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## 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 (Offered for All Ages)
	10:15 AM	Morning Worship Assembly
	6:00 PM	Evening Assembly
<b>Wednesday</b>	7:00 PM	Bible Class

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**Elder of the Day** John Rowe  
**Communion Leader** Michael Yanochik

### Adult Bible Classes:

- “A Study of Romans Chapters 1-8”  
by Ken Stegall Sundays in Chapel Center Auditorium
  - “The Gospel (Assurance)” by Raymond Walker  
Sundays in Worship Center A101
  - “Living in a Foolish World: What is the Wise Thing to Do”  
by Gavin Dao Sundays in Worship Center A102 (20s, 30s, & others)
  - “Read Through the Bible Discussion Class”  
by Gary Tannahill Sundays in the Education Center Library (B204)
  - “Questions Jesus Asked” by Scott Logan  
Wednesdays in Worship Center Auditorium
- ### Teen Bible Classes:
- “1 & 2 Peter” Senior High (9th-12th) by Jordan Fontenot  
Sundays in Chapel Center C201
  - Junior High (7th-8th) by Rick Medford  
Sundays in Chapel Center C203
  - “Guy Talk” 7th-12th Guys by Jordan Fontenot  
Wednesdays in Chapel Center C201
  - “Girl Talk” 7th-12th Girls by Ellen Fontenot  
Wednesdays in Chapel Center C203

### Treehouse Kids Bible Classes:

0-1 years	A103	1st grade	B202
1 year-olds	A105/106	2nd grade	B203
2 year-olds	A107	3rd grade	B206
3 year-olds	A108	4th grade	B208
Pre-K	A109	5th-6th grade	B209
Kindergarten	B200		

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.

## One-Liners

I like humorous one-liners. Here's a few:

Borrow money from pessimists. They don't expect it back.  
 If at first you don't succeed, skydiving is not for you.  
 When everything's coming your way, you're in the wrong lane.  
 Everyone has a photographic memory. Some don't have film.  
 What happens if you get scared half to death twice?

One-liners are easy to remember, aren't they? . . . or at least they used to be. (That wasn't intended to be funny.)

Here's something you might enjoy doing with your family during the holidays – Read one-sentence quotes from the life of Jesus and see who can remember the setting where the quote originated.

I'll give you some examples: Tell me the story where Jesus said, “Go call your husband and come back.”

Who said, “If you are the Son of God, tell these stones to become bread”?

Who said, “Behold, the Lamb of God.”?

Tell me the occasion associated with Jesus' statement, “Which is it easier to say, ‘Your sins are forgiven’ or to say ‘Get up, take your mat and walk’”?

Which two parables end with the line “He went out and sold everything he had . . .”?

Who said “God, be merciful to me, a sinner”?

Pick out some lines from familiar Old Testament stories and get the kids to join in.

-Ken Stegall

### Elders

Scott Blake  
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**Worship** Eric Kirkland  
 Bill Malone  
 Brant Mathis  
**Youth** Matt Hemphill  
 Terence O'Connor

### Last Week's Attendance

#### Sunday, November 24, 2019

9:00 AM Bible Class	298
10:15 AM Worship	562
6:00 PM Worship	195
Contribution	\$43,552.00

#### Wednesday, November 27, 2019

7:00 PM Bible Class

### Missions

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

### Budget

Through September 30, 2019, Actual Unrestricted Contributions are \$1,033,897 versus Budgeted Unrestricted Contributions of \$1,098,731 for a deficit of (\$64,833).

### Notes



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## Announcements

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

**Men's Luncheon** will be this Tuesday, December 3 at 11:30 a.m. at Mama Juanita's Mexican Restaurant on FM 242.

**Adopt-A-Family** wrapped and labeled gifts are due by this Wednesday, December 4 in the Family Life Center. More information available at the bulletin board in the foyer.

**Men's Breakfast** will be this Saturday, December 7 at 8:00 a.m. in the Chapel Center.

Please join us for a **Bridal Shower honoring Sarah Zgourides**, bride elect of Aaron Hopper, Sunday, December 8 from 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. in the Chapel Center. Sarah & Aaron are registered at Amazon and Bed, Bath & Beyond.

All families who have placed membership in 2019 are invited to this year's **New Members Celebration** Sunday, December 15 from 4:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. at the home of Rick & Brandy Medford.

