

Announcements

Those who signed up for Ladies Bible Class, your books will be available to pick up TODAY in the foyer. **Ladies Bible Class** begins this Tuesday, August 25 at 9:30 a.m. in the Chapel Center.

We are looking for **Bible Class Teachers and Helpers** for Sunday Morning and Wednesday Evenings for the Fall Quarter beginning in September. Please let Matt Fitzgerald or Mike Arnold know if you are interested in helping.

Volunteers are Needed to help set up tables and chairs for Wednesday night meals throughout the year. Help is needed setting up for the third and fourth Wednesdays each month. Set up will be on Tuesday nights. Please contact Chris Davis if interested.

There will be an **Lads2Leaders Meeting** open to anyone who is interested in L2L, this Wednesday, August 26 at 6:30 p.m. in room A101. This is your last chance to ask questions and get information. If you have any questions please see Shawn Montandon.

Reece and Addison Glass were married July 14! Let's celebrate the newlyweds with a gift card box! Please drop your cards in the box on the table under the name tag board by August 30. Reece is the grandson of Tyrone and Alma Mynhier.

Filled **Smile for a Child** boxes are due Sunday, August 30. Don't forget the \$5 for shipping and handling! Please see Glenda Haggard for more information.

Heart to Home Sign Up is now open! **Heart to Home** is a year long opportunity for women in our congregation to gather monthly in small groups to build and foster strong relationships. Each September the groups form and begin a new year. We are asking everyone to sign up (even if you have previously filled out a form). Sign up opportunities for the school year 2026-27 will end August 30. Women will be divided as "moms" and "sisters." Moms serve as hostesses and sisters are the guests. Please use the QR code to register for this program. See Denise Tolbert or Marty Justice (@ Welcome Center) or contact Carren Craft or Patricia Osborn for more information or if assistance is needed to sign up.

Our boys and girls, ages Kinder to 4th Grade, have been working hard learning how God has designed both women and men to lead in His church. All ladies are invited to attend the **Girls Summer Leadership Class Tea** on September 2 in the Chapel Center once dismissed for class. All men are invited to attend the **Boys Summer Leadership Class leading worship** on Wednesday evening, September 2. Once dismissed for class, please remain in the Auditorium. Thank you for encouraging our children!

The **WOCC Children's Ministry Program** has the safety and security of our children, teachers, and volunteers at the forefront of all that we do. We will be implementing a new comprehensive child safety and abuse prevention program, called **Ministry Safe**, this week. This program will be required for all teachers and adult volunteers working with our children. It will be sent via email to all teachers signed up to help with the Fall and Winter quarters, as well as those already signed up to help with programs this school year for our children. This will be mandatory that it be completed by December 1st for those teaching. Once you have completed the course, we will be notified via Ministry Safe. Thank you for working with us to protect our children, as well as our teachers and volunteers. For more questions, please see Janna Wilkerson.

Youth News

The **High School Devo** will be TONiGHT immediately following the evening assembly.

Mark you calendars for the next **Youth SNL** on this Saturday, August 29 from 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. at Riva Row Boat House.

There will be a **Junior High Devo** on Sunday, August 30 immediately following the evening assembly.

The next **Youth Invasion** will be September 6 immediately following the evening assembly at CAVA (6700 Woodlands Parkway).

Treehouse Kids

Bible Builders, for ages 2 years - kindergarten, will be dismissed during the Sunday evening assembly to room C103.

Our **WOCC Bridge Kids** are the children that will be going into 5th and 6th grades this year. They have a special class on Wednesday nights, just for them, that meets in A101. We also will start back with our Bridge Kids BLASTS! once a month beginning in September. If you have a child in this age range and would like for them to have a WOCC Bridge Kids shirt, please complete the form no later than August 30 and pay \$10. You can give this directly to Janna Wilkerson by August 30.

Sprouts Storytime is getting ready to return next month, and we are looking to gauge interest so we can properly prepare. If you are interested in attending Sprouts Storytime with your child ages 0-Prek4, please click the link for more information including changes for this year and to sign up. Thank you!

Memory Verse Check In will be Sunday, August 30 in between Bible class and worship in the foyer. Our memory verse for the month of August will be Hebrews 11:6 "Without faith, it is impossible to please God."

August Newsletter:

Prayers

- Janet Foreman/at home/continued prayers for her recovery are appreciated.
- Emily Seaman/granddaughter of Terry Seaman/successful stem cell transplant cured 100% of leukemia.
- Please remember our members: Joel Blake, Janice Simon-Harris, Laurie Riggs, Danyce Rundell, Robert Shock.
- Please remember our Friends & Family: Sherry Kinney.
- Members battling cancer: Rodney Burke, Tania Cantu, Denise Gibson, Cynthia Haney, Bobby Joyner, Carolyn Keeney, Beverly Knox, Cynthia Lockwood, Erica Lunn, Roger McDonald, Patricia Osborn, Marsha Owens, Janice Tadlock.
- Friends & family battling cancer: Marshall Lee, Emily Seaman.

Expectant Families

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| Alyssa & Nick Bishop | Cassie & Kyle Spacek |
| Addison & Reece Glass | Gissela & Kaleb Steinhauer |
| Kirstin & Elliot Roberts | |

This Week

Today	9:00 a.m.	Bible Class
	10:15 a.m.	Worship
	6:00 p.m.	Evening Worship
Monday		Texas Bible Bowl Practice
	6:15 p.m.	Bible Builders
	7:00 p.m.	High School Devo
	4:00 p.m.	Pickleball - Women
	6:00 p.m.	Pickleball
Tuesday	9:30 a.m.	Ladies Bible Class
Wednesday	6:30 p.m.	L2L Meeting
	7:00 p.m.	Bible Class - Kevin Montgomery
Thursday	7:00 p.m.	Celebrate Recovery
		Basketball
Saturday	9:00 a.m.	Youth SNL - Riva Row Boat House

Upcoming Events

August 30	Smile for a Child Boxes Due Heart to Home Sign Up Deadline Cards for Reece & Addsion Glass Deadline Memory Verse Check In Junior High Youth Devo
September 1	Ladies Bible Class Stay & Play Men's Luncheon
September 2	Quilting Group Fall Quarter Begins Wednesday Fellowship Meals Resume Girls Summer Leadership Class Tea Boys Summer Leadership Class Lead Worship
September 5	Men's Breakfast
September 6	Congregational Singing Youth Invasion - CAVA
September 7	Church Offices Closed
September 10	Community Bible Class Resumes
September 11	3rd-6th Grade Boys Dinner Devo - Margie Dugan's Home
September 12	Dorcas Class
September 13	Youth Girls/Guys Devo
September 15	Ladies Bible Class - Salad Luncheon
September 18	Sprouts Story Time
September 19	Youth SNL
September 20	Baby Shower for Cassie Spacek Prayer Buddy Meet N Greet Youth Invasion - Jason's Deli

Thank You

Dear WOCC Family,
Thank you all for the prayers, love, and support you've shown my family as we've walked through the loss of my step-father. Your kindness has meant more than you know. It is truly a blessing to be part of this family.

Al Ardito & Family

Donations Requested: A cart for all donations is in the Worship Center foyer.
WOCC Sharing Pantry: Back to School - jelly, snack crackers, cereal, snack packs, juice boxes, canned chicken