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## Faithfulness First Demands Faith

The Bible shows in many ways the truth affirmed by Paul when he said, "For whatever things were written before were written for our learning, that we through the patience and comfort of the Scripture might have hope" (Rom. 15:4). He uses the word "before" to call our attention to the Old Testament scriptures, for it was almost three decades before there were New Testament scriptures.

Look carefully at this verse and focus on each word. The word "whatever" emphasizes that no part of that old law should be overlooked. The word "learning" affirms that we can understand it and heaven's expectation if for us to know it. You would be wise to meditate on how those scriptures are related to patience, comfort and hope.

The Jews of Jesus' day failed to see one vital truth, and this resulted in the religion of the Pharisees. That truth was simply stated by Habakkuk. "The just shall live by his faith" (Hab. 2:4). If you want overwhelming proof of this read Hebrews chapter 11—it is a summation of the place of faith in the lives of the Old Testament saints.

The Pharisees developed a religion that did not involve faith in the heart. Instead, they focused on another verse and ignored their need for the blood of Jesus. Paul said, "The law is not of faith, but the man who does them shall live by them" (Gal. 3:12). They turned their attention away from faith and turned to the external laws of the Old Testament. They counted them and decided there were 613 commandments, and their religion centered around these commandments. They even added their own interpretation and added more external laws like the sabbath day journey, washing hands before eating and so many "truths" created in their hearts.

God never intended for the Old Testament to be a system of the knowledge of external rules and perfectly keeping them. When Moses gave the law to the Jews, He plainly said, "These words which I command you today shall be in your heart" (Deut. 6:6). It was not His plan for them to remain on the tablets of stone, or even to just memorize or number them and make a list to be used to see if one is righteous. The commands were to become part of the soul of His people who first engraved them in their hearts.

Remove faith from the commandments and you develop a religion like the Jews. You find no joy in Christianity because you will never be good enough to enter heaven. When you make Christianity only external you live in guilt because you are not keeping every commandment you have numbered to be in your life. When you love Him, you will obey Him and you will find the joy of living faith!

~Dan Jenkins

**TIME OF SERVICES**

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

### May Assignments

**Welcome/Prayer:** Harold Achimon

**Song Leader:** Eric Axe

**Scripture Reading:** Preston Koch  
Acts 20:26-28

**Lord's Supper Devotional:** Mitch Netterville

**Lord's Table and Communion**

**Bread Prayer** – Layton Hunter

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

**Offering Prayer** – Kerry Jones

**Assisting with Communion** – Jerry Cannon,  
Quint Westfall, & Klint Rodgers

**Attendance Cards:** Hayden Patterson  
& Walker Patterson

**Greeter:**



## Birthdays

Jeannie Hurst 5/31

Zoey Ward 6/2

Zachary Ward 6/2

Micah Davenport 6/4

Russell Roberts 6/6

## Anniversaries

Cory & Haley Ross 6/3

Cory & Wendy Smith 6/3

Charles & Juvean Snell 6/3

Rich & Jennifer Luckie 6/6

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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.

