



# 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, July 22, 2018

## Let Us Go...

*I rejoiced with those who said to me, "Let us go to the house of the Lord." Psalm 122:1*

I always thrill to the reading of these words from the Psalmist. For the Israelites, a pilgrimage to Jerusalem, the location of the "house of the Lord," was a joyous occasion. It just wasn't often enough that those who lived in the farthest reaches of Israel were able to go to Jerusalem to "praise the name of the Lord according to the statute given Israel" (Ps. 122:4). It was a privilege, a rare treat, to be able to worship God in His special place. Now, you don't need to point out to me that God doesn't live in a church building today; it is a fact that God has never been limited to a specific location. But maybe we've emphasized this fact to the point that we have lost the sense of "special privilege" that once accompanied a trip to "praise the name of the Lord." I fear that, for many, the Lord's Day and the assembly of the saints are nothing to rejoice about. You can see it when they arrive at the building – everyone is grumpy because they wanted to stay in bed (because they stayed up too late on Saturday night). Nothing suits them (from the temperature of the building to the Bible class teacher, from the song leader to the sermon) and they would rather be at the lake anyway. There was no rejoicing when someone said, "Let us go..."

We need, somehow, to restore the joy, to see again the fact that we are privileged to be able to worship our God. We must build in ourselves and in our children a keen awareness that there is something special about gathering with God's people to "praise the name of the Lord." It's not the frequency of our meetings that makes us lose touch with the joy. It is our attitude and our tendency to forget exactly how much God has done for us that strips away delight that ought to be ours when we come to worship.

What should we do? We must begin by reminding ourselves daily that God saved us through the sacrifice of his son, Jesus. By constant exposure to the Word, we must build again within ourselves a longing to hear it taught and expounded. With forethought and careful planning, we must develop in ourselves and in our children a feeling of anticipation about worshipping God. Talk about it on Saturday; plan for it; go to bed early in anticipation of it; get up early and spend the morning in preparation for it; put all else out of mind, in order to be able to truly rejoice with those who say, "Let us go to the house of the Lord."

Bobby Wheat

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## Christ and His Church

### **Introduction**

- If Jesus is the solution to sin why bother with church and worship time?
- Does the church have inherent value, and any connection with Christ?

### **The Building Plan (Matthew 16:13-18)**

- Who did people think Jesus was? \_\_\_\_\_
- Who did Peter say Jesus was? \_\_\_\_\_
- What did Jesus say He will build? \_\_\_\_\_
- Whose church is it? \_\_\_\_\_
- How many churches did He promise to build? \_\_\_\_\_
- Where did all the different types of religious groups come from? \_\_\_\_\_

### **The Purchase (Acts 20:28)**

- How can Jesus prove ownership of this church? \_\_\_\_\_
- To gain benefits of Christ's blood should we be part of what He bought? \_\_\_\_\_

### **The Foreman (Ephesians 1:22-23)**

- The church Jesus built and bought is also His \_\_\_\_\_!
- As God designed this body He put Christ as its \_\_\_\_\_.
- How many bodies does Christ have? \_\_\_\_\_ **(Colossians 1:18)**

### **The Bride (Ephesians 5:23-25)**

- Who is the \_\_\_\_\_ and why does the body need saving?
- Can you be saved by Jesus and not be part of His body, His bride? \_\_\_\_\_

### **Her Identity (Romans 7:1-4)**

- Is the church the Bride of Christ, \_\_\_\_\_ from the tyranny of her first husband?
- Where can we find the \_\_\_\_\_ marks of Christ's Bride?

### **Her Unity (Ephesians 4:4-6)**

- There can only be \_\_\_\_\_...
- Can we build and \_\_\_\_\_ the church of Christ today?

### **Conclusion**

- We need to be forever \_\_\_\_\_ and thankful for a savior like Jesus!
- Are you a part of His church today? If not, you can make that change even now...

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## THANK YOU

Thank you for the delicious meal you all fixed for us after my Beautiful & Loving Aunt Eugenia's passing from this life.

