



## Birthdays

Cory Ross 10/3  
Klint Rodgers 10/4  
David Davenport 10/6

## Anniversaries

## October Assignments

**Welcome/Prayer:** Jim Barnes  
**Song Leader:** Eric Axe  
**Scripture Reading:** George Light  
Matthew 26:26-28

**Lord's Supper Devotional** – Carl Lucas

**Lord's Table and Communion**  
**Bread Prayer** – Matthew Davenport  
**Fruit of the Vine Prayer** – Jeral Petty  
**Offering Prayer** – James Cowger  
**Assisting with Communion:** Cliff Nevins  
Wayne McCorkle, Caleb Patterson

**Attendance cards:** Bryce Thompson  
Brant Thompson

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<sup>18</sup>Then Jesus came to them and said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. <sup>19</sup>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, <sup>20</sup>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 28:18-20

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: 7:00 pm

## The Qualifications of an Elder

Continued from last week

Text: I Timothy 3; Titus 1; I Peter 5:1-4

### Experience

• **Not a novice** (I Timothy 3:6) - This man is not a new convert and has had time to develop his faith over the years. He is one that has demonstrated his soundness in doctrine and action towards the work of the church. Character & Habits

• **Blameless** (I Timothy 3:2; Titus 1:3) - An elder must be one whose character could not be successfully stained. He is honest, dependable, and upright in his dealings. This does not mean sinless, but one who will go out of his way to make things right (cf. Romans 3:23). Being blameless is a trait that all Christians are obligated to be, "Who shall also confirm you unto the end, that ye may be blameless in the day of our Lord Jesus Christ" (I Corinthians 1:8).

• **Not Covetous** - Not Greedy of Filthy Lucre (I Timothy 3:3; Titus 1:7) - The eldership is not for sale. The church is a soul-saving institution not a money-loving institution. An elder must be one who is not so consumed with making money so as to neglect spiritual work.

• **Not Self-Willed** (Titus 1:7) - He is not a man who is determined to have his own way. His chief concern is not his own way, but the welfare of the church.

• **Not soon angry, contentious, striker, brawler** (Titus 1:7; I Timothy 3:3) - He controls himself and is not hot-headed (cf. Proverbs 14:17).

• **Not given to wine** (I Timothy 3:3; Titus 1:7) - This means he is a TOTAL ABSTAINER. There is no other way to put this! Elders and alcohol don't mix!

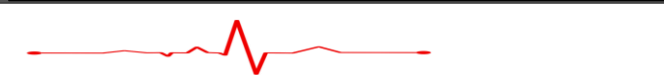

• **Temperate** (Titus 1:8) - This means he practices self-control. It also means he has a "Sober" mind (I Timothy 3:2). This is being serious minded; serving the church in a serious manner. He is able to make clear decisions.

• **Patient** (I Timothy 3:3) - The success of an eldership often is determined by PATIENCE!

(To be continued next week)

Keep in your prayers
<p><b>Mary Swindle</b> needs our prayers. <b>Ann Beavert</b> is home now from the hospital. She still continues with dialysis. <b>Lila Beth Davis</b> needs our prayers and cards. <b>Wilma Tutt</b> continues to struggle. <b>Charles Huddleston</b> is home recovering from his fall. <b>Adell Thomson</b> needs our continued prayers. <b>Beryl Mackey</b>, father of Laurie Davenport needs our prayers. Please keep <b>Wade Kennedy</b> in your prayers for strength. <b>Carl Reed</b>, Jeff Reed’s father is now at a care home in Gainesville. <b>Shirley Walker</b> is confined to her home due to a stroke and needs our prayers. <b>Larry Jones</b> still needs our prayers. There is a sign-up sheet at the back of the church for Saturday meals for him. He is now on Meals on Wheels. <b>Angie Hart</b>, twin sister of Lisa Spoon, has kidney cancer and is on chemo &amp; radiation. Along with this, she is struggling with blood clots in her leg and had a stint put in on one of her legs. That has helped her quite a bit. <b>Ashley Monk</b>, a friend of Karen Westfall has cancer and Karen is asking for our prayers for Ashley. <b>Gene Hampton</b> is asking for prayers for his mother as well as his son, Jason who had COVID. <b>Dickey Mack Vannoy</b>, Martha Vannoy’s brother-in-law, passed away on September 4<sup>th</sup>.  <b>Barbara Davis</b> passed away on Sunday, September 25<sup>th</sup>. Our prayers go to Eric and family. Her funeral service will be at the Collinsville Church of Christ on Monday, October 3<sup>rd</sup> at 11:00 am. Visitation will be at the church at 10:00 am.  Pray for <b>Alex Sprinkle</b>, friend of Eric Axe who has left home and his parents and friends are concerned for him.</p>
<p><b>Ryan Holisinger was baptized on Sunday, September 25<sup>th</sup>. Please support him in his journey</b></p>
<p><b>Long Term / Rehab</b> <b>Tyrena Jones</b> is in the Cedar Ridge Rehab in the memory unit in Pilot Point <b>Wanda Hackney</b> is in Meadowbrook Care Center in Van Alstyne</p>
<p><b>Military</b> J.R. Lance     Matt Frizzell     Zack Turpen     Chad Lorenz Matt Upton     Garrett Brewer     Madalynn Baker Seth Rodriguez     Brock Murray     Hunger Brewer</p>

