### **Schedule of Services**

#### Sunday

| 0.00 11.1 | Tuesday                             |
|-----------|-------------------------------------|
| 6:00 PM   | Evening Assembly                    |
| 10:30 AM  | Morning Worship Assembly            |
| 9:30 AM   | Bible Classes (offered for all ages |
| 8:00 AM   | Morning Worship Assembly            |

9:30 AM Ladies Bible Class (Starts up again Sep. 9th, dismissed for Summer)

Wednesday

7:00 PM Bible Class

Thursday

10:00 AM Community Bible Class

| <u>Sunday, August 31, 2014</u> |                     |             |  |
|--------------------------------|---------------------|-------------|--|
|                                | 8:00 AM Worship     | 234         |  |
|                                | Class               | 407         |  |
|                                | 10:30 AM Worship    | 340         |  |
|                                | 6:00 PM Worship     | 229         |  |
|                                | Contribution        | \$20,243.42 |  |
| Wednesday, September 3, 2014   |                     |             |  |
|                                | 7:00 PM Bible Class | 300         |  |

| THOSE CHOSEN TO SERVE TODAY          |                              |                              |
|--------------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|
| September 7, 2014                    | 8:00 AM Service              | 10:30 AM Service             |
| Hosts                                | Karen Hopper<br>Lisa Geerman | Karen Hopper<br>Lisa Geerman |
| Sound Booth                          | Craig Cox                    | Todd Watrous                 |
| Song Leader                          | Sonny Taylor                 | Sonny Taylor                 |
| First Prayer                         | Bryce Caldwell               | John Charleston              |
| Communion<br>Coordinator             | Pedro Salazar                | Clint Edgar                  |
| Communion Prayer                     | Anthony Rodriguez            | Steve Truitt                 |
| Second Prayer &<br>Scripture Reading | Mike Adair                   | Josh Nordgulen               |
| Closing Remarks                      | Gary Erwin                   | Butch Merriman               |
| Nursery                              | Krista Chapman               | Patty Yates                  |
| Lead Coordinator                     | Scott Blake                  | Larry Abston                 |



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#### Deacons

Involvement & Greeting Brian Lee Fellowship Tim Riggs Sound Mark Jetton Children's Programs Richard Hyde Ryan Coleman Administration Communication Anthony Dozier Building & Grounds Ken Purvis & Doug Tucker Troy Conrad & Chuck Bryant Local Evangelism Special Ministries Dan Gray & Nathan Ingram Paul Gidden & John Oliverio Foreign Missions Finance Jeff Fleming & Brandon Smith Youth Todd Watrous & Matt Hemphill Bradley Welborn & Kyle Gordley Sharing Quinn Tolbert & Morgan Whatley Education Bill Malone, Scott Blake & Brant Mathis Worship

#### **Ministers**

Pulpit Ken Stegall

Youth

#### **Bible Class Coordinators**

Pre-School & Elementary

Cradle Roll Jean Erwin
Adult Cleo Tarver
Youth

#### Office Staff

Gina Talbott Rose De Pena

# **Supported Mission Works**

Ron Clayton India
Tyrone Mynhier South Sudan
Benin School of Preaching West Africa
Mission Printing Arlington, Texas
Pat Scheaffer Adventures in Missions
Steve Austin Texas International Bible Institute
Ralph Williams Director of Development-Bear Valley Institute Extension
School Program

Uganda School of Evangelism Eastern European Missions Biblical Institute of Central America

# **Supported Children's Homes**

Arms of Hope Cherokee Home for Children Children's Homes of Lubbock Olive Branch Ministries-Peru Sunny Glen Children's Home Hannah's Hope-Cambodia



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# What Determines Right and Wrong?

The book of Judges warns about moral relativism, or behavior based on human opinions. The Bible teaches that the standards for human behavior are God-given. Left alone, humans will always fail to live up to those standards.

The phrase the Bible uses to characterize the period of the judges is basically true of every era of human existence- "Every man did that which was right in his own eyes." Society establishes standards of behavior based on majority opinion. For those of us who have lived on this earth for a while, we can look back and realize some things that were wrong are now considered to be acceptable and some things that were acceptable a few years ago are now considered wrong.

Morality based on public opinion is capricious. For example, before 1973 abortion was illegal in the United States, implying that it was morally wrong and hurtful to American culture. The famous *Roe v*. *Wade* decision of the U.S. Supreme Court of that year changed not only the law, but popular attitudes about abortion. It soon changed from being immoral to being considered by many as a basic human right!

What really changed? Did some wrong and sinful action suddenly become acceptable, just because a powerful group decided so? Did the universal truths that previously made abortion illegal suddenly change? No. American society changed! Americans wanted to be able to control the consequences of behavior in which we were determined to engage.

God's moral standards never change. Though societies and cultures inevitably evolve, God's requirements of righteousness never do. Society has the ability to exert extreme pressure on each societal member to bend to its whims; but Christians realize that God has an absolute, timeless standard of holiness that guides our lives.

"The right to do something doesn't make it right to do it."

-Ken Stegall

\*Credits to Encountering the Old Testament - Arnold & Beyer p. 185

# **Announcements**

# Women In Gods Service (WINGS) Dinner



Ladies mark your calendar for our WINGS dinner Monday, September 22nd. We will discuss many opportunities to serve as well as introduce the new women's ministry Heart to Home. Signup today for the WINGS dinner in the

#### Ladies Don't Forget!

- Last Day for Secret Sister Sign-Up! See the WINGS board for sign up sheets
- Ladies Bible Class Resumes Tuesday, September 9th at 9:30am. Pleas bring a salad or dessert to share in the luncheon following class.

