### 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 (Off for Summer)	
6:45 PM	Young Professionals' Bible Study	
	Wednesday	
7:00 PM	Bible Class	
	Thursday	

10:00 AM Community Bible Class

<u>Sunday, May 10, 2015</u>		
9:00 AM Bible Class	440	
10:15 AM Worship	615	
6:00 PM Worship	280	
Contribution	\$26,259.00	
<u>Wednesday, May 13, 2015</u>		
7:00 PM Bible Class	295	

THOSE CHOSEN TO SERVE TODAY		
May 17, 2015	Morning Service	Evening Service
Hosts	Karen Hopper Lisa Geerman	Karen Hopper Lisa Geerman
Sound Booth	Sound Personnel	Sound Personnel
Song Leader	Chris Freeze	Chris Freeze
First Prayer	Gary LeMaire	Jim Butler
Communion Coordinator	Joey Dawson	Joey Dawson
Communion Prayer	Ben Brockman	Austin and Jace Aloway
Second Prayer & Scripture Reading	Doug Tucker	Richard Justice
Closing Remarks	Butch Merriman	Butch Merriman
Nursery	Jill Bradley/Keisha Lovoi	
Lead Coordinator	Nathan Lockwood	Nathan Lockwood



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		Elders		
	Gary Erwin	Mark Freeman	Nathan Ingram	
	Flo Mata	Butch Merriman	John Rowe	
	Elton Stubblefield		Raymond Walker	
		Deacons		
	Involvement & Greeting		Brian Lee	
	Fellowship		Tim Riggs	
	Sound Mark Jetton			
	Administration Joey Dawson			
			Richard Hyde	
			Anthony Dozier	
	,		Ken Purvis & Doug Tucker	
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	Local Evangelism Troy Conrad & Chuck Bryant			
	Special Ministries Dan Gray		ıl Gidden & John Oliverio	
	Foreign Missions Finance			
		Jen	Fleming & Brandon Smith	
	Youth Matt Hemphill		*	
	Sharing		y Welborn & Kyle Gordley	
	Education	-	Folbert & Morgan Whatley	
	Worship		cott Blake & Brant Mathis	
			Joel Blake, Ben Brockman	
			Chris Davis, Matt Fitzgerald	
		Bobby Hulett, Gary L	eMaire, Michael Matheidas	
		Tereno	e O'Connor, James Young	
	Servant Ministries	Visitation-Hospital/Shut-Ins	Tom Herrick	
		<u>Ministers</u>		
	Pulpit k	Ken Stegall kstegall@wood	llandoaks.org	
	Youth Chr	is Tomberlin chris.tomberlin@v	voodlandoaks.org	
		<b>Bible Class Coordinators</b>		
	Cradle Roll		Jean Erwin	
	Pre-School & Elementary	,		
	Youth		Matt Hemphill	
	Adult		Cleo Tarver	
		Office Staff		
	Gina Talbott	Stephani	e Freeze	
		Supported Mission Works		
	Ron Clayton		India	
	yrone Mynhier		South Sudan	
	Benin School of Preaching		West Africa	
	Aission Printing Pat Scheaffer		Arlington, Texas Adventures in Missions	
	iteve Austin	Tevos	International Bible Institute	
	Calph Williams	Instructor-Bear Valley Institu		
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Supported Children's Homes				
Arms of Hope Olive Branch Ministries-Peru Cherokee Home for Children Sunny Glen Children's Home				
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One of the most frequently used tactics of pro-abortionists in their attempt to discredit those who fight for the lives of the unborn is that "pro-lifers have no concern for the welfare of the mother and no concern for the welfare of the child once it is born."

- orphans.
- funds.
- orphanages.

That's part of what we "pro-lifers" do to help women and children and families. Now, I would like to ask you who are making this accusation, "What are you doing?"



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### MY RESPONSE TO PRO-ABORTIONISTS' CRITICISM

Hitler wrote in Mein Kampf regarding how to effectively persuade the masses, "It [propaganda] must confine itself to a few points and repeat them over and over." He cared very little if his propaganda was truthful or a lie. The only criterion was—is it effective? Abortion proponents have used this lie repeatedly. I would like to offer a brief rebuttal.

Here are a few things that Woodland Oaks church of Christ does to help these children once they are born:

• We have multiple families who have/are in the process of adopting "unwanted children." For the record, and contrary to accusations otherwise, the majority of those children are not blue-eyed, pink-skinned, problem-free babies!

• We have adoptive parents who have founded an orphanage in an Asian country. This orphanage is supported by private funds from Christians. It accepts no government funds. It currently provides a home for 40

• This congregation sends a significant amount of funds to an orphanage in Peru which provides for over 600 orphans. It accepts no government

• Not only does this church help fund these orphanages, numerous members travel—at their own expense—multiple times per year to be with these children.

• We collect food and contribute monthly to five orphanages in the states. Our youth frequently spend summer vacation time serving at these

Regarding the accusation that we do not care about the plight of women who find themselves pregnant and are unable to cope:

• More than 30 of our members recently attended (and generously contributed to) a fund-raising event to assist women in this area who find themselves in a "crisis pregnancy."

• Annually we distribute baby bottles to members who generously fill them with cash and checks to purchase needed supplies for pregnant women and these babies who need help.

• We also maintain a food pantry and a portion of our church's financial budget to assist families in difficult times.

