

# **Birthdays**

Karen Westfall 3/11 Ann Butler 3/15

## **Anniversaries**

Tom & Adell Thomson 3/13

## **February Assignments**

Welcome/Prayer: Dak Jones

**Song Leader:** Mitch Netterville

**Scripture Reading:** Bryce Thompson

1 Kings 19:3-8

**Lord's Supper Devotional - Scott Sides** 

## **Lord's Table and Communion**

**Bread Prayer** – Carl Lucas

**Fruit of the Vine Prayer** – Ryan Patterson

Offering Prayer – Gary Patterson
Assisting with Communion – Connor

Lucas, Preston Koch, Ed Foster

**Attendance Cards**: Dylan Patterson

Hayden Patterson

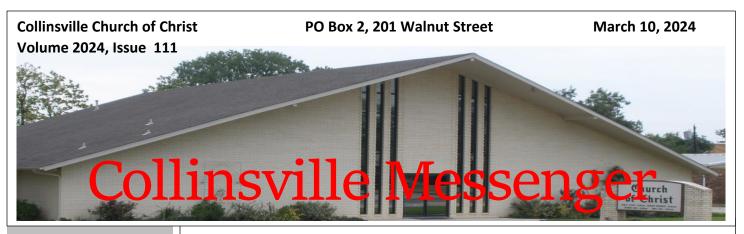
Collinsville Church of Christ P. O. Box 2 Collinsville, TX. 76233

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:**

David Davenport (903) 429-6528

Harold Achimon (903) 707-6696

Jim Barnes (903) 744-2107

#### Deacons:

Dak Jones (903) 815-9910 Outreach & Restoration

Jared Light (903) 815-5078 Benevolence & Campus Maintenance

> Carl Lucas (903) 818-6666 Youth Activities

Justin Patterson (903) 821-0901 Finance

Jeff Reed (903) 436-9308 Worship & Assignments

Jeff Thompson (903) 719-1450 Youth Education & Teachers

#### Minister:

Dr. Scott Sides (903) 487-1256

Email:

collinsvillecofc@gmail.com

Web

www.collinsvillecotc.or

Phone: (903) 429-6313

TIME OF SERVICES

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

We see a lot of change in our lifetimes. It doesn't seem that long ago that we were waiting hours for a five-minute video to download on dial-up internet. Now, we can stream 8K ultra-high-definition video instantly.

God Is Immutable

The changes get even more extreme when we talk about our culture and religion. The public's view of long-held Christian values has totally shifted over the last few decades. The God of the Bible, whose transcendent word stood as a firm foundation, has been replaced by a god that is willing to bend his laws depending on the time, place and circumstance of each individual.

Many claim this "nonjudgmental, all-inclusive" god is the same Lord Jehovah we read of in the scriptures. However, he is a false idol created in the minds of men. Their god changes with every shift in the culture, ready to accept any sin man ties to his identity. But, the God of the Bible has never changed and is unchangeable. He is immutable.

God's immutability is in His nature. In Malachi 3:5, God made this clear, "For I am the Lord, I do not change..." Why does God not change? Because He is the Lord! If He changed, He would no longer be the Lord.

God's immutability cannot be influenced. Job proclaimed, "But He is unique, and who can make Him change? and whatever His soul desires, that He does" (Job 23:13). The opinions of man are not considered when it comes to God's judgments. As the one sovereign of all creation, no one holds any power over the eternal will of God. "God is not a man, that He should lie, nor a son of man, that He should repent. Has He said, and will He not do? Or has He spoken, and will He not make it good?" (Num. 23:19).

God's immutability is needed. If God was changeable, it would be devastating to mankind. Goodness would be gone from the world. "Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, and comes down from the Father of lights, with whom there is no variation or shadow of turning" (Jas. 1:17). God is the standard of goodness. If He were to change, then goodness itself would change. Humanity would have no way of knowing what is good or evil. But, with God as our standard, we know exactly and judge accordingly.

Times are changing. But the god that changes with it is not the God of Heaven. He is the god of this world—the devil (cf. 2 Cor. 4:3-4). If we want to serve the Lord Jehovah, then we must submit before His eternal, unchanging Word, manifested in the person and work of Jesus Christ (John 1:1), who "...is the same yesterday, today, and forever" (Heb. 13:8). *Robert Lupo* 

#### Keep in your prayers.

**Steve Butler** is recovering from foot surgery. His stitches have been removed and he is doing well.

Joy Fowler is on her new medicines.

**Tammy Sides** fell Tuesday, February 20<sup>th</sup>. She fractured her knee. She had surgery on the 21<sup>st</sup> and the doctors say she will be immobilized for 10 weeks.

Marlen Castaneda, Scott & Tammy's neighbor, has asked for prayers.

**Larry Jones** had a heart cath.on Wednesday, 21<sup>st</sup> at TMC.

**Marjorie Grady**, Pat Jones' mother, has good days and bad days.

**Sherry Grady**, Pat Jones' sister-in-law had back surgery, but there were complications.

Wendy Smith has asked for prayers for her sister, Ashley. She is still struggling.

**Lila Beth Davis** is back in the hospital.

**Dorothy Pawalowski**, Linda Barnes's sister, is down with her back with muscle spasms.

**Benny Hessell** is in a hospital in Richardson. He needs our prayers!

**Curtis Walker** has found out his cancer is back and is scheduled for a pet scan and MRI Thursday, February 22<sup>nd</sup>.

