



Birthdays

Dak Jones 2/12

Hayes Thompson 2/12

Anniversaries

February Assignments

Welcome/Prayer: Ricky Patterson

Song Leader: Matthew Davenport

Scripture Reading: Connor Lucas
Revelation 12:7-9

Lord's Table and Communion

Bread Prayer – Garrett Patterson

Fruit of the Vine Prayer – Jared Light

Offering Prayer – Luke Patterson

Assisting with Communion – George Light,
Tim Hitchcock, & Layton Hunter

Attendance Cards: Dylan Patterson &
Austin Patterson

Collinsville Church of Christ
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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 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.

Elders:

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Youth Activities

Justin Patterson
(903) 821-0901
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TIME OF SERVICES

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

We Have a Motive!

"Motive" is the reason behind a decision or action. Knowing why we would do something can be one of the best evidences for if we do something. When a prosecutor is trying to convince a jury to convict a defendant for murder, it may all hinge on whether or not they present a reasonable motive for the crime. If a jury can understand why someone would do it, they are more likely to be convinced that they actually did it.

Is there a sufficient motive for us to follow Christ? What if we explained our reason for being a Christian to someone else? Would they have enough evidence to believe that we really do believe the faith we proclaim? Does our reason for living differently than the rest of the world make sense?

In **1 Timothy 4:8-10**, Paul explains our motive for being Christians. He writes, "For bodily exercise profits a little, but godliness is profitable for all things, having promise of the life that now is and of that which is to come." He is telling us that our reason for living as a Christian comes down to two things: a profitable life on earth and a profitable life in heaven. We do what the Bible says is right not only because there is a reward of heaven, but because it leads to the best possible life.

We are motivated to live Christian lives because our actions are in line with our purpose. Every person wants to know what their purpose in life is. Without purpose, our lives have no meaning. If we want fulfillment in life, then we must live according to our purpose. **Ecclesiastes 12:13** tells us that our purpose is to "Fear God and keep His commandments, for this is man's all." This means that living a godly life is exactly what we were made for. We weren't made to live for the temporary pleasures of life. We are eternal, spiritual beings (**cf. Ecclesiastes 12:7; Gen. 2:7**). We were made to glorify God.

We are also motivated to live Christian lives because it is good for our health and wellbeing. Living a worldly life can certainly give plenty of temporary pleasure. But we all know that they come with terrible consequences. Drunkenness leads to violence and car accidents. Lying destroys trust and relationships. Promiscuity brings disease and tears apart marriages. Fleshly living may seem fun in the moment, but it will always lead to chaos. If I am living according to the Bible, then it can all be avoided. "For to be carnally minded is death, but to be spiritually minded is life and peace" (**Rom. 8:6**).

We have a motive for being Christians! If we know it, we will be ready to give a defense to everyone who asks us a reason for the hope that is in us (**cf. 1 Pet. 3:15**).

Keep in your prayers

Carol Axe is not doing too well. Her heart is very weak. She is struggling holding things and taking her meds. Please continue with your prayers.
Steve Butler is home recovering from his surgery.
George Light is home recovering from his surgery.
Lisa Renzelmann is home recovering from her surgery.
Betty Netterville, Mitch Netterville’s mother, is in rehab in Tyler, Tx.
Reese Patterson has a brused knee and has not been able to play basketball.
Phyllis Petty, Jerald & Lois Petty’s daughter in law, passed away last week. Please keep the family in your prayers.

Those to continue to remember in prayer.

Lisa McAden	Bob Rushing	Brad Kerr
Darrin Ross Lewis	Lisa Spoon	CurtisWalker
Runez Pruitt	Beckett Way	Ruby Atkins
Chris Price	Charla Lawson	Don Swindle
Joy Fowler	Braden Rubey	Zoretta Smith
Beryl Mackey	Shirley Walker	Layton Hunter
Doug Davenport	Teresa Davenport	Loney Dunn
Dorothy Pawalowski	Gordon Pruett	Stephanie McWilliams
Barbara Taylor	Billy Don Smith	Chase Reed
Jasen Hampton	Marilyn Long	Steve Booth
Jimmy Garner	Butch Johnson	Katie Machechnie
Dudley Cummings	Chase Hampton	Ann Young
Vicki Farrell	Lori Tullman	Martha Flowers
Jeff Goodman		

