



Birthdays

Rider Patterson 11/22
Bob Reed 11/25
Vickie Farrell 11/25
Harold Johnson 11/26
Ricky Patterson 11/27
Rich Luckie 11/27
Sally Light 11/27

Anniversaries

Johnny & Christine Smotherman 11/21
John & Dolly Wolf 11/21
Jeff & Lesa Reed 11/22
Billy Don & Zoretta Smith 11/23
Steve & Angela Butler 11/23
Tracy & Beck Beaty 11/25
Keith & Melba Welch 11/27

November Assignments

Welcome/Prayer: Ricky Patterson

Song Leader: Jim Barnes

Scripture Reading: Kerry Jones
Matthew 2:1-8

Lord's Table:

Bread Prayer – Tracy Beaty
Fruit of the Vine Prayer –David Davenport
Contribution Prayer – Marion Farrell

Closing Prayer: Quint Westfall



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¹⁸Then Jesus came to them and said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. ¹⁹Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, ²⁰and 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

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 9.

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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

There is only ONE Lord

As I was growing up at the West Huntsville (AL) congregation, we had an hour-long Sunday night class for all the young people in the church. The class began with each of us saying a memory verse. Obviously, whoever went first got the "good ones" like "Jesus wept" ([John 11:35](#)). So, part of my life was finding the obscure verses that were very short which others just would not know. One of my favorites, which others seemed to overlook, was [Ephesians 4:5](#)—"One Lord, one faith, one baptism."

Think about what this verse says—one Lord. While it is true that there are many who sit in places of authority on this earth—politicians, policemen, teachers, your boss—there is one Lord above all others and He rightfully is the only true Lord.

Before He left the earth He said—by the way, another short verse—"And Jesus came and spoke to them say, 'All authority has been given to me in heaven and on earth'" ([Matt. 28:18](#)). Think about the meaning of these words. He is above all heavenly creatures and has dominion over every mortal on this earth! He has *all* authority. In the vision Daniel saw of the ascension of Jesus, he saw Jesus' arrival in heaven and being brought before God. "Then to Him was given dominion and glory and a kingdom, that all peoples, nations, and languages should serve Him. His dominion is an everlasting dominion, which shall not pass away, and His kingdom the one which shall not be destroyed" ([Dan. 7:14](#)). What a momentous event this would have been to witness. All of creation is subject to Him.

However, many have served other lords. The entire basis of pagan idolatry is a rejection of the only Lord and bowing before an image of stone, wood or precious metal. Contrast the concept of asking the help and guidance from any inanimate item and the concept of seeking a personal relationship with a living Lord.

Now consider that much of the religious division in our land today is the result of changing the kingdom/church Jesus received when He came before God. The One who has all authority never gave any mortal any right to change it. It seems that if you do not like the kingdom of the Lord of lords and King of kings, we have ignored His authority and created our own religious body, giving us what we want not what He wants.

Think about how practical it is to honor Him who has all authority. I have no authority, except that which the Lord gives me, over any part of my life. I have no time that is not His, I have no money that is not His, I have no rules of life which are not His. May I suggest that you memorize that short verse and meditate on how it applies to all of your life!

~by Dan Jenkins

Prayer List

Juvean Snell went to the surgeon who will give her more details on November 20th concerning her upcoming surgery.

James Jones passed away November 18th from COVID. Please pray for Dorothy and family.

Dorothy Jones is now in The Legacy Willow Bend, 6101 Ohio Dr., Room 5305, Plano, TX 75024. Dorothy’s cell phone number is (972) 679-7847.

Iris Davis, Cindy Schindler’s mother passed away on Tuesday, November 3rd. Pray for Cindy and family.

Wade Kennedy has shingles and is unable to continue with his chemo. He is doing better. Pray for him.

Adell Thomson is going to the dermatologist on the 24th to have a basal cell carcinoma removed from her nose. Pray for a good outcome.

James Baker, Eddie Baker’s youngest brother passed away November 5th. Services were held in Houston. Pray for Eddie and his family.

Ronnie Athwal, wife of Carl Lucas’s co-worker, has lung cancer and began chemo treatments on Friday.

Cindy Mathis, Olden Cook’s daughter is waiting to have cardiac surgery in Plano. She is waiting for an opening. Pray for her.

Rosina Magana, mother of Julita Huddleston, fell and fractured her pelvis.

