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## He Is Able

*I know that you can do all things.  
—Job 42:2*

Three doxologies in our New Testament include the words “him who is able.”

Now to him who is able to strengthen you (Rom 16:25).

Now to him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine” (Eph 3:20).

To him who is able to keep you from falling and to present you before his glorious presence without fault” (Jude 14).

If life has gotten off track, it isn’t because we haven’t read the right book or attended the right seminar—it’s because we haven’t tapped into the right power.

He is able. He is able. He is able.

*With calmness make the decisions you must.  
With trust leave the results to God.*

- 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** Raymond Walker

**Communion Leader** Kaleb Steinhauer

### Adult Bible Classes:

#### “Are You Growing Spiritually?”

by Mac Brockman—Sundays @ 9:00 a.m. in the Worship Center Room A101

#### “The Book of Revelation”

by Bob Klemm—Sundays @ 9:00 a.m. in the Worship Center Room A102

#### “Extraordinary Part 2 A Study of Acts: 13-28”

by Marty Miller  
Sundays @ 9:00 a.m. in the Chapel Center Auditorium

#### “One Day It’s Really Going to Happen: The Day Christ Comes Again”

(Young Professionals) by Kevan Taylor

Sundays @ 9:00 a.m. in the Chapel Center Room C106 (Magnolia Rm)

#### “People Watching”

by Scott Logan  
Wednesdays @ 7:00 p.m. in the Worship Center Auditorium

#### “The Bible Quoting the Psalms Book 2”

(Ages 18-25) by Andrew Isherwood  
Wednesdays @ 7:00 p.m. in Worship Center Room A102

### Teen Bible Classes:

#### “1, 2 Peter, 1, 2, 3 John”

(9th–12th) by Trent Tadlock  
Sundays @ 9:00 a.m. in the Education Center B-107

#### “Life of Christ”

(7th –8th) by Morgan Whatley  
Sundays @ 9:00 a.m. in the Education Center B-101

#### “Ezra, Nehemiah”

(9th –12th) by Jordan Blake  
Wednesdays @ 7:00 p.m. in the Education Center B-107

#### “United Kingdom”

(7th –8th) by Morgan Hughes  
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       | A107      |
| 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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Todd Watrous

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### Contacts:

**Faithful Fathers:** Chuck Bryant  
**Celebrate Recovery:** Tom Kernan

### 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, November 24, 2024

|                     |                                |
|---------------------|--------------------------------|
| 9:00 AM Bible Class | 395                            |
| 10:15 AM Worship    | 580 @ WOCC<br>204 Views online |
| 6:00 PM Worship     | 211                            |
| Contribution        | \$25,365.78                    |

#### Wednesday, November 27, 2024

7:00 PM Bible Class

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 August 31, 2024 were \$1,346,164.24 compared to a budgeted amount of \$1,276,924.64 producing a surplus of \$69,239.60.

### Notes

## Announcements

**Adopt-A-Family** gifts are due TODAY. Please bring wrapped gifts, labeled with the child's name to the foyer. See Jennifer Tolbert or Jessica Hooks with any questions.

**Men's Luncheon** will be this Tuesday, December 3 at 11:30 a.m. at The Stand at Hughes Landing.

**Congregational Singing** will be TONIGHT during the evening assembly.

The last day to mail out **Cards/Care packages to Ethan Jetton** is TODAY. All items must be mailed by this date.

Those signed up to attend **White Christmas** at the Owen Theatre will meet at WOCC this Friday, December 6 at 5:00 p.m. We will eat at McKenzie's BBQ and Burgers in Conroe. The play begins at 7:30 p.m.

The Senior Saints will attend **Les Misérables**, presented by National Youth Theatre in support of Callie Combs on Sunday, December 8. Tickets are \$15. Tickets will be purchased as the money is received, so please sign up and pay Krista Chapman ASAP for best seats.

All Ladies are invited to attend our annual **Ladies Christmas Gift Exchange** on Friday, December 13 at 6:30 p.m. in the Chapel Center. Bring a wrapped ornament or décor item no more than \$15 and a holiday finger food to share.

There will be a **L2L Boys Song Leading Class** for those signed up to participate in song leading for L2L on Sunday, December 15 at 5:00 p.m. in room A101.

Everyone is invited to the **Cookies and Cocoa Sunday Social** on Sunday, December 15 from 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. in the FLC. We will decorate gingerbread men cookies, while also having a cookie swap where everyone will get to go home with a small container of a variety of holiday cookies. This event is open to the congregation. Please bring a tray of your favorite holiday cookies to share with others.

## Expectant Families

Lindsey & Doug Peak

**A cart for all donations is in the Worship Center foyer.**  
The WOCC Sharing Pantry is in need of pasta sauce & canned fruit.

## Youth News

There will be a **Combined Devo** TONIGHT from 7:15 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. All youth and parents are encouraged to attend for fun, fellowship, and a Big Announcement!

