

# Teen News

Good morning! I am glad to see you'll this morning. The one's who will be going to Praise Camp will be leaving this morning after communion. Please keep these young people in your prayers while they are gone and for a safe trip there and back.

Blake

## SINGLE ADULT FELLOWSHIP

The singles group will be meeting this Friday night, June 15th, at Bishops Brisket House at 5 PM . There is entertainment every Friday night in the mall next to Bishop's. Any single adult in the congregation is urged to come and join us.

## ANSWERS TO LAST WEEKS PUZZLE:

1. Mark 2. Luke 3. Acts 4. Revelations 5. James 6. Numbers 7. Job 8. Judges 9. Lamentations 10. Hebrews 11. Ruth 12. Peter 13. Kings 14. Amos 15. Esther 16. Titus



"If I send my prayer as a text message, will I get a faster reply?"

Our Lord Jesus gives us many lessons in [Luke 6:27-36](#): "Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, bless those who curse you, pray for those who mistreat you. Give to everyone who asks of you, treat others the way you want to be treated, if you love those who love you, what credit is that, sinners do this, do good and lend expecting nothing in return and our reward will be great, for God was kind to ungrateful and evil men." This is laying up treasures in Heaven. Matthew Henry says of this verse, "Our way of thinking makes us happier to do good to the grateful, but it is more honorable to do good to the ungrateful, for then we have God to be our paymaster, who will reward in the resurrection the just deeds that in life were not recompensed. If we never get a "thank you" from men it will be alright. Our prayer is we'll hear this from our Lord, "Well done good and faithful servants." Let us glorify God today, He is the source of all that we are and have.

Les Kovar

## WORSHIP

The key to an intimate relationship with God



## DOOR GREETERS

June 17, 2012  
David & Jennifer Sparks

## COMMUNION PREPARATION

June 17, 2012  
Billy Lane

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*School of Preaching*  
Hershel Bearden  
*India Mission*  
Ken Upchurch  
*Tanzania Africa Work*  
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Tipton Children's Home  
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Television Program

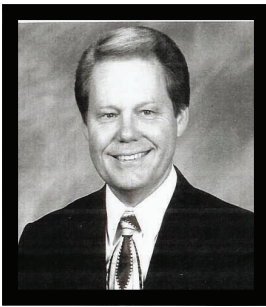
### ASSEMBLY TIMES

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

# REMEMBER

## Sunday June 17, 2012





**GUEST SPEAKER  
DAVID ARNOLD THIS  
WEDNESDAY NIGHT IN THE  
SUMMER SERIES**



***From Dan's desk:***

It is good to be back from vacation. We really had a great time and I appreciate those who filled in while we were gone. It was a great week. This Wednesday night DAVID ARNOLD will be with us to begin our Summer series on the subject "FOLLOW THE LIGHT." His topic is "JESUS IS THE LIGHT." He will do a great job. I hope that each of you will plan to be present for this great lesson. Our Vacation Bible School will be held this year on June 26th (Tuesday). It will be a great day, and if you can help with the event, please sign your name to the list in the hallway, indicating what you will do. We still need some who will help teach. Please consider it and help. God has given us yet another opportunity to teach young children about Him and His Will for their lives. We must do our best to impart the message of Christ to these children. Many of them will never know anything about our Lord, if we do not teach them. The young people are leaving for Praise Camp this week. Continue to pray for them while they are away. We appreciate the youth and their love for God and what they do in bearing the image of Christ in their daily walk. They will return on Friday night or Saturday. If you are visiting with us this morning, we are glad you are here. It is always good to see you and we hope you will stay for a while this morning if we have not met you before and give us an opportunity to shake your hand, give you a hug and welcome you to our church family. See you tonight. DAN

**PLEASE TURN OFF ALL CELL PHONES**



**TO KEEP  
IN OUR PRAYERS**

**PLEASE REMEMBER THESE IN  
YOUR PRAYERS:**

**BERNIE BAUR** was in an automobile accident last Thursday morning. He is bruised, but recovering at home.

**BECKY JOHNSON** remains a Baylor Specialty Hospital in Dallas.

**MICHAEL MORRIS** remains in East Texas Medical in Tyler.

**JASON GIBSON**, a friend to the daughter of Johnny & Carolyn Jenkins, stepped on a land mine in Afghanistan and lost his left leg and has injuries to his chest from shrapnel. He is a member of the church in Washington.

**HILDE SHELLNBARGER**, mother of Arnold, is seriously ill with liver problems.

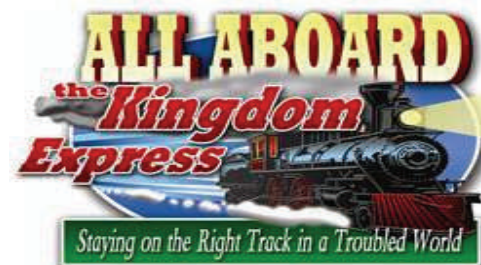
**ANGIE WERNER**, a friend of The Whitley's, having breathing problems.

**BOBBY BROCK**, a friend of Edna Higginbotham, have tests on his heart for possible surgery.

**REMEMBER THE SERVICEMEN!**

Blaine Kline, David Sims, Dustin Delsi, Jim Griffith, III, Tyler Griffith, & Joseph Griffith.

**VACATION BIBLE  
SCHOOL  
OLYMPIC TUESDAY  
June 26th- 9A.M.-1 P.M.**



**Make Me A Servant**

"The Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve" - [Matthew 20:28](#)  
"I'd rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God than to dwell in the tents of the wicked" - [Psalms 84:10](#).

As God's people our spiritual blessings go beyond what our minds can understand, [Ephesians 1:3](#), Blessed be The God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places in Christ." "And the peace of God, which surpasses all comprehension, shall guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus," [Philippians 4:7](#). We couldn't measure this if we tried.

In our country we can work to make a living for our families, we can live in nice homes, drive cars, have retirement incomes, good doctors and the blessings go on and on. All of these blessings come from God's hand, "But seek first His kingdom and His righteousness; and all these things shall be added to you," [Matthew 6:33](#). Do these blessings help us or keep us from being a good servant? "God comforts us not to make us comfortable but to make us comforters," John Henry Jowett.

Each morning when God allows the sun to rise, do we rise gratefully praying and asking, "How can I be a better servant today - who will I speak to about their soul - who can I help? Or, do I find myself settling into my daily routine not thinking about anyone else, "For I say to you, that unless your righteousness surpasses that of the scribes and Pharisees, you shall not enter the kingdom of Heaven," [Matthew 5:20](#). We didn't get these blessings because we're so good. God expects us to be good stewards with our time, talents and bank accounts. Paul told Corinth what they did for one they should be doing for the others. We can read so many things we should be doing such as: teaching, exhorting, giving, lending, and showing mercy and compassion.

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