Worship Service

July 8, 2012

Call to Worship

Light The Fire
Have You Seen Jesus My Lord?
Where the Soul Never Dies

Prayer

On Bended Knee Humble Yourself

Lords Supper *

All Christians are invited to partake in this feast of remembrance. The bread & fruit of the vine symbolize the body and blood of our Savior who died and was raised for us. In eating together we proclaim our unity with Him and with one another until He comes again.

Children Down Front

Children's Bible Hour

Scripture Reading

Message by Larry Macomber

Where He Leads I Will Follow

Announcements

There's a Stirring

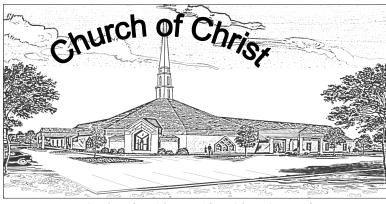
Closing Prayer

<u>Please</u> fill out an attendance card – white for members and gold for visitors. Please place it in the contribution basket when it comes around.

Sermon Notes Presented By Larry Macomber

Worthy of the Kingdom

II Thessalonians 1



Seek Life - Share Life - Obey One Life Focusing Our Lives Around ONE Savior, Jesus Christ

Pulpit Minister Larry Macomber

Youth Minister
Johnathan Dobbs

Children's Ministry Diane Beyer

Elders

Doug Anderson David Carroll Bob Noster Glenn Organ John Rawlings Willie Rollins John Westbrook

Where you shouldn't take a vacation!



Make no mistake about it; vacation season is in full swing. Our attendance and contribution numbers testify to it. Don't get me wrong, I am a firm believer in the need to take a vacation now and then. Everybody needs a break from the routine and some time off to recoup physically and emotionally from the wears and tears of day to day life. Jesus knew this and saw this need even within his own disciples. The gospel of Mark gives us his insight into how the toll of day to day ministry had on his disciples and how he recognized their need to get away. "Then, because so many people were coming and

going that they did not even have a chance to eat, he said to them, "Come with me by yourselves to a quiet place and get some rest" (6:31).

While vacations provide us with a much needed break from the norm, there is one place where we cannot afford to take a vacation...and that is from God. We should never allow vacations to cause us to break from our responsibilities as a follower of Jesus. Unfortunately, for some they allow their vacation itinerary to take precedent over taking time out to worship God. There is also the tendency to allow the vacation budget to take away from their normal contribution to the Lord's work at home. Even ones normal habit of spending time with God in His word and talking to God through prayer often falls by the wayside during this break from the routine.

So let me encourage all of us when we do make time for a break from the routine to refresh the mind and body, not to neglect our spiritual responsibilities. We can use this special time to expand our awareness of God's family as we visit other congregations. It can also provide us with some special time and places to encounter God in our private devotions. You see, it doesn't have to be and either/or dilemma. With some forethought and discipline, we can use our vacations as a time to refresh our mind, body, and soul.

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Harvest House Food Ministry

2204 Nichols 245-0306 Open on Wednesdays ONLY 9:00a.m. - 12:00 noon

For the Records July 1, 2012

Bible Study	108
AM Worship	
Wed.(6/24)	
Love Offering Received	\$6884.00
Weekly Budget Needed	
Budget Year to Date	
(Plus+ or Minus -)	\$11,954.44-
Weekly difference	
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****** **Nursery Volunteers Today**

Sherri Radford Vickie Fagan

There is an attended nursery in room #4. You may stay with your child if you wish, audio feed there.

Schedule of Assemblies

Sunday:	
Bible Classes	9:00a.m.
Worship	10:00a.m.
Life Groups & Seekers	5:00p.m.
Wednesday:	
Bible Classes for all ages	7:00p.m.

Elder of the Month

Doug Anderson

If you have a matter that needs to be brought to the attention of the elders, please talk to the elder of the month.

