

Schedule of Services

Sunday

8:00 AM Morning Worship Assembly
9:30 AM Bible Classes (offered for all ages)
10:30 AM Morning Worship Assembly
6:00 PM Evening Assembly

Tuesday

9:30 AM Ladies Bible Class

Wednesday

7:00 PM Bible Class

Thursday

10:00 AM Community Bible Class

Sunday, September 7, 2014

8:00 AM Worship	262
Class	416
10:30 AM Worship	290
6:00 PM Worship	221
Contribution	\$37,916.65

Wednesday, September 10, 2014

7:00 PM Bible Class	262
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THOSE CHOSEN TO SERVE TODAY

September 14, 2014	8:00 AM Service	10:30 AM Service
Hosts	Karen Hopper Lisa Geerman	Karen Hopper Lisa Geerman
Sound Booth	Robert Slusser	Gary LeMaire
Song Leader	Sonny Taylor	Sonny Taylor
First Prayer	Ken Myers	B. Jack Wilson
Communion Coordinator	Joey Dawson	Larry Brabham
Communion Prayer	Bobby Hulett	Robert Shock
Second Prayer & Scripture Reading	James Osborn	Michael Yanochik
Closing Remarks	Raymond Walker	Mark Freeman
Nursery	Jami Mathis	Linda Full
Lead Coordinator	Alberto De Pena	Kermit Brooks

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Elders

Mark Freeman	Gary Erwin
Raymond Walker	Butch Merriman
Elton Stubblefield	John Rowe

Deacons

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

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
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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 Institue Extension School Program

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

Supported Children's Homes

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



September 14, 2014

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It Could Be Worse

Don't you hate it when you're right in the middle of complain- ing to someone about how hard you have it and they interrupt with some ridiculous comment about how bad they have it... as if their situation is harder than yours?

I always hated it as a child when I was complaining to my mother about something and her response was [something like], "Well, be thankful that you have something to eat... or shoes without holes... or a warm bed at night." She always said dumb stuff like that. She knew how to ruin a perfectly good pity party. She always said, "It could be a lot worse." She took all the fun out of complaining. Pity party poopers- they make me sick!

One of the things we are learning in our Thursday morning Community Bible Class is, regardless of how upset we are about what's happening in our world today... it could be worse.

We're studying the history of the Roman Caesars as the back- ground for Jesus' life and the early church. One thing is becom- ing increasingly obvious- As upset as we may get about the moral and social climate in which we live... IT COULD BE WORSE! IT COULD BE A LOT WORSE!

I'm not telling you to ignore the declining morals. I'm not telling you to not respond to this decline in whatever helpful way you can. I believe we have a responsibility to God, to our families and our society to publicly stand on biblical truth. But I am reminding you and myself- it could be worse... it HAS BEEN worse.

Let's consistently thank God for all his blessings. They are in- numerable. Let's pray that he keeps the evil one away from us. Let's pray for our leaders... and leaders around the world. Let's boldly speak God's truth with a loving attitude. Let's be light and salt and harmless as doves.

- Ken Stegall

Announcements

Women In Gods Service (WINGS) Kick Off Dinner

Ladies mark your calendar for our WINGS dinner Monday, September 22nd at 6:30 pm. Sign-up today in the foyer.

Please stay after evening services today for a Zambia Medical Mission Report by Patricia & Rebecca Osborn. There will be information regarding next summer’s Zambia Mission.



Thank You

Dear WOCC Family,

Thank you from the bottom of my heart for the cards, calls, prayers and visits that came my way during and after my surgery. This body of Christians is a wonderful blessing for those in need.

God bless,
Robert & Kaye Shock

Meeting for Parents of Pre-K - Kindergarten Children

There will be a meeting today in the Magnolia Rm at 4:30 pm for parents of Pre-K - Kindergarten regarding Bible Builders and other activities. If you have any questions see Richard Hyde.

Welcome 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
(Spanish)
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.

Welcome Alison Gail Christine Rich

Congratulations to Andrea & Michael Rich on the arrival of their daughter Alison Gail Christine Rich! She arrived Tuesday, August 26th at 12:55am and was 19in, 7lbs 3ozs. Everyone is doing well!



Farewell Party for Rose De Pena



Please stay after evening services, Sunday September 21 to honor Rose De Pena for her hard work in the church office. Refreshments will be provided.



BASIC Combined Devo

There will be a BASIC Combined Devo at the church tonight, September 14th. Girls bring desserts and guys bring drinks.

Blood Drive

Sunday, September 28th , 7:30-12PM in the Education Building.
Sign-up sheet in the foyer.



Leadership Training for Christ (LTC) Coordinator

If you would like to volunteer to help coordinate LTC please see Richard Hyde.

Maegan Rodriguez

Is expecting a little visitor, and we can’t wait to meet HIM!

Join us for a

Baby Shower

October 5, 2014 from 3-5:00 PM

At the home of Jill Gordley



Calling All Teachers: Workshop on Sept. 27th!



A Bible Teachers Workshop will be held on Saturday, September 27 from 9am-12pm at WOCC. All teachers as well as anyone with the desire to teach children are encouraged to attend. The theme is “Children’s Ministry with a Purpose: Intentional Choices that Engage Children,” and the guest speaker will be Jennifer Schroeder. Please register on-line or in the foyer. Child-care is available. Contact Morgan Whatley with any questions.

Smile for a Child

Please remember to return your box Sunday, September 21st!



MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Sep. 21		Smile for a Child Boxes Due
Sep. 22	6:30 P.M.	WINGS Kick Off Dinner
Sep.27	9-12:00 P.M.	Bible Teachers Workshop
Sep. 28	7:30-12P.M.	Blood Drive



THIS WEEK

Today	4:30 P.M.	Meeting for Parents of Pre-K to Kindergarten
	After Evening Services	Zambia Presentation
Monday/Softball	7:00 P.M.	Field #3
	9:00 P.M.	Field #3
Tuesday	9:30-11:00 A.M.	Ladies Bible Class
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.
- ✚ Kim Prah! (wife of Greg Prah!)/at home/serious heart issues.
- ✚ Michael Priest (brother of Marcia Mata)/MS and pneumonia.
- ✚ Nell Love/meeting with a specialist for her shoulder.
- ✚ Chris Brandon/had 3 screws to repair a fracture in her left hip. She will be at Memorial Hermann in The Woodlands Rm 4263 for the next couple of days.
- ✚ 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.