

## Doug's Corner

Spring Break is almost here. I would like to do some things over the week. Please let me know if and when you will be in town so I can make plans.

Don't forget about our Spring Retreat coming up on Friday, March 29th - Sunday, March 31st. We will be going to Quartz Mountain Camp with other churches from Nexus. The cost is \$40, and there is a sign up sheet outside of my office. You need to sign up and put your shirt size by next Sunday. Make plans to join us, it will be great.

REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN!!! You can start registering for Pine Springs. Make sure to get the code from Doug to take off what the church will pay. I really want to encourage you to get registered NOW! Week 7 WILL fill up! I don't want to see any of our teens on the waiting list because you waited.

Congratulations to the new Ms. CHS, Sydney McColl. She won the honor Thursday night.

### Coming Soon

March 29th-31st: Spring Youth Retreat

May 19th: Senior Sunday Lunch

June 3rd-5th: Vacation Bible School

June 16th-21st: High School Mission Trip

July 14th-20th: Pine Springs, 7th-12th Grade

July 28th-August 2nd: Pine Springs, 4th-8th Grade

**Commit your way to the Lord; trust in him, and he will act.—Psalms 37:5**

## Order of Worship

238: Holy, Holy, Holy!  
532: Praise Him! Praise Him!  
238 Jesus Is Lord

### Prayer

12: Alas! And Did My Savior Bleed?

### Lord's Supper

160: Glory to His Name  
523: Our God, He Is Alive

### 2 Timothy 3:16-17

### Say What? Biblical Blunders in Theology (Part 1)

543: Redeemed

### Announcements

990: You Are the Song That I Sing

### Prayer



### 5 PM Service:

What's In Your Hand?

Exodus 4:2

## The Bell Avenue Church of Christ Beacon



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### Nothing but the Truth



There may have been a time in our country's history when newspapers and television broadcast produced stories that were unbiased and factually accurate. Sadly, that time has come and gone.

In 2019, a number of mainstream media outlets on both sides of the political aisle seem to be more preoccupied with pushing their own narratives than with presenting the unadulterated truth to their constituents. This is both tragic and frightening because it prevents citizens from making informed decisions based on the facts.

And, if you think it's bad enough when the media alters information, can you imagine the kind of mess our world would be in if Christians withheld some of the truth of God's Word? I'm sure you can, because that's exactly what has been happening for centuries.

It grieves the Lord when so-called followers of His divide the church into factions. Neglecting His warnings in Scripture, they solicit their own brand of Christianity by welcoming all manner of manmade creeds and doctrines into their midst. In doing so they hope to appeal to the masses and, in some cases, even draw a profit from their artificial gospels.

While each denomination has sincere and well-meaning adherents, most of them don't realize that in their effort to make the gospel more politically correct or less offensive, they are preventing the lost from learning about and obeying the Jesus of the Bible while simultaneously jeopardizing their own salvation.

Brothers and sisters, let's be sure not to leave out any details about the love, grace, and spiritual freedom that we have in Christ *nor* the faithfulness, holiness, and righteous zeal that He expects in return. If we want to be real soul-winners for the Lord, we must never neglect to tell the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth. It may not be popular, but it's factual.

# Speaking the Truth in Love

## Assembly Times

### **Sunday Worship**

9:30 AM and 5:00 PM

### **Sunday AM Bible Class**

Following Services

### **Wednesday Devo/Classes**

7:00 PM

## Ministers

### **Pulpit**

Stephen LupPlace

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### **Youth and Family**

Doug Martin

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### **Secretary**

Beverly Hays

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## For the Record

### **February 24, 2019**

Sunday Classes.....117  
 AM Worship.....177  
 PM Worship.....NC  
 Giving.....\$4,908.00  
 Weekly Budget.....\$5,903.46  
 YTD Giving.....\$42,002.81  
 YTD Budget.....\$47,227.68

