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Six Months to Live

*Put your house in order,
because you are going to die.
—2 Kings 20:1*

If your doctor said, “You have six months to live,” would your priorities change?

I’m guessing every day would be mapped for maximum pleasure and profit. But those words—pleasure and profit—might take on new meanings.

Earthly pleasure would mean little; eternal pleasure would mean much.

Profit relating to financial accumulation would seem small; profit relating to treasures in heaven would loom large.

Remember the story Jesus told about the man whose barns were bursting? He was headed into early retirement, saying to himself, “I have enough stored away for years to come.”

But the next voice was God’s: “You will die this very night” (Lk 12:20 NLT).

Here’s a sentence that will one day be true of each of us: “You have six months to live.”

*We conquer death, not by living long,
but by living well.*

- 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

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

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Elder of the Day Mark Freeman
Communion Leader Quinn Tolbert

Adult Bible Classes:

- “**Isaiah; God’s Greater Deliverance**” by Chris Wright
Sundays @ 9:00 a.m. in the Chapel Center Auditorium
 - “**From the Sermon on the Mount to the Ascension**” by Bob Klemm
Sundays @ 9:00 a.m. in the Worship Center Room A101
 - “**A Study of Galatians**” by Morgan Whatley
Sundays @ 9:00 a.m. in the Worship Center Room A102
 - “**Both Jew & Greek; God’s Battlefield**” (Young Professionals) by Michael Yanochik
Sundays @ 9:00 a.m. in the Chapel Center Room C106 (Magnolia Rm)
 - “**Everything We Need**” (2 Peter 1:3-11) by Various Teachers
Wednesdays @ 7:00 p.m. in the Worship Center Auditorium
 - “**Young Adults**” (Ages 18-25) by Andrew Isherwood & Ross Riggs
Wednesdays @ 7:00 p.m. in the Magnolia Room
- ### Teen Bible Classes:
- “**High School Bible Class**” (9th–12th) by Jordan Fontenot
Sundays @ 9:00 a.m. in the Education Center B-107
 - “**Jr High School Bible Class**” (7th –8th) by Nathan Ray
Sundays @ 9:00 a.m. in the Education Center B-101
 - “**Boy Bible Class**” (7th –12th) by Nathan Ray
Wednesdays @ 7:00 p.m. in the Education Center B-107
 - “**Girls Bible Class**” (7th –12th) by Various Teachers
Wednesdays @ 7:00 p.m. in the Education Center B-101

Treehouse Kids Bible Classes:

0–1 year	A103
1 year	A105/A106
2 years	C106
3 years/Pre-K	A108
Kindergarten	B200
1st grade	B202
2nd grade	B203
3rd grade	B207
4th grade	B208
5th grade	B206
6th grade	B209

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

A **Secure Check-in System** is active for children ages 0 to 4 years.

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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Missions

For updates regarding the mission efforts supported by WOCC, please visit our church website, woodlandoaks.org, under Connect, click Ministries and Missions.

Last Week’s Attendance

Sunday, July 2, 2023

9:00 AM Bible Class	368
10:15 AM Worship	Not counted@ WOCC
6:00 PM Worship	208
Contribution	\$40,675.65

Wednesday, July 5, 2023

7:00 PM Bible Class	230
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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
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Budget

Actual unrestricted contributions through May 31, 2023 are \$770,671, compared with a budgeted amount of \$700,338 produces a surplus of \$70,333.

Notes

Announcements

Congratulations to **Olivia Rodriguez** who was baptized Wednesday, June 28! Welcome to the family, Olivia!

Please welcome our **Guest Speaker, Jim Canfield**, with BICA (Biblical Institute of Central America Honduras) TONIGHT during the evening assembly. Jim will share a lesson and update us on the great work in Honduras in training disciples and planting and nurturing churches in Central America.

The next **Senior Saints Game Night & Potluck Supper** for those ages 60+ will be this Monday, July 10 at 5:00 p.m. Please bring a dish to share and join us in the Chapel Center.

The next **Men's Luncheon** will be this Tuesday, July 11 at 11:30 a.m. at Pitmaster BBQ on Sawdust.

Canoes are Needed for the Faithful Fathers canoe event. Please contact Steve Aloway if you can help.

There will be a **Faithful Fathers Canoe Games Event** this Saturday, July 15 from 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. at 10900 Buck Ridge Road, Montgomery, TX 77316 for all dads, grandfathers, boys and girls ages 8-18. Please wear swimwear and bring life jackets if you have them. You can sign up and pick up a flyer with more information at the Welcome Center. Contact Steve Aloway with questions.

Bible Bowl Sign Up is now open! This year, we will be studying The Life of Moses for Bible Bowl. We will begin our study on August 13. **Please sign up by Saturday, July 15** so we have enough time to prepare materials. Please sign up here: <http://www.woodlandoakskidministry.com/bible-bowl.html>.

Expectant Families

Katy & Jacob Britton
Angel & Matt Houser

Alix & Ross Randow
Tarah & John Splawn

Thank You

Dear Church Family,

Thank you for the food, visits, cards, and calls after the loss of my dear Tom. I feel so loved and blessed.

In Christian Love, Margaret Campbell

Thank you to everyone that has sent meals, messages and phone calls. I truly appreciate everyone's love and support during this time. Still have a long road to go, but feel like answers are finally starting to take place.