**Johnny Denbow,** Patti Achimon's brother-in-law will be having stents put into the arteries in his neck soon. **Brenda Carney**, Susan Carney's daughter-in-law has

bronchitis as well as pneumonia.

**Hank Rodgers**, had tubes put in his ears and tonsils taken out

**Firefighters and First Responders**, fighting wildfires in the panhandle.

**Cindy Schindler**, has the shingles.

Patti Roberts, fell and hurt her shoulder and face.

\*\*If any of our senior members need help with maintenance around the house, please contact Jerry or Mary Nan Cannon.

#### **MILITARY**

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

## **Bible Class Opportunities**

9:30 am Sunday Adult

Auditorium / Scott Sides

**9:30** am Sunday Young Adults with children in school Fellowship Hall / David Davenport **9:30** am various Bible classes throughout the building for all ages.

**10:30 am Worship** in Auditorium and on Facebook

**6:00 pm Worship** in the Auditorium and on Facebook

**6:00 pm Worship** in Fellowship Hall for 3<sup>rd</sup> -12<sup>th</sup>-grade students.

7:00 am Men's Bible Class meets every Tuesday.
7:00 am Men's breakfast and Bible class will meet on the first Tuesday of every month.
7:00 pm Wednesday Bible study for all ages.
10:00 am Ladies Bible Class meet every Wednesday morning.

Carl & Lacy Lucas are fostering Navaha again. She knows she will be loved dearly at their home.

#### Those to continue to remember in prayer.

Darrin Ross Lewis Katlyn Rath Kevin Hampton Steve Butler Michael Keith Mary Nan Cannon Debbie Parrott Kim Rumley Kadance Rumley Floyce Hunter Melba Welch Tammy Sides Wyatt Smothermon Runez Pruitt Beckett Way Higgs Doris Sides Billy Don Smith Lila Beth Davis Ruby Atkins Patty Hampton Chris Price Charla Lawson Margorie Grady Don Swindle Larry Bice Martha Flowers Larry Jones Adell Thomson Braden Rubey Zoretta Smith Beryl Mackey Saundra Westfall Wilma Tutt Shirley Walker Juvean Snell Charles Snell Dorothy Jones Wanda Hackney Tyrena Jones Doug Davenport Eddie Baker Teresa Davenport Tony Way Mark Landers Loretta Sills Lisa Spoon

# \*Events\*

<u>March 10<sup>th</sup> -</u> We will have a "Meet and Greet" meal for all to meet Keenan Brown, our new Youth Minister after morning services. Please bring a side dish or a dessert and the church will provide the meat.

<u>March 10<sup>th</sup> -</u> After evening services, our youth will have our first **Youth Devo** for our youth. It will be held at Gary & Kathy Patterson's home 7691 Southmayd Rd. Collinsville, TX.

March 10<sup>th</sup> – Elder's meeting directly after evening worship.

March 12<sup>th</sup> – 7:00 am Men's Bible study.

March 13<sup>th</sup> – 10:00 am Ladies Bible class will study the "Parable of the Two Debtors".

March 16<sup>th</sup> – 6:00 pm Area Wide Singing at the Commerce Street Church of Christ.

March 19<sup>th</sup> – 7:00 am Men's Bible study.

March 20<sup>th</sup> – 7:00 pm This year instead of going to LTC we will be holding our own Bible Bowl challenge at our church. The LTC event continues to grow each year and the availability of rooms and space continues to shrink. Rooms were limited this year due to a big basketball game in town. We are planning on having the event on Wednesday March 20th. We are planning on pizza and sweets from 6:00-7:00. Then at 7:00 the entire church will be invited to attend in the fellowship hall. We will conduct the competition just as if we were there: Teams, coaches, 2-3 rounds of questions. There will be a prize for the best individual score and team score. We look forward to seeing all of you there.

March 23<sup>rd</sup> – 9:00 am Howe Men's Day.

March 30<sup>th</sup> – We will host an easter egg hunt at 5:00pm. We need candy donations, please!

## **Vital Statistics**

Sunday Morning Bible Class	82
Sunday Morning Assembly	196
Sunday Morning Online Viewership	253
Sunday Evening Assembly	120
Sunday Evening Online Viewership	256
Men's Bible Class	9
Ladies Bible Class	19
Wednesday Evening Assembly	63
Wednesday Evening Online Viewership	256
Weekly Budget	\$4,961
Contribution Last Sunday	\$6,652

## **Sunday Sermon Titles**

Genesis 2:18-25

Sunday AM: "Which Direction Are You Looking?" Colossians 3:1-4 Sunday PM: "The First of Firsts (Adam & Eve)"

## ~ Know Your Bible ~

Last week's question... Of whom was it said that he and his assistants "read in the book in the law of God distinctly, and gave the sense, and caused them to understand the reading"? Ezra; Neh. 8:8

This week's question.... Complete the sentence: "Let God be true, but"...

## Long-Term/Rehab

**Tyrena Jones** is in the memory unit in the Cedar Ridge Rehab Center in Pilot Point.

**Wanda Hackney** is in Meadowbrook Care Center in Van Alstyne.

Wilma Tutt is in Eagle Ridge Alzheimer Care, 2505 Brinker Rd., Room 104, Denton, TX 76208 Larry Jones is in Beacon Hills in Denison.

**Larry Bice** is in Just Like Home 6313 Old Sherman Rd., Room 203 in Whitesboro.

1 Kings 19:3-8