SERVANT	
ROTATION	

ISF
1/15Ralph Mason/Edwin Weaver
1/22Kevin Johnson
1/29Clay Mason
2/5Cody Chrismon/Ross Hendershot
2/12 Herb Hahn/Perry Winegeart

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1/22	Perry Winegear		
1/29	Cody Chrismo		
2/5	Ross Hendersho		
2/12	Perry Winegear		

2/19.....Cody Chrismon

COMMUNION PREP		
January	Johnson	
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April	Mason	

LAST WEEK'S NUMBERS

**NOTES** 

Morning Worship

Wednesday Evening

**Special Contribution** 

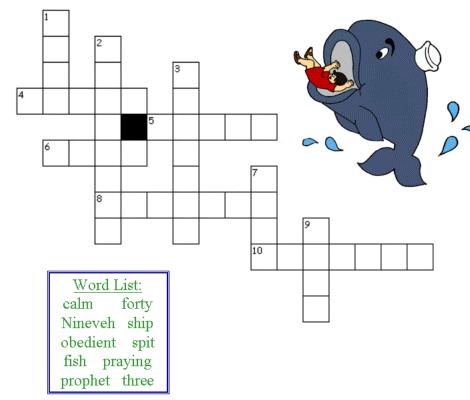
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Contribution

Weekly Budget

TEACHER ROTATION	SUNDAYS	WEDNESDAYS
DECEMBER-FEBRUARY	2 years-KindergartenSharron Mason 1st-3rd GradesPam Lind 4th-6th GradesSusan Barnick 7th-12th GradesKevin Johnson AdultHenry Lind	2 years-1st gradeMary Mason 2nd-6th gradesJennie Chrismon 7th-12th gradesClay Mason AdultCody Chrismon

## Jonah Crossword



- 4. Jonah lived inside the belly of a fish for this number of days.
- 5. This is the number of days the people of Nineveh had to change and repent.
- 6. The fish did this to Jonah to get rid of him.
- 8. This is the name of the city Jonah was to send a message to.
- 10. Jonah spent most of his time inside the fish doing this.

#### Down

- 1. Jonah was swallowed by a very large
- 2. It's better to be \_\_\_\_ to God then not to listen and go your own way.
- Jonah was called this because he gave messages from the Lord.
- 7. Instead of going to Nineveh Jonah ran away on this instead.
- 9. The water became as soon as Jonah was thrown overboard.

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Welcome, Guests! We are glad you are here. So that we may get to know you better, please fill out a Guest Information card from the pew rack in front of you and place it in the collection plate when it passes.



SONG LEADER: CODY CHRISMON

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

#54—We Bring the Sacrifice of Praise #62—I Exalt Thee #763—O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee

OPENING PRAYER

#324—Alas! and Did My Savior Bleed?

LORD'S SUPPER

**OFFERING** 

#595—I Come to the Garden Alone #517—Heaven Came Down

SERMON: CLAY MASON

#934—Softly and Tenderly

CLOSING PRAYER

#### **MEETING TIMES**

Sunday Bible Study – 9:30 a.m. Worship Service – 10:30 a.m. Wednesday Meal—5:15 p.m. Midweek – 6 p.m.

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

- Today
  Area-Wide Singing: Smithville
  This Week
- 17—GHS Girls BKB @ Wimberley
- -SJHS Boys BKB v. Weimar
- 19—SJHS GirÍs BKB @ Weimar
- 21—SJHS Boys BKB @
  Schulenburg Tournament
  Next Sunday
- Men's Meeting
- Singing at The Heights
  - January
- 29—5th Sunday Fellowship
- 29—Megan Mason Bridal Shower

#### **BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES Birthdays**

- 17—Lauren Babb
- 18—Henry Lind
- 19—Eric Davis, Dave Epley
- 20—Rae'Anna Flores

LOCAL MINISTER: CLAY MASON

#### COMMITTEES

Worship & Education Cody Chrismon, Kevin Johnson, Clay Mason

**Facilities** Zach Babb, Perry Winegeart

Finance & Benevolence Zach Babb, Ross Hendershot, Henry Lind, Clay Mason, **Edwin Weaver** 

# Clay's Corner

I came across this blog post from "Ransomed Hearts" the other day. I share it with you today because think it would be good if we all sat and rethought our lives to some degree or the other. Stop and think about what motivates you, what drives you to do, think and say some of the things in your life.

From Ransomed Hearts:

The book "Killing Lions" is a conversation between John and Sam Eldredge about the trials young

[John] "You simply cannot neglect the heart and get away with it. The mind is a beautiful instrument, one we certainly want to develop all our lives and not only in the college years. But God gave us the mind to protect the heart, not usurp it. As Walker Percy said, "You can get all A's and still flunk

So let's think about identity and the heart for a moment. All men, young or old, have within them a famished craving for validation. It will not be denied. We will chase validation wherever we can and we learn pretty quickly what our world rewards, what it shames, what it cares nothing about. So the athletes seek validation by being fast, strong, and winning, while the valedictorians throw themselves into papers, exams, and maintaining their GPAs. The "spiritual leader" latches on to the praise coming from their giftings, and they give their hearts and souls over to that dance, while the "cool" kids go barefoot and wear dreadlocks. We are all looking for the same thing.

When a young man doesn't know who he is and what he's made of, resisting those "scripts" that are being handed out is about the same as defying gravity. "Let's see—I gotta do my laundry, move my car, and oh yeah, I think I'll fly today."

Have a blessed week!

