



## 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 MAY 11, 2014

### *Happy Mother's Day!*

**WELCOME** - Bob Payne

**PRAISE LEADER** - Tommy Goode

Come, Let Us All Unite to Sing - # 121  
Thank You, Lord! - # 781

**PRAYER** - Steve Sanders

**SCRIPTURE READING**

Ten Thousand Angels - # 349

**THE LORD'S SUPPER** - Don Brooks  
**OFFERING**

**CHILDREN'S TIME** - David Chenault

The Great Redeemer - # 250  
Our God, He Is Alive - # 23

**LESSON** - Bob Payne  
*"Godly Mothers"*  
Proverbs 31:10-31

A Beautiful Life - # 570  
The Lord Bless You and Keep You - # 710

**CLOSING PRAYER** - Wayne Hampton

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

## Bob's Thoughts...

### MOTHERS

**M** is for Modesty. "In like manner also that women adorn themselves in modest apparel, with shamefacedness and sobriety: not with braided hair, or gold, or pearls, or costly array." (1 Tim.2:9) How can we expect the children of our world to be modest when the mothers are not?

**O** is for Others. All Christians are to forget self and think of others. Good mothers seem to have an extra measure of selflessness. They can not eat a meal for waiting on others, and they could not enjoy a meal if there were not others to wait on. They gladly sacrifice things they really need so that their families can have things that mother wants them to have. Mothers are like that.

**T** is for Teachers. Mothers are our first and probably our best teachers. They read us our first Bible stories. They hear our first prayers. They teach us love. They teach us right and wrong. All of their lessons are not spoken. Some of them are just lived, and everyone knows that the finest lesson is a demonstration.

**H** is for Heart of gold. Good mothers are all heart. Her compassion is almost limitless. She can rejoice with her son when he wins the game or cry the same day with a daughter whose whole world has just ended because her boyfriend broke up with her. She can sit all night with a sick child or husband and hear the slightest sign of trouble.

**E** is for Eternity. She cares about the here and now. She is concerned for the daily comfort of her family. (Prov. 31) Most of all, she is concerned about the eternal welfare of her family. It is she who sees to it that all are dressed and ready for Bible class and worship.

**R** is for Righteousness. A good mother is in a right relationship with God. She loves Him, depends on Him, prays to Him and worships Him. Thank God for Mothers!

Have a Great Week!  
Bob



## Assignments, Etc...

### GREETERS

**Sunday, May 11th:** Don & Glenda Brooks, Pat Brack, Karen Pritchard, Gary Holland

**Sunday, May 18th:** Tommy & Sandra Goode, Jim & Donna Smith, June Craig, Janelle Roberts

### NURSERY ATTENDANTS

**Sunday AM, May 11th:** Diann Hopkins, Becky Whiteside, Elisabeth Sabella

**Sunday AM, May 18th:** Mona Craig, Cherie Weaver, Kathy Buckner

### VISITOR CENTER

**May:** Karen Pritchard

**June:** Carol Sory

### COMMUNION PREPARATION

**May:** Kathy Buckner

**June:** Diann Hopkins, Regina Sugg

### COMMUNION CLEAN-UP

**May:** Tommie Vinson, Melanie Taylor

**June:** Renee Hampton, Dee Brown

### FOOD COMMITTEE

**May:** Sandra Hall

**June:** Sandra Hall

## South Main Shares...

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Stephanie Ferguson, Harold Baade, Randy Fletcher, Paul Zimmerman!!!

### HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Randy & Beverly Fletcher, Jackie & Gina Shaw!!!

### YARD WORK/CARPET CLEANING

If you need your yard mowed or your carpets cleaned, call Jim Taylor at 903-812-2627.

### GRIEF WORKSHOP

Hospice of East Texas is hosting a grief workshop beginning Tuesday, May 13th. Meetings will take place every Tuesday for four weeks, 5:30-7:00 PM, at The Hospice Shoppe located at 114 Richardson Drive. To register or, for more information, please call (903)266-3400. The workshop is free of charge.

## Announcements...

### MIDWEEK MANNA

The menu for **Wednesday, May 14th**, is: *Beef stroganoff, corn, salad, rolls, & brownies*. 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	Ray Hall	Sun, May 18, noon
Cummings	Chris Cummings	Sun, May 18, noon

### SYMPATHY

We extend our sympathies to several of our friends and family this week.

