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## Big Mistake

*[They] did not inquire of the Lord.  
—Joshua 9:14*

The Gibeonite delegation lived twenty-five miles down the road from Joshua's camp at Gilgal but lied and said they'd come from a distant land and wanted to make a treaty of peace.

Joshua and his pals eyeballed their worn-out sandals, threadbare clothes, cracked wineskins, and moldy bread—and took the bait.

Big mistake!

God had stabbed seven pins in the map of Canaan, marking seven nations that Israel was to destroy. "Make no treaty with them," he had commanded (Dt 7:2).

But Joshua and his men "did not inquire of the Lord. Then Joshua made a treaty of peace with them" (Jo 9:14-15).

Trusting our own observation, relying on our own judgment, and making our own decisions without inquiring of the Lord is a big mistake.

*If you're going to map your own future,  
be sure you do it in pencil.*

-Joe Barnett

*A Daily Walk in the Word:  
365 Devotionals That Can Be Read in Under a Minute*

## Welcome to Woodland Oaks Church of Christ

We are honored you have chosen to worship with us this morning. Thank you for visiting us today! We look forward to meeting you!

### Schedule of Services

<b>Sunday</b>	9:00 AM	Bible Classes
	10:15 AM	Morning Assembly
	6:00 PM	Evening Assembly
<b>Wednesday</b>	7:00 PM	Bible Classes

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**Elder of the Day** Scott Blake  
**Communion Leader** Brandon Smith

### Adult Bible Classes:

**"The Beatitudes"** by Mac Brockman  
Sundays @ 9:00 a.m. in the Worship Center Auditorium

**"Love One Another"** by James Parker  
Sundays @ 9:00 a.m. in the Worship Center Room A101

**"Have You Found True Happiness?"** by Various Teachers  
Wednesdays @ 7:00 p.m. in the Worship Center Auditorium

**"Young Adult"** (Ages 18-25) by Andrew Isherwood & Ross Riggs  
Wednesdays @ 7:00 p.m. in the Chapel Center C201

### Teen Bible Classes:

**"Romans"** (7th –8th) by Jordan Fontenot/Joshua Watrous  
Sundays @ 9:00 a.m. in the Chapel Center C-205

**"Ecclesiastes"** (9th –12th) by Scott Simpson  
Sundays @ 9:00 a.m. in the Chapel Center Auditorium

**"A Biblical Church"** (7th–12th Combined) by Jordan Fontenot  
Wednesdays @ 7:00 p.m. in the Education Building B-107

### Treehouse Kids Bible Classes:

0–1 year	A105/A106
2 years	A107
3–4 years	A108
Kinder–1st grade	A109
2nd–3rd	C201
4th–5th grade	C106/Magnolia Room
6th grade	A102

A **Facility Map** and other information is available at the Welcome Center.

A **Nursery** is available during Sunday morning worship for children 0-23 months.

For children 24 months and up, there is a **Training Room** available at the back of the auditorium, behind the glass windows.



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### Contacts:

**Faithful Fathers:** Chuck Bryant  
**Celebrate Recovery:** Nathan Ingram

### Missions

For updates regarding the mission efforts supported by WOCC, please visit our church website, [woodlandoaks.org](http://woodlandoaks.org), under Connect, click Ministries and Missions.

### Last Week's Attendance

#### Sunday, April 3, 2022

9:00 AM Bible Class	281
10:15 AM Worship	459 @ WOCC 217 Views online
6:00 PM Worship	175
Contribution	\$42,397.64

#### Wednesday, April 6 2022

7:00 PM Bible Class	222
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You may give online at:

<https://woodlandoaks.givingfire.com/>

Or mail contributions to our PO Box at:  
Woodland Oaks Church of Christ  
6700 Woodlands Parkway Suite 230-252  
Spring, TX 77382

### Budget

Actual unrestricted contributions through February 28, 2022 are \$255,075 compared with a budgeted amount of \$257,695 produces a deficit of (\$2,620).

### Notes

## Announcements

Congratulations to **Elliot & Kirstin Roberts** on the birth of their daughter, **Paige Avery**, on Saturday April 2 weighing 7 pounds, 15 ounces and measuring 19.75". Kirstin and Paige are doing well and are back at home. **Dave & Joanie Roberts** are the proud grandparents.

