



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



Where Family Matters!

WEEKLY NEWS BULLETIN MARCH 23, 2014

Good Morning!

WELCOME - Bob Payne

SONG LEADER - Tom Jones

To God Be the Glory - # 4

Purer in Heart, O God - # 671

PRAYER - Jamie Sugg

SCRIPTURE READING

Psalm 100

I Am a Sheep - # 533

THE LORD'S SUPPER - Chris Cummings

OFFERING

CHILDREN'S TIME - David Chenault

I'll Be List'ning - # 988

How Shall the Young Secure Their Hearts? - # 432

LESSON - Bob Payne

"Real Disciples"

John 8:31-32

Wonderful Words of Life - # 543

God Bless You, Go With God - # 752

CLOSING PRAYER - Rex Berry

"Depart in Peace" (Luke 2:29)

Please silence all cell phones and pagers.

CCLI # 290723

Bob's Thoughts...

SIGNS

“And many other signs truly did Jesus in the presence of His disciples, which are not written in this book: But these are written that you might believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God; and that believing you might have life through His name.” - John 20:30-31

Signs! They're everywhere. Some signs give directions or instructions, while others provide evidence or information. Signs are designed to get our attention and prompt us to take action. Jesus Christ gave us plenty of signs so we could do just that. Many of those signs are recorded in the Bible. These signs were of such a nature that only the almighty God could perform them! The point being: Jesus Christ is God! Furthermore, Jesus Christ is the Source of all life. Signs to that effect have been well documented in the Bible so that we might know Him and experience His life.

The question is do you know Him, really know Him? How well do you know Him? Are you living the abundant life through Him? Is it the norm or the exception? Jesus Christ is the same today as when these signs occurred. He continues to work in the world today, leaving numerous signs to make His presence known. Every time He answers someone's prayer, it is another sign that He is real, alive and the Lord of all! Jesus Christ has provided more than enough signs through the Biblical record for you to believe in Him. These signs are intended to stimulate your faith so that you will trust Him. He is here for you and for all of us today. He desires for you to have the abundant life that He offers to all who will believe in Him. Therefore, trust in Him completely to be the sign of direction in your life today.

Have a great week!
Bob



Assignments, Etc...

GREETERS

Sunday, March 23rd: Roy & Peggy Hunt, Betty Tinney, Bobby & Neva Davis, Rex & Pat Berry
Sunday, March 30th: All available greeters

NURSERY ATTENDANTS

Sunday AM, March 23rd: Regina Sugg, Ashleigh Sugg
Sunday AM, March 30th: Paula Gravley, Lauren League, Christie Vinson

VISITOR CENTER

March: Sylvia Jones
April: Maudie Foster

COMMUNION PREPARATION

March: Karen Pritchard, Janie Poe
April: Heidi Bradshaw, Sylvia Jones

COMMUNION CLEAN-UP

March: Karen Pritchard, Janie Poe
April: Heidi Bradshaw, Sylvia Jones

FOOD COMMITTEE

March: Jo Harris
April: Karen Pritchard

South Main Shares...

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Kali Bradford Gunz, Nathan Gunz, Layton Cummings, Callie Hand!!!

SYMPATHY

We express sympathy to Harold & Lowetta Baade, Paul & Debbie Zimmerman, and Jeremy & Brooke Cartwright at the death of their sister-in-law, aunt, and great aunt, **Elizabeth Baade**. Services were held last Tuesday.

ARMS OF HOPE GROCERY TRUCK

The grocery truck from Arms of Hope will be here to collect food and other items **this week**. We have been asked to collect **Lysol spray, canned fruit pie filling, canned chicken, trash bags (13 or 33 gal.) and toilet tissue**. Please remember to check the expiration date on all food items.



ANNUAL GOSPEL SINGING

The Cushing Church of Christ invites you to their annual Gospel Singing on Friday, **March 28th**, from 7 - 9 PM. You are invited to join them for refreshments and fellowship following the singing. Bring your song leaders, family, friends and neighbors to share and enjoy in this wonderful gospel gathering.

Announcements...

MIDWEEK MANNA

The menu for **Wednesday, March 26th**, is: *chicken strips, potatoes & gravy, salad, rolls, and Rolo cheese-cake bars*. We need volunteers to help prepare, serve and cleanup.

Members, please remember to sign the list in the foyer if you plan to eat.

Adults: \$4

Children (4 & under): \$3

FOCUS Group Schedules		
Group	Where	When/Time
Bradshaw	TBA	TBA
Cummings	Layton Cummings	Apr 6 @ 12:30

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY MEETING

There will be a meeting **Wednesday evening, March 26th**, at 5:30 pm for the Children's Ministry team. We will meet in the Conference Room.

KID'S PRAISE

We need helpers for **Kid's Praise**. If you would like to volunteer for one quarter at a time (that's only 6 Sundays per quarter), please sign the list in the foyer.