Maydene Wells

## PRAYER REQUESTS

**Ernest Turman** is in Hillcrest Hospital with pneumonia, room 420.

**Jordan Piesmyer** is going to have a heart procedure on Thursday, July 26<sup>th</sup>.

**Aimee Summers** is having some health issues.

## PRAY FOR

➤James Lewis, Felicia Ann Lambert, Terry Wiggins, Ed St Claire, Danny Paschal, Ever Johnson, Larry Havard Sr. Joyce Ross, Cotton & Charlotte Lindloff; Arthur Mae Maloy; Shela Havard, Lottie Washington. David Banda, Ed Frields, David Anderson, Karen Freyer, Bea Stewart, Sherlynn Erwin, Karen McKenzie, Glenda Tynes, Kim Bond, Leo Kirkland, Emma Greenawalt, Eve Rasberry, Gene & Bobbie Southerland, Horace Litton, Jane & Sam Munn, Jackson Pratka, Charlotte Griffin, Lorene Allen, Tyran Williams, Karen Weaver, Joe Cook, Joyce Cunningham, Dixie Frost, Kim Bledsoe, Tommy Cross, Sherril Polansky, Cora & Sonny Gore, Mark Hardwick, Joey Primeaux, Gary McDaniel, Larry Scott, Madeleine Anderson, Ernest Sanchez, Larry Lykins.

## OUR SHUT-INS

**The Atrium of Bellmead** Betty Johnson, Ruby & Billy Evans

## JULY BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Caitlin Markwardt (19) Lillian Bancale (20) Gale Cogliati (22) David Ellis (22) Lynn Pearson (23) Tricia Nehring (24) Corey Michalek (27) Phil Bancale (30) Carmen Moore (30) Mary Ruth Coggin (30) Beth Summers (30) Belinda Acock (31) Joe & Sandi Saucedo (22)

## OTHER NEWS

**Youth Devotional** will be Tuesday at 6pm.

**Wednesday night meal** will be hamburgers at 5:30pm. There is a sign-up sheet on the table.

**Next Sunday** will be Pot luck, Singing at The Atrium of Bellmead and no evening services.

**Singing** at New Road Church of Christ on Saturday, August 25<sup>th</sup> at 7pm. The Great Experiment will be singing.

There is a lost pair of **glasses** on the table.

## DATES TO REMEMBER

**July 21<sup>st</sup>** FAC reserved for Bancale's.

**July 24<sup>th</sup>** Youth devotional at 6pm.

**July 29<sup>th</sup>** Pot luck after morning worship.

**July 29<sup>th</sup>** Singing at The Atrium of Bellmead at 1pm.

**July 29<sup>th</sup>** No evening services.

**July 29<sup>th</sup> to August 1<sup>st</sup>** New Road Church of Christ VBS 6:30pm. Flyer on board in foyer. Registration form on the table.

**August 4<sup>th</sup>** FAC reserved for Kenny Willis.

**August 25<sup>th</sup>** Acapella Fest at New Road Church of Christ at 7pm. Flyer on board in foyer.

**August 26<sup>th</sup>** Pot luck after morning worship.

**August 26<sup>th</sup>** Singing at The Atrium of Bellmead at 1pm.

**August 26<sup>th</sup>** No evening services.

**September 3<sup>rd</sup>** Labor Day.

**September 30<sup>th</sup>** Pot luck after morning worship.

**September 30<sup>th</sup>** Singing at The Atrium of Bellmead at 1pm.

**September 30<sup>th</sup>** No evening services.

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:

159 – You Are My God  
590 – Jesus Is All the World to Me

#### Prayer: Phil Bancale

#### Song Order:

647 – Soldiers of Christ Arise  
548 – The Lily of the Valley  
287 – There Is A Redeemer

#### Scripture:

Matthew 27: 51 - 54

#### Communion:

Randy Eubank	Nelson Moore
Mike Olson	Joe Saucedo

#### Song Order:

117 – God Is the Fountain Whence  
**1014 - “Jesus Loves Me”**

**Children go to the front of the auditorium.**

#### Song Order:

409 – Savior, Lead Me

#### Sermon by Chris Wheat

**“Christ and His Church”**

#### Invitation Song

705 – A Common Love

**(Opportunity for responses to the message)**

**Closing Prayer: Aubrey Minchew**

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

	<u>Week of July 1</u>	<u>Monthly Average</u>
Bible Class	<u>54</u>	<u>57</u>
AM Worship	<u>106</u>	<u>96</u>
PM Worship	<u>24</u>	<u>23</u>
Wednesday PM	<u>46</u>	<u>51</u>
Contribution	<u>\$3,602</u>	<u>\$2,404</u>

#### Northside Leadership

##### Elders

Phil Bancale  
Chris Borland  
Aubrey Minchew  
Nelson Moore

##### Deacons

Randy Eubank  
Karl Helpert  
Joe Saucedo

##### Minister

Chris Wheat  
806-216-0342

##### Worship Leader

Chris Borland  
254-495-5508

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**Words of Wisdom**



It is better to wear out doing good than to rust out  
doing little or nothing.