



CHURCH OF CHRIST

Welcome to South Main!

You're invited to be a part of our family as we worship God, encourage one another, and grow spiritually together.

When we meet together, we sing, pray, study the Bible, partake together in the communion of the Lord's supper, and enjoy great family fellowship.

A fully staffed nursery is available. Ask an usher for assistance.

During AM services, we offer signing for those who are hearing impaired.



SOUTH MAIN CHURCH OF CHRIST

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Bible Classes for all ages: Sundays 9:30 am
Worship Assembly: Sundays 10:30 am and 5 pm
Wednesday Evening Classes: 6:30 pm



WEEKLY NEWS BULLETIN APRIL 9, 2017



good morning

WELCOME - Bob Payne
PRAISE LEADER - Paul Zimmerman

We Will Glorify - # 578
We Bow Down - # 577
He Is Wonderful

PRAYER - Chris Cummings
SCRIPTURE READING
Psalm 118:1, 19-24

By Christ Redeemed - # 366

THE LORD'S SUPPER - Tom Jones
WEEKLY CONTRIBUTION
CHILDREN'S TIME - David Chenault

There's A Stirring

SERMON - Bob Payne
"Revive Us Again"
Psalm 85:1-6

Oh, How I Love Jesus - # 574

CLOSING PRAYER - Peyton Chenault

"Depart in Peace" (Luke 2:29)
Please silence all cell phones and pagers.
CCLI # 290723

Where Family Matters!

DAVID'S THOUGHTS

I wonder about the children of Jerusalem during the week Jesus died. Today, with the ubiquitousness of the Internet and the constant barrage of cable news, we often talk about how early children are exposed to the realities of life. But was it different then?

Children were very much a part of the Passover preparations. They may have assisted in fetching the family's best lamb and even helped carry it to the temple. If they didn't witness its slaughter at the hands of the priests, they surely watched as it slowly roasted over the fire. The youngest son would have recited his "question" that was asked every Passover night. It was his crucial opening line in a drama that unfolded across the nation and retold the history of God's people.

But this Passover was a little different. Surely many of the children knew about the mass of people celebrating the arrival of a new "teacher" in town? I'm sure many of them carried around their own palm leaves. They probably also saw the raging crowds that had turned against the Galilean man, chanting for the release of a murderer instead. They would have no doubt heard of, and maybe even seen, the bloody flesh of men with timbers on their backs being paraded through the streets to a hill for execution. Executions were public. Everyone was there. In fact, most children would have witnessed death, even violent death long before ours even learn to ride a bicycle. Fear of hunger, disease and evil were everyday occurrences. But that week was worse.

When the sky turned dark at midday and the earth shook with God's grief, what did the mothers say to their frightened children? What terror did the boys and girls running in the streets feel? What about the children of the disciples, who now had reason to fear for their own lives, knowing first hand the length to which the scheming religious leaders were willing to go to subdue rebellion.

I often think about what our own children are exposed to and what they experience every day. And while my first instinct is to completely shelter them, I know that the process of maturing is one that includes both the good and bad of life.

This week our own children are finalizing their plans for Leadership Training for Christ (LTC). We'll travel to Dallas next weekend with hundreds of other students who are practicing skills such as Bible reading, song leading, sermons and signing for the deaf. They are learning skills many of us never learned until adulthood. This is part of the very good things in their lives.

I ask that you pray for them this week. Pray that, in what seems routine for many of them, they will see

FAMILY MATTERS

LTC FOOD LIST

The lists are out! Please sign the list in the foyer if you can help provide food for our LTC participants this year. If you'd prefer to make a monetary donation, you can give your donation to Barbie Glasgow or Renee Hampton. Please have your food items in the Fellowship Hall by **Wednesday, April 12th**. Thank you for your continued prayers and support!!!

CHRISTIAN HOMES LUNCHEON

Christian Homes & Family Services is hosting their 9th Annual "Call Her Blessed" Luncheon on April 25th with featured guests, Lisa Robertson and special guest, Miss Kay of Duck Dynasty. For ticket information, go to www.ChristianHomes.com or call 903-509-0558.

MISSIONS REMINDER

Contributions to South Main Missions can be made throughout the year by using one of the white envelopes located on the back of the pew. Mark your donation for "Missions" and place it in the contribution plate so that the funds can be added to the Missions account. Thank you for your continued support as we strive to support our missionaries in these great works.

CHRISTIAN COUNSELING

Sometimes professional assistance can provide aid where friends and family cannot. Pathstones has licensed mental health professionals from churches across the Greater Longview area who volunteer their time and skills as a service to God and to the community.