## Prayers

- ✠ **Skip Foreman**/heart bypass surgery November 21/released from hospital November 26.
- ✠ **Georgia Meadows**/hospitalized for heart problems November 18/Mini stroke November 21/Methodist Hospital in The Woodlands/room 6038.
- ✠ **Debbie Williams**/mother of Anthony Dozier/car accident November 22/Conroe Regional Hospital/Room 408 (listed under Debbie Dozier)/Visitors Welcome.
- ✠ **Debra Miller**/hospitalized November 26 with pneumonia and a lung infection at Memorial Hermann The Woodlands Hospital/No visitors at this time please.
- ✠ **Gina Talbott & Mary Young**/were in a car accident November 24/both are sore and recovering at home/Gina has a concussion.
- ✠ Members battling cancer: **Tom Campbell, Cynthia Haney, Terry Hopper, Dean Hurlbert, Bob McDougal, Joanie Roberts, and Nancy Stucky.**
- ✠ Friends & family battling cancer: **Jennifer Woodward Banks, Teri Barker, Paola Bejaran, Jeff Branton, Fred Conrad, Emily Cottle, Mike Ferdinand, Tom Ed Gooden, Larry Hall, Randy Hicks, Mike Howard, Kathy Kaaiohelo, Jordan Love, JJ Lovoi, Jerry Malone, Mallory Mitchen, Malu Oliveira, Gerald Pereiro, Meghan Rudd, Becky Splawn, Leon Taylor and Marla West.**
- ✠ Please remember our members: **Ken Coleman, Nancy Palmer, Judy Perry, Don Raney, Nikki Rogers, Angie Short, Sonny Taylor, and Wally Westbrook.**
- ✠ Please remember friends & family: **Leslie Davis, Jerry Frye, David Jackson, Anika Matheidas, Leilani Palmer, and Brooke Allison Veale.**

## Youth News

There will be a **Youth Devo** TONIGHT immediately following the evening assembly in the Chapel Center. Please bring \$3 for food.

**Youth Weekly Bible Study** meets every Tuesday at 7:00 p.m. at the Market Street Starbucks.

**Girls Vs. Guys Night** will be this Friday, December 6. Meet at Bowlero from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. The cost is \$10.

**Youth Service: Demo Day** for the Education Center will be Saturday, December 7. Meet at WOCC at 9:00 a.m. Breakfast and lunch will be provided.

**Youth Progressive Dinner** will be Saturday, December 7 from 5:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. We will be traveling to different homes as a part of a three course meal. Please bring a gift to exchange (\$20).

There will be a **Youth Invasion** Sunday, December 8 immediately following the evening assembly at Torchy's.

## Treehouse Kids' News

Join Mrs. Jenn for **Cookies, Cocoa, and a Craft** on Sunday, December 8 at 5:00 p.m. in the Family Life Center.

**Sprouts Story & Craft Time** meets Wednesdays at 10:00 a.m. in the church foyer.

## New Members

**Marcus Strother**

## Sympathy

Heartfelt condolences to Jeanette Malone at the loss of her twin sister, **Janice Decker** Friday, November 22. The funeral was held Saturday, November 30 in Abilene.

## Expectant Family

Laura & Kevin Sim

***A cart for all donations is in the Worship Center foyer.***  
**DECEMBER DONATION NEEDS:**  
**WOCC Sharing Pantry: Personal Care Items - shampoo, liquid & bar soap, toothpaste, hygiene products, adult diapers, baby care items**

## This Week

Today	6:00 p.m.	Winter Quarter Begins
	7:00 p.m.	Congregational Singing
	7:30 p.m.	Youth Devo
Monday	7:30 p.m.	Pickleball
	4:00 p.m.	Women's Pickleball
Tuesday	6:00 p.m.	Advanced Men's Pickleball
	9:30 a.m.	Ladies Bible Class
	11:30 a.m.	Men's Luncheon - Mama Juanita's on FM 242
	7:00 p.m.	Youth Bible Study
Wednesday		Soccer
		Adopt-A-Family Gifts Due
	9:00 a.m.	Quilting Group
	10:00 a.m.	Sprouts Story & Craft Time
	5:30 p.m.	Meal
	7:00 p.m.	Bible Classes
	8:30 p.m.	Pickleball
Thursday	6:00 a.m.	Men's Prayer Breakfast@ Denny's on 1488
	10:00 a.m.	Community Bible Class
	6:30 p.m.	Celebrate Recovery
Friday	7:00 p.m.	Girls Vs. Guys Night @Bowlero
Saturday	8:00 a.m.	Men's Breakfast
		Pickleball
	9:00 a.m.	Youth Service: Demo Day
	5:00 p.m.	Youth Progressive Dinner

## Upcoming Events

December 8	Bridal Shower for Sarah Zgourides - bride elect of Aaron Hopper THK Cookies, Cocoa & Craft Youth Invasion - Torchy's
December 10	Ladies Bible Class Luncheon
December 12	Community Bible Class Holiday Potluck Luncheon
December 14	SNL Devo - Fontenot Home
December 15	New Member Celebration Youth & Bridge Kids Devo
December 22	Youth Invasion - Taco Bell
December 23-25	Church Offices Closed
December 25	No Church Assembly
December 31	Youth Event
January 1	Church Office Closed - No Church Assembly
January 4	Men's Breakfast
January 5	Congregational Singing
January 25	Bible Readers Banquet
January 29	Youngest Men Lead Singing
January 31	Men's Retreat
February 8	Sweetheart Banquet
February 14-16	Youth Winter Retreat
March 28	Guy's Conference
April 10-12	LTC
June 1-3	VBS
June 5	Girls Vs. Guys Night
June 7-13	Camp Bandina
June 12-14	Family Camp

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)