

PROOFS OF OUR LOVE

Week of June 9, 2019

Bible Class	56
Morning Assembly	95
Evening Assembly	47
Wednesday Bible Class	63
Contribution	\$4591.00
Budget	1871.00



SERMONS FOR SUNDAY

A.M. = THE FATHER OF METHUSALEH
(Genesis 5:21-24)

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

SERMONS NEXT SUNDAY

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

P.M. = COMPLETE IN CHRIST
(Colossians 1:24-29)

WEDNESDAY NIGHT BIBLE DEVOTIONAL

June 19th – Royce Lemon
3rd Ward

June 26th – Dale Foster
India Work

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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June 16, 2019

ONLY A DAD – by Edgar Guest

Only a dad, with a tired face,
 Coming home from the daily race,
 Bringing little of gold or fame,
 To show how well he has played the game,
 But glad in his heart that his own rejoice
 To see him come, and to hear his voice.

Only a dad, with a brood of four,
 One of ten million men or more.
 Plodding along in the daily strife,
 Bearing the whips and the scorns of life,
 With never a whimper of pain or hate,
 For the sake of those who at home await.

Only a dad, neither rich nor proud,
 Merely one of the surging crowd
 Toiling, striving from day to day,
 Facing whatever may come his way,
 Silent, whenever the harsh condemn,
 And bearing it all for the love of them.

Only a dad, but he gives his all
 To smooth the way for his children small,
 Doing, with courage stern and grim,
 The deeds that his father did for him.
 This is the line that for him I pen,
 Only a dad, *but the best of men.*

This Edgar Guest poem reminded me so much of my Father.

Happy Father's Day



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** continues to suffer from various health problems. **JESSICA HAROLD** is recovering from surgery. **JERRY JEFFERSON** has high blood pressure issues and some heart blockage. **PEARLENE JEROME** continues to have issues from knee replacement surgery. **CELIA MOSLEY** is doing better. **TERRY PEAVLER** received a good report on recent test. **JANIE ROCKETT** is recovering from successful surgery. She will have additional treatments later. **MICHAEL & ANDREA RUCKER** are still dealing with health issues. **MARIA RUSH** continues to wait for her back surgery to be scheduled. **SAM RUSH** had an EGD procedure recently to help him swallow his food.

REQUESTING OUR PRAYERS

TAMMIE MILES continues to recover from her recent surgery. **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**, grandson of Faith and Lawrence Clemons has stage 4 brain cancer. Please continue to pray fervently for him and for the family.

We have been asked to pray for **Henry Allee, 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, Ray Orsack** (Gerald’s cousin recovering from surgery), **Genell Stuteville** (Gerald’s aunt, various health problems), **Gene Womack (COPD)**, and **Stephanie Winfrey’s (family)**. **Many of our members are suffering due to allergies and various other illnesses.**



Lydia Walden asked for prayers for: Joyce Eckler (stage 4 cancer) and her daughter **JoBell** (colon cancer); **Daniel Gutierrez** (congestive heart failure); **Shelby Grimes & Jimas Salenas** (homeless and trying to stay clean of drugs).



Take Note

Several of our members are/or will be traveling, please remember them in your prayers.



THANK YOU!!!

Emily Cobb for designing and redoing our bulletin boards in the foyer. Your efforts are greatly appreciated.



We want to wish every Father a very Happy Father’s Day!



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



HOSTS: Andrea & Michael Rucker

MENU: Pot Luck



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



ABRAHAM THE FATHER OF THE FAITHFUL

The Lord said, “Shall I hide from Abraham what I am about to do, since Abraham will surely become a great and mighty nation, and in him all the nations of the earth will be blessed? For I have chosen him, so that he may command his children and his household after him to keep the way of the Lord by doing righteousness and justice, so that the Lord may bring upon Abraham what He has spoken about him.”

GENESIS 18:17-19

GERALD’S GLEANINGS

We had a good day around 249 last Sunday.

And yes, we had several visitors on last Sunday It is such a blessing to be able to say this each week. I don’t get tired of saying it. I hope you do not get tired of hearing it.

The children’s home of Lubbock picked up the socks which we were collecting for them. We gave them a full container of sox and they were thankful. We certainly know that James 1:27 tells us that “Pure religion and undefiled before God and the Father is this, To visit the fatherless and widows in their affliction, and to keep himself unspotted from the world.”

Our Wednesday Night Summer Series has begun well. We are two weeks into our summer speakers and as always, we are not disappointed. Note though, that we have a change of speakers for this coming Wednesday. Brother Royce Lemon who preaches for the Third Word church of Christ will be with us. I have never heard brother Lemon, but I have heard good things about him and we look forward to his being with us.

I hope you don’t mind the personal comment about my Dad in relationship to the poem on the front page. My Dad sometimes worked three jobs because he wanted to give us more.

I love you!

Gerald