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WOODLAND OAKS

CHURCH of CHRIST

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OUR VALENTINES

Among the earliest records of the observance of Valentine's Day was the honoring of Christians " whose names are justly revered among men, but whose acts are known only to God." It is in this light that today we honor a group of Christians among us:

Many different words are used to describe the different stages of life that we all experience—such as childhood, youth, middle-age and senior citizen. How these stages are identified tends to change, depending on who is using the word!!! At age **fifty-five**, one might be a bit resistant to being called a "senior citizen" until he begins to discover that small discounts are his entitlement at some stores. Then at age **sixty-five** when SS and MC kick in, things look better!! So we have taken the liberty of coining a word for a category of our men and women who have been around the longest. The age of **eighty-plus** has arbitrarily been chosen to designate eighteen of our family members as 'SUPER-SENIORS' for their long tenure in life and service to the church. In the aggregate, these folks, including two ladies who died recently, account for a total of 736 years of married life. The five men served a total of 99 years as appointed Elders of their congregations. These, and many additional accomplishments, are significant and are to be applauded.

Listed here, along with their birth year (with their permission), are the names of these fellow Christians, so that younger generations might respond to the admonition to " *rise up before the hoary head, and honor the face of the old man...*" (Leviticus 19:32). Also, the names of two of our most recently deceased are included:

Bob Atkinson 1922	Olga Miller 1914
Joy Atkinson 1925	Beatrice Myers 1914
Clora Heath 1925	Bogan Smith 1924
Shirley Jones 1929	Carolyn Smith 1924
Nick Kosmitis 1927	Bob Stephens 1918
Mary Kosmitis 1930	Anthia Stephens 1920
Bill (TN) Malone 1926	Louise Stubblefield 1913 (died 12/6/2009)
Robbye Malone 1930	Dorothy Williams 1921 (died 12/25/2008)
Louise McGehee 1929	Mina Williams 1922
Georgia Meadows 1925	Jimmy Worley 1924

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

SUNDAY
 BIBLE CLASS 9:30 AM
 MORNING WORSHIP 8:00 & 10:30 AM
 EVENING WORSHIP 6:00 PM

TUESDAY
 LADIES BIBLE CLASS 9:30 AM

WEDNESDAY
 BIBLE CLASS 7:00 PM

THURSDAY
 COMMUNITY BIBLE CLASS 10:00 AM

WHERE TO FIND US

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BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS DUE
BY 12 NOON EACH THURSDAY.

**PLEASE
PUT YOUR
COMPLETED
ATTENDANCE CARD
IN THE
COLLECTION PLATE**

Please join us for
a service at
SILVERADO
ALZHEIMERS
HOME
today at 2 PM.

Impact Truck Coming Friday 2/26

The Impact church of Christ, primarily a inner city mission to low-income and homeless people, is planning a garage sale on March 13th; last year over \$40,000 was raised by this sale at Trader's Village. If you have garage sale items you want to donate, please let the church office or Gary Tannahill know before 2/25.

SAVE THE DATE

Family Camp

June 25—27



WELCOME

Please make welcome our new members:

Raymond & Nancy Walker

Take a moment to introduce yourself and get to know them.

If you, or someone you are aware of, needs food to get you through a time of need, please notify the church office so we can call the appropriate people.

CHILDREN'S HOMES COMING

Woodland Oaks Church of Christ supports Medina Children's Home in Medina, Texas and Sunny Glen Children's Home in San Benito, Texas. Representatives of the homes will be in Houston during the first week of March to collect food and other items. Please consider bringing the following items to WOCC to meet their needs.

Medina Children's Home: 1) salad dressing and 2) Ritz crackers.

Sunny Glen Children's Home: 1) diapers (4-5), 2) liquid laundry detergent, and 3) liquid fabric softener.

Marked boxes will be placed in the Church Foyer for your contributions.

Thank you for your help.