Our Deacons

Larry Archer Sam Baker David Phillips Duane Ryman Don Schmersahl James White Billy Wright ***************

Prayer List Updates

Rita Rawlings continuing the chemo every 4 weeks. Cindy Phillips taking part in a clinical trial treatment. Jimmy Crum on a 4-5 mo. round of chemo treatments. After he is done with the chemo he will have a tumor removed from his small intestine. He is responding well to the new Chemo. Geordan Burt (G.W. & Tricia Burt's son) has Chronic Kidney Disease. He is still on a 5% steroid dose & still having problems with the side effects. His red blood count is too low.

Natalie James is at a new facility at Conroe. Her left leg is causing problems.

Ray Garcia (Kim Garcia's uncle) has stage 4 cancer on his liver. He is taking chemo at M.D. Anderson.

Delores Freeman (MaryAnn Macomber's mother) has stage 4 lung cancer.

Dennis Garrison (Mark Garrison's Dad) has bone cancer in his hip. He is taking Chemo.

Pat Logan (David Carroll & Lynda Westbrook's sister's husband) has Stage 4 Lymphoma.

Carter Turnipseed (Grand nephew of Tricia Burt & Sandy Downs) was born a month early. He is still on monitors in case he stops breathing. He is at a high risk for SIDS.

Don Schmersahl (son of Don & Kathy Schmersahl) diagnosed with stage 4 Lymphoma. This type is slow growing. He has opted to watch & wait as far as treatment goes. He is doing good. He will go back to M.D. Anderson in Sept.

Cathy Lewis is going to a seizure specialist in Houston. Tracy Gallo (Tina Gallo's sister) is going through chemo for ovarian cancer.

Larry Lewis (Former Member) has been diagnosed with prostate cancer. He will have surgery on 7/19. It is the robotic, laparoscopic prostectomy. It will take three to four hours. They'll probably take some of the lymph nodes as well for biopsy. Thanks for your prayers.

Artie Hicks has cancer on her face that is spreading. She has decided not to get treatment. She is now at The Legacy Matagorda House room 214a. She would love to have visitors. ************

Shut-Ins

Sheila Kunz Artie Hicks James White Norma Gates

Nursing Home

Legacy: Martha Jane Etie # 205B Gerry Rogers #214 Marguerite Kettle #216 LaVerne Westbrook #414 Bob & Lolly Curtis #411 Jean Brodsky #313 Legacy Matagorda House: Artie Hicks #214a Bay Villa: Matthew Smith

Independent Living

Copperfield Estates Betty McNeill #238

Upcoming Events

July 15th Kristin Folse Bridal Shower

Young Adult Sunday Morning Bible Class

A new class for Young Adults (post High School to mid 30's, married or unmarried) is being facilitated by Tyler Davis. It is in room W15 on the Fellowship Hall wing. **************

New Sunday Morning Auditorium Class

Bob Fraley began a Textual Study on the Book of Romans in the Auditorium Class this morning. Glenn Organ is taking a break ...Bring your Bibles: all are welcome.

Bridal Shower

Kristin Folse bride-elect of Jeffery Dewey will be honored with a Bridal Shower on Sun. afternoon 2:00-3:30 July 15th in the Fellowship Hall. Selections are at Walmart, Target & Bed, Bath & Beyond. Colors are Royal Blue & Silver. ************

End of Summer/Back to School Event

Briskets are on sale now if you'd like to buy some or donate money for some for the End of Summer/Back to School event on Aug. 25th. *************

Ladies:

You are invited to our Ladies Day Seminar at Moore Avenue Church of Christ on 3319 Moore Ave. The theme is "Women Walking With God" Proverbs 31:30/Proverbs 14:1. It is on Sat. July28 at 8:00am-12:00noon. The speaker is Sister Patricia Harden of Sugarland Church of Christ. The registration & breakfast is from 8-9:00a.m. with lunch at noon. Please RSVP by July 10, 2012 to Betty Moore 245-6166, Bessie Alridge 245-8585 or e-mail Marcietta Moore at mylicem@vahoo.com.

CAMP

We are going to MPulse at ACU July 14-20th- this is for those going into 7th through 9th grades. See Johnathan for more info.

