

# **Birthdays**

Dak Jones 2/12 Hayes Thompson 2/12 Charli Nevins 2/13

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18 Then Jesus came to them and said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. 19 Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, 20 and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age."

Matthew 29:18-20

### **February Assignments**

**GREETERS**: Tracy and Becky Beaty

WELCOME/PRAYER: Dak Jones

**SONG LEADER**: Jim Barnes

**SCRIPTURE READING:** Michael Vaughn

Mark 15:21-39

LORD'S TABLE

**BREAD**: Quint Westfall

**FRUIT of VINE**: Jeral Petty

OFFERING: Jack Beaver, Cliff Nevins, Wayne

McCorkle, Cory Smith

ATTENDANCE CARDS:
Reed and Rider Patterson

**NURSERY ATTENDANT: Karen Westfall** 

WEDNESDAY NIGHT DEVOTIONAL: Ricky Patterson

(2/12)

TO:

Be sure to tune in to "Let the Bible Speak" Sundays 6:30 am on KTEN NBC 10 and 9:30 am KTEN ABC



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#### TIME OF SERVICES

Bible Class: 9:30 am
Worship 10:30 am
Evening 6:00 pm
Wednesday pm 7:00 pm

#### The Source of Our Strength

The ancient practice of an elderly father pronouncing a blessing upon his children is vividly seen when Jacob's children assembled before him in Genesis 49. He called his sons together to "....tell them what shall befall you in the last days" (verse 1). He revealed what lay ahead for them. The Divine record of Jewish history shows God gave Jacob such insight. "And when Jacob had finished commanding his sons, he drew his feet up into the bed and breathed his last, and was gathered to his people."

His words to Joseph are filled with lessons which can help us today. He first talked about Joseph being like a fruitful bough, planted beside a well with branches spreading in every direction. This happened, for when the Jews left Egypt the number of his descendants outnumbered any other tribe.

The spiritual lessons from this blessing come as Jacob looked at all that had happened in Joseph's past. "The archers have bitterly grieved him. Shot at him and hated him. But his bow remained in strength." As Joseph heard these words, he could no doubt recall that day when his own brothers "shot their arrows of hate" as they decided to kill him. That hate was seen again when they sold him for twenty pieces of silver. There were those arrows of hate which came his way when Potiphar's wife lied about him. They continued as he spent more than a decade in an Egyptian prison.

However, his bow remained in strength. We *read* the text, but Joseph *lived* the text. As God described Joseph's life, He said, "The Lord was with him" and made whatever he did to prosper (<u>Gen. 39:3</u>, <u>23</u>). Herein lies the strength for our faithful service to our Master. God is with us!

Look again at the text. "The arms of his hands were made strong by the hands of the Mighty God of Jacob." The power in his life to overcome trials that came his way was not from his own inward strength. It was from God. Joseph was strong as a teen in Egypt and was strong as he watched his father die. We must learn the lesson that any strength that we have does not come from us but from the Almighty.

Jacob reminded Joseph his help came from the Lord when he further described God. He was the Mighty God of Jacob, the Shepherd and the Stone of Israel (Gen. 49:44). The twenty-third psalm would not be written until a thousand years later, but Jacob and Joseph knew God was the Shepherd. He was the source of strength and comfort. Read Jacob's words and make them part of your soul.

God is the Stone of Israel and He is the Stone of Christians. God help us to be wise enough to build our house on the Rock and not on shifting sand.

~Dan Jenkins

### **Prayer List**

Randy Adams, Kacy Patterson's father, was burned 12/29 over 20% of his body. He is now at home and recovering. He has a long road ahead of him.

**Icey Huddleston** is now at Texoma Healthcare Center behind Golden Corral.

**Juvean Snell** will be having permanent hip replacement surgery 2/10.

**Susan Carney** will have surgery on her right eye 2/12. **Beryl Mackey**, Laurie Davenport's dad, had his heart catherization rescheduled for 2/14.

**Charles Huddleston** had foot surgery Wed. 1/29. He will be in a boot for 4 weeks.

**Ed Crowe**, father of David Crowe, went home from the hospital 2/4 and is doing better.

**Clarence Woodson**, brother of Melba Welch passed away 2/4. Please keep Melba and the Woodson family in your prayers. They will be having a memorial in the Summer.

Haylee McGinnis has a broken finger.

Prayer list continued....

