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Study, Obey, Share

Ezra had devoted himself to the study and observance of the Law of the Lord, and to teaching its decrees. —Ezra 7:10

Various translations of this text emphasize three things about Ezra: 1) he was committed to *study* God’s Law; 2) to *do* it; and 3) to *teach* it.

Study the Word; *obey* the Word; *share* the Word.

That was a plan Jesus approved: “Everyone who hears these words of mine and puts them into practice is like a wise man who built his house on the rock” (Mt 7:24).

Study the Word—don’t let the day pass without dipping into it.

Obey the Word—what it says to do, do.

Share the Word—pass along what you’ve learned, loved, and lived by.

The Bible dusted and displayed changes nothing. The Bible studied and obeyed changes everything.

- Joe Barnett

A Daily Walk in the Word: 365 Devotionals That Can Be Read in Under A Minute

The **Lads 2 Leaders** Award Recognition and 2025 Kick-Off will be Sunday, May 5 immediately following the evening assembly in the Chapel Center. Please sign up by **TODAY!**



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

Sunday	9:00 AM	Bible Classes
	10:15 AM	Morning Assembly
	6:00 PM	Evening Assembly
Wednesday	7:00 PM	Bible Classes

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Elder of the Day Scott Blake

Communion Leader Glenn Addison

Adult Bible Classes:

“Foundations of Faith: Who We Are, What We Believe, What We Practice”
by Bob Klemm
Sundays @ 9:00 a.m. in the Chapel Center Auditorium

“What They Believe: Christian Denominations, and What the Bible Teaches”
by Mike Smith
Sundays @ 9:00 a.m. in the Worship Center Room A101

“In the Fullness of Time: Both Jew and Greek” by Mike Yanochik
Sundays @ 9:00 a.m. in the Worship Center Room A102

“Lessons From the Book of Matthew” (Young Professionals) by Joel Blake
Sundays @ 9:00 a.m. in the Chapel Center Room C106 (Magnolia Rm)

“His Presence” by Rocky Rutledge
Wednesdays @ 7:00 p.m. in the Worship Center Auditorium

“Young Adults” (Ages 18-25) by Andrew Isherwood & Ross Riggs
Wednesdays @ 7:00 p.m. in Room A102

Teen Bible Classes:

“Colossians, Philippians, Philemon” (9th–12th) by Todd Watrous
Sundays @ 9:00 a.m. in the Education Center B-107

“Exodus” (7th –8th) by Jordan Fontenot
Sundays @ 9:00 a.m. in the Education Center B-101

“Church History” (9th –12th) by Jordan Fontenot
Wednesdays @ 7:00 p.m. in the Education Center B-107

“Psalms” (7th –8th) by Nathan Lockwood/Chris Fowler
Wednesdays @ 7:00 p.m. in the Education Center B-101

Treehouse Kids Bible Classes:

0–1 year	A103
1 year	A105/A106
2 years	A107
3 years/Pre-K	A108
Kindergarten	B200
1st grade	B202
2nd grade	B203
3rd grade	B207
4th grade	B208
5th grade	B206
6th grade	B209

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.



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

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Last Week’s Attendance

Sunday, April 14, 2024

9:00 AM Bible Class	434
10:15 AM Worship	606 @ WOCC 185 Views online
6:00 PM Worship	249
Contribution	\$37,350.31

Wednesday, April 17, 2024

7:00 PM Bible Class	327
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You may give online at:

<https://woodlandoaks.givingfire.com/>

Or mail contributions to our PO Box at:
Woodland Oaks Church of Christ
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Budget

Actual unrestricted contributions through January 31, 2024 are \$219,206 compared with a budgeted amount of \$159,616 produces a surplus of \$59,590.

Notes

Announcements

The **Faithful Fathers Ministry** will have a **Game Day** at the Ingram's TODAY from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. This event is for all Dads, Granddads, and their children to come out and enjoy some food and fun while spending quality time together.

There will be an **Elder/Deacon Meeting** TODAY at 4:30 p.m. in the Magnolia Room.

Please join us for the **Congregational Meeting** TONIGHT immediately following the evening assembly.

The **WOCC Golf Tournament** will be this Saturday, April 27 at Oakhurst Golf Club (Kingwood). The cost is \$55. Men & Women, aged high school and above, are able to play. Please sign up in the foyer by TODAY! See Robert Shock for more information.