SIGNUP FOR READING YOUR BIBLE IN 2010

The sign up sheets to commit to reading the Bible in 2010 are in the foyer. Please stop by and add your name to the list of those who plan to complete their reading of the Bible in this coming year. The schedule for the bible readings will be in the bulletin (usually on the Church Happenings insert) every week, as well as on the web site. **There are also copies of the schedule for the year in the foyer.**



Join us for a Bridal Shower

Honoring COURTNEY EGGER

Bride-elect of SHAD WORLEY

February 21st from 2—4 PM

At the home of Lindy Ingram



Courtney is registered at Target, J. C. Penney, and Bed, Bath, & Beyond.

LADIES' CLASS PROJECT

The WOCC Ladies' Bible Class asks for your help as we collect items to be used by the Zambia Medical Mission team in July. We need baby blankets made from one yard of brightly colored cotton fabric for Clean Delivery Kits. A Zambian woman is 13 times more likely to survive her labor and delivery if she uses one of these kits. We also need Tylenol for adults, children and babies, cough drops, and eye glasses. Other items are listed on the display board in the foyer. Please see Sandra Jetton or Joyce Pieper if you have any questions. *"And do not neglect doing good and sharing, for with such sacrifices God is pleased."* Heb. 13:16.

BIBLE BUILDERS

Don't forget BIBLE BUILDERS, meeting Sunday evenings during worship. This is for children 2 years old through kindergarten.



This week's memory verse is

Matthew 5:4 "for they shall be comforted..."

CHOOSE.



Ladies' Day

9AM-2PM

Saturday, February 20th
Woodland Oaks Building

Speaker

Gilda Shelby

Registration: In the foyer, Jan. 31, Feb. 7 and 14

Cost: Your Choice

Sign up to bring something for lunch OR \$10



Dear Woodland Oaks Family,

You will never know how much we have appreciated your prayers, the beautiful flowers, the cards, phone calls, food and visits we have received during my surgery and recovery.

Your thoughtfulness, encouragement and support has helped us get through one of the hardest times we've ever faced. I'm not sure how people get through these types of trials without such a loving spiritual family. We are so thankful for our's.

Love,
Amanda Worley

Dear Woodland Oaks Church of Christ,

Thank you so much for blessing our Cub Scouts with the use of your building each week. It is such a generous gift to our group each year and is very appreciated. May God continue to bless your church as you serve Him this year.



Blessings,
Alicia Derheim
Pack 1945 Treasurer

PERU 2010

Planning is underway for this summer's mission trip to Lima, Peru and the orphanage. The children are looking forward to our visit. Last year 62 people went to work with the children. For those of us from Woodland Oaks we are able to talk and visit with our missionary, Mario Calle. Please consider this opportunity of a lifetime.

The date for the trip is July 17-25th. A \$300 deposit is due by February 14th. The total cost of the trip will be determined when we have the airfare set which should be soon. If you are interested in a side trip to Cusco the return date is July 28 and there is an additional fee of approximately \$750. Due to the popularity of this work there is limited space on the trip.



Men's Softball Season Starts TOMORROW

Yep, it's time to dust off the cleats, oil the glove, and stretch those arms and legs. The start of the men's softball Spring season has finally arrived. We have gathered several players (veterans and newbies) but it's never too late to join. Our first games will be tomorrow **Monday, February 15!** I should know game times by today (Sunday). If you are interested in playing softball, please contact me, Paul Gidden. Come join us for Christian fellowship and getting some of that physical activity we all need.

PUT GENTLY USED SPORTS EQUIPMENT TO GOOD USE!

The son of our Ladies' Day speaker, Gilda Shelby, works with an organization in Rwanda that uses sports camps as an opening to get to know children and families in order to share about the good news of Christ. We will be collecting gently used (still in good condition) soccer cleats, basketball and volleyball shoes of all sizes and soccer balls, basketballs and volleyballs to be given to Gilda at our Ladies' Day (Saturday, February 20th). She will then make sure they get to Rwanda. Donations can be brought to the building Sunday, February 14, Wednesday, February 17, or on Ladies' Day, February 20. Thank you for your help in this matter!