#### Those to continue to remember in Prayer:

Roxanne Smith	Rodriguez Family	Beaver Family	
Ann Beavert	Barbara Lee	Mary Ruth Light	
Sylvia Goodman	Wally Highfill	Powell Family	
Wilma Tutt	Dianne Idleman	Johnny Knight	
Wanda Davenport	Zoretta Smith	Crowe Family	
Randy Roach	Ronnie New	<b>Bobby Caruthers</b>	
Lila Beth Davis	Iris Davis	Harry B Haynes Jr	
Don Graham	Michelle Horan Sn	nith/Barnes Family	
Bobby Reed	Juvean Snell Wit	throw/Price Family	
Dale Cox	Jerry Dosser	<b>Denton Family</b>	
Marjory Grady	Paul Franks	Veronica Brown	
Patrick Fallon	Megan Dodson	Tyrena Jones	
Tom Byerly	Casey Jones	Larry Bice	
Rebecca Denton	Rakes Family	Paul Clark	
Woolverton Family ID Pruitt			

#### Hospital /Rehab

**Zelda Gatlin**: Midtowne Assisted Living, RM 225 Midlothian, TX 76065

Icey Huddleston: Texoma Healthcare Center, Sherman

### Military

J.R. Lance Matt Frizzell Zack Turpen
Chad Lorenz Trea Baker
Logan Nielsen Seth Rodriguez Madalynn Baker
Matt Upton Brock Murray

### **Bible Class Opportunities**

Sunday AM Adult I
Auditorium / Dane McGinnis
The Great Gospel

Sunday AM Adult II
New Fellowship Hall/ Scott Sides
What Is In A Name

Sunday Am High School / College New Fellowship Hall / Dak Jones **Growing In Christ** 

Wednesday Ladies Class, 10:00 am New Fellowship Hall / Betty Graham **Bible Women** 

Wednesday Evening class, 7:00 pm
Auditorium / Scott Sides
A Study of Exodus

First Monday Class, 12:00 pm New Fellowship Hall / Scott Sides Questions & Answers

Second Tuesday Men's Class, 7:00 am

New Fellowship Hall / Scott Sides

Study of Samuel

# **Sunday Sermon Titles**

Sunday AM:
"Disciples and the World"
Lesson 5
1 Peter 2

Sunday PM: "The Gospel Is Good News" Lesson 3 Romans 1:16-17

#### **Calendar Of Events** Elder's meeting after evening service Feb 9 Feb 11 Second Tuesday Men's Class. Come at 7:00 am for breakfast and Bible study to follow. Feb 9-12 29<sup>th</sup> Annual Texomaland Lectures at the Howe Church of Christ. Scott Sides will be speaking Wed. Feb 12<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 pm. Singing begins at 7:00 PM. Feb 12 Ladies Bible class at 10:00 am. Study will be "Jezebel, A Woman With a Heart Problem!"" Mar 2 Pettijohn Springs registration for 2020 Summer camp opens. Ret's Retreat at Pettijohn Springs Christian Camp Madill, OK. 3rd-12th Grade Girls Welcome to Mar 6-8 Attend. Mar 25-28 Revive us Again Evangelism and Church growth workshop in Wichita Falls. "I push towards the goal..." Howe's Men's Day "The Bride of Christ" starts at 9:00 am Mar 28 Philippians'3:13

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## **Vital Statistics**

Sunday Morning Bible	82
Sunday Morning Assembly	155
Sunday Evening Assembly	39
Monday Class	14
Tuesday Men's Class	NA
Ladies Bible Class	13
Wednesday Night	64
2019 Weekly Budget	\$4,643
Contribution last Sunday	\$4,458

29th Annual Texomaland Lectures

Feb 9-12 at Howe Church of Christ 1205 N. Collins Fwy Howe, TX

Wednesday Feb 12<sup>th</sup> Singing starts at 7:00 pm 7:30 pm Scott Sides will be delivering the message "God Sent His Son"

#### Reminder:

You can find our current calendar of events, recent sermons, and bulletins on our website at www.collinsvillecofc.org.

### **Mustard Seed Ministry**

New Mexico Christian Children's Home truck is coming April 3<sup>rd</sup>. Our goal is 500 containers of Oatmeal.

Ladies Bible class will be assembling and delivering Valentine gift bags to our shut-ins after class on 2/12.

Meals on Wheels is seeking volunteers for delivers for the Collinsville/Tioga area. Contact the coordinator at 903-786-3351 to fill this need.

### Continuation of prayer list:

**Tommy Blackburn** will have a toe removed on Wed. 2/12.

**Keith Welch's** eye surgery went well. Pray for success and healing.

Lacie Bridgman, cousin of Wendy Smith, has cancer in her reproductive organs. They began testing 1/28 to determine a treatment plan.

**Tammy Sides** radiation treatment process began on 1/7. She is now in her fourth week.

Erin Patterson's sister's father-in-law, **Henry Allen** passed away 2/3. Keep the family in your prayers.

**Melba Welch** has been diagnosed with shingles. Our sympathy goes to the family of **Bessie** 

**Dolezalek**, the last surviving aunt of Betty Graham. Bessie passed away 1/31.

**Chase Reed**, grandson of Sherry Hodges, lost his left arm in 2019. He now has a life-threatening infection.

Continue to pray for the family of **Shirley Denton.**