

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, December 7, 2014

8:00 AM Worship	261
9:30 AM Bible Class	338
10:30 AM Worship	244
6:00 PM Worship	265
Contribution	\$19,751.71

Wednesday, December 10, 2014

7:00 PM Bible Class	285
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THOSE CHOSEN TO SERVE TODAY

December 14, 2014	8:00 AM Service	10:30 AM Service
Hosts	Karen Hopper Lisa Geerman	Karen Hopper Lisa Geerman
Sound Booth	Mark Jetton	Todd Watrous
Song Leader	Sonny Taylor	Sonny Taylor
First Prayer	Bryce Caldwell	B. Jack Wilson
Communion Coordinator	Matt Walker	Larry Brabham
Communion Prayer	Bobby Hulett	Robert Shock
Second Prayer & Scripture Reading	Morgan Whatley	Michael Yanochik
Closing Remarks	Elton Stubblefield	John Rowe
Nursery	Michelle Leighton	Kay Dawdy/SC Fleming
Lead Coordinator	Brian Lee	Nathan Lockwood

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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	
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

Cradle Roll	Jean Erwin
Pre-School & Elementary	
Youth	Matt Hemphill
Adult	Cleo Tarver

Office Staff

Gina Talbott	Stephanie Freeze
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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 Institute Extension School Program

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

Looking Toward the New Year

We had two hundred thirty folks sign up to read our Bibles through in 2014. How many of us followed through?

Last week I preached the funeral for a lady who had been part of a congregation that started 13 years ago encouraging its members to read through the Bible each year. She was unable to complete the entire Bible this year, but she completed it each year except this one.

There are so many reasons that you should be consistently reading your Bible. One good reason is that it keeps you focused on spiritual matters. If you don't stay focused on God's word, the world is going to eat you alive. I've never known of someone who was studying their Bible regularly who drifted away from the Lord. It's easy to become discouraged when we're not regularly studying God's word. By "regularly studying" I don't mean simply attending Bible classes; I mean personally reading it so that you will be thinking about it during the day.

I know there are dozens of reasons why you can't read your Bible every day. Believe it or not, it's hard for me. Everything worthwhile is difficult.

While we're right here, let me encourage those of you who are not working on Thursday mornings to consider attending the Community Bible Class. You will get a background to help you understand and appreciate your Bible. This is a good time to jump in the class because we are about to begin a study of the New Testament.

If you have/will have finished reading through your Bible this year, sign the list in the foyer. Our Bible Readers' Banquet will be Saturday, January 10. Also, sign up to read your Bible in 2015.

-Ken Stegall

Announcements



February 6-7, 2015
Monroe, Louisiana
Register online NOW!
Spaces are filling up quickly.



BIBLE READERS' SIGN-UP LISTS

There are **TWO sign-up lists** in the foyer for Bible readers:

1. The **2014 Bible Readers' Banquet** list is for those who have, or will have, finished reading your Bible by the end of this year. This will be our celebratory steak supper. The date is Saturday, January 10, 2015 at 5:30 p.m. Please indicate on the list if you will be able to attend the banquet.
2. The **2015 Bible Readers' Sign-Up List** is for those who plan to read your Bibles through in 2015.



STOCK DONATIONS



If you would like to donate stocks to the church, please contact Jeff Fleming or Butch Merriman for details.

Sunday Morning Meeting Times For New Auditorium

- 9:00 a.m. Bible Class
- 9:45 a.m. Fellowship time (coffee/donuts)
- 10:15 a.m. Worship

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 plate. Thank you for visiting us today! We look forward to meeting you!

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

“A Study of I Timothy” by Sam Bradley
Location: Auditorium

“Evangelism” by Mark Freeman, Raymond Walker, Chuck Bryant & Troy Conrad
Location: Magnolia Room

“Bible Teaching for Families” by Marty Miller & Glenn Addison
(20s & 30s i.e. TNT)
Location: Annex Room B107

“Christian Living” by Eric Alarid
(Singles & Young Professionals)
Location: Annex Room 208

“Muscle and a Shovel” (Spanish) by Alberto De Pena, Pedro Salazar, Ben Winford & Rick Medford
Location: Annex Library (2nd Floor)

“A Study of John” by Nathan Ingram
Location: Main Building - 2nd Floor

Announcements



Our condolences to Neita Evans on the death of her mother, Katheryn Martin on Monday, December 8. The funeral was held Friday in Mississippi.