-Ken Stegall

#### Announcements Announcements May 24 elcome to Woodland Oaks Church of Christ. We are Welcome, Visitors! Visitor May 25 honored you chose to worship with us this morning. Please fill out the *All visitors are invited to be our guests for lunch today in the* Luncheon May 30 attendance card in the pew in front of you and place it in the contribu-Chapel following the morning worship assembly. We look May 31 8:0 tion plate. Thank you for visiting us today! We look forward to meeting you! forward to meeting and spending time with you! We invite you to join any of our Adult Bible Classes: Dear WOCC, 'Noah & the Great Flood" by Elton Stubblefield Location: Chapel Center Auditorium This is a little late of a thank you, but thank you for the Bible and Today "Evangelism" by Mark Freeman, Raymond Walker all of the sweet hugs, smiles and cards! Also thank you for helping Location: Education Center Room B107 me grow in Christ. Dism THANK "Ecclesiastes: Purpose & Wisdom in Today's World" by Michael Matheidas Love, (20s & 30s i.e. TNT) Monday YOU! Cambry Trout Location: Worship Center Room 102 Tuesday "A Study of Romans" by Ken Stegall (Singles & Young Professionals) Dear Woodland Oaks Church of Christ, Wednesday Location: Chapel Center Magnolia Room Thank you guys so much for all the donations from the church Spanish Speaking Class by Alberto De Pena, Pedro Salazar, Ben Winford & Rick Medford that went to my mission trip to Aruba. It meant the world and I Thursday Location: Education Center Library (2nd Floor) can't wait to share my story with y'all once I am back! "Everything You Always Wanted to Know about Prayer but Were Afraid to Ask" Love, by Sam Bradley Friday Location: Worship Center Room 101 Christelle Nordgulen **SYMPATHY Bible Builders** Ages 2 to Kindergarten Carolyn Gerhart, the grandmother of Kaelynn Prichard, died Room B106 Education Center May 12. Mrs. Gerhart and her husband attended Hidden Children will be dismissed during the song before the sermon. Valley Church of Christ for many years. Tonight's Lesson: Daniel Memory Verse: Daniel 3:17 "... the God we serve is able to deliver us ... ' Sunday, May 31 **GIVE** BLOOD kids stayed home. 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. **Education Center Lobby** VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL Sign up soon in the foyer for a time slot. June 14-18, 2015 Contact Kyle Gordley with questions. **Register Online!** www.vacationbibleschool.com/woodlandoaks Order audio of the current sermon series, Be Filled with the Spirit, Everyone who would like to help with this year's Vacation at the Welcome Center. Bible School is asked to attend a meeting May 24 at 5:00 p.m. in the Chapel. See Trisha Hyde for more information. Parents of 7th-12th Graders! Please read the BASIC Bulletin for **REGISTER TODAY!!!** uth Ministry Bulleti

9th Annual WOCC Family Camp June 26-28!



Register through May 31 on the WOCC website and drop your check (\$100/family or \$50/individual) into the collection plate with the note "family camp" in the memo. Contact Ryan Coleman for more information.

# ner kick-off

details on youth activities.

Incoming 7th Graders! Join the BASIC Youth **Group** at the Summer Kickoff Cookout and Devo at Alden Bridge Park, May 30 from 6-9 p.m.



MARK YOUR CALENDAR				
5:00 p.m.	VBS Volunteer Meeting			
	Church Office Closed for Memorial Day			
6:00-9:00 p.m.	BASIC Summer Kick-Off Cookout & Devo			
00 a.m12:00 p.m.	Blood Drive			
3:00-8:00 p.m.	BASIC SNL @ Highland Heights			
THIS WEEK				
	Chris Tomberlin Preaching			
	VISITOR LUNCHEON			
nissed before sermon	Bible Builders			
4:00-6:00 p.m.	BASIC Open Gym			
11:30 a.m.	Men's Luncheon at Guadalajara			
6:45 p.m.	Young Professionals' Bible Study			
5:30 p.m.	Meal			
7:00 p.m.	Bible Classes			
10:00 a.m.	Community Bible Class			
12:00 p.m.	Golden Agers Lunch Bunch at Jason's			
10:00 a.m.	Little Lambs Play Group			

# **EXPECTANT FAMILIES**

Janna & Kevin Wilkerson Beth & James Stevens Candice & Matt Fitzgerald



Laura & Kevin Sim Mayra & Trent Tadlock

## PRAYERS

David Sparks/left for Ukraine adoption proceedings May 10/Chelsea and

**Harold Wade**/pacemaker/defibrillator surgery May 11.

Bill Pieper/husband of Joyce Pieper/carotid surgery May 8/Room 764 East Tower/TIRR Memorial Hermann The Woodlands.

<sup>†</sup> Jim Butler, Larry Echols, Morgan Evans, Kelly Malone, Butch Merriman, Harold Wade, James Welch/battling cancer.

Please remember Linda Alexander, Margie Biggs, Liz Coleman, Fran Cote, Caleb Cox, Mary Helen Foster, Pharis and Betty Fowler, Harry Hallows, Camellia Jackson, Shirley Jones, John Kody, Margret Korner, Marjorie Lockwood, Georgia Meadows, Beatrice Myers, Kim Prahl, Michael Priest, Elizabeth Joan Webb and Ellouise Zapalac.



**Golden Agers Lunch Bunch** May 21, 12:00 p.m. at Jason's Deli

MAY SHARING PANTRY:

Plain Pasta, Jarred and Canned Pasta Sauce.

Please leave donations in the stairwell of the Education Center.