The **Education Building** does not have the approvals necessary for occupancy for TODAY. Therefore, please plan on attending your Bible Class in the same location as last week.

**Bible Bowl Recognition** will be TONIGHT, April 10 during evening worship. Please wear your Bible Bowl t-shirt and bring any awards or ribbons you received.

The **Faithful Fathers Class** has been postponed to the fall quarter.

**Vacation Bible School Preregistration is now open!** Please make plans to join us for VBS June 1-3 to learn more about God's Galaxy. Preregistration closes May 2! Volunteers are also needed! You can register, volunteer, and find more information at: [woodlandoakskidministry.com](http://woodlandoakskidministry.com).

**Family Camp 2022** is just around the corner! Save the date and plan to join us in Palestine, TX June 10-12 for a great weekend of spiritual growth and fellowship. Online registration is now open at: <https://bit.ly/36CcjhR>. Registration will close Saturday, April 16. The cost is \$125 per family (in same household) or \$60 per individual. See Brant Mathis for more information.

**Celebrate Recovery** is seeking a Children's Bible Class Teacher for one Thursday night a month from 6:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. This is a paid position. Please see Teresa Hermann if you are interested or have any questions.

**Beginner Pickleball** will meet Tuesdays at 6:00 p.m. beginning this Tuesday, April 12. See Robert Shock for more information.

The **Children's Ministry is Seeking Volunteers!** We need teachers for the summer quarter and volunteers for Vacation Bible School. See Matt Fitzgerald, Adam Fracht, Quinn Tolbert or Jenn Tolbert to find a place to plug in!

Please join us for a **Bridal Shower honoring Kelsey Hammons**, bride elect of Matt Egger, on Sunday, April 24 from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. in the Chapel Center. Kelsey & Matt are registered at theknot.com, Amazon, Bed, Bath & Beyond, Pottery Barn (gift cards only) and Sur La Table (gift cards only).

There will be an **Elder/Deacon Meeting** Sunday, April 24 at 4:30 p.m. in the Chapel Center.

The next **Congregational Meeting** will be Sunday, April 24 immediately following the evening assembly.

## Thank you

Thank you for your concern, the plants, cards, text messages, phone calls, and especially the prayers. They are greatly appreciated during this time of loss.

Robert & Debra Thompson

## Youth News

**Senior Banquet:** There will be a meeting for Juniors, Seniors, and their parents TODAY immediately following the morning assembly in room A102.

The next **Youth Invasion** will be TONIGHT immediately following the evening assembly at Cava (6700 Woodlands Pkwy Ste 170, The Woodlands, TX 77382).

**Tuesday Bible Study** meets at 7:00 p.m. on Tuesdays at Market Street.

Those attending the **Camp Hensel Spring Retreat** April 15-17, please meet at WOCC this Friday, April 15 at 11:00 a.m. Lunch will be provided. We will return Sunday, April 17 at around 5:00 p.m. Please bring money for a meal on the way back.

There will be a **SNL Devo** Saturday, April 23 at 6:00 p.m. at the Tolbert Home.

Save the date! There will be a **Girls Retreat** April 29 - May 1. The sign-up is now open at: <https://bit.ly/36HBsbv>. The cost is \$20. Please see Ellen Fontenot for more information.

## Bible Class Teacher Training

**Bible Class Teacher Training Program** is open to children in 3rd Grade-High School. This program is a mentorship program where kids are taught basic Bible Class teaching principles and given the opportunity to practice their skills in a Bible class. Class will be during Sunday evening worship on April 24, May 1, May 15, and May 22. Sign up with Mrs. Jenn.

## Children's

**Bible Builders:** Children ages 2 yrs-Kinder will be dismissed at the sermon during Sunday evening assembly to go "through the Bible in a year" and learn about how God has interacted with His people throughout the ages.

**Sprouts Story & Craft Time:** Join us every Wednesday at 10:00 a.m. in the foyer for a fun story, craft, and playtime!

**Friday Playdate:** Join us Fridays at 10:00 a.m. at Alden Bridge Park (or in the FLC on bad weather days). Open to preschool and homeschool families.

