

Highway 36 Church of Christ

December 4, 2022

"Therefore if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creature; the old things passed away; behold new things have come." II Corinthians 5:17

Call to Worship

Oh come, let us worship
and bow down;

Let us kneel before the
Lord, our Maker!

Psalm 95:6

Remember These in Your Prayers

James & Sylvie Conner
Glenn Freeman
Johnny Hayhurst
Leslie Heatley
Brian King
Lee Knox's nephew,
Joseph Knox
Garry & Alisyn Smoot
LaJuanda Smoot
Dan Vogler

Daphna Chrane's dad,
Frank Owens
Sarah Hunter's sister,
Paula McCord
T.J. Hunter's sister,
Megan Wright
Brian King's dad Clarence
King; and Brian's boss's dad,
Wayne Turner
Christie King's friend, Megan
Lee Knox's friend,
Hunter Williams
Ranee' Knox's friend, Lisa
Jimmy McElreath's aunt,
Denise Davison
Billie McElreath's sister,
Barbara Evans;
great-niece, Embrylynn Kiser,
friend, Kathy Scarborough
Greg & D'Anne Melton's
friends, Barbara O'Conner and
Vickie Coker
Jay Don Poindexter
Patti Stennett's son, Dylan
Pam Yeaman's mom, Janet
Cooper Underwood

December Worship Sched-
ules are on the tables in the
foyer & on church website.

Song Books Available

There is a signup sheet in the foyer if you would like to have one or several of our old songbooks for use in your home. There is no cost for the old ones. We would also like to make available to you our new songbook for use in your home. They will need to be ordered and each one will cost \$15.00. If you have any questions please see elder, Greg Elston.

Welcome Visitors

We want to take a moment to extend a very warm welcome to everyone who's visiting us this morning. Whether you're just passing through town, or are searching out for a place to worship and serve God and fellowship with Christian brothers and sisters, we're delighted you're here.

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!

From the shepherd's pen:

...continued from last week.

These are the clues of the coming King hidden in the words of the prophets to the people of Israel and Judah.

Specifically, Micah promised:

he will come out of Bethlehem, out of the Ephrathah (Luke 2:4)

he will rule over Israel, he will be a king in Jerusalem (John 18:36-37, 19:19)

he is from ancient times (John 1:1)

he will shepherd his flock (John 10:11)

Specifically, Nahum promised:

he is great in power (John 20:30)

he will rebuke the sea (Luke 8:24)

the earth will tremble (Matt. 27:51)

mountains will quake, hills melt away (John 18:6)

feet of one who brings good news (Luke 4:43)

Specifically, Jonah promised:

he will be in the "depths of a grave" for 3 days and 3 nights (Matt. 12:39-40)

This is just a portion of the prophets that we have studied so far and the rest are still to come. For 500 years the people and scribes know these words and trust in them. When Jesus comes, it's not how they imagine it will be, but all the promises are fulfilled. Jesus vindicates all of the prophets declaring, "But this has all taken place that the writings of the prophets might be fulfilled." (Matt. 26:56)

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Meeting Times

Sunday A.M.

Bible Class at 10:00
Worship at 11:00

Sunday P.M.

Worship at 6:00

Wednesday P.M.

Bible Class at 7:00

Adult Bible Classes

Sunday Morning

Auditorium

Terry Chrane
Old Testament Lessons

Classroom #6

Greg Melton/Steve Ellis
For College and Young
Professionals

Wednesday Night

Auditorium

Various Men
Digging Deeper into OT

Greeters Today

Royce & Donna Lee Lawrence
Reid Thompson and
Emarie Tidwell

Men Serving This Morning

Song Leader: Gary Vannoy

Lord's Supper

David Shaner, Billy Berny,
Jimmy McElreath, Paul McGuire,
Robert Oglesby, Matthew McGuire

Ushers: Gatlin and Bodie Broyles
Reading/Prayer: Eddie Moudy
Sermon: Greg Melton
Giving Baskets:
Johnny Hayhurst, Graham Hunter,
Carson Southall, Barret Wilson
Closing Prayer: Billy Gee

Men Serving This Evening

Song Leader: Gary Vannoy
Reading/Prayer: Darrell Conway
Sermon: Greg Melton
Closing Prayer: Claude Dutton
Communion: Tony Thompson

Men Serving This Wednesday

Announce/Prayer:
Jimmy McElreath
Bible Class Topic—Zephaniah

UPCOMING EVENTS

Dec. 11—Christmas Party for entire congregation after the evening worship service.
 Dec. 13—Ladies Bible Class Christmas Party
 Dec. 15—Ladies Christmas Party in the home of Glenda Broyles
 Dec. 20, 27, Jan. 3—No Ladies Bible Class
 Dec. 21—Salt & Light/Cookies for Santa for ages 5 yrs. through 6th grade.
 Jan. 10—Ladies Bible Class resumes

Church Christmas Party Next Sunday Night!

We will share a special time of fellowship in the Fellowship Hall after evening worship on December 11th. Bring your festive dishes and desserts to share with everyone. We are bringing back the tradition of singing some Christmas carols together which will make for a joyous time!

Arms of Hope Christmas Giving Tree

Bless a Child this Christmas!

- ⇒ Take star ornament(s) from the tree in the foyer.
- ⇒ Purchase gift card(s).
- ⇒ Fill out the back of the star ornament and attach the gift card to it.
- ⇒ You will have 2 weeks to help with this ministry.
- ⇒ Last day to turn them in to Janice or the church office is Sunday, December 11th.
- ⇒ They will be mailed Dec. 12th to the Arms of Hope office so that staff can purchase Christmas gifts for the children cared for in the Bole Children's Home and Medina Children's Home.

4 Bread Bakers Needed!

If you would be willing to bake 3 small loaves of bread once a month for our Sunday morning visitors, please see Janice Conway. We will start the rotating schedule in January. Thanks!



Dec. 6—Pam Yeaman

Jay and Beth Hayhurst celebrated their 62nd Wedding Anniversary yesterday, Dec. 3rd. Congratulations!

2022 Budget Information

2022 Budget Total—\$303,805
 Weekly Contribution Goal—\$5843.00
 Year-to-date Contribution Avg.—\$6500.88
 Contribution Previous Sunday—\$4751.50
 Year-to-date Actual Contribution—\$312,042.24

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

JUST 4 YOUTH!

7th through 12th Grades

TODAY—Cross Connect, Dodge Jones Sports Center.
 Dec. 18—Christmas Party and Youth Devotional in the home of Brady and Glenda Broyles after morning worship.
 Dec. 31—New Year's Eve Party in the home of Brady and Glenda Broyles from 6 p.m. to midnight.

Cross Connect is today and is hosted by the Minda Street church of Christ at the Dodge Jones Youth Sports Center in Abilene from 3 to 7 p.m. Those wanting to ride the church van to town need to be at the church building at 2:45. Parents are welcome to drop off and/or pick up your teens at Dodge Jones, but please communicate that with youth minister, Brady Broyles so he will know for sure who is riding in the church van.



The Youth Christmas Party will be on Dec. 18th after morning worship. It will be in the home of Brady and Glenda Broyles. Parents are invited to come and eat lunch with the teens. Be watching the Group Me app for more information.



LADIES
 Christmas
 PARTY

All girls and ladies of our congregation are invited to Glenda Broyles for a fun evening of food, fellowship and of course our fun Chinese gift exchange.

Our gathering will be on Thursday, December 15th at 6:30 p.m.

Bring a festive dish to share with everyone and a wrapped gift for this fun time together!

Cookies for Santa

The sign up sheet is complete! Thanks to all who are helping.

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