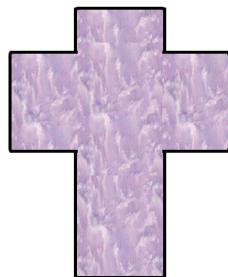


SERVANT ROTATION

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<p align="center">COMMUNION PREP</p> <p>July.....Babb August.....Hendershot September.....Moerbe</p>	<p align="center">CHILDREN'S BIBLE CLASS</p> <p align="center">June-August <i>Sunday</i></p> <p>2-4 years.....Sharron Mason K-2nd grades.....Lauren Babb 3rd-6th grades.....Susan Barnick 7th-12th grades.....Ralph Mason</p> <p align="center"><i>Wednesday</i> Shelley Hendershot and Debbie Fougerat</p>

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July 12, 2015

WELCOME, VISITORS!
WE ARE GLAD YOU ARE HERE. PLEASE FILL OUT A CARD
FROM THE PEW RACK AND PLACE IT IN THE
COLLECTION PLATE.

Clay's Corner: Portrait of Christ

On a wall near the main entrance to the Alamo in San Antonio, Texas, is a portrait with the following inscription:

"James Butler Bonham—no picture of him exists. This portrait is of his nephew, Major James Bonham, deceased, who greatly resembled his uncle. It is placed here by the family that people may know the appearance of the man who died for freedom."

No literal portrait of Jesus exists either. But the likeness of the Son who makes us free can be seen in the lives of His true followers. – Unknown

I've seen many images of the Christ over the years. Men and women alike have created, on canvas, images of their perceptions of what He looked like. And while all have similar features, none are true representations of what the Son looks like.

We started a series of lessons last Wednesday on "Following the steps of Jesus". This is a series of lessons written by Stafford North, a professor of Bible at Oklahoma Christian.

The primary purpose of this series of lessons is to encourage us to follow Christ, to become more Christ-like, not just in appearance but in action too. We have been called to reflect His glory in the world around us. But doing so is not something instinctual. It must be learned. Thus, the purpose of this series of lessons is to learn to walk in His steps. I can think of no greater need in the world today, than for the world to know the Christ as He is reflected in the lives of His followers.

While there may be no portrait of Him, as there is no portrait of Major Bonham, the world can still get an idea of what He looks like if they can see Him in us.

I hope you will make the time to come study with us on Wednesday evenings as we take a closer look at what it truly means to become a follower of the Lord.

We are His. He is ours. Praise the Lord. Amen.

WORSHIP TIMES

Sunday
Bible Study – 9:30 a.m.
Worship Service – 10:30 a.m.
Evening – 6 p.m.

Wednesday
Midweek – 6 p.m.

UPCOMING EVENTS

This Week

17 – Friday Night Singing,
Wharton

July

19 – Kirk Eason, Southern
Africa Bible College

24 – Friday Night Singing,
Corpus Christi

25 – Victoria Generals
Baseball Game

26 – Fellowship Meal

26 – Singing at The Heights

UPCOMING BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Birthdays

12 – Randall Sweeney
15 – Ralph Mason
16 – Nelle Hahn
17 – Logan Cantrell

Anniversaries

18 – Hahns

LOCAL MINISTER – CLAY MASON

COMMITTEES

Education
Cody Chrismon, Herb Hahn

Facility
Perry Winegeart, Dave Epley

Finance
Ross Hendershot, Steve Ratliff

Worship
Cody Chrismon, Clay Mason

PRAYER LIST

- **The Babb Family**
- **Mark Broadway** (Jettons' son-in-law, medical mission in Zambia)
- **Terry Boaz** (Haley Ratliff's stepmother, continuing to recover from horse accident)
- **Dawn Clark** (Shirley Kuchynka's daughter)
- **Elsie Egger** (Peggy Walls's sister, at The Heights nursing home in Gonzales)
- **Evlynn Lawrence** (Sweeneys' granddaughter, in NICU in Ft. Worth)
- **Bob Merrill** (friend of Weavers, health concerns)
- **Walter Moerbe** (Randy's father, health concerns)
- **Carolyn Teague** (Jennell Bansom's sister, GI cancer)

Mark Broadway, the Jettons' son-in-law, is in Zambia (Africa), serving as the cook for a two-week medical mission, which began yesterday. The team hopes to have hundreds of baptisms. Please pray for their success this year.

Carolyn Teague, Jennell Bransom's younger sister, is battling gastrointestinal cancer. She was to a specialist at Memorial Herman Hospital because the cancer is in place that makes it difficult to remove. Jennell will be take Carolyn to the specialist's appointment on Tuesday.

UPDATES

Baby Evlynn (Sweeneys' granddaughter) is now three months old. On Friday, she was up to 5lbs, 15 oz and will be officially full term tomorrow. She is still on a low flow nasal cannula, and will remain on that while she works on feeding before being weaned anymore. Evlynn still experiences some drops in her heart rate, so they specifically request prayers for that issue as she continues progressing.

Sharon Saint (Zach Babb's mother) had surgery on her hip Tuesday at Houston Methodist. She is still in the hospital, but seems to be getting a little better each day, though she is still experiencing some complications because of her liver and kidney failure.

Victor Pitts (Pittses' newborn grandson) was released from the hospital last Sunday evening and is doing well.

If you have any announcements or prayer requests you wish to have included in the bulletin, please call, text or e-mail Victoria Johnson: 325-518-9205, victoriawjohnson@outlook.com.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Tuesday Morning Men's Meeting

All men are invited to meet in the annex each Tuesday morning at 6:20 a.m. for a time of breakfast, prayer and fellowship.

Wednesday Evening Series

Please join us this Wednesday at 6 p.m. as Clay continues his series, "Follow in His Steps."

Friday Night Singing

On Friday, July 17, Wharton Church of Christ (501 Abell Street South, Wharton, TX 77488) will host a singing, which starts at 7 p.m.

Southern Africa Bible College Sunday

On Sunday, July 19, Kirk Eason, Director of Development for Southern Africa Bible College, will teach and preach during morning Bible study and worship service, and he will make a presentation during the Sunday evening service. Southern Africa Bible College is the school Baxter Masiwa, the student the church supports, attends.

Victoria Generals Baseball Game

Join us for Faith and Family Night at Riverside Stadium in Victoria on Saturday, July 25 as the Victoria Generals take on the Acadiana Cane Cutters. The game starts at **7:05 PM**. We will meet at the building and travel together. To sign-up, or to volunteer to help with transportation, please see Kevin Johnson. Registration deadline is Wednesday, July 22. Tickets are \$4 per person.

VBS Pictures

Thank you to Lauren Babb for taking and printing pictures from Vacation Bible School in June. There are several pictures on the table in the foyer and on the bulletin board by the women's restroom. Please feel free to take any of them home with you!

Facebook

The Church of Christ's Facebook page is up and running. Be sure to visit the page and "like" us to stay up to date with announcements and the latest happenings: www.facebook.com/ChurchOfChristGonzalesTX.

E-mail Group List

If you would like to be on an e-mail list to receive prayer requests and announcements, please sign up in the foyer.

LAST WEEK'S NUMBERS

Morning Worship	56
Evening Worship	17
Wednesday Night	18
ISF (Residents)	5
Contribution	\$1,510.00
Special Contribution	\$500.00
Weekly Budget	\$1,422.00