Our first **Bible Buddy Check up Day** is Sunday, April 24 during donut time and after Sunday church assembly. Please bring your buddy and your completed reading log!

## New Members

Logan & Tori Cates  
Hallie, Hudson, Hayden

## Expectant Families

Meredith & Bryce Caldwell  
Elise & Daniel Fair  
Ellen & Jordan Fontenot  
Lizzie & Mike Stegall

## This Week

Today	9:00 a.m.	Bible Class
	10:15 a.m.	Worship
	11:30 a.m.	Senior Banquet Meeting
	6:00 p.m.	Evening Worship
	7:00 p.m.	Youth Invasion—Cava
	6:15 p.m.	Bible Builders—Elisha and Naaman
Monday	4:00 p.m.	Pickleball (Women)
	6:00 p.m.	Pickleball (Men)
Tuesday	9:30 a.m.	Ladies Bible Class
	6:00 p.m.	Pickleball (Beginners)
	7:00 p.m.	Youth Bible Study
Wednesday	10:00 a.m.	Sprouts Story & Craft Time
	5:30 p.m.	Meal
	7:00 p.m.	Bible Class (Adult: Steve Baker)
Thursday	6:15 a.m.	Men's Prayer Breakfast
	10:00 a.m.	Community Bible Class
	6:30 p.m.	Celebrate Recovery
	7:00 p.m.	Basketball
Friday	10:00 a.m.	Friday Playdate
	11:00 a.m.	Youth Hensel Spring Retreat

## Upcoming Events

April 19	Men's Luncheon—Pallotta's Italian Grill
April 23	Youth SNL Devo - Tolbert Home
April 24	Arms of Hope Donations Due
	Bible Buddy Check up
	Bridal Shower for Kelsey Hammons
	Elder/Deacon Meeting
	Youth Invasion
	Congregational Meeting
April 29-May 1	Youth Girls Retreat
April 30	Men's Breakfast
May 1	Deadline to sign up for Elevate (\$50 deposit due)
	Sunday Social - Ice Cream Supper
	Congregational Singing
	Youth Devo

## Prayers

- ✠ **Elizabeth Tymrak**/grandmother of Jennifer Tolbert/fell and broke her hip.
- ✠ **Caroline**/niece of April Kerze/hit by rock at school and injured.
- ✠ **Dennis Daulton**/will have a pace maker procedure April 19.
- ✠ **Joanie Smith**/daughter of John Charleston/hospitalized with high blood pressure.
- ✠ Members battling cancer: **Chuck Birt, Bill Blumenshine, Rodney Burke, Don Gilbert, Cynthia Haney, Erica Lunn, Bob McDougal, Marty Miller, Joanie Roberts, Russell Smith.**
- ✠ Friends & family battling cancer: **Mary Aldaz, Phillip Bailey, Jennifer Woodward Banks, Paola Bejaran, Judy Chandler, Michael Dawdy, Steve Foley, Carey Fracht, Katie Freeman, Joe Guidry, Paul Hendrickson, Rita Huffstutter, Jerry Malone, Phil Martinez, Susan May, Andrea Finley Nelson, D'Ann Norwood, Meghan Rudd, Phil Sawyer, Tara Slusser, Jerry Smith, Raymond Smith, Don Stewart, Butch Stone, Nancy Stucky, Rose Talbott, Treva Vogl.**
- ✠ Please remember our members: **Mary Lou Evans, Bobbie Fellabaum, Skip Foreman, Bob Klemm, Cherene McDonald, Laurie Riggs, Janice Tadlock, Mary Williams, Michael Williams, Howard Yates.**
- ✠ Please remember friends & family: **Brenda Haislip, Joanie Smith, Elton Stubblefield, Connie Thielen.**

If you could use meals during times of need, please contact the church office at 936-273-0010 or [information@woodlandoaks.org](mailto:information@woodlandoaks.org)

**A cart for all donations is in the Worship Center foyer.**

The **WOCC Sharing Pantry** is in need of Laundry Products.

**Arms of Hope:** Diapers, Laundry Detergent, Paper Towels

**The Children's Home of Lubbock:** Men's White T-shirts (all sizes)