Brian Vannoy, Martha Beaver’s son went to the Doctor and needs a heart catheterization. It’s not scheduled yet. Keep him in your prayers.

| Those to continue to remember in Prayer: | | |
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| Sylvia Goodman | Lila Beth Davis | Rebecca Denton |
| Linda Fry | Shirley Walker | Elizabeth Fry |
| Melba Welch | Alex Johnson | J.D. Pruitt |
| Rosina Magaña | Shelby Ansley | Terry Butler |
| Bobbie Caruthers | Bill Schindler | Chad Ettelbtick |
| Kristin Ettelbtick | Robbie Davis | Charlene King |
| Carter Rosard | Kelsey Rogers | Bob Rushing |
| Rajonia Carnley | Cavender Family | Linda Clark |
| Lainey Garner | Dallas Parker | Lois Petty |
| Alicia Tracy | Cody Higgins | Billy Don Smith |
| Wade Kennedy | Randall Butler | Ladonna Jones |
| Ricky and Penney Johnson | | Marjory Grady |
| Todd Spencer | Ann Butler | Jason Achimon |
| Chase Reed | Lambert Family | Cindy Schindler |
| Dan Fallon | Tommy Blackburn | Cindy Price |
| Ann Beavert | Tammy Sides | Jeff Thompson |
| Chase Reed | Tiffany Brothers | John Wolf |
| Eddie Baker | Casey Jones Family | Keith Welch |

Continuation of Prayer list:

Kathy Patterson broke her femur. She had surgery and is doing well.

Charlene King has been placed under hospice care in her apartment.

Laurie Davenport’s young niece, Dallas Jane, had her thyroid removed on Monday. Pray for her full recovery.

Jerry Gaver, cousin of Carin Patterson tested positive for COVID-19 as well as his inlaws.

Jack Beaver is thrilled his legs are healed. He has a doctor’s follow up visit for the 20th from his latest surgery. He said he appreciates your cards and prayers and calls.

Don Graham needs our prayers. He is struggling.

Jason Achimon is still dealing with an infection in his back. Doctors changed his meds and are we are praying they will make a difference.

Trevon Buchanan has been diagnosed with COVID-19.

Sonny Riddle, friend of Sally and Chico Light, is in the ICU with COVID-19.

Carl Lucas has been diagnosed with COVID-19 and has been very sick but is now feeling a little better.



| Military | | |
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| J. R. Lance | Matt Frizzell | Zack Turpen |
| Chad Lorenz | Trea Baker | Matt Upton |
| Logan Nielsen | Seth Rodriguez | Brock Murray |
| Madalyn Baker | Garrett Brewer | Hunter Brewer |

Thank you note received

Robby and I just wanted to thank this awesome church for all ya’ll have done. The underpinning, both porches with rails and of course the food pantry. We are very grateful!!

God bless, Robby & Everetta Halbert

Calendar of Events

Sunday, November 22nd - 9:30 AM Bible classes resume
10:30 AM Worship inside the building. For those homebound or with weakened immune systems please go to: www.collinsvillecofc.org and click on “view live” on Facebook.com/CollinsvilleChurchofChrist.


Sunday, November 22nd - 6:00 PM Worship resumes at the building and continues online through Facebook.

Monday, November 23rd – 9:30 AM Zoom classes are cancelled for the holiday week.

Tuesday, November 24th - 10:00 AM Ladies Bible Class continues as they study Peter.


Wednesday, November 25th - 7:00 PM class resumes in the building as well as on Facebook on “The Story of the Bible in Matthew”.

Thursday, November 26th – 9:30 AM Zoom Classes are cancelled for the holiday week.



Vital Statistics

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| Sunday Morning Assembly..... | 80 |
| Online viewership | 165 |
| Sunday Evening Assembly..... | 23 |
| Sunday Evening Online Viewership | 97 |
| Ladies Bible Class..... | 11 |
| Wednesday Evening Assembly | 25 |
| Wednesday Evening Online Viewership | 60 |
| Weekly Budget..... | \$4,643 |
| Contribution Last Sunday..... | \$3,847 |



Sunday Sermon Titles

Sunday AM: “A Look At John Series”
Lesson 9
“The Word Dwelt Among Us”
John 1:1-14


Sunday PM: “The Blessings of Prayer”
John 9:31

Bible Class Opportunities

All classes resume on Sunday, November 15th. Classes will meet in the same classroom as before our latest break.

We have provided online class lessons for our children. These are in continuation of our in person classes so the children do not miss anything while out during this time. Simply go to our website: www.collinsvillecofc.org and look for Bible Classes. Pick the one you are looking for and download that week’s lesson.

4 and 5 year olds
3rd, 4th and 5th grade
Teens



The Food Pantry is open to our community bi-weekly. Open from 7:30 am-11:00 on Monday, November 30th and December 14th. If you know of anyone in our community who is in need during the meantime, please have them contact the church at 903-429-6313.