



Northside Church of Christ

2500 Parrish Street, Waco, TX 76705

Building a community of Faith, Hope and Love; Where people meet Jesus and learn to walk with Him.

Schedule of Services: Bible Class 9:30am; AM Worship 10:30; PM Worship 6:00; PM Wednesday 6:00

Date: Sunday, March 25, 2018

Pleasing Our Parents

The Bible says, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased" (**Matthew 3:17**). The speaker is God the Father, through His Spirit in the form of a dove. The Son is Jesus, the savior of mankind. Did Jesus seek His Father's approval? I'm aware there are exceptions to the rule, but children generally try to please their parents. They seek approval and validation in those relationships and when they don't get a healthy amount, there is damage.

I always wanted to be just like my dad, wearing the same clothes, eating the same foods, and talking the same way. I wanted to be a builder and preacher like him! I wanted him to be proud of me; I still do. The power of a parent's influence is incalculable so let's be careful to support our children appropriately. No doubt, God wanted to validate and support Jesus in His ministry on earth, and let's not underestimate the good that did for Him as a son.

Consider the human factor, the fear, and the desire for comfort. Jesus emptied himself of Heavenly power and took human form, so He knows what it's like to feel anxiety over a monumental task (**Luke 22:44; Philippians 2:7-8**). What about us? Do we feel that kind of anxiety? Do we need that kind of validation and assurance from a father figure? Please read **Romans 8** and see the confidence we can have as adopted children of God. We can be heirs with Christ if we suffer with Him (**Romans 8:17**). Jesus received His Father's approval through obedience and so can we (**Hebrews 5:8**)! Will you obey your heavenly Father today?

Thoughts from Chris Wheat

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I Am the Resurrection

Introduction (John 11:1-44)

- How did Jeremiah do it? Every time he preached, the congregation got _____.
- Israel was entrenched in wickedness and idolatry; God sent them into _____.
- Jeremiah's basic message was to "take their _____" and accept judgment.

The _____ News

- The mortality rate for the world is actually _____ (Hebrews 9:27).
- We try to avoid facing this _____ in many ways...
- We have to be reminded of the bad news in order to truly _____ the good.
- When Jesus heard that Lazarus was sick He still _____ two days... why?
- We can all relate to Martha's helplessness in the face of _____.

The _____ News

- Here are some of the most _____ words of Jesus' ministry (John 11:25-26).
- He was not promising His followers they would never face _____ death.
- He was not promising He would never face _____ death either!
- Three times Jesus said God's glory would be _____ to them (11:4, 15, 40).
- Jesus turned His eyes toward _____ and prayed! (11:41-42)

The Good News and _____

- This story can help us _____ our own fear of death...
- We can tell the world we have an _____ for death. (Rom. 8:38-39; 1 Cor. 15:54-55).

Journal for the Journey

- When Lazarus walked out of that cave he showed us how our _____ can end.
- Are you prepared to meet your God? (Amos 4:12)

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THANK YOU

To Everyone at Northside, Mom (Pearl), Marsha and I want to say thank you for all the prayers, cards and concern shown by her church family. She is in Arlington more than Waco these days. She is very weak and not able to be alone. We will be back home every 2 weeks for treatments. Continue to lift her in prayer for endurance of these treatments & improved strength, all this change is taking a toll on her over all love of life. Again, we all want to send a big hug of thanks to all at Northside and Mom (Pearl) sends her love to all of you, her very special friends. Sincerely, Charlotte Taylor

PRAYER REQUESTS

Nita Winget, Matt Winget's grandmom, is home and not doing well.

Donna Blahuta had surgery and is doing some better.

Kenny Willis had successful Rotator Cuff Surgery and is home recuperating.

Cecil Holt is in Houston in the Hospital.

