

PROOFS OF OUR LOVE

Week of June 2, 2019

Bible Class	51
Morning Assembly	109
Evening Assembly	40
Wednesday Bible Class	48
Contribution	\$4746.00
Budget	1871.00



SERMONS FOR SUNDAY

A A.M. = FULFILL THE WHOLE LAW!
(Galatians 5:14)

P.M. = THE IMAGE OF GOD
(Colossians 1:15)

SERMONS NEXT SUNDAY

A.M. = THE PENTECOST EXPERIENCE
(Acts 2)

P.M. = BEFORE AND AFTER
(Colossians 1:21-23)

WEDNESDAY NIGHT BIBLE DEVOTIONAL

**June 12th – James Roberson
Huffsmith**

**June 19th – Winfred Frazier
Kashmere Gardens**

Welcome Visitors

We want to personally thank you for joining us today. It is our prayer you leave our worship service with an uplifted spirit. Below is what you can expect during our services.

SINGING: Non-instrumental singing plays a great part of our worship services. We hope that you will find this to be an uplifting praise to the Lord. (Eph. 5:19)

LORD’S SUPPER: Each Sunday we observe the Lord’s Supper, which reflects on the death, burial and resurrection of our Lord Jesus, and the hope of everlasting life we now can live through Him. (I Cor. 11:23-26)

CONTRIBUTION: During the service, we as members are given the opportunity to give a portion of what God has given us. This money is used to support the church and to help spread God’s Word. (I Cor. 16:2)



Schedule of Services

Sunday:
 Bible Study 9:00 a.m.
 Assembly 10:00 a.m.
 Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.

Ladies Bible Class: (Sept-May)
Tuesday 9:30 a.m.

Wednesday Bible Class 7:00 p.m.

Preacher Gerald Bennett
Song Leader Tommy Bennett
Elders Gerald Bennett, Jamie Cobb
Deacons Dave Donohoe, Russell Dukes Jr.



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ONE ANOTHER COMMANDS!

The beautiful “one another” commands of the New Testament are famous. But it is also striking to notice the “one anothers” that do *not* appear there.

For example, sanctify one another, humble one another, scrutinize one another, pressure one another, embarrass one another, corner one another, interrupt one another, defeat one another, sacrifice one another, shame one another, marginalize one another, exclude one another, judge one another, run one another’s lives, confess one another’s sins

The kind of God we really believe in is revealed in how we treat one another. The lovely gospel of Jesus positions us to treat one another like royalty, and every non-gospel positions us to treat one another like dirt. But we *will* follow through horizontally on whatever we really believe vertically.

Our relationships with one another reveal to us what we really believe as opposed to what we *think* we believe, our convictions as opposed to our opinions. It is possible for the gospel to remain at the shallow level of opinion, even sincere opinion, without penetrating to the deeper level of conviction. But when the gospel grips us down in our convictions, we embrace its implications wholeheartedly. Therefore, when we mistreat one another, our problem is not a lack of surface niceness but a lack of gospel depth. What we need is not only better manners but, far more, true faith.

Then the watching world might start feeling that Jesus himself has come to town:

“A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another: just as I have loved you, you also are to love one another. By this all people will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.” John 13:34-45)

Ray Ortlund (The Gospel Coalition)

THINK ABOUT IT!!!

GERALD



PRAYER LIST

“Therefore let us draw near with confidence to the throne of grace, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.” Hebrews 4:16



JANET BARNWELL continues to deal with health issues.

CYNTHIA CAIN has been having test due to various health problems.

JERRY JEFFERSON has high blood pressure issues and some heart blockage.

PEARLENE JEROME continues to recover from knee replacement surgery.

CELIA MOSLEY has pinched nerve in her neck and bulging discs in her back, taking physical therapy each week, she is doing better.

TERRY PEAVLER received a good report on recent test.

JANIE ROCKETT is scheduled to have her kidney stones removed June 11th.

MICHAEL & ANDREA RUCKER are still dealing with health issues.

MARIA RUSH is scheduled for an ECHO on June 6th after which she will know when her doctor can schedule her back surgery.

SAM RUSH had an EGD procedure Friday morning to help him get food down and not get stuck in his esophagus.

REQUESTING OUR PRAYERS

HENRY ALLEE brother of Doug is recovering from his recent fall.

TAMMIE MILES is recovering from the surgery she had June 3rd.

PETER NGUYEN, father of Theresa Cobb our visitor from Ft. Worth, and her mother are both ill, she has asked us to pray for them.

DARION “DJ” WILEY, Faith and Lawrence Clemons 17 year old grandson has stage 4 brain cancer. He was in our assembly last Sunday morning. Please continue to pray fervently for him and for the family.

We have been asked to pray for **Eddie, Sherry & Stephanie Sunday** (relatives of Linda Allee) battling health issues, **Aaron Bishop** (grandson of the Aguirre’s), **Julian Silva** (financial problems), **Joe Chambers** (legal issues), **Charlene Maxey’s** family, **Gene Womack** (COPD). and **Stehanie Winfrey’s** (family). Many of our members are suffering due to allergies and various other illnesses.



Those who have recently requested our prayers: **Tommy Bennett, Johnnie Thomas, and Isabella Moore.**

Take Note

WE HAVE A NEED FOR BIBLE CLASS TEACHERS – If you are willing to serve in this capacity, please let one of the elders know.



WE ARE COLLECTING NO SHOW GIRLS SOCKS for the **Children’s Home of Lubbock.** Please bring your donations

this Sunday, June 9th. They will be here to pick up our donations this Wednesday June 12th. Let’s fill up the box for them. Thank You!



FAMILY, FOOD, FUN
JUNE 21st – AT 7:00 P.M.
IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL



MENU: POT LUCK

VOLUNTEERS are needed to serve as hosts for these fellowships. If you are willing to serve please contact Jamie.



QUARTERLY GOSPEL SINGING

At the Hidden Valley church of Christ on Saturday June 8th, 2019 from 5 to 7 p.m. The heritage for the churches of Christ is acapella singing. That is singing with no mechanical instruments of music. Please keep this in mind.

“Let the word of Christ richly dwell within you, with all wisdom teaching and admonishing one another with psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing with thankfulness in your hearts to God.”

(Colossians 3:16)

GERALD’S GLEANINGS

It was another good day around 249 last Sunday.

I continue to be impressed with the visitors that we have each week. We have several who continue to come each week. Not all of them fill out visitors cards and if I don’t really pay attention, I don’t get the names. So please help me with these things. I may be asking you about them. Thank you.

It is always good to be able to put a face to a name. And this is the case with D.J. Wiley for whom we have been praying with Lawrence and Faith Clemmons. D.J. was in our assembly and we got to meet him. He is a very good looking, polite young man and I was impressed by meeting him. We must continue to pray fervently in his behalf and for the family.

The Wednesday Night Summer Series got off to a good start with our brother Jim Middleton from the Northwest church of Christ as our first speaker. I think I have told you that Jim and I go back to the 1960’s. I’ll tell you the story some time. But suffice it to say that I have a lot of respect for him. I spoke at Northwest this past week.

Each week I put the titles and the basic scripture from which the sermon will come for two weeks. This lets you know that I am always planning ahead. As I have said before if there is something that you believe or want me to preach just let me know.

I love you!

Gerald