

# Highway 36 Church of Christ

March 26, 2023

## Theme Scripture for 2023

Come near to God and  
he will come near to you.  
James 4:8a

## Remember These in Your Prayers

Jen Blessing  
James & Sylvie Conner  
Johnny Hayhurst  
Leslie Heatley  
Brian King  
Connie Hayhurst Lee  
Paul McGuire family  
D'Anne Melton  
Sharon Perry  
Evrynn Smoot  
Garry Smoot  
LaJuanda Smoot  
Wanda Stayton & family  
Ashlynn Vogler  
Randy Yeaman  
Our shut-in members



Sharon Perry, Kera Gardner  
and family on the passing of  
Sharon's mother last  
Sunday.

Brian King and family on the  
passing of his father,  
Clarence. His funeral service  
was yesterday in Lawn.

Debbie Ake  
Bobby & Rhonda Beard's  
granddaughter, Georgia  
Steve Carroll  
Daphna Chrane's dad,  
Frank Owens  
Steve Ellis's cousin, LeeAnne  
Misty Ake Gutting  
Sarah Hunter's sister,  
Paula McCord and  
grandmother, Jeaneal Roper  
Christi King's school family  
friends; Smith family  
Billie McElreath's sister,  
Virginia Roberts  
and Jimmie's brother, Ricky  
Eddie Moudy's brother Mark  
and sister Ann  
Roberta Neely's sister, Dicy  
Janie Smith's husband, Glenn  
and sister  
LaJuanda Smoot's sister,  
Tonya Moore  
Gary & Nancy Vannoy's  
son-in-law, Shae

## Welcome Visitors

We want to take a moment to extend a very warm  
welcome to everyone who's visiting us this morn-  
ing. 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:

### Spring is here!

Although the scissor-tail hasn't been spotted yet,  
the first thunderstorm of the season rolled through  
this past week. Did it wake you up? Maybe it woke  
your kids or animals up. Or did you just wake to see  
the mud and leaves on the ground the next morn-  
ing?

Often times, the sheer noise and brightness of the  
storms can be scary. It's a force that can not be  
stopped and it's completely out of our control. The  
animals usually know it's coming before we do.  
Sometimes our joints tell us it's coming. We are  
sleeping peacefully one minute and the next we are  
startled out of bed by a boom of thunder - and if you  
have young kids they are launching themselves into  
your bed seconds afterwards!

John's Revelation vividly describes the throne in  
heaven:

*...there before me was a throne in heaven with  
someone sitting on it. And the one who sat there  
had the appearance of jasper ad carnelian. A rain-  
bow, resembling an emerald, encircled the  
throne...From the throne came flashes of lightning,  
rumblings and peals of thunder....(4:2-5)*

Perhaps we have fear in us because we fear the  
incredible noise of the storm.

Perhaps we have fear in us because we fear the  
destruction the storm can do.

Perhaps we have fear in us because our soul knows  
the sounds of Home.

There is a business meeting today in the Fel-  
lowship Hall at 5:00 p.m. for elders and dea-  
cons. Anyone is welcome to attend that  
would like to know more about the Lord's  
ministries through His family here at Hwy. 36.

## Hwy. 36

### 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  
New Testament Lessons

#### Classroom #6

Greg Melton/Steve Ellis  
For College and Young  
Professionals

### Wednesday Night

#### Auditorium

Various Men  
Digging Deeper into NT

## Greeters Today

Robert & Lori Oglesby  
Seyla Blessing

## Men Serving This Morning

Song Leader: Billy Berny

### Lord's Supper

Chase Fortune, D.D. Southall,  
Blake Tidwell, Monty Ellis,  
Cory Wilsher, TJ Hunter

Ushers: Trent and Cody Gee  
Reading/Prayer: Scott Thompson  
Sermon: Greg Melton  
Giving Baskets:  
Johnny Hayhurst, Barret