Shut-Ins / Long-Term / Rehab Members

Jim & Sandra Westfall – 606 Rice Rd., Collinsville, TX 76233
Sylvia Goodman - 25525 FM 902, Collinsville, TX 76233
Dorothy Jones – 4864 West Line Rd., Whitesboro, TX 76273
Charles & Juvean Snell – 612 Kiowa Dr. E., Lake Kiowa, TX 76240
Juanita Vannoy – 2789 Cordell Rd., Sadler, TX 76264
Melba Welch – 228 Hollinghead Rd., Whitesboro, TX 76273
Tom & Adell Thomson – 158 CR 266, Gainsville, TX 76240
Loretta Sills – 319 Beauty Ln., Whitesboro, TX 76273
Eddie Baker – 215 Jordan Creek Rd, Collinsville, TX 76233
Carol Axe – 506 Captains Cutt Rd., Gainsville, TX 76240
Martha Flowers – 326 Flowers Ln., Collinsville, TX 76233
Ron & Regina Spencer – 120 Cayuga Tr., Lake Kiowa, TX 76420
Wanda Hackney - Meadowbrook Care Center, P.O. Box 307, Van Alstyne, TX 75495
Wilma Tutt - Eagle Ridge Alzheimer Care, 2505 Brinker Rd. Room 104, Denton, TX 76208
Runez Pruitt - 23891 FM 902, Collinsville, TX 76233

MILITARY

Brock Murray	Chad Lorenz
Christopher Carney	Seth Rodriguez
Matt Upton	J. R. Lance
Zack Turpen	Hunter Brewer
Mason Inman	

General Information

Member Service Forms
Please take time to fill out your member service form so that we have an updated account for what services you are interested in participating in. You can go to our website at www.collinsvillecofc.org and click on the get involved tab at the top of the page. If you have any questions you can get with Kristy Parrott or call 504-444-5118.
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The Weekly Newsletter
If you have any questions about the Weekly Newsletter and/or, you would like to receive a copy by mail or email, please get with Kristy Parrott. You may call 504-444-5118 or email collinsvillecofc@gmail.com
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New Church Directory
We now have a church directory online at <https://instantchurchdirectory.com> You will need to create an account with the email you provided the church. You can also download the app from your Play Store or Apple Store on your phone. Once you create your account you will be able to edit or add a photo or family photo. You will also be able to add or edit your information. Please try it and give us feedback. If you have any questions or need help with it, don’t hesitate to call Kristy Parrott at 504-444-5118.

Bible Class Opportunities

9:30 am Sunday Adult
Auditorium / Mitch Netterville
9:30 am Sunday Young Adults with children in school
Fellowship Hall / Dak Jones
9:30 am various Sunday Bible classes throughout the building for all ages.
10:30 am Sunday Worship in the Auditorium, Facebook, and YouTube.
6:00 pm Sunday Worship in the Auditorium, Facebook, and YouTube.
6:00 pm Sunday Worship in Fellowship Hall for 3rd -12th grade students.
7:00 am Tuesday Men’s Bible Class
7:00 am Men’s breakfast and Bible class will meet on the first Tuesday of every month.
10:00 am Wednesday Ladies Bible Class
7:00 pm Wednesday night Bible study for all ages.

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****https://www.youtube.com/@collinsvillecofc**

****If any of our senior members need help with maintenance around the house, please contact Jerry or Mary Nan Cannon.**
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PayPal
If you are interested in a safe way to make your contributions while you’re unable to attend church, look at using PayPal. The church email: collinsvillecofc@gmail.com.
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T.V. Sermons
“In Search Of The Lord’s Way”
Sunday @ 7:30 am on KXII (Channel 12) or
Sunday @ 8:00 am on KDFI (Channel 27)
“In Truth And Love”
Sunday @ 7:30 am on KFWD (Channel 27) or
Nortex Cable (Channel 21)

Baptisms

We are proud to announce that Nolan Patterson was baptized on Sunday, February 2nd, by Keenan Brown.

