



### Birthdays

David Crowe 7/21  
Grayson Smothermon 7/21  
Jonah Davenport 7/23  
Mary Swindle 7/25  
James Cowger 7/25  
Floyce Pierce 7/26  
Brayden Sides 7/27

### Anniversaries

Klint & Lisa Rodgers 7/23  
Luke & Erin Patterson 7/27

### July Assignments

**Welcome/Prayer:** Carl Lucas

**Song Leader:** Jim Barnes

**Scripture Reading:** Caleb Patterson  
1 Timothy 2:3 - 6

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

#### Lord's Table and Communion

**Bread Prayer** – Bob Reed  
**Fruit of the Vine Prayer** – Gene Hampton

**Offering Prayer** – Dak Jones  
**Assisting with Communion** – Drew Brown, Preston Patterson, Rich Luckie

**Attendance Cards:** Grayson & Jaxson Smothermon

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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.

#### Elders:

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#### TIME OF SERVICES

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

### He Wants Us to Be a FAMILY!

"Sing to God, sing praises to His name; Extol Him who rides on the clouds, By His name YAH, and rejoice before Him. A father of the fatherless, a defender of widows, Is God in His holy habitation. **God sets the solitary in families**" (Psa. 68:4-6). Such an amazing thought! God's plan is for those He loves and protects to find a place within a family.

It has always been His nature and desire. When He created Adam and saw that it was not good for man to be alone, He put the first man and woman in a family. Cain and Abel were part of that family. God knew that mankind needed families.

The words from the psalmist give us such insight into how He fulfills the needs we have. David specifically mentioned the fatherless and widows and became so much more inclusive when he added the solitary. God puts those who have no family into other families.

So, it should not surprise us that when His master plan for mankind is revealed in the New Testament that the church is described as a FAMILY. Men in that first testament did not begin their prayers saying, "Our Father," but we can! If He is our Father, then all those in the FAMILY are brothers and sisters! We are FAMILY!

That disciple whom Jesus loved said, "Behold what manner of love the Father has bestowed upon us that we should be called children of God" (1 John 3:1). We are FAMILY! Paul adds that because we are children of God, we are joint heirs with Jesus (Rom. 8:17). He is our brother, and we are FAMILY. Solomon described that there could be in our lives someone closer to us than our physical brother. "There is a friend who sticks closer than a brother" (Prov. 18:24). It is in the church, the body of Jesus, the FAMILY of God, where this concept finds its ultimate fulfillment. We are FAMILY.

The spiritual growth of the body of Christ shows that we should add Christian character to our faith. Peter said that to our faith we should add brotherly kindness (2 Pet. 1:5-7), and Hebrews 13:1 urges, "Let brotherly love continue." We are to "...Love the brotherhood" (1 Pet. 2:17). We are brothers; we are FAMILY.

Like earthly families sometimes have problems, so does His spiritual FAMILY. But God's FAMILY is different in that it seeks to work through these differences. Brothers and sisters in Christ long to be at one with every other brother and sister. We try to go beyond expectation of onlooker to become one in the Lord. We do this because we are FAMILY.

God has a plan for each of us to have those in our lives who are closer than our physical family. Let's work together to be one because we are FAMILY.

~Dan Jenkins

**Keep in your prayers.**

**Jasen Hampton**, son of Gene and Patty Hampton, is in UBH Hospital in Denton.  
**Dudley Cummings** received word that he has prostate cancer. He is waiting to see when he's going to have more test.  
**Carol Axe** is at home recovering. She is still very sore and has some memory loss.  
**Marjorie Pierce** is still having some problems with her heart and breathing. Waiting to find out from heart doctor what's wrong.  
**Steve Booth's** kidney transplant biopsy results came back with NO signs of rejection. There is a minor infection which can be treated.  
**Gordon Pruett**, cousin of Wendy Smith, has cancer elsewhere. He continues to need our prayers.  
**Katie Machechnie**, friend of Klint & Lisa Rodgers, suffered a stroke.  
**Juvean Snell** was in the hospital due to a virus and rapid heart rate. She is home now.  
**Martha Vannoy** was in the hospital with pneumonia. She is home now and feeling better.  
**Mason Inman**, Floyce Hunter's grandson, has been deployed to Israel.  
**Sherry Hodges** had eye surgery last Friday and is doing well.  
**Braxton Bounds**, Keith & Peggy Durden's grandson, is in the hospital with kidney function problems.  
**Tony Way** is going to have eye correction surgery Friday morning, July 19th.

**Deaths**

Mark Landers Passed away Saturday, July 13<sup>th</sup>. There will be no service at this time.

**Thank You's**

We would like to express sincere thanks to all who called, sent cards, prayed, and came to the service for my mother, Dortha Reed. Our church family is so good, and we love you all.  
 In Christian Love, Jeff & Lesa Reed  
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 Thank you everyone for your prayers over the past 8 months since Mark's been sick. May God bless you all.  
 Love, Cladene Landers Belcher.