To **Rex Berry and Joann Wright** at the death of their wife & sister, **Pat Berry**. Funeral services were Wednesday under the direction of Rader Funeral Home; interment at Strong Cemetery.

To **Joe & Kathy Davis, Dusty & Amanda Davis, Danny & Mandi Davis, and Daryl Davis** at the loss of their father and grandfather **H.D. Davis**. Funeral services were held Tuesday in Anson, Texas.

To the Chambless family at the passing of **Joyce Chambless**, a former South Main member. Funeral services were held Tuesday under the direction of Crawford A. Crim Funeral Home.

### FULL ARMOR CHRISTIAN ACADEMY

Full Armor Christian Academy presents Chris August, singer/songwriter, this Saturday, **May 17th @ 6 PM** at First Baptist Church, Henderson. All seats are \$20. Tickets are on sale at Full Armor.

### MISSION STATEMENT

The South Main Church of Christ is a loving and caring group of believers who accept the joy and responsibility of carrying out the earthly ministry of Jesus Christ.

With the help of God we will:

- Seek and Save the Lost
- Teach the Kingdom of God
- Help those who are in need

## The Family Life...

### RED HOUSE ITEM

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



### SENIOR CELEBRATION

The Senior Celebration will be next Sunday, **May 18th**, following evening services. Make plans now to attend and to honor our graduates.

Please sign the list in the foyer if you can help by bringing sandwiches, chips & dip, or drinks. Dessert will be furnished.

There are keepsake journals for each senior in the foyer. Please take a few minutes and write a note of encouragement to each one.



### HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES OF 2014

MAGGIE MCADAMS  
JOSH SANDERS  
CODY WOOD



### CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR COLLEGE GRADUATES

**Carson Craig** graduated from Tyler Junior College on Friday, May 9th, with an associates degree in Power Plant Technology. He will work for Luminant Energy in Rockdale beginning in June.

**Stephanie Ferguson** graduated with honors on Saturday, May 10th, from Abilene Christian University with a degree in Elementary Education.

**Kali Bradford-Gunz** graduated on Saturday, May 10th, from Harding Christian University with a degree in Fashion Marketing.

**Dione Rowell** also graduated on Saturday, May 10th, from the University of North Texas with a Bachelor's of Applied Arts & Sciences Degree with a minor in Rehabilitation.

### MISSION TRIP

The South Main Youth Mission Trip is scheduled for **July 6th - 12th**. Mark your calendars!

### 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.

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

# South Main Prays...

**Dee Brown** had knee replacement surgery on Monday. She is now recuperating at home.

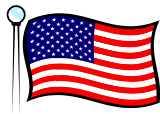
**Jordan Holcomb** received a good report from her tests.

**Gaye and Scott Parnell**, Jerry Orr's cousins, 31-year old son, **Cameron**, was killed in a tragic hiking accident last week at Crater Lake National Park in Portland.

**Carl Orr**, Jerry Orr's brother, as he deals with the loss of his wife, **Melinda**.

Please continue to pray for: **Jacquetta Arbuckle, Rex Berry, June Chenault, Stephanie Crum, Bonnie Davis, Kathy Edwards, Patsy Ferguson, Heather Gage, Bill Garrett, Debra Goode, Oleta Hahn, Ben Harris, Hattie Harris, Bruce Hobbs, Roy Hunt, Johnny Jackson, Anne Kelt, David Lafever, Wanda Lambeth, David Marshall, Russell Miller, Dean & Teresa Myers, Denise Perkins, Don Sample, Patsy Thompson, Jimmy Trimble, John Vance, Tom Vance, Seth Wakefield, 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 5-04-2014

Sunday Bible Classes.....	120
Sunday A.M. Worship.....	162
Sunday P.M.....	50
Wednesday P.M. Classes.....	82
Offering.....	\$8,084
Weekly Budget.....	\$6,986
YTD Offering.....	\$118,174
YTD Budget.....	\$125,748
Above (Below) YTD.....	(\$7,574)



### ELDERS:

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### HOUSEKEEPING:

Dan Cummings, Dicky Harris

### DEACONS:

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

