
 "The Transformed Mind"  
 September 9th- Bruce Ligon- Jacksonville, TX  
 "The Renewed Mind"

Please mark these dates on your calendar and make plans to be here week. This series has been planned in lieu of a gospel meeting and these men are traveling here to speak to us.



*Mr. & Mrs. Samuel D. Ellis  
and  
Mr. & Mrs. Randall Foreman  
request the honor of your presence  
at the marriage of  
Sarah Evelyn  
and Phillip Carruth  
on Saturday, the twentieth of June  
Two thousand and nine  
at three o'clock in the afternoon  
Crockett Road Church of Christ  
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*Reception immediately following the  
ceremony at Meadowbrook Country Club.  
Please RSVP if you will be attending the  
reception at 903/724-5794 or 903/549-  
3753*

If you have brought food to any church function or to a funeral luncheon, and left a dish, please look in the small fellowship hall. There are quite a few dishes in there on the table with no names on them.



**CONGRATULATIONS**

To Billie Sue (Owens) Bedford on the birth of a new great grandson, **DYLAN HUNTER SAUNDERS**. He was born on 5/28/09. He weighed 7 lbs. 6 ozs., and was 20 1/4 ins. long. His parents are Caleb & Kacie Saunders, and the grandmother is Cindy Hudson.