The **Senior Saints Game Night & Potluck Supper** will be tomorrow, April 22 at 5:00 p.m. in the Chapel Center.

The **Senior Saints** attending "**The Music Man**", please meet at the building at 4:45 p.m. this Friday, April 26 to eat at Rudy's. The musical begins at 7:00 p.m.

Please join us for **Ladies Day—Sisters: Connected by the Heart**, featuring guest speaker Alison Radar, on Tuesday, April 30 at 9:00 a.m. in the Chapel Center. Please sign up in the foyer. Invite a friend!

Family Camp 2024 registration is now closed. See Brant Mathis for more information.

For those who signed up, **2024 Senior Banquet** will be Saturday, May 4 at 6:00 p.m. in the Family Life Center.

Save the date for the **Celebrate Recovery: 7 Year Celebration** on Thursday, May 9.

Prayers

- ✚ **Terri Lowry**/diagnosed with breast cancer and was hospitalized at Houston Methodist The Woodlands Hospital with complications from the medication/she is undergoing further testing/no visitors please.
- ✚ **Skip Foreman**/released from hospital to a facility/placed on hospice/ please keep Janet and Skip in your prayers.
- ✚ **Lisa Geerman**/diagnosed with breast cancer/surgery on April 18.
- ✚ **Camellia Jackson**/sister of Robert Shock/surgery on April 17.
- ✚ Please remember our members: **Lorene Burright, Jerry French, Ann Gilbert, Ruthie Grushkowsky, Chuck Hix, Bill & Jeanette Malone, Laurie Riggs, Jack Sellers, Don & Eve Southall, Kevan Taylor, Sonny Taylor, John Tolbert, Sharon Voorhees.**
- ✚ Please remember friends & family: **Eva Zell Burris, George Funk, Jennet Gray, Douglas Shaver.**
- ✚ Members battling cancer: **Tony Bloom, Bill Blumenshine, Pharis Fowler, Lisa Geerman, Cynthia Haney, Cynthia Lockwood, Terri Lowry, Erica Lunn, Bob McDougal, Marsha Owens, Charles Smithson, Janice Tadlock.**
- ✚ Friends & family battling cancer: **Sandra Acaldo, Mary Aldaz, Dorcas Dillard, Ada Duit, Camellia Jackson, Phil Martinez, Paul Melton, Christal Ortiz, Ingrid Quigley, Rhonda Ramsey, Leigh Ann Ray, Barbara Starr, Rose Talbott.**

Expectant Families

Meredith & Bryce Caldwell
Steven & Rose Gailey
Janna & Kevin Wilkerson

A cart for all donations is in the Worship Center foyer.
The **WOCC Sharing Pantry** is in need of Gallon Sized Ziploc Bags & Small Water Bottles.

Youth News

There will be an **Elevate Hike Day** this Saturday, April 27 at 9:00 a.m. Please bring money for lunch.

The next **Youth Invasion** will be Sunday, April 28 immediately following the evening assembly at MOD Pizza on Woodlands Pkwy.

The next **Girls Dinner Devo** will be Monday, May 6 from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. at the home of Robin Smith. Please RSVP to Elise Fair or Robin Smith.

Mark your calendars for the next **Youth Service Day** on Saturday, May 11.

Treehouse Kids

Bible Builders: Children ages 2 to 5 will be dismissed at the Sunday evening assembly to go "through the Bible in a year" in room C103.

Sprouts Storytime meets at 10:00 a.m. Wednesdays in room A109. Join us for a story, craft/activity, songs, and learning more about how God loves us, all while building friendships that will last for years to come!

3rd-6th Grade Boys Dinner and Devo will be held at the home of Jason and Lindsey Thomas this Friday, April 26 from 6:30 p.m.—8:30 p.m. Please RSVP to Lindsey Thomas or Janna Wilkerson by TOMORROW, April 22 if your child plans to attend.

National Youth Theatre presents **Charlotte's Web** Sunday, May 5 at 2:00 p.m. at Concordia Lutheran H.S. We will meet after the morning assembly to eat sack lunches in the Chapel. We will take the vans and depart WOCC at 12:45 p.m. The cost is \$15. Please sign up and pay Denise Tolbert or Krista Chapman by this Wednesday, April 24.

Memory Verse Check-In Day will be Sunday, April 28 in between Bible Classes and Morning Worship. April Memory Verse: Psalm 33:4 "For the Word of the Lord is right; and all His works are done in truth."

