



# Highway 36 Church of Christ

October 10, 2021

**"I press on toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus." Philipians 3:14**

## Remember These in Your Prayers

*Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer. Romans 12:12*

Gracie Broyles  
James & Sylvie Conner  
Ruth Cox  
Winford & Bobbie Gardner  
Johnny Hayhurst  
Heatley family  
Shirley Martin  
Jimmy & Billie McElreath  
LaJuanda Smoot  
Patti Stennett  
Gary Vannoy  
Baker, Chrane, Moudy,  
Southall and  
Wilson families

Allison Breeding's aunt  
Amber's husband,  
James Kline  
Monna Rae Bruce's grandson,  
Cory Bruce  
Pat Franklin  
Ann Gee's daughter-in-law  
Donna's father,  
Dr. Clarence Darter

Rudy Johnston  
Sarah Hunter's mom,  
Carla Roper  
Bryan King's parents,  
Clarence and Ellen King  
Billie McElreath's sister,  
Virginia Roberts  
Greg Melton's sister,  
Teri Marrow and Greg &  
D'Anne's neighbor,  
Misty Ake Gutting  
Melinda Miller's co-worker's  
baby Jackston  
Janie Smith's husband, Glenn  
Wanda Stayton's sister,  
Claire Bell  
Nancy Vannoy's nephew,  
Jim Hickman and  
friend, Beth Crowder

COVID Related  
Rhett Lawrence

## Welcome Visitors!

We are glad that you are here with us this morning. May you experience the love of Christ this morning and His presence during our worship. We hope you feel welcomed by God's family at Hwy. 36! We invite you to come back anytime you can! Have a Blessed Day!

### Hwy. 36 Meeting Times

Sunday A.M.  
Bible Class at 10:00  
Worship at 11:00

Sunday P.M.  
Evening Worship at 6:00

Wednesday P.M.  
Bible Class at 7:00

### Adult Bible Classes

#### Sunday Morning

##### Auditorium

Terry Chrane  
Old Testament Lessons

##### Fellowship Hall

Billy Berny  
Biblical Financial  
Stewardship

#### Wednesday Night

##### Auditorium

Various Men  
Digging Deeper into OT

##### Fellowship Hall

Denise Gee  
Women's Class

### Men Serving This Morning

Song Leader: Billy Berny

#### Lord's Supper

Tony Thompson, Darrell Conway,  
Scott Thompson, Zach Hayhurst,  
John Thacker, KKole King

Usher: Steve Ellis  
Usher: Royce Lawrence  
Reading/Prayer: Monty Ellis  
Sermon: Greg Melton  
Contribution Baskets:  
Zack and Zane Gardner,  
Graham Hunter, Carson Southall  
Closing Prayer: Terry Chrane

### Men Serving This Evening

Song Leader: Gatlin Broyles  
Reading/Prayer: Cody Gee  
Sermon: Greg Melton  
Closing Prayer: Jeff Barton  
Communion: D.D. Southall

### Serving This Wednesday

Announcements/Prayer  
Brad Barron

From the shepherd pen:

We continue our series of discussions regarding the question: **"How can I improve my worship to God?"** Today, let's examine our worship in eating the unleavened bread, and drinking the cup of the fruit of the vine in our communion together.

**How can I improve my worship in partaking of the Lord's Supper? First, we have an excellent record of this act of worship regarding its meaning, its elements, and its frequency in multiple places in God's word (Acts 2:42; 20:7; 1 Cor 11:23-29). It is obvious from these scriptures that the early disciples partook of the Lord's Supper on the first day of every week. Second, the 'breaking of bread' in these scriptures is a primary reason for the 'coming together' of Jesus' disciples and followers, first called "Christians" in the city of Antioch (Acts 11:26). Third, we are told the reason for a Christian to participate in this communion is for remembrance - I must partake of the bread and the fruit of the vine in memory of Christ (I Cor. 11:24-25). I must discern the Lord's death until he comes again - until my earthly life ends. Sometimes it helps me in my worship to read these and other scriptures, or lyrics to songs, that take my mind back to the cross. What is on your mind during our communion time? Are your thoughts helpful, or distracting? Is your participation helpful to those around you? This act of worship is so very important - let's make sure that we each are examining ourselves (I Cor. 11:27-29) as we are instructed. And finally, let's teach the next generations of Christ's children the meaning, the importance, and the value of our worship in participating in the Lord's supper, the communion, the breaking of bread together. This will please our Lord and Savior, and we will grow in spirit as we draw nearer to Him in our worship!**

## UPCOMING EVENTS

TODAY—Missions Committee Meeting at 5 p.m.  
 POSTPONED—Christian Homes & Family "Heroes of Foster Care" dinner, Abilene Convention Center.  
 Oct. 27—Trunk or Treat after evening Bible class.  
 Oct. 31—Family and Friends Day at Hwy. 36 along with fellowship lunch after morning service.  
 Nov. 14—Business Meeting at 5:00 to discuss 2022 budget.

### Missions Committee Meeting Today

Lee Knox, deacon of foreign missions, would like to meet in the Fellowship Hall at 5:00 p.m. today. All current committee members are encouraged to be there. We are looking for more members to work in this ministry and invite you to join us. For more info see Lee.



Wednesday  
 October 27th

Everyone decorate your trunks and bring treats for our Trunk or Treat fellowship after Bible class. The kids can wear their costumes to Bible class.

We encourage everyone to participate in this fun time together! Invite family and friends!

## Join us for Family & Friends Day

Service Times  
 Worship: 11:00am  
 Bible Class: 10:00am

October 31, 2021

Join us for worship @ Highway 36 Church of Christ.  
 Address: 10576 State Hwy. 36 South Abilene, Tx 79602

Think about family and friends that don't have a church home. Please invite them to be with us on October 31st for Bible class at 10:00; Worship at 11:00; Fellowship Lunch at Noon. It's a great opportunity to share God's love and our love with those around us!

Starting Sunday, October 17 the Sunday morning adult Bible class meeting in the fellowship room will resume the second portion of the "Train Up A Child" study series. All parents of children (babies through adult children) are welcome to join in as we explore God's will for parenting

### Trailer for Sale

The church has an enclosed trailer that very rarely gets used and so the leaders of Hwy. 36 have decided to sell it. It is a 5x8 single axle trailer with electric brakes. It is stored in the garage here at the church building if you would like to see it. The tires are early 2014 production so it will definitely need new tires. If you are interested, please give a sealed bid to deacon of transportation, Brad Barron by October 17th.



Oct. 12—E.B. Gray  
 Oct. 12—Balin McGuire  
 Oct. 12—Emarie Tidwell  
 Oct. 13—Aaron Maxwell  
 Oct. 13—Alaina Vogler  
 Oct. 14—Glenna Landers



Tim and Nicole Mosier are celebrating their 5th Anniversary on October 15th.

You're a wonderful couple joined by God above. May your marriage continue in God's love.

Children's Worship Bulletins are beside this newsletter in the foyer. One for ages 3-6 and another for ages 7-12.

Deacons, you are encouraged to meet with your committees to begin planning ministries and activities for 2022. There will be a business meeting on Nov. 14th for you to share your portion of the budget.

## NURSERY

Attendant today is:  
 Ranee Knox

### 2021 Budget Information

2021 Budget Total—\$275,525  
 Weekly Contribution Goal—\$5300.00  
 Year-to-date Contribution Avg.—\$5666.97  
 Contribution Previous Sunday—\$8297.02  
 Year-to-date Actual Contribution—\$226,678.85

Do you need to access your Bible on your wireless device? The Hwy. 36 password is Acts2:38 (no spaces and case sensitive)

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