Today:

8:00 AM Morning Worship Assembly
 9:30 AM Bible Class (*Offered for all age groups. See one of the greeters for more details.*)
Adult Classes
Auditorium **Family—A Shadow of Things To Come**
Nathan Ingram
1st Floor Church Annex **“A Study of Romans**
Ken Stegall
 10:30 AM Morning Worship Assembly
 2:00 PM Silverado Service (*see bulletin front for more information*)
 6:00 PM Evening Assembly
 Annual Meeting and Budget Presentation

Sunday, February 7, 2010	
Sunday 8:00 am Worship	231
Class	337
Sunday 10:30 am Worship	214
PM Worship	151
Contribution	\$14,646.15
Wednesday, February 10, 2010	
Bible Class	129

THOSE CHOSEN TO SERVE

February 14, 2010 (This Week)	8:00 Service	10:30 Service
Hosts	Nelda Baldacchino	Karen Hopper
Song Leader	Sonny Taylor	Sonny Taylor
Lord’s Table Leader	Glen Addison	Mike Yanochik
Coordinator	Jimmy Atkinson	Matt Hemphill
Closing Remarks	Gary Erwin	Gary Erwin
Nursery		
Site & Safety & Security	Larry Abston	Bob McDougal
February 21, 2010 (Next Week)		
Hosts	Nelda Baldacchino	Karen Hopper
Song Leader	Sonny Taylor	Sonny Taylor
Lord’s Table Leader	Ben Brockman	Roger McDonald
Coordinator	Jimmy Atkinson	Bill Malone
Closing Remarks	Sam Bradley	Sam Bradley
Nursery		
Site Safety & Security	Brant Mathis	Matt Hemphill

ELDERS	
SAM BRADLEY	GARY ERWIN
MARK FREEMAN	BUTCH MERRIMAN
ELTON STUBBLEFIELD	
DEACONS	
ADMIN	TODD STEPHENS
FELLOWSHIP	TIM RIGGS
SHARING MINISTRY	GARY TANNAHILL
	RICK MEDFORD
BUILDING & GROUNDS	KEN PURVIS
EDUCATION	BOB WELCH
FINANCIAL	JEFF FLEMING
HOSPITAL VISITATION	JOHN CHARLESTON
MEMBER INVOLVEMENT	HAL EGGER
OUTREACH & MISSIONS	GLENN ADDISON
	PAUL GIDDEN
SPECIAL MINISTRIES	DAN GRAY
	NATHAN INGRAM
YOUTH	RANDY BATES
WORSHIP	BILL MALONE
MINISTERS	
PULPIT	KEN STEGALL
YOUTH & FAMILY	CORY WADDELL
OFFICE STAFF	
SECRETARY	JENNET GRAY
	MARTY JUSTICE
BIBLE CLASS COORDINATORS	
CRADLE ROLL	JEAN ERWIN
PRE-SCHOOL	JOANIE ROBERTS
ELEMENTARY	BOB WELCH
YOUTH	CORY WADDELL
ADULT	CLEO TARVER
SUPPORTED MISSION WORKS	
UGANDA SCHOOL OF EVANGELISM	
STEVE AUSTIN	
TEXAS GULF COAST BIBLE INSTITUTE	
RALPH WILLIAMS	
COORDINATOR OF SCHOOLS IN ASIA & AFRICA	
BEAR VALLEY BIBLE INSTITUTE EXTENSION SCHOOL PROGRAM	
RON CLAYTON	
INDIA	
CONGO, AFRICA	
PAT SCHEAFFER	
ADVENTURES IN MISSIONS	
BENIN SCHOOL OF PREACHING	
WEST AFRICA	
EASTERN EUROPEAN MISSIONS	
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