**Keep in your prayers**

Please keep **Matthew & Raea Davenport**, and **Garrett & Kim Patterson** in your thoughts and prayers.  
**Martha “Scooter” Flowers** is now at home with her granddaughter in Lewisville.  
**Roger Myers**, brother of Doris Sides, is now at home. Please keep him in your prayers..  
**Runez Pruitt** is needing prayers.  
**Kerry Jones** will be having surgery on his left carpal tunnel in the next few days.  
**Joy Fowler** has been moved to a long-term care facility in Plano and is not at home.  
**Myrt Vannoy** is home now.  
**Charles Snell** fell and has 4 broken ribs, bruised shoulder and hip. He also just found out he has 2 fractures on his vertebra in his back. He is home recovering.  
**Jo Walker**, Betty Bakers sister is in need of prayers.  
**Rames Escobar**, friend of William Garrison, had open heart surgery last week. Please pray for him.  
**Ann Butler** had surgery this past week. Everything went well. She will be off her foot for 6 more weeks.  
**Sherry Stillson** is having a lot of leg pain and is needing prayers.  
**Cory Smith** had elbow surgery and he is recovering.  
**Morgan Ramerez**, cousin to Kelli Hunter, is in need of prayers.  
**James Barnes**, Jim Barnes’ dad, was diagnosed with acute leukemia and needs our prayers.  
**Martha Vannoy** is back in her apartment at Pecan Point.  
**Bob Rushing**, Cory Jones Grandpa, had a stroke and is in need of prayers.  
**Briley Bringle** had her tonsils taken out and she is recovering.  
**Tina Crumpton**, James Crumpton’s grandmother, had surgery on her lungs and pacemaker. Please keep her in your thoughts and prayers  
**Anne Young**, Colleen Netterville’s mother, was not able to come home with her; she was still running a fever and needed to stay close to her doctor.  
**Rich Luckie’s dad** is in need of prayers. He is back at TMC in ICU.  
**Chris Morse**, Quint Westfalls brother-in-law, was just diagnosed with cancer. Please keep him and the family in your thoughts and prayers.  
**Juvean Snell** is in Presbyterian Hospital Denton with heart arrhythmia.  
**Kerry Proffitt**, Mary Nan Cannon’s sister, went to the ER Sunday morning. They ran x-rays and CT scan. She had a twisted and enlarged colon. They did an emergency surgery late Sunday night. She is sore and is doing okay. She is in ICU at TMC. Please keep her in your thoughts and prayers.  
**Steve Butler** had reconstructive surgery on his foot in Fort Worth this week. Everything went well. He needs to stay off his foot for 6 to 8 weeks. Please keep him in your thoughts and prayers.

**Shut-Ins / Long-Term / Rehab Members**

**Jim & Sandra Westfall** – 606 Rice Rd – PO Box 722., Collinsville, TX 76233  
**Sylvia Goodman** - 25525 FM 902, Collinsville, TX 76233  
**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 Thomson** – 158 CR 266, Gainsville, TX 76240  
**Loretta Sills** – 319 Beauty Ln., Whitesboro, TX 76273  
**Eddie Baker** – 215 Jordan Creek Rd, Collinsville, TX 76233  
**Martha “Scooter” Flowers** – 1522 Winter Park Ln., Lewisville, TX 75077  
**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  
**Joe & Cindy Price** – 804 Jogggers Trail, Collinsville, TX 76233  
**Zoretta Smith** – 600 Bois D’ Arc, Whitesboro, TX 76273  
**Curtis & Shirley Walker** – 112 Bowie Dr. E., Lake Kiowa, TX 76240  
**Ruby Atkins** – 204 Colt Dr. E., Lake Kiowa, TX 76240

**Those to continue to remember in prayer.**

Lisa McAden	Bob Rushing	Brad Kerr
Darrin Ross Lewis	Lisa Spoon	CurtisWalker
Beckett Way	Chris Price	Charla Lawson
Joy Fowler	Braden Rubey	Zoretta Smith
Layton Hunter	Doug Davenport	Teresa Davenport
Loney Dunn	Chase Reed	Dorothy Pawalowski
Katie Machechnie	Marilyn Long	Steve Booth
Jimmy Garner	Butch Johnson	Martha Vannoy
Ann Young	Barbara Taylor	Bob Reed
Dudley Cummings	Stephanie McWilliams	Vicki Farrell
Lori Tullman	Jeff Goodman	Mary Nan Cannon
Patti Achimon	David Warren	Jennifer Merchant
Tony Russell	Marion Farrell	Charles Huddleston
Margorie Grady	Easton Ross	Loretta Sills

**MILITARY**

<b>Chad Lorenz</b>	<b>Mason Inman</b>	<b>Seth Rodriguez</b>
<b>Zack Turpen</b>	<b>Hunter Brewer</b>	<b>Matt Upton</b>
<b>David Morris</b>	<b>Christopher Carney</b>	

**Ann Butler’s brother passed away Wednesday, May 27<sup>th</sup>, in an auto accident. Please keep the family in your thoughts and prayers.**

**Bible Class Opportunities**

**9:30 am Sunday Adult:** Auditorium / Harold Achimon  
**9:30 am Sunday Class with Young Adults with children in school:** Fellowship Hall / Russell Koch  
**9:30 am 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.  
**7:00 am Tuesday Men’s Bible Class:** Breakfast is served on the 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of each month in Fellowship Hall.  
**10:00 am Wednesday Ladies’ Bible Class:** Fellowship Hall.  
**7:00 pm Wednesday night:** Auditorium / Scott Sides; “Culture vs. Christianity”.  
**7:00 pm Wednesday night:** Old Fellowship Hall / Tammy Sides; The 66 Ladies’ Reading Club.  
**7:00 pm Wednesday night:** Library / Betty Graham; A Deep Dive into the New Testament.