## Last Day for Donations for Sunny Glen Children's Home

Donations of liquid dishwashing detergent and mayonnaise can be placed in the blue box in the fover.

#### Condolences

Lorene Burright in the death of her father, Gordon Lundquist, Tuesday September 2nd. There will be a memorial service at a later time.

Tyrone Mynhier in the death of his brother, Waldo Mynhier. Waldo died Thursday, September 4th. There are no funeral arrangements at this time.

#### Meeting for Parents of Pre-K to Kindergarten Children

There will be a meeting planned at 4:30 pm on Sunday, September 14<sup>th</sup> for parents of Pre -K to Kindergarten regarding Bible Builders and other activities. If you have any questions see Richard Hyde.

elcome to Woodland Oaks Church of Christ. We are honored you chose to worship with us this morning. Please fill out the attendance card in the pew in front of you and place it in the contribution tray. Thank you for visiting us today! We look forward to meeting you!

We invite you to join any of our adult bible classes:

'Radical Answers to Prophetic Questions" by Chris Freeze

Location: Auditorium

Assurances & Convictions: Their Faith, Our Faith" by Doug Dobbs

Location: Magnolia Rm.

'The Joy of Building a Christian Family" by Blondell Mack & Glenn Addison

20s & 30s i.e. TNT)

Location: Annex Room B107

"Christian Relationships" by Terence O'Connor & Robert Shock

(Singles & Young Professionals)

Location: Annex Rm 208

"Faith, Hope & Love" by Brandy Medford & Janis Stegall

(Women's Class)

Location: Annex Bible Builders Rm

"Minor Prophets" by Alberto De Pena & Pedro Salazar

Location: Main Building - 2nd Floor, Third Rm on the Right (next to the High School Classroom)

# **Announcements**

# **FELLOWSHIP SUPPER**



We will have a meal this Wednesday evening. Please join us for food and fellowship.

We are very happy to welcome these individuals to Woodland Oaks.

Venessa Flor







Mark Norton

Sara Rodriguez

Please be sure to meet and get to know these individuals. We are honored to have them as part of our family.

### **Thank You**

Dear Sisters & Brothers in Christ.

Thank you all so much for the thoughtfulness and love you have bestowed on my growing family. Looking at my new twin girls' eyes renews my faith in God at such wonderful things he helps create through your prayers. We are so grateful and appreciative. Thank you.

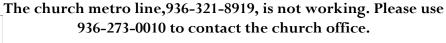
Your brother & sister, Nick & Cindi Stevenson

# **Thank You**

Dear Church Family,

Thank you all for the food, cards, flowers and for the payers. My family was very grateful for the kindness that was showed last week, when my brother Alfonzo passed to a better life. Thank you so much and God Bless all of you.

-Tonnie & Felipe Solis



Congratulations to Ken & Susan Coleman on celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary last week.



# MARK YOUR CALENDAR

| Sep. 14 | 4:30 P.M.             | Meeting for Parents of Pre-K - K | indergarten |
|---------|-----------------------|----------------------------------|-------------|
| •       | After Evening Service | Zambia Presentation              | C           |
| Sep. 21 | C                     | Smile for a Child Boxes Due      | FORGE       |
| Sep. 22 | 6:30 P.M.             | WINGS Kick Off Dinner            | Boo         |
| Sep.27  | 9-12:00 P.M.          | Bible Teachers Workshop          | 4           |

# THIS WEEK

| Monday/Softball | 7:00 P.M.       | Field #3              |   |
|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------------|---|
| ,               | 8:00 P.M.       | Field #3              |   |
| Tuesday         | 9:30-11:00 A.M. | Ladies Bible Class    | 4 |
| Wednesday       | 5:30 P.M.       | Fellowship Meal       |   |
| •               | 7:00 P.M.       | Bible Class           |   |
| Thursday        | 10:00 A.M.      | Community Bible Class |   |



#### EXPECTANT FAMILIES

| Crisanna & Bobby Hulett   | Iveth & Todd Freeman   |
|---------------------------|------------------------|
| Meagan & Cody Mann        | Tiffany & Mike Arnold  |
| Krista & Stephen Brewster | Rose & Alberto De Pena |
| Maegan & Brett Rodriguez  | Kelbye & James Osborn  |



## **PRAYERS**

- **Bert Johnson** and **Rudy Bates** (brother of Randy Bates)/cancer treatments.
- **Wim Prahl** (wife of Greg Prahl)/at home/serious heart issues.
- **Michael Priest** (brother of Marcia Mata)/MS and pneumonia.
- **Nell Love**/will have an MRI on her shoulder Wednesday, September 10th.
- **†** Lawson Freeman/recovering.
- Please remember Linda Alexander, Elizabeth Joan Webb, Liz Coleman, Margie Biggs and Velma Sparks

# **SEPTEMBER SHARING PANTRY:**

Bath Soap, Shampoo, Toothpaste, Toothbrushes, Kleenex tissues and any other toiletry items.





Please leave donations in the far stairwell of the Education Building.

# Impact Truck Coming October 3

If you have clean, useable items to donate to the Impact church of Christ, a downtown ministry; their truck is planning to come to our area on Friday AM, October 3. If you have large items, please tell the church office or Gary Tannahill so arrangements can be made for the truck to come to your location for pick up.

# Smile for a Child

Pick up your shoe box from the foyer, fill it, wrap it and return it!