The next **Bible Study** will be Tuesday, December 10 at 7:00 p.m. at the Watrous Home.

WOCC Youth have been extended an invitation by the Enterprise Boulevard Church of Christ to participate in their weekend **Youth Rally** on February 21-23, 2025. WOCC Youth deacons will need a RSVP by Sunday, December 15 (Extended Deadline) in order to facilitate planning. Find more information & RSVP at [basicyouthministry.com](http://basicyouthministry.com).

## Treehouse Kids

**Sprouts Craft Time** will resume this Wednesday, December 4 at 10:00 a.m..

**Dorcas Bible Class** (for girls K- 6th grade) will meet Saturday, December 14 in the room A101 from 9:30 a.m.—11:30 a.m. For more information, please see Jane-Ann Fleming

There will be **NO Bible Builders** for the remainder of the year. We will resume in January.

## Prayers

✠ **Madison**/granddaughter to Sam & Jill Bradley (former members)/ successfully delivered twin girls/they are expected to be in the hospital 30-35 days/continued prayers are appreciated.

✠ **Valerie Lowry**/Awaiting a liver transplant

✠ Please remember our members: **Lorene Burrignt, Dennis Daulton, Cleve McMillion, Laurie Riggs, Gina Talbott, Denise Tolbert, Betty Yovanovich.**

✠ Please remember our friends & family: **Ryan Bates, Shannon & Gary Ditterline, Lacy Hunter, Mary Lou McClung, Debbie Newsom.**

✠ Members battling cancer: **Bill Blumenshine, Tania Cantu, Pharis Fowler, Cynthia Haney, Cynthia Lockwood, Terri Lowry, Erica Lunn, Bob McDougal, Marsha Owens, Jeanne Riggs, Janice Tadlock.**

✠ Friends & family battling cancer: **David Bloh, Lisa Geerman, D'Ann Norwood, Erika Phillips, John Singletary, Sabrie Stamper.**

## This Week

|           |            |  |
|-----------|------------|--|
| Today     | 9:00 a.m.  | Winter Quarter Begins                        |
|           | 10:15 a.m. | Bible Class                                  |
|           | 5:30 p.m.  | Worship                                      |
|           | 6:00 p.m.  | TX Bible Bowl Practice                       |
|           | 7:00 p.m.  | Evening Worship—Congregational Singing       |
| Monday    | 4:00 p.m.  | Combined Devo                                |
|           | 6:00 p.m.  | Pickleball-Women                             |
|           |            | Pickleball                                   |
| Tuesday   | 9:30 a.m.  | Ladies Bible Class                           |
|           | 11:30 a.m. | Men's Luncheon—The Stand @ Hughes Landing    |
| Wednesday | 9:30 a.m.  | Quilting Group                               |
|           | 10:00 a.m. | Sprouts Craft Time                           |
|           | 5:30 p.m.  | Fellowship Meal                              |
|           | 7:00 p.m.  | Bible Class                                  |
| Thursday  | 10:00 a.m. | Community Bible Class                        |
|           | 7:00 p.m.  | Celebrate Recovery                           |
| Friday    | 5:00 p.m.  | Senior Saints White Christmas @ Owen Theatre |
| Saturday  | 1:00 p.m.  | Sarah Mayo & Matthew Walker Wedding @ WOCC   |

## Upcoming Events

|                |  |
|----------------|--|
| December 8     | Senior Saints—Les Misérables @ Lone Star College Tomball |
|                | L2L Debate Prep  |
|                | Youth Invasion   |
| December 10    | Men's Prayer Breakfast                                   |
|                | Youth Bible Study  |
| December 11    | Sprouts Craft Time                                       |
| December 13    | Ladies Christmas Party                                   |
| December 14    | Dorcas Class   |
| December 15    | Sign Up for Youth Rally Due                              |
|                | L2L Boys Song Leading Class                              |
|                | Sunday Social: Cookies & Cocoa                           |
| December 16    | Senior Saints Game Night & Potluck Supper                |
| December 17    | Men's Luncheon   |
| December 18    | Quilting Group   |
| December 21    | Youth Service  |
| December 22    | Youth Invasion   |
| December 23-27 | Church Offices Closed                                    |
| December 25    | NO ACTIVITY @ WOCC                                       |
| December 31    | Youth Progressive Dinner                                 |
| January 1      | Church Offices Closed                                    |
|                | Combined Devo—No Children's Classes/No Meal              |
| January 3      | Senior Saints Progressive Dinner                         |
| January 4      | Men's Breakfast  |
|                | Kylie McLeod & Caleb Myers Reception                     |
|                | Youth Service  |
| January 5      | Congregational Singing                                   |
|                | High School Devo   |
| January 9      | Youth Girls Dinner Devo—Whatley Home                     |
| January 12     | Youth Invasion   |
| January 14     | Youth Bible Study—Watrous Home                           |

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)