Terrific Tuesdays: Youth (Jr. & Sr. High) wanting to help in Children's Bible Hour with puppets, singing & assisting the teacher need to come to the church building all summer on Tues. afternoons 1 - 3 pm

SIX FLAGS FIESTA TEXAS – We will be heading to Fiesta Texas on July 26 and coming back on the 27th. We will be leaving at 7 a.m. on the 26th and spending the night at a church in San Antonio. On the 27th the plan is to see the Alamo before coming back that afternoon. The cost to go is \$40 plus you will need money for eating both days. There is a meal voucher available for at the park for \$12. Sign up today! Seats are limited.

Johnathan's Office Hours: If you would like to meet with Johnathan in his office during the week, his office hours are as follows:

Tuesday 9 - 2:30Wednesday 2 - 8:30

If you need him at any other time please call 559-553-5055 for an appointment. You can also email him at jddobbs@verizon.net. Any change to this schedule will be posted on his door.

Children's Activities

A couple of deadlines are approaching. If you are planning to go to Kids RoadMap the deadline to apply is July 8th. If you plan to attend Camp 10:Ten early registration is today July 8th & the cost is \$150 & after this the cost is \$165. The deadline is July 22nd.

We have some children who need sponsors to be able to go to campTen:10 this summer. The camp costs \$150. Please see Diane A.S.A.P. if you can help.

Youth Group News

Our Prayer List July 8, 2012

Church Family Cancer Patients

Jimmy Crum Evelyn Kjergaard James Deen Irene Castillo Cindy Phillips Rita Rawlings

Artie Hicks Robert Anderson

Other Needs

Robert Barber Barbara Gates Sheila Kunz Natalie James James White Cathy Lewis **Bob Curtis** Norma Gates Sam Baker LaVerne Westbrook **Lolly Curtis** Jean Brodsky

Kathy Schmersahl JoAnn Jalufka James Williams

Friends & Family

Cancer Patients

Charles Kolek (Tricia Burt & Sandy Downs' uncle)

Billie Ellis (MaryAnn Macomber's aunt)

Tracy Gallo (Tina Gallo's sister)

Leo Barnard (Tricia Burt's Prison Ministry student)

Jerry Odstrcil (G.W. & Tricia Burt's friend)

Jerry Mikulas (Trudy Wood's brother)

Leona Murrah (Keri Schurtz' Step Mom)

Carla Cox (Duane Ryman's sister)

Tony Kaspar (Tricia Burt & Sandy Downs' cousin)

Noel Piercy (G.W. Burt's friend)

Dennis Garrison (Mark Garrison's dad)

Lugene Lewis (Ken Lewis' mother)

Kenneth May (Sherri Radford's friend)

Denise Pahmiyer (Cathy Lewis' friend)

Ray Garcia (Kim Garcia's uncle)

Delores Freeman (MaryAnn Macomber's mother)

Hilary Longoria (Kendal Green's classmate) has terminal cancer.

Nancy Rawlins (Sandy Anderson's friend)

Dennis Garrison (Mark Garrison's Dad)

Pat Logan (David Carroll & Lynda Westbrook's sister's husband)

Karen Williams (Lois Schiurring's friend)

Don Schmersahl Jr (Don & Kathy Schmersahl's son)

Larry Lewis (Former member)

Friends & Family Other Needs

Leonard Janecek (Tricia Burt & Sandy Downs' brother)

Lois Timmons (Sherrie Radford's mother)

Helen Wrape (Former member)

James Rose

Gayle Oler (Jeanne Pappas' father)

Berta Williams (Sheila Kunz' mother)

Geordan Burt (G.W. & Tricia Burt's son)

Chance Bothe (Tricia Burt's friend)

John Abshier (Eddie & Sharon Rather's friend)

Anthony Hawkins (Sherrie Deen's friend)

Stephen King (former member)

Carter Turnipseed (Sandy Downs' & Tricia Burt's great nephew)

Tim Stevenson (Jim & Chrystal Folse's friend)

Jan Ashcraft Lopez (Friend of Sherrie Deen)

Please update us on the people on this Prayer List