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

**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](mailto:collinsvillecofc@gmail.com).

**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)

**Vital Statistics**

<b>Sunday Morning Bible Class</b> .....	<b>70</b>
<b>Sunday Morning Assembly</b> .....	<b>161</b>
<b>Sunday Morning Online Viewership</b> .....	<b>367</b>
<b>Sunday Evening Assembly</b> .....	<b>33</b>
<b>Sunday Evening Online Viewership</b> .....	<b>59</b>
<b>Men’s Bible Class</b> .....	<b>12</b>
<b>Ladies Bible Class</b> .....	<b>N/A</b>
<b>Wednesday Evening Assembly</b> .....	<b>45</b>
<b>Wednesday Evening Youth Group</b> .....	<b>4</b>
<b>Weekly Budget</b> .....	<b>\$6,200</b>
<b>Contribution Last Sunday</b> .....	<b>\$4,973</b>

**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](http://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.

**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](mailto:collinsvillecofc@gmail.com)

**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.

**~Know You Scriptures~**

**Luke 7:29-30**  
**All the people, even the tax collectors, when they heard Jesus’ words, acknowledged that God’s way was right, because they had been baptized by John. But the Pharisees and the experts in the law rejected God’s purpose for themselves, because they had not been baptized by John.**

**~ Know Your Bible ~**

**Last week’s question....** Of what was James speaking when he wrote, “Behold, how great a matter a little fire kindleth”? *Of the power of the tongue;* James 3:5  
**This week’s question....** What token did Samuel obtain to prove to the people that God was with him?

**Sunday Sermon Titles**

**Sunday A.M.**  
**“Pray For One Another”**  
**James 5:16**

**Sunday P.M.**  
**“Youth Led Service”**  
**Speaker: Neil Bringle**



*And pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests. With this in mind, be alert and always keep on praying for all the Lord’s people.*  
**Ephesians 6:18**

# EVENTS

**May 31<sup>st</sup>** – 6:00 pm Youth Led Service.

**June 2<sup>nd</sup>** - Impact 3:16 DFW SYS 2026. Please get with Neil if you are interested in going.

**June 3<sup>rd</sup>** – 6:00 pm Youth Summer Series “Samuel, Chosen Leader of God”. Dinner served at 6:00 pm in the fellowship hall. Teachers - K-2: Kristy & Danyelle Grades 3-5: Russell & Becky Koch

**June 5<sup>th</sup>** – End of School Year Six Flags Field Trip. See Neil for more information.

**June 6<sup>th</sup>** – End of school year at Urban Air. Cost \$35 for 3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> graders or \$15 for adults. Please get with Eric Axe.

**June 7<sup>th</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup>** - Summer camp at Camp Pettijohn. Please, mark your calendars!

**June 10<sup>th</sup>** - 6:00 pm Youth Summer Series “Pharaoh, A Stubborn Man”. Dinner served at 6:00 pm in the fellowship hall. Teachers - K-2: Lisa Rodgers Grades 3-5: Christi Light.

**June 21<sup>st</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup>** – Collinsville Church of Christ VBS

**June 28<sup>th</sup> – July 3<sup>rd</sup>** – Summer camp at Camp Pettijohn. Please, mark your calendars!

Little Tikes GroupMe. If you would like to keep up to date with Little Tikes news, events or any information, please scan the QR code to join.



Parents with kids in the Illumin8ers Youth Group, please scan the QR code to join the GroupMe message board that will keep you up to date on all the activities and information you might need to know about.



Collinsville Church of Christ GroupMe.

This will keep you up to date on any changes, events, information, or news. Please scan the QR code to join.