Dear Family,

Please express our thanks to all for the concern shown for us and our family in New York during my brother Bill's sickness and his passing.
John & Pat Charleston



New Member Party

Everyone who placed membership in 2014 is invited to the home of Flo and Marcia Mata today, Sunday, December 14 from 3 to 5:30 p.m. for a time of fellowship, sweet treats and welcome.



OFFICE SCHEDULE

The church office will be closed December 24-26, 2014 and January 1, 2015.

Items for the December 28 bulletin must be in the office by noon Monday, December 22. Items for the January 4 bulletin must be in the office by noon Tuesday, December 30.



BUILDING LOCKUP

LOCKUP Volunteers are needed to lock up the building after worship services. Please sign-up in the foyer for a specific service for which you would be willing to help with the security of our facilities.

Teen Calendar

Today	Young Men Lead Evening Worship
January 11	Combo Devo
January 16-18	Winter Retreat

Leadership Training for Christ

Thank you to Donnah Marshall who has volunteered to be the 2015 LTC Coordinator! There is still an opening for a speech coach.

DECEMBER SHARING PANTRY:



Packaged Dry Mixes: Soups, Sauces, Gravies, Etc.



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

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Dec. 24	5:30 p.m.		Potluck Meal/Devotional/ No Children's Classes
Dec. 24-26			Office Closed
Dec. 28	6 p.m.		Cory Waddell to Speak
Dec. 31	5:30 p.m.		Potluck Meal/Devotional/ No Children's Classes
January 1			Office Closed

THIS WEEK

Today	3-5:30 p.m.		Party for ALL 2014 New Members
	6 p.m.		Youth Lead Worship Service
	6:30 p.m.		Oaks Chorale
Wednesday	5:30 p.m.		Meal/Bible Classes—Parable of the Sower
Thursday	10 a.m.		Community Bible Class
Friday	10 a.m.		Little Lambs Play Group

EXPECTANT FAMILIES

Tiffany & Mike Arnold	Kelbye & James Osborn
Janna & Kevin Wilkerson	Jessica & Doug Decoux
Rose & Alberto De Pena	Ling Ling & Cameron Terry

PRAYERS

- ✚ Pat Charleston/outpatient surgery December 10.
- ✚ Dot Dawdy/recovering from fall.
- ✚ Patricia Blumenshine/successful knee replacement surgery December 4/recovering nicely.
- ✚ Margret Korner/mother of Mark Norton/struggling with gallbladder problems.
- ✚ Harry Hallows/father of Cherene McDonald/recovering from fall.
- ✚ Bert Johnson, Morgan Evans, Lawson Freeman, Kelly Malone, Butch Merriman/battling cancer.
- ✚ Please remember Linda Alexander, Margie Biggs, Liz Coleman, Caleb Cox, Mary Helen Foster, Camellia Jackson, Ann Johnson, Shirley Jones, Marjorie Lockwood, Georgia Meadows, Beatrice Myers, Kim Prah, Michael Priest, Velma Sparks and Elizabeth Joan Webb.
- ✚ Serving our country/Ashley Mize.

Thinking ahead . . .

The Impact truck is planning to come to The Woodlands on January 23. Perhaps you can start thinking about anything you might want to donate to this downtown mission. Watch for more information.



The Oaks Chorale Program



For about six years, The Oaks Chorale has worked very hard to provide each of us with recordings filled with inspirational songs. Thousands of these recordings have been given to friends and neighbors, spreading a message of comfort and hope.

Tonight, Sunday, December 14, following a brief evening worship service, The Oaks Chorale will present the latest songs they have recorded. We will end the evening by all joining to sing together. Make plans to attend and bring a friend!