Thank you

**We are grateful for our Collinsville Church of Christ family. Your prayers, cards, hugs of encouragement and condolences are appreciated at this difficult time. The flowers sent for Marjorie’s celebration of life service were beautiful. Thank you for being a welcoming fellowship of believers that demonstrates Christ’s love. Praise be to God who is faithfully providing His strength, help, and comfort now and always. In His Love,
The Family of Marjorie Pierce**

Upcoming Events

February 9th – 4:00 pm Youth Rally in Wapanucka, Oklahoma from 4:00 pm – 7:00 pm. We will be taking the bus.
February 9th – Elders meeting after Sunday night service.
February 11th – 7:00 am Men’s Bible Class in the Fellowship Hall
February 12th – 10:00 am Ladies Bible Class in the Fellowship Hall “How Shall I Be Remembered – In Family Relations?” – Lunch Bunch “Tea Party” after class at Ann Butlers. Bring a Valentine card.
February 12th – 6:00 pm Valentine’s Dinner for the **whole church**. The youth will be cooking and serving the meal. Please RSVP with Keenan Brown by February 9th. (580-238-0132)
February 15th – 10:00 am Crafting Class in the Old Fellowship Hall. Making gifts for our Shut-ins / Care home Members.
February 15th – 6:00 pm Area Wide Singing at Callisburg Church of Christ. We will be taking the bus.
February 15th – 6:00 pm Valentine’s Dinner for 5 year old – 5th grade in the Fellowship Hall. Bring Valentine’s and a box.
February 16th – 19th – Howe Church of Christ “Gospel Meeting” Guest Speaker: David Lipe
February 16th – Sunday Night in the Lights
February 22nd – 10:00 am Painting Class in the Fellowship Hall – All supplies will be provided. We will be using acrylic paints. If you have your own, you may bring them. If you have any questions, please contact Kristy Parrott (504-444-5118).
February 22nd – 5:00 pm Silver Seniors game night in the Fellowship Hall – Everyone bring soup, salad or dessert.
February 23rd – Youth Led Service
March 2nd – 5th - Spring Gospel Meeting at the Commerce Street Church of Christ in Gainesville with Ronnie Fisher – Topic: “The Kingdom of God”.
March 29th – 9:00 am – 1:00 pm Howe Church of Christ Men’s Day “I Want To Go To Heaven” – Guest Speaker: Andy Kizer from Salem, Alabama.
April 23rd – 26th – Faith Village Church of Christ in Wichita Falls “Mechanics of Church Growth Workshop”
April 26th – 9.30 am Howe Church of Christ Youth Day 2025 “Creation vs Evolution” Speaker: Eric Lyons – Registration 9:30 am – Lunch will be provided.

******* Communion *******

****** Don’t forget to grab your single servings for the Lord’s Supper as you come in Sunday morning. ******

Sunday Sermon Titles

Sunday A.M.
“Why Do We Celebrate The Lord’s Supper?”
1 Corinthians 11:24-30
Sunday P.M.
“A Servant Of The Lord”
1 Samuel 13:14

Vital Statistics

Sunday Morning Bible Class	76
Sunday Morning Assembly.....	146
Sunday Morning Online Viewership.....	N/A
Sunday Evening Assembly.....	35
Sunday Evening Online Viewership.....	N/A
Men’s Bible Class.....	14
Ladies Bible Class.....	13
Wednesday Evening Assembly.....	50
Weekly Budget.....	\$5,750
Contribution Last Sunday.....	\$6,419

Are You In The Church Directory?

For the next few Sundays, Kristy Parrott will be in the Foyer of the church taking pictures for anyone who is not in our church directory or for anyone who wants a different picture. She will also be there to help anyone who needs help getting into the directory.

~ Know Your Scriptures ~

Luke 22:20
In the same way, after the supper he took the cup, saying, “This cup is the new covenant in my blood, which is poured out for you.

~ Know Your Bible ~

Last week’s question.... Finish Job’s sentence, “Man is born unto trouble, as “As the sparks fly upward”; Job 5:7
This week’s question.... Who used the expression, “The gall of bitterness and the bond of iniquity”, and in what connection?