

<u>Elders</u>			
Gary Erwin	Mark Freeman	Nathan Ingram	Flo Mata
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Audio/Visual & Media	Mark Jetton Gary LeMaire	Involvement	Brian Lee
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Communication	Anthony Dozier	Sharing	Kyle Gordley Bradley Welborn
Education	Matt Fitzgerald Quinn Tolbert	Ushers	Kermit Brooks
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Finance	Jeff Fleming Brandon Smith	Youth	Matt Hemphill Terence O'Connor
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Youth	Matt Hemphill		
Adult	Cleo Tarver		
<u>Supported Mission Works</u>			
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	Instructor-Bear Valley Institute Extension School Program		
Eastern European Missions		Biblical Institute of Central America	
<u>Supported Children's Homes</u>			
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	

Schedule of Services		
Sunday	9:00 AM	Bible Classes (offered for all ages)
	10:15 AM	Morning Worship Assembly
	6:00 PM	Evening Assembly
Tuesday	9:30 AM	Ladies' Bible Class (September-May)
	6:45 PM	Young Professionals' Bible Study
Wednesday	7:00 PM	Bible Class
Thursday	10:00 AM	Community Bible Class (Preschool Childcare Provided)



Sunday, January 24, 2016		
9:00 AM Bible Class		NC
10:15 AM Worship		606
6:00 PM Worship		270
Contribution		\$27,873.10
Wednesday, January 27, 2016		
7:00 PM Bible Class		304

THOSE CHOSEN TO SERVE TODAY		
January 31, 2016	Morning Service	Evening Service
Hosts	Karen Hopper/Lisa Geerman	
Song Leader	Sonny Taylor	Sonny Taylor
Prayer	John Cheatham	Sam Bradley
Communion		Daniel Watrous/Rodney Burke
Prayer/Scripture Reading	Paul Gidden	Dan Gray
Closing Remarks	Mark Freeman	Mark Freeman
Nursery	Stephanie Freeze/Kay Dawdy	



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Spiritual Smoothies

I don't know who thought of putting kale in a blender and liquefying it and calling it a smoothie, but they ought to be put in jail! And adding a few strawberries and blueberries is a waste of good fruit. I don't even know where kale came from . . . but I'm pretty sure it wasn't in Eden! We won't even talk about what it looks like. And I don't trust people who say they like it. I can understand why folks on a diet claim it helps them lose weight—if that's all you have for lunch, one taste and you pour the rest down the drain.

My mother used to say, “You don't have to go all the way around by Aunt Sarah Jane's house to get there.” For those who are unfamiliar with southern euphemisms, that's a kind way of saying, “You took too long to get to your point.” Sometimes I enjoy visiting with Aunt Sarah Jane.

Here's my point. When it comes to religion, there are lots of folks who have agendas. They have personal reasons for wanting to believe certain things and they want it to appear to be supported by the Bible, so they throw in a few scriptures without regard to their context. If it's something that has popular appeal, maybe lots of other folks will join in.

Peter warns about “false prophets [who] secretly introduce destructive heresies (self-willed opinions) . . . many will follow their shameful ways . . . these teachers will exploit you with stories they have made up . . .”

The only safeguard we have against such false teaching is an unswerving commitment to God's word.

Just because you throw in a few strawberries doesn't make it fit to eat.

-Ken Stegall

Announcements


Welcome to Woodland Oaks Church of Christ. We are honored you chose to worship with us this morning. Please complete 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 Angels” by Elton Stubblefield
Location: Chapel Center Auditorium
- “Conversational Christianity” by Scott Logan
Location: Worship Center Room 101
- “Marriage: What Was God Thinking?” by Nathan Ingram (20s & 30s i.e. TNT)
Location: Worship Center Room 102
- “Selected Subjects Important to Young Professionals” by Robert Shock (Singles & Young Professionals)
Location: Education Center Room B107

child care A staffed nursery for children birth to 2 years is available during each Sunday morning worship assembly in the Children’s Wing. A training room is located at the back of the auditorium for ages 3 and older.

Children’s Service Project

 Please return decorated bags for the next service project to the Welcome Center today, January 31. See April Kerze for more information.

Bible Builders Meets Sunday Evenings

Ages 2 to Kindergarten—Room B106 Education Center
Children are dismissed during the song before the sermon.
This Week’s Lesson: Joseph
Memory Verse: Genesis 1:1—“God created the heavens and the earth.”