Thank you & God bless, Pam Sharp

Youth News

There will be a **Youth Invasion** TONIGHT immediately following the evening assembly at Freebirds (Lake Woodlands).

The next **Jabberwacky** will be at Champions CoC this Monday, July 10. The vans will depart WOCC at 6:00 p.m. at return at about 9:00 p.m.

The **Mission Printing & Six Flags Trip** will be July 21-22. We will depart WOCC Friday, July 21 at 8:00 a.m. and return late Saturday, July 22. The cost is \$45. Please bring money for meals. Sign up at: <https://bit.ly/MissionPrinting2023>.

Save the date! There will be a **Youth Group & Parent Meeting** Sunday, September 10 immediately following the morning assembly in the Chapel Center. Lunch will be provided. Please make plans to attend!

New Members

Richard & Cindy Smith

Wayne & Susan Carter

Prayers

- ✚ **Kay Leonard**/mother of Lance Leonard/brain tumor/surgery scheduled for July 14.
- ✚ **Sue Bogard**/sister of Jim Hodges/broken femur & in skilled nursing.
- ✚ **Lou Claxton**/sister of Jim Hodges/dementia & in nursing home.
- ✚ **Pam Sharp**/doctors are continuing to treat rheumatoid arthritis/upcoming tests/ultrasound for liver concerns/Please pray for good results for upcoming testing.
- ✚ **Tony Bloom**/knee replacement surgery scheduled for Aug 23.
- ✚ Please remember our **Southern Sudan Mission Team**. The team will be departing for Ethiopia July 14 and returning July 30. They will be teaching VBS to South Sudanese Refugee Children.
- ✚ Please remember our members: **Ann Gilbert, Karen Farr, Betty Fowler, Kaye Shock, Ethan Jetton, Bobby Joyner, Laurie Riggs, Jolene Rhodes, Tonnie Solis, Debra Thompson, Larry Voorhees, Mary Williams.**
- ✚ Please remember friends & family: **Alejandro Bloom.**
- ✚ Members battling cancer: **Tony Bloom, Bill Blumenshine, Bobbie Fellabaum, Pharis Fowler, Don Gilbert, Cynthia Haney, Cynthia Lockwood, Erica Lunn, Roger McDonald, Bob McDougal, Joanie Roberts, Pam Sharp, Janice Tadlock, Scottie West, Michael Williams.**
- ✚ Friends & family battling cancer: **Mary Aldaz, Joel Boone, Darren Brooks, Judy Chandler, Tesa Cornett, Dorcas Dillard, Paul Hendrickson, Melissa Hightower, Toni Mansker, Phil Martinez, D'Ann Norwood, Johnny Peeples, Jerry Smith, Barbara Starr, Nancy Stewart, Rose Talbott.**

This Week

Today	9:00 a.m.	Bible Class
	10:15 a.m.	Worship
	6:00 p.m.	Evening Worship—Jim Canfield
	7:00 p.m.	Youth Invasion—Freebirds—Lake Woodlands
Monday	4:00 p.m.	Pickleball—Women
	5:00 p.m.	Senior Saints Game Night & Potluck
	6:00 p.m.	Pickleball (Intermediate/Advanced)
		Vans Depart For Jabberwacky—Champions
Tuesday	9:00 a.m.	Pickleball (Intermediate/Advanced)
	11:30 a.m.	Men's Luncheon—Pitmaster BBQ on Sawdust
	6:00 p.m.	Pickleball (Beginners)
Wednesday	7:00 p.m.	Bible Class—Allen Isbell (Adult Class)
Thursday	6:15 a.m.	Men's Prayer Breakfast (Denny's on 1488)
	9:00 a.m.	Pickleball (Beginners)
	10:00 a.m.	Community Bible Class
	7:00 p.m.	Celebrate Recovery
		Basketball
Friday	9:00 a.m.	Pickleball (Intermediate/Advanced)
Saturday		Sign up for TX Bible Bowl Due
	8:30 a.m.	Faithful Fathers Canoe Event

Upcoming Events

July 16	Youth Invasion
July 17	Jabberwacky—Westside CoC
July 19	Quilting Group
July 21-22	Youth Mission Printing & Six Flags Trip
July 23	Youth Invasion
July 24	Jabberwacky—Fulshear CoC
July 30	Baby shower for Alix Randow
July 31	Jabberwacky—Jersey Village CoC
August 1	Men's Luncheon
August 2-6	Camp Awesome
August 5	Men's Breakfast
August 6	Congregational Singing
	Youth Devo
August 7	Jabberwacky—Hosted by WOCC
August 13	TX Bible Bowl Kick-Off & Practice Begins
	Youth Invasion
August 19	Back 2 School Bash
August 20	Bridal Shower for Megan Harris-bride elect of Reece Anderson
	Speed Fellowship
	Senior Saint Potluck & Game Night
August 22	Impact CoC Meal
August 27	Men's Breakfast
September 2	Congregational Singing
September 3	Youth Devo
	Church Offices Closed
September 4	SNL Devo
September 9	Youth Group & Parent Meeting
September 10	

A cart for all donations is in the Worship Center foyer.
The **WOCC Sharing Pantry** is in need of items for back to school: peanut butter, jelly, snack crackers, sandwich bags, snack packs, juice packs.

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