“Salty & Lit” Check out Neil’s new YouTube page: <https://www.youtube.com/@SaltyandLit4Jesus>



“Illumin8ers” The new youth group Facebook page: [www.facebook.com/share/g/16NaHUwx3b/](http://www.facebook.com/share/g/16NaHUwx3b/)



# Congratulations!

Doug Phillips was baptized on Monday, May 25<sup>th</sup> by Scott Sides.

PETTIJOHN SPRINGS CHRISTIAN CAMP

Be An **EXAMPLE** 1 TIMOTHY 4:12

**JUNE 21 - 24**

6:30 PM to 8:30 PM

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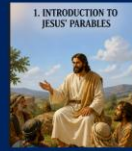
Congratulations to Madelyn’s last day of 2<sup>nd</sup> grade!!



Joseph Axe is working hard raising money for him to go to Leadership Camp this summer. You should try his homemade cookies.

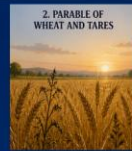
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**Upcoming Events**

**May 31<sup>st</sup>** – Last day to order Church Logo T-Shirts. Please see Neil or Ashley Bringle to make your order. Shirts are \$15.  
**June 3<sup>rd</sup>** – 11:00 am Ladies Bible Class Lunch Bunch will be having lunch at City Limits in Sherman. Please meet at the church building at 11:00 am to carpool.  
**June 3<sup>rd</sup>** – 6:00 pm Adult Summer Series “Parables of Jesus” Speaker: Kevin Shimp in the fellowship hall. Dinner will be served at 6:00 pm. (Chicken Spaghetti) Bring sides and dessert.  
**June 7<sup>th</sup>** – 12:00 pm There will be a Red River Meeting after morning services in the old fellowship hall for anyone who is going this year.  
**June 14<sup>th</sup>** – Elders & Deacons Meeting in the old fellowship hall after evening service.  
**June 18<sup>th</sup>** – 1:00 pm Ladies Bunco in the fellowship hall.  
**June 20<sup>th</sup>** – 6:00 pm Area Wide Singing at MLK in Gainesville.  
**June 21<sup>st</sup>** – 6:00 pm New Song Class in the auditorium.  
**June 24<sup>th</sup>** – 7:00 pm Classroom on south hall in building / Tammy Sides; The 66 Ladies’ Reading Club.  
**June 24<sup>th</sup>** - 7:00 pm Library / Betty Graham; A Deep Dive into the New Testament.  
**July 24<sup>th</sup> – 25<sup>th</sup>** – 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Howe Woman’s Symposium.  
**June 27<sup>th</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup>** – Red River Family Encampment. Now is the time to find your place to stay, as they do fill up fast. Any questions, please get with Mitch Netterville.  
**July 12<sup>th</sup>** – 6:00 pm Guest Speaker: Tom Moore from NMCC

**\*\*\*\*\*Announcements\*\*\*\*\***

**Red River Meeting** – Anyone who is going to Red River this year. We will be having a quick meeting in the old fellowship hall Sunday, June 7<sup>th</sup>, after morning services.

**Branson Trip** - The registration form and the preliminary itinerary for our Annual Branson Trip is on the back table in the auditorium. We will be going to Eureka Springs to see Passion Play; then on to Branson for a couple of days. Dates are September 29<sup>th</sup> – October 2<sup>nd</sup>. If you have any questions, please get with our Amazing Bonnie Patterson.

**Collinsville Church of Christ Merchandise** – If you would like a shirt (\$15 each) with our church logo on the front to wear to church events, community events, etc. please get with Neil or Ashley Bringle by May 31<sup>st</sup>.

**Helping Hands Committee:**

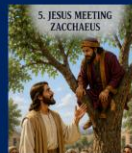
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- Jerry & Mary Nan Cannon: 903-818-3846
- Russell & Becky Koch: 940-395-6226
- Scott & Tammy Sides: 903-487-1256

You can also call the church office at 903-429-6313.

**\*\*\*\*\*Any member with something around the house that you need help with, please reach out to anyone listed above. No job is too big or too small. \*\*\*\*\***

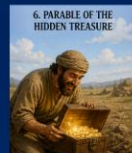
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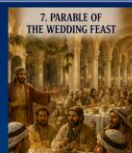
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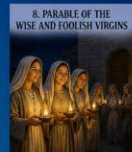
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AND SALADS

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SALADS

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