VBS—June 12-16, 2016

Leadership Training for Christ Practice Schedule



Event	Day	Time	Location
Bible Bowl	Sunday	6:00 p.m.	B107
Puppets	Wednesday	7:00 p.m.	B107
Puppets	Sunday	4:00 p.m.	B106
3rd-12th Grade Chorus	Sunday	5:00 p.m.	B107
Song Leading	Sunday	3:30 p.m.	Chapel



All LTC participants are asked to check the event board by the Welcome Center. Please make sure your name is there and that you are signed up for the correct events. See Donnah Marshall if adjustments are needed.

Announcements



Thanks to all for your expressions of care and love during my recent health issues. Prayers have been answered in that there appears to be no permanent damage, but we continue to test for the source of the problems. We continue to seek your prayers during this process.
In Him, Barbara Taylor

Urgent Special Need: One of our WOCC family members has a special, urgent need. **Wally Westbrook** is in dire need of a kidney transplant. He is currently on dialysis 10 hours each day, 7 days per week. A brief story (1 minute 43 seconds) of his need can be seen on the YouTube link below. If you know of someone who would potentially be willing to donate a kidney, please have them contact Wally or Ella Westbrook. Their contact information is available in the video or in the online church directory.



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pD15P7nmNvA>.



Hosted by BASIC Youth Group.

For Ages 60 and Over
Saturday, February 13
11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.
In the Chapel Center
Sign up at the Welcome Center.

The **Impact Truck** is coming Friday, February 26 to pick up items for the March 12 Garage Sale to support the mission of Impact. Smaller items can be placed in the east stairwell of the Education Center **before** February 26. Contact Gary Tannahill or the church office for pick up of large items. Computers and CRT monitors are not wanted.



Ron & Kay Crawford & Keri



Ladies’ Bible Class Meets Each Tuesday
Coffee and snacks 9:30—Class 9:50-11:00 a.m.
Loving childcare provided.

Topic: Women of Troubled Times by *Cindy Colley*



Men’s Luncheon
Tuesday, February 2
11:30 a.m. at Golden Chopsticks

UPCOMING EVENTS

February 13 Children’s Service Project at The Forum 10:00 a.m.
Sweetheart Banquet—Sign up today at the Welcome Center!

THIS WEEK

Today	3:30-7:00 p.m.	Winter Retreat (Youth)
	6:20 p.m.	LTC Practices (See Schedule)
Tuesday	9:30 a.m.	Bible Builders
	11:30 a.m.	Ladies’ Bible Class
	6:45 p.m.	Men’s Luncheon
Wednesday	5:30 p.m.	Young Professionals’ Bible Study
Thursday	10:00 a.m.	Meal Followed by Bible Classes
Friday	10:00 a.m.	Community Bible Class & Potluck
Saturday	8:00 a.m.	Little Lambs Play Group
		Men’s Breakfast

EXPECTANT FAMILIES

Katy & Jacob Britton
Amanda & Jeremy Worley
Rose & Alberto De Pena

PRAYERS

- ✚ **Gary Tannahill**/injection February 1 to relieve pain and inflammation in neck.
- ✚ **Youth Group Members**/Winter Retreat this weekend.
- ✚ **Phyllis Dell**/mother of Paige Waddell/cancer/hospice care.
- ✚ **Wally Westbrook**/procedure January 26 to lance growing infection on arm/ Room 468 St. Luke’s The Woodlands Hospital.
- ✚ **Tyrone Mynhier**/mission work in South Sudan/returns February 4.
- ✚ **Tom Campbell, Ron Cole, Michael Dawdy, Earl Hurlbert, Debbie Kroeschel, Kelly Malone, Butch Merriman, Lisa Middlebrook, Marilyn Pate, Harold Wade and Jim Weldon** are battling cancer.
- ✚ Please remember **Linda Alexander, Margie Biggs, Lorene Burright, Fran Cote, Caleb Cox, Mary Helen Foster, David Garza, Harry Hallows, Debi Hix, Peggy Hutcheson, Shirley Jones, Margret Korner, Nancy Lee, Marjorie Lockwood, Ronny Matheidas, Georgia Meadows, Carletta Moore, Bill Pieper, Kim Prah, Michael Priest, Gert Robert, Bill Walton, Joshua Watrous, Elizabeth Joan Webb, Karen Weber, Jimmy Worley, Amber Wright and Ellouise Zapalac.**

The latest Oaks Chorale CD “**Promised**” is available at the Welcome Center. Pick up your free copy today!



FEBRUARY SHARING PANTRY:

Canned Fruit, Dried Fruit and Peanut Butter
A cart for donations is in the Worship Center foyer.



Supplies Requested for Sunny Glen:
Paper Towels & Instant Side Dishes (Pasta, Rice, Potato)