PRAY FOR

➤Ed StClaire, Danny Paschal, Evar Johnson, Larry Havard, Sr. Joyce Ross, Cotton & Charlotte Lindloff; Arthur Mae Maloy; Shela Havard, Lottie Washington. David Banda, Dick & Barbra Decker, Ed Fields, David Anderson, Karen Freyer, Bea Stewart, Sherlynn Erwin, Karen McKenzie, Glenda Tynes, Wendell Davis, Ronnie McDaniel, Nita Winget, Kim Bond, Leo Kirkland, James Lewis, Ronnie Branstetter, Emma Greenawalt, Eve Rasberry, Gene & Bobbie Southerland, Betty Mars, Horace Litton, Jane & Sam Munn, Allison Whited, Jackson Pratka, Charlotte Griffin, Lorene Allen, Tyran Williams, Donna Blahuta, Karen Weaver, Joe Cook, Joyce Cunningham (cancer), Dixie Frost, Kim Bledsoe (cancer) Tommy Cross (cancer), Sherril Polansky (cancer), Cora & Sonny Gore, Mark Hardwick, Ykela (health).

OUR SHUT-INS

The Atrium of Bellmead Betty Johnson, Ruby & Billy Evans

Lake Shore Estates Eugenia Olson

MARCH BIRTHDATES

Cherie Winget (22nd), Reggie Olson (26th), Johnny Henderson (26th)

OTHER NEWS

Today is the Pot Luck and Singing at The Atrium of Bellmead at 1pm. No Evening Services.

Bring filler for the Easter Eggs that we have.

Easter is Sunday, April 1st.

Wednesday Night meal will be Tacos at 5:30pm. There are signup sheets on the table.

DATES TO REMEMBER

April 1st Easter, bring filler for Eggs to hunt.

April 2nd – 4th work days for garage sale.

April 5th - 7th garage sale starting at 8am.

April 14th FAC reserved for youth night 5 – 8 pm.

April 15th – 18th Gospel Meeting at Lake Shore Dr Church of Christ (Wes McAdams) Flyer on board in foyer.

April 19th EEM is having a benefit event at Belton Church of Christ at 7pm. Flyer on board.

April 21st FAC reserved for Eastern Star. (Donald Holland)

April 27th-29th Rett's **Girls** Retreat.

April 29th Pot luck after morning worship. No evening services.

April 29th Singing at The Atrium of Bellmead at 1pm.

May 19th area wide singing here at 5pm. Snacks after.

May 27th Pot Luck after morning worship. No evening services.

April 28th FAC reserved for the Helperts.

May 27th Singing at The Atrium of Bellmead at 1pm.

June 16th FAC reserved for Shela Havard.

June 17th-21st Bible Camp Brady, Tx.

June 24th Pot luck after morning worship. No evening services.

June 24th Singing at The Atrium of Bellmead at 1pm.

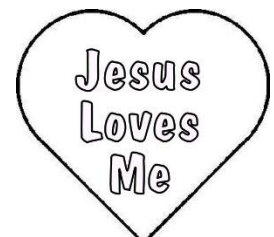
July 29th Pot luck after morning worship. No evening services.

August 4th FAC reserved to Kenny Willis.

August 26th Pot Luck after morning worship. No evening worship

August 4th Singing at The Atrium of Bellmead 1pm

Children ages 2-7 are invited to the front of the auditorium during the singing of Jesus Loves Me for children's time.



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10:30 Assembly

Welcome

Song Order:

178 – All Hail King Jesus
179 – He is Lord
356 – I Believe in Jesus

Prayer: Aubrey Minchew

Song Order:

218 – Blessed Jesus
18 – Faithful Love

Communion:

Nelson Moore Joe Saucedo
Mike Olson Grover Summers

Song Order:

103 – He has Made Me Glad
1014 - "Jesus Loves Me"

Children go to the front of the auditorium.

Song Order:

344 – Low In the Grave He Lay

Sermon by Chris Wheat

"I Am the Resurrection"

Invitation Song

943 – Do You Know My Jesus

(Opportunity for responses to the message)

Closing Prayer: Charlie Scott

**If you are visiting with us we extend you a warm
welcome!**

	<u>Week of March 4</u>	<u>Monthly Average</u>
Bible Class	<u>50</u>	<u>58</u>
AM Worship	<u>87</u>	<u>91</u>
PM Worship	<u>21</u>	<u>17</u>
Wednesday PM	<u>54</u>	<u>48</u>
Contribution	<u>\$3,690</u>	<u>\$4,783</u>

Northside Leadership

Elders

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Chris Borland
Aubrey Minchew
Nelson Moore

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Words of Wisdom



Pessimist sees difficulties in his opportunities;
the optimist sees opportunities in his difficulties.