LTC FOOD

We need your help with food for the LTC trip! If you can help, please sign the food list in the foyer, and have your selected food in the Fellowship Hall by April 16th. If you'd prefer to make a monetary donation, you can give it to one of the secretaries.

COMMUNITY-WIDE CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP

If you are responsible for the care of another person or feeling overwhelmed, or challenged by the experience of caregiving, please join other caregivers on the 3rd Tuesday of each month. The first meeting will be Tuesday, March 18, 2014 at 1 PM at the First Baptist Church in Henderson. Pre-registration is not required. For more information contact Maribeth Hickman at 903-657-5650 or Anita Hays 903-658-4492.

BAPTISMS

During this past week, 11 men and 7 women were baptized at MTC Jail Facility.

THANK YOU

Dear South Main Sisters,

Thank you so much for the apron. I know that I will be using it a lot when I am cooking in the kitchen. We appreciate y'all thinking of us as we prepare for the big day!

Sincerely,
Stephanie Ferguson

The Family Life...

RED HOUSE ITEM This week's item is: **CHIPS** - any brand, any flavor. Thanks for all the snacks you have provided! Keep it coming!



RED HOUSE HOURS
MONDAY - WEDNESDAY
3:30 - 5:30 PM

LTC

SIGN LANGUAGE PRACTICE

Wednesdays: **Level 1 - 4-5 PM**
Level 2 - 5-6 PM

AREA WIDE DEVO

There is an Area-Wide Devo scheduled for Sunday, March 30th in Tyler. Make plans now to come with us! The bus will be leaving the parking lot around 4:30 pm.



EEM & UKRAINE UPDATE

The crisis has escalated in Ukraine and the disturbing images and reports of violence have left many of us with hearts breaking and a greater commitment to prayer and service.

Our Ukrainian staff is doing well, is safe and continuing their work distributing God's Word.

EEM is committed to Ukraine and God's ministry in Ukraine. This ministry was established to deliver God's Word under difficult circumstances. We are moving ahead with our plans for continued Bible distribution and work in the camps. The Prince of Peace continues to work and continues to call us to be His ambassadors of love. We are confident He is powerful enough to turn tragedy around and create opportunity for His Word to spread.

Please join us in prayer for Ukraine, Russia, the European nations and the U.S. to experience God's peace. We are asking people all over the world to join together beginning April 1st and continuing through May 1st (The National Day of Prayer in the U.S.) to pray.

We have prepared thirty-one suggested prayers to use as a guide and will post one each day on Facebook, our website, and Twitter. If you would like to receive a daily email, please sign up at eem.org to participate. Thank you in advance for your participation.

South Main Prays...

June Chenault, mother of David Chenault, is undergoing tests.

Austin Williams has been declared cancer free.

Please continue to pray for: **Patty Allison, Jacquetta Arbuckle, Rex & Pat Berry, Pat Brack, Stephanie Crum, H.D. & Bonnie Davis, Kathy Edwards, Patsy Ferguson, Robert Floyd, Sr., Bill Garrett, Debra Goode, Oleta Hahn, Rebekah Hanes, Bruce Hobbs, Roy Hunt, Johnny Jackson, Minh Johnson, Punk Jones, Anne Kelt, David Lafever, Wanda Lambeth, Lauren League, Joyce Lee, Dean & Teresa Myers, Joanie Nations, Laura Parker, Denise Perkins, Betty Rambin, Darla Riley, Don Sample, Jim Smith, Juanita Smith, Becky Thompson, Patsy Thompson, John Vance, Tom Vance, Toni Whitehead, Tamara Vance Willer,**

Each prayer request will be posted for two weeks unless the church office receives an update.



PRAY FOR OUR ARMED FORCES

Justin Blue, Sloan Brown,
Logan Commins, Tina Commins,
Brandi Davis, J C Hodges, Steven Hodges,
Dan MacKay, Joshua McKay, Kim McDuffie,
Chad McMurray, Jonathan Sanders,
Cleve Sexton, Todd Sunday, Tony Sunday,
Scottie Tillison, John H. Tucker

RECORDS AS OF 3-16-2014

Sunday Bible Classes.....	102
Sunday A.M. Worship.....	157
Sunday P.M.....	57
Wednesday P.M. Classes.....	67
Offering.....	\$6,658
Weekly Budget.....	\$6,986
YTD Offering.....	\$72,371
YTD Budget.....	\$76,846
Above (Below) YTD.....	(\$4,475)



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Dan Cummings, Dicky Harris

DEACONS:

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Chuck Ashmore	Wayne Hampton
Ben Bradshaw	Roy Hunt
Don Brooks	James Rowell
Richey Glasgow	Jody Sory
David Gravley	Jamie Sugg

