

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Sunday, April 17, 2016

SUNDAY MORNING

Greeter

Ronnie and Connie Gass
Dean Dyer and Betty Leach
Glen Horner and Leanne Jackson

Ushers

Ben Giles and Don Harrison

Announcements Jim Ervin

Song Leader Pete Jordan

Prayer Barry Christian

Serve The Lord's Supper

East Side **West Side**

Boyce Edwards Boyd Holley

Dakota Hancock Corby Larance

Scripture Glen Horner

Speaker Tom Moore

Attendance Cards Aiden Bivens

Dismiss David Singleton

SUNDAY EVENING SERVICE

Song Leader

Prayer

Scripture

Speaker

Serve The Lord's Supper

Dismiss

If you are unable to serve, please contact
Pete Jordan, 254-386-3529

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ELDERS

Barry Christian
John Jones ~ Pete Jordan

DEACONS

Richard Beers
Gene Payne

GOSPEL PREACHER

Tom Moore

SUNDAY

Bible Study 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:25 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

THURSDAY

Ladies Bible Class 10:30 a.m.

CHURCH BUSINESS MEETINGS

Second Sunday of every month
Men's Business Meeting 7:30 p.m.

ELDERS MEETINGS

Fourth Sunday of every month
Elder's Meeting 7:00 p.m.

"Greater love has no one than this, that he lay down his life for his friends."



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WHAT'S AHEAD IS WORTH

REACHING FOR!

By Tom Moore

The Apostle Paul declares, "For I consider that the sufferings of this present time are not worth comparing with the glory that is to be revealed to us" (*Rom. 8:18*).

When we are discouraged and we are thinking about taking the easy way out, it is important to remember the value of the things we are reaching for. Life with God is a treasure worth any price that ever has to be paid to receive it — and more important, the privilege of simply being a person through whom God can glorify Himself ought to mean more to us than anything else in the here or the hereafter. Whatever we are giving up, what we are getting is what we want to get most of all, isn't it? Paul also said, "I press on toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus" (*Phil. 3:14*). And he said this is his focus (*Phil. 3:13*).

When the price seems too painful to bear and we wish we could get back what we are given up, we need to recall how we evaluated things when we originally "counted the cost." "For this light momentary affliction is preparing for us an eternal weight of glory beyond all comparison" (*2 Cor. 4:17*). Like the Olympic athlete who remembers every day his original decision (that the rewards of discipline and training are worth more than ⇨

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Tom Moore, Beth Forehand, Betty Allen (knee surgery 20th), **Gene Payne, Lila Driver, Bobby Cathey, Ben Giles, Joan Stegemoller, Wanda Kitchens, Ray Stegemoller, Dean Craig, Stuart Newhouse** (Mary Pruitt's brother), **JoAnn Dehart, Bobby Thompson, Bobbie Ragsdale, Laphane Brumbalow, Maudine Tubbs, Kathy Glover, Ray Hudson, John Brooks, Paul Rogers, Terry Underwood** (Lila's son in law), **David Harris.**

SONGLEADERS TURN IN YOUR SONGS BEFORE THURSDAY

GOOD SAMARITAN PANTRY ITEM

Ranch style beans, canned chili, paper towels

THIRD SUNDAY SERVICE & LUNCHEON

Sunday, **April 17th** will be our third Sunday service. We will have our regularly scheduled Bible classes and worship service which will begin at 10:25 am. There will be a luncheon following the service.



YOUTH DEVO @ THE EDWARDS'

What: Youth Devo

Time: 5:00 p.m.

Where: The Edwards' in Evant

Hosts: Boyce & Amber Edwards

All youth are invited and encouraged to come.

Van will leave at 4:45

Bring your lawn chairs!

BABY SHOWER

There will be a baby shower honoring Lina Silva and baby boy Silva, April 23rd @ 10:00 a.m. in the foyer of the building. Proud parents will be Alfonso and Lina Silva. Big sister will be Mia Silva!!



those of ease and indulgence, and that he wants the former more than he wants the latter), we must remember that "the sufferings of this present time are not worth comparing with the glory that is to be revealed to us." When the life of discipleship turns out to be hard, the wise Christian will say, "yes, but I had still rather have the 'minuses' I have right now than the 'minuses' that would go with any other set of 'pluses'. The tradeoff is well worth it."

We should not let Satan deceive us as to the true value of things. Concerning Satan, Jesus said, "He was a murderer from the beginning, and does not stand in the truth, because there is no truth in him. When he lies, he speaks out of his own character, for he is a liar and the father of lies." When we barter with the devil, he has a way of making the things outside of God's will seem more valuable than they really are, and he carefully conceals the deadly downside of disobedience. He is, after all, the ultimate "con artist." Yet we are not helpless in our struggle against him. Faith - real trust in God's goodness - is the quality that can keep us in touch with reality. No matter what life looks like in the short term, and no matter what sacrifices are asked of us, we know that God is telling us the truth: that what is ahead is worth reaching for! If we forget that, we are in danger of being seriously misled.

One author said, "We master fear through faith - faith in the worthwhileness of life and the trustworthiness of God; faith in the meaning of our pain and our striving, and confidence that God will not cast us aside but will use each one of us as a piece of priceless mosaic in the design of his universe."

Remember we can do all things through Christ who strengthens us (*Phil 4:13*)

LADIES BIBLE CLASS - APRIL 14TH

THANK YOU NOTE

I want to thank all our friends for all the well wishes, prayers, cards and food during my recent bout with the flu. It is fantastic to be well again.
Ben Overton

THANK YOU NOTE

Dear Park Heights Church Family,

Words cannot begin to express how much love, thanks and appreciation we have for your overwhelming love, support, kindness and encouragement.

The wedding shower, that we were so fortunate have organized for us was more than what anybody could ever hope for. We would like to express our deepest most sincere gratitude to the ladies and men that planned, orchestrated and cooked for the shower. As well as the love and generosity bestowed upon us by members of the congregation. We are truly blessed to call Park Heights our home and very thankful to have so many Christian role models that serve by example in our lives.

With the greatest Joy and Love,
Jeffrey, Amanda, Jase Jones

NURSERY ATTENDANT

SUN. April 17th..... Debbie Pratt

SERMON TOPICS FOR SUNDAY

A.M. The True Meaning To Life # 6
"The Vanity of Riches"
(*Ecclesiastes 6: 1-6*)

RADIO PROGRAM (Sunday Mornings)

@ 8:30 am. (KCLW) Tom Moore "Back to the Bible"
@ 9:00 am. (KCLW) Phil Sanders "In Search of the Lord's Way"
@ 9:00 am. (KOXE 101.3 FM) Michael Light "Preaching the Word"

RADIO PROGRAM (Monday Evenings)

"The Harris and Moore Expedition: Exploring the Bible"
KOME (95.3 FM.) 6:00 P.M. - 7:00 P.M.
www.thegospelradionetwork.org

LAST WEEK'S NUMBERS

SUN AM CLASSES 57
SUN AM WORSHIP 87
SUN PM WORSHIP 44
WED PM BIBLE STUDY 44
CONTRIBUTION 3,475
BUDGET 3,000