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

Darrin Ross Lewis	Lisa Spoon	Loretta Sills
Steve Butler	Michael Keith	Mary Nan Cannon
Kim Rumley	Kadance Rumley	Curtis Walker
Floyce Hunter	Melba Welch	Tammy Sides
Runez Pruitt	Beckett Way Higgs	Benny Hessell
Doris Sides	Lila Beth Davis	Ruby Atkins
Patty Hampton	Chris Price	Charla Lawson
Margorie Grady	Don Swindle	Joy Fowler
Lary Bice	Martha Flowers	Karen Westfall
Adell Thomson	Braden Rubey	Zoretta Smith
Beryl Mackey	Saundra Westfall	Wilma Tutt
Shirley Walker	Juvean Snell	Charles Snell
Dorothy Jones	Wanda Hackney	Layton Hunter
Doug Davenport	Eddie Baker	Teresa Davenport
Tony Way	Loney Dunn	Dorothy Pawalowski
Johnny Denbow	Vicki Farrell	Stephanie McWilliams
Barbara Taylor	Billy Don Smith	Chase Reed
Sylvia Goodman	Andy Grady	Martha Vannoy
Jasen Hampton	Shelly Rubey	Donna Fallis

**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 the Auditorium, Facebook, and YouTube.  
**6:00 pm Worship** in the Auditorium, Facebook, and YouTube.  
**6:00 pm Worship** in Fellowship Hall for 3<sup>rd</sup> -12<sup>th</sup> 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.  
**7:00 pm Wednesday Bible study** for all ages.

\*\*[www.facebook.com/collinsvillechurchofchrist](http://www.facebook.com/collinsvillechurchofchrist)  
 \*\*<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](mailto: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)

**Long-Term/Rehab**

**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 Bice** is in [Just Like Home](#) 6313 Old Sherman Rd., Room 203 in Whitesboro.

**Shut-Ins & Care Center Members**

Jim & Saundra Westfall	Lila Beth Davis
Don Swindle	Sylvia Goodman
Charles & Juvean Snell	Juanita Vannoy
Dorothy Jones	Runez Pruitt
Wilma Tutt	Larry Jones

**MILITARY**

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



**July 24<sup>th</sup>** – 6:00 pm Wednesday night Summer Series. A meal will be provided between 6 pm – 7 pm. (Bonnie's Famous Chicken Spaghetti)  
**July 26<sup>th</sup>** – 7:00 pm. Howe church of Christ 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Ladies Symposium "Howe Women Grow in The Faith... through prayer". Register by July 19<sup>th</sup> through the website: [www.howechurchofchrist.org](http://www.howechurchofchrist.org) / email: office@howechurchofchrist.org.  
**July 27<sup>th</sup>** – 5:00 pm. Silver Seniors "Game Night" will be hosted by Ricky & Bonnie Patterson in the Fellowship Hall. Everyone bring your favorite snack, sandwiches, or dessert.  
**July 28<sup>th</sup>** – 2:00 pm Mary Swindle's 80<sup>th</sup> Birthday Party in the Fellowship Hall from 2 pm – 4 pm  
**August 10<sup>th</sup>** – 9:30 am Howe Church of Christ YOUTH DAY 2024. "Making Teenaging Easier" Speaker – Reed Swindle. For 6<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> grades. From 9:30 am – 1:30 pm. Lunch will be provided. R.S.V.P. by August 2<sup>nd</sup>.  
[office@howechurchofchrist.org](mailto:office@howechurchofchrist.org).  
**August 11<sup>th</sup>** – Youth Devo will be at Carl & Lacey Lucas' house.  
**August 11<sup>th</sup>** – Elders and Deacons meeting after Sunday night service.  
**August 14<sup>th</sup>** – First Day of School for Collinsville I.S.D.  
**August 17<sup>th</sup>** – Area Wide Singing at Collinsville Church of Christ.  
**August 24<sup>th</sup>** - 5:00 pm Back to School Bash. Collinsville Elementary School Gym. For grades 6<sup>th</sup> and up.  
**September 24<sup>th</sup> – 27<sup>th</sup>** – Branson Trip 2024. All your money for the trip needs to be turned in to Bonnie Patterson by August 4<sup>th</sup>.

**Red River Family Encampment 2025**

June 20<sup>th</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup>, 2025 – Church Camp for the whole family in Red River, New Mexico. Need to make reservations now because they do fill up fast. To register go to [www.RedRiver.org](http://www.RedRiver.org) or get with Mitch Netterville for more information.  
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**The Weekly Newsletter**

If you would like to receive a copy of the Weekly Newsletter by mail or email, please get with Kristy Parrott or you can call 504-444-5118 or email [collinsvillecofc@gmail.com](mailto:collinsvillecofc@gmail.com).  
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**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 Linda Barnes.

**Vital Statistics**

Sunday Morning Bible Class .....	73
Sunday Morning Assembly.....	153
Sunday Morning Online Viewership.....	133
Sunday Evening Assembly.....	37
Sunday Evening Online Viewership.....	111
Men's Bible Class.....	14
Ladies Bible Class .....(Summer Break).....	N/A
Wednesday Evening Assembly.....	60
Wednesday Evening Online Viewership.....	70
Weekly Budget.....	\$5,750
Contribution Last Sunday.....	\$5,307

**~ Know Your Bible ~**

**Last week's question....** Where was Saul made king the second time? *In Gilgal; 1 Samuel 11:14,15*

**This week's question....** In what two Gospels is the Lord's Prayer found?

**Acts 8:36-37**

**As they traveled along the road, they came to some water and the eunuch said, "Look, here is water. What can stand in the way of my being baptized?"**

To all the wonderful cooks in our church family. We are now giving you our final date on recipes. Please bring as many recipes as you can no later than this Sunday. You can give them to Patty Hampton, Patty Roberts or Kristy Parrott. You can email them to [collinsvillecofc@gmail.com](mailto:collinsvillecofc@gmail.com)

**Sunday Sermon Titles**

**Sunday AM:**  
**"Homeward Bound"**  
 Luke 15:11 - 32  
**Sunday PM:**  
**"Keep Your Eyes On Bethel"**  
 Genesis 35