#### PRAYER LIST

- Pauline Alvarez (health)
- Lauren Babb (health)
- **Aaron Banks**
- John Beiler (health)
- **Family of Kenneth Chrismon** (Cody's grandfather)
- **Dawn Clarke** (Shirley Kuchynka's daughter)
- **Betty Cox** (Brent Barnick's sister—homebound)
- **Dixie** (Debbie Faires's mother—Alzheimer's)
- **Jake Faires** (Air Force, deployed to Jordan)
- Paul Faires (health)
- Steven Faires, and Lexi

- Cruz and Rae'Anna Flores (family losses)
- **Leon Giesecke** (Jan Moerbe's father—throat cancer)
- Herbert and Nelle Hahn (health)
- Debbie Jalufka
- Sandra Jetton (health)
- Kevin and Victoria Johnson (healthy pregnancy/baby)
- Family of Emory Meier (Cheryl Pitts's father)
- Junior and Ada Powell (Sharron Mason's brother-inlaw and sister—health)
- **David Taylor** (Cody Chrismon's uncle—cancer)
- Adrienne Zingrich (Susan Barnick's cousin—cancer)

### PRAYER UPDATES

A memorial service for Emory Meier, Cheryl Pitts's father, will be held this Friday, Jan. 20, at 10 a.m. at Smithville Church of Christ.

Paul Faires has received good results on all of the medical testing he's had to date. While he is still undergoing some testing, he is beginning to feel better.

David Taylor, Cody Chrismon's uncle, responded well to treatment and is in remission!

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Area-Wide Singing: Smithville** 

You're invited to an area-wide singing **TODAY at 5:30** p.m. at Smithville Church of Christ (1416 NE Whitehead St., Smithville, TX, 78957). The church will offer a light supper and refreshments afterwards.

**Wednesday Evening Meal & Bible Study** 

Please join us at 5:15 p.m. this Wednesday for dinner in the annex. This week's entrée is chicken and rice. Anyone who is able is asked to bring sides to share, but please do not let that prevent you from joining us. Classes for all ages follow at 6 p.m.

Men's Meeting

The men have their monthly meeting next Sunday, Jan. 22, at 8 a.m. at the building.

Singing at The Heights
Please join us next Sunday, Jan. 22, at 3:30 p.m. for our monthly singing at The Heights of Gonzales nursing home.

**Fellowship Meal** 

Make plans to join us for our 5th-Sunday Fellowship Meal in the annex on Jan. 29 immediately following morning worship. Anyone who is able is asked to bring a dish to share.

**Bridal Shower** 

You are invited to a bridal shower honoring Megan Mason, bride-elect of Daniel Fisher, on Sunday, Jan. 29 at 2 p.m. at the home of Stacia Sweeney. The couple is registered at Bed Bath & Beyond.

**Smithville Church of Christ Guest Speakers** 

Smithville Church of Christ invites you to go hear KrisAnne and J.C. Hall speak on Saturday, Jan. 21, from 10:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. KrisAnne is a Constitutional attorney and speaks on Constitutional History and the threat to liberty. She's a radio host, a former prosecutor, author, and pastor's wife. Tickets are free but please call one of the following people to claim a spot: Donald Loucks 512-718-8094; Kelly Holt 512-577-4092; or the Smithville Church of Christ office 512-360-2550.

**Volunteers Needed: Wednesday Night Meals** 

Volunteers are needed to prepare the entrée for meals on Wednesday evenings. To help, please sign up in the foyer. If you signed up to prepare a meal, please send your menu to Victoria by Wednesday the week before your

**Volunteers Needed: Communion Prep** 

Volunteers are needed to prepare communion in the coming months. This task takes very little time and is a great service to the congregation. Please sign up on the large bulletin board in the fover.

**Sunday Night Small Group** 

There is a small group that meets in the annex each Sunday evening from 6-7 p.m. The Lord's Supper is available.

**Tuesday Morning Men's Prayer Breakfast** 

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

**Ladies Bible Class** 

Ladies Bible Class continues this Tuesday, Jan. 17, at 8:30 **a.m.** at Jennie Chrismon's house in Shiner. The book for class is Wives After God: Encouraging Each Other in Faith and Marriage by Jennifer Smith. Please contact Jennie if you would like more information.

Canyon Lake Ladies Day

You're invited to Ladies Day at Canyon Lake Church on Saturday, March 4, from 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Lunch is provided. This year's theme is "Making Christ the Lord of Your Life in Every Season of Your Life!" and features speaker Becky Blackmon, author of The Pearl Seeker and The Begging Place. RSVPs are due by Saturday, Feb. 25.

#### **Mark Your Calendars:**

Feb. 5

- Youth & Family Super Bowl Party at The Chrismons Feb. 12
- Youth Sunday: Valentine's Lunch Feb. 26

• Fellowship Meal

Singing at The Heights

# YOUTH ZONE

TUESDAY, JAN. 17 HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS BASKETBALL THURSDAY, JAN. 19

JUNIOR HIGH BOYS BASKETBALL SHINER V. WEIMAR, 5:30 P.M. JUNIOR HIGH GIRLS BASKETBALL SHINER @ WEIMAR, 5 P.M. SATURDAY, JAN. 20 JUNIOR HIGH BOYS BASKETBALL

SHINER @ SCHULENBURG TOURNAMENT



Caden Chrismon—Shiner Jr High Boys Basketball Jacv Chrismon—Shiner Jr High Girls Basketball

Morgan Mason—Gonzales HS Girls Varsity Basketball Carly Pustka—Shiner Jr High Girls Basketball