Bible Class Opportunities
<p><b>9:30 am Sunday Adult</b> Auditorium / Ricky Patterson <b>9:30 am Sunday Young Adults with children in school</b> Fellowship Hall / David Davenport <b>9:30 am various Bible classes</b> throughout the building for all ages. <b>10:30 am Worship</b> in Auditorium and on Facebook <b>6:00 pm Worship</b> in Auditorium and on Facebook <b>6:00 pm Worship</b> in Fellowship Hall for 3<sup>rd</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> grade students.</p> <p><b>7:00 pm Wednesday</b> Bible study for all ages.</p> <p><b>Men’s breakfast and Bible class</b> will meet at 7:00 am on Tuesday, October 4th. <b>Ladies Bible Class</b> <u>Resumes this Wednesday</u>, October 5<sup>th</sup> with a regular lesson followed by lunch together at a location TBD.</p> <p>*****</p> <p><b>Preston Koch</b> had surgery on Friday for his ACL. Pray for a good outcome. <b>Ann Butler</b> had her thyroid and para-thyroid removed on Wednesday, the 28<sup>th</sup>. All went well for her but her throat is sore. <b>Steve Butler</b> had knee replacement surgery on September 29<sup>th</sup>. Pray for his quick recovery!</p>
<p><b>Those to continue to remember in prayer</b></p> <p>Mary Swindle     Beryl Mackey     Juvean Snell Carol Axe     Wendy Croney     Cindy Schindler Doyle Thompson     Brenda Thompson     Lone Sides Kevin Hampton     Benny Hessel     Doris Sides Shirley Walker     Ashley Monk     Zoretta Smith Jennifer Merchant     Charles Huddleston Charles Snell     Adell Thomson     Patty Hampton Bill Schindler     J. D. Pruitt     Runez Pruitt Roger Kerr     Tommy Blackburn     Dorothy Jones Tyrena Jones     Joy Fowler     Eddie Baker Wanda Hackney     Lana Henderson Brendon Grindstaff     Angie Hart     Melba Welch     Doug Davenport     Chase Reed     Keith Welch Eddie Baker     Carl Reed     Stephanie McWilliams Wade Kennedy     Lila Beth Davis     Wilma Tutt Teresa Davenport     Micayla Greisen</p>

<div><div>UPCOMING Events</div><p><b>October 4<sup>th</sup></b> – Men’s breakfast and Bible class at 7:00 a.m. <b>October 4<sup>th</sup> – October 27<sup>th</sup></b> - <u>A Matter of Balance</u> classes will be held here at the Collinsville church of Christ in the fellowship hall. Please contact <a href="mailto:joyce.white@ag.tamu.edu">joyce.white@ag.tamu.edu</a> or call 903-813-4203 to make your reservations asap as there are only 12 openings for the class. <b>October 5<sup>th</sup></b> – Ladies Bible class resumes at 10:00 a.m. with lunch bunch going for lunch afterward. <b>October 9<sup>th</sup></b> – Elders and Deacons meeting after evening services. <b>November 6 – Fall Family Fellowship Meal</b> <b>November 11-12-</b> The Lewisville church of Christ is sponsoring Diakonos, a servant, one who executes the commands of another. For more information, go to <a href="http://lewisvillecofc.org">lewisvillecofc.org</a>.</p></div>																							
<div><div>Thank You</div><p>I would like to thank the Collinsville congregation for all the prayers, visits, cards and the many meals that the members have been providing me in my new residence. Thank you each and everyone.</p><p>Larry Jones</p></div>																							
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