Because South Main is a monthly supporter of Pathstones, the first 4 visits for any of our members are free. If you would like to set up a visit with them or would like more information, call Pathstones at 903-248-2480. You can also visit their website at www.pathstones.org

glimpses of the king and find a deepening knowledge of Jesus. Pray that the faith that is built during these times will sustain them through the times in their lives when they must face the ugly, evil side of our world.

*"The Lord is my light and my salvation -
whom shall I fear?"*

*The Lord is the stronghold of my life -
of whom shall I be afraid?"*

Psalms 27:1

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Dicky & Karen Harris, Doug Hopkins

DEACONS:

Chuck Ashmore	Travis Goode	Ken Sabella
Travis Birdwell	David Gravley	Jody Sory
Ben Bradshaw	Rodger Poe	Jim Smith
Richey Glasgow	James Rowell	Dodd Vinson

ASSIGNMENTS

GREETERS

Sunday, Apr. 9th:

Don & Glenda Brooks, Pat Brack, Karen Pritchard,
Gary Holland

Sunday, Apr. 16th:

Tommy & Sandra Goode, Jim & Donna Smith, June Craig,
Janelle Roberts

VISITOR'S CENTER

April: Margie Brown

FOOD COMMITTEE

April: Sandra Goode, Karen Pritchard

PREPARATION:

Heidi Bradshaw,
Sylvia Jones

COMMUNION

CLEAN UP:

Heidi Bradshaw,
Sylvia Jones

NURSERY ATTENDANTS

Sunday, Apr. 9th:

Diann Hopkins, Becky
Whiteside, Elisabeth Sabella

Sunday, Apr. 16th:

Renee Hampton, Cherie
Weaver, Mona Craig

Wed., Apr. 12th:

Ann Bradshaw,
Karen Pritchard

Wed., Apr. 19th:

Sylvia Jones,
DJ Birdwell

KIDS PRAISE

April: Regina & Ashleigh Sugg, Emily Glasgow

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Apr. 12	LTC Food Donations Due
Apr. 14	Office Closed
Apr. 14-16	LTC
Apr. 23	LTC Presentation @ S. Main
Apr. 23	Scotty Spake, PM Speaker
Apr. 25	Christian Homes Luncheon, Tyler

PRAY FOR OUR ARMED FORCES

Ross Clayton, Logan Commins,
Joshua McKay, Chad McMurray, Jonathan Sanders,
Cleve Sexton, John H. Tucker

SOUTH MAIN PRAYS

Dan Cummings is now in room 201 at Henderson Health and Rehab.

Roy Dorsey was diagnosed last Sunday with pneumonia.

Doug Hopkins has bronchial pneumonia.

Pat Treadwell, good friend of Janet Thompson, is facing a surgical procedure soon

Our Country

Please continue to pray for: **Roy & Fern Bench, Bob Brown, Keith Brown, June Chenault, Ada Cowart, Andy Cox, Bonnie Davis, Katelynn Dorsey, Mary Dorsey, Bob & Patsy Ferguson, Todd Foster, Matt Gholson, Roger Gunz, Hattie Oleta Hahn, Stanley Hall, Bruce Hobbs, Dora Hobbs, Judy Holland, Virgie Hopson, Roy Hunt, Lynn Jackson, Mark Jones, Punk Jones, Les Lewis, Dicky Meeks, Dean & Teresa Myers, Joanie Nations, Mrs. Park, Jeanette Quinn, Bobbie Russell, Don Sample, Mel Schoebel, Kim Taylor, Tom Wall, Tim Webster, Toni Whitehead, Joann Wright**

SOUTH MAIN SHARES



Cody League
Skylar Simon!!!

Notes

MIDWEEK MANNA

Wednesday Night Meals begin at 5:15 PM in the Fellowship Hall. Please sign the list located in the foyer if you plan to eat.

This is a great time of food & fellowship, but, we need your help: Please bus your area & table after you are done eating. We also need a few hands each week with the kitchen clean-up. Thank you!!!



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RECORDS AS OF	04-02-2017
Sunday Bible Classes.....	101
Sunday A.M. Worship.....	138
Sunday P.M.	38
Wednesday P.M. Classes.....	89
Offering.....	\$6,666
Weekly Budget	\$7,562
YTD Offering ...	\$95,773
YTD Budget ..	\$105,865
Above (Below) YTD.....	(\$10,092)



The Five Love Languages
RESOURCES IN THE HOMEFRONT CENTER