## Elders

\* Cled Click

Eddie Hankins

Gene Mayfield

*\*indicates current contact person for the month*

## Deacons

**David Gustin**

*Fellowship*

**Colby Patterson**

*Transportation*

**Casey Wall**

*Building Maintenance & Grounds*

**Jeff Williamson**

*Visitation & Youth*

**Mural Worthey**

*Missions*

## Other Ministries

**Cled Click**

*Adult Education*

**Gene Mayfield**

*Finance*

World Bible School

**Richard Mayfield**

*Contribution & Tract Rack*

**Mural Worthey**

*Amarillo Bible Chair Director*

## Reminder:

**In reverence to God and respect toward other worshipers, please remember to silence all cell phones and pagers at the beginning of the worship assembly.**

# Congregational News

## **What's For Lunch?**

The signup sheets for the meal for Ladies Day are on the table in the foyer. Your culinary skills are needed!

Also, please check with Kay Lathem or Jennifer Williamson to see if they are still needing accessories for the decorations.

## **WBS**

Tanaka Chihota from Chitungwiza, Zimbabwe, is asking to be baptized. Please keep her in your prayers.

## **Arms of Hope and Big Heart**

New Mexico Christian Children's Home will be here April 4<sup>th</sup>. They are suggesting: microwave popcorn and corn syrup.

The Children's Home of Lubbock is having their Big Heart Campaign with a pick-up date of Friday, May 24<sup>th</sup>. They are asking for Kleenex.

## **Reading Material**

Interested in good Christian reading material? The newest The Spiritual Sword was just put out and new Gospel Minutes are out weekly. Also, there are two tract racks down the west hall.

## **Spring Quarter Adult Classes**

The Sunday morning auditorium class will be taught by Mural Worthey. The topic is "A Study of Key Passages on Grace." Eddie Hankins will be teaching in the Fellowship Hall on "What is Sin?".

The Wednesday adult class is studying "The Holy Spirit and His Relationship to Other Biblical Themes." Danny Haney and Mural Worthey will be presenting the material during February and March.

## **"Go Ye Into All the World..."**

Check out the map that Mural Worthey installed on the west hall wall that shows Bell Avenue's missions.

## **Oops!**

Due to a computer glitch, the men-to-serve letters had incorrect Wednesday night assignments. So, when you receive your letter and see that you are down for Wednesday night, please do not panic when you notice that you are doing a devotional. See Doug for the new sheet.

## **Time Change**

Don't Forget to turn your clocks forward 1 hour  
Saturday night, March 9th!



# Prayer List

Please keep all that are on our prayer list in your prayers.

Alex Bell, Lisa Brown's mother, Janie Pruitt, Jon Cartwright, Joe Copeland, Frances Dennis, Marie Gardner, Sarah Garton, Rowena Hall, Don & Rhea Hicks, Kenley Martin, Otha Mae McMorries, Mark Pruitt, Don Renner, Jack Scott. Amber Scott, Jim & Pat Simon, Wiley Smith, Jessie Faye Thomas, Stephanie Turvaville's mother, Debbie Arnold, George Vinson, Nicole Pruitt's mother, Carolyn Keller.

In charge of meals in March for those in need:

Rita Click

## Bell Avenue Missions

- Amarillo College Bible Chair
- Panhandle State Bible Chair
- WTAMU Bible Chair
- Brazil
- In Search of the Lord's Way
- Key to the Kingdom
- Northern New Mexico
- Prison Ministry
- High Plains Children's Home
- New Mexico Christian Children's Home
- Eastern European Missions
- Spanish Literature Ministry
- Bangladesh School of Preaching
- Cameroon School of Preaching
- South America Preacher Training School

## **Song Leader**

Doug Martin

## **Opening Prayer**

Terry Brittain

## **Lord's Supper Servers**

Mural Worthey,  
Jeff Williamson, Moises Ramirez, Jeff Sharrock, Hunter McColl, Kenneth McColl

Back

Eddie Hankins, James Perez

## **Lord's Supper Prayer**

Wyatt Earp

## **Scripture**

Alex Bell

## **Closing Prayer**

Robbie Hays

## **Cards**

Gage Williamson, Hank Brown