Please make plans to join us for our **WOCC Children's Ministry Family Picnic and Games** on Sunday, April 28 after the morning assembly until 2:00 p.m.! Please bring a sack lunch for your family and drinks. Popsicles will be served. Join us for fellowship and family fun including a kickball game, sack races, yard games, playground fun, and more! This event will be held next door to the church building at Alden Bridge Park in the picnic pavilion and field area.

Sympathy

Heartfelt condolences to Dawn Yates at the loss of her mother, **Sandra Acaldo** on Thursday, April 11. Dawn would like to thank all the WOCC members for their prayers. The funeral service was held on Friday, April 19 in Gonzales, Louisiana. You can read the obituary and find more info [here](#)

Deepest sympathy to Shawn Wright at the loss of her mother, **Renie Patty**, on April 15. The arrangements are pending for a later date. Please keep Shawn, her dad, Max, and the family in your prayers.

Joanie Roberts lost her battle with cancer Thursday, April 18 surrounded by her family. The visitation will be this Saturday, April 27 from 9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. with funeral to follow at 10:30 a.m. at WOCC. In lieu of flowers, please donate in Joanie's memory to Southern Sudan Missions. Please keep Dave, Elliot, Adrienne, and the family in your prayers. You can read the obituary and find more info [here](#).

Summer Camps

Camp Bandina: June 2-8 Find out more information and register [here](#).

Uplift at Harding: June 15-20 Find out more information and register [here](#).

Camp Red Oak: July 15-20 Find out more information and register [here](#).

This Week

Today	9:00 a.m.	Sign Up for the Lads2Leaders Awards/Kick-Off Due
	10:15 a.m.	Bible Class
	1:00 p.m.	Worship
	4:30 p.m.	Faithful Father's Game Day
	6:00 p.m.	Elder/Deacon Meeting
	6:15 p.m.	Evening Worship—Guest Speaker Kirk Israel
	7:00 p.m.	Bible Builders
Monday		Congregational Meeting
	4:00 p.m.	RSVP Due for 3rd-6th Grade Boys Devo
	5:00 p.m.	Pickleball—Women
	6:00 p.m.	Senior Saints Game Night & Potluck Supper
Tuesday	9:30 a.m.	Pickleball—Beginners/Intermediate/Advanced
Wednesday	10:00 a.m.	Ladies Bible Class
	5:30 p.m.	Sprouts Storytime
	7:00 p.m.	Fellowship Meal
Thursday	6:15 a.m.	Bible Classes
	10:00 a.m.	Men's Prayer Breakfast. (Denny's on 1488)
	7:00 p.m.	Community Bible Class
Friday	4:45 p.m.	Celebrate Recovery
	6:30 p.m.	Basketball
Saturday	8:00 a.m.	Senior Saints: The Music Man
	9:00 a.m.	3rd-6th Grade Boys Devo
	9:30 a.m.	WOCC Golf Tournament
	10:30 a.m.	Elevate Hike Day
		Visitation for Joanie Roberts
		Funeral for Joanie Roberts

Upcoming Events

April 28	THK Memory Verse Challenge
	THK Sunday Picnic & Social: Alden Bridge Park 12 -2 pm
	TX Bible Bowl Awards
April 30	Youth Invasion (MOD Pizza- Woodlands Pkwy)
May 4	Ladies Bible Class—Ladies Day
	Men's Breakfast
May 5	2024 Senior Banquet
	VBS Volunteer Meeting
	THK: Charlotte's Web by NYT
	Congregational Singing
	Lads 2 Leaders Awards/Kick-Off
	Youth HS Devo
May 6	Youth Girls Dinner Devo (Home of Robin Smith)
May 9	Celebrate Recovery 7 Year Celebration
May 11	Dorcas Widowed Meal
	Youth Service
May 12	Youth Invasion
May 13	Youth Bible Study
May 17-18	Elevate Camp Weekend
May 19	Speed Fellowship
May 20	Senior Saints Game Night & Potluck
May 25	Youth Induction

VBS

For this year's **VBS Mission Station**, we are collecting NEW toys for boys and girls, ages 4-10. The toys will be donated to Impact CoC for children in need. Please bring your donations by May 5.

2024 VBS Pre-Registration: Please scan the QR code to pre-register your child and find more information.



If you could use meals during times of need, please contact the church office at 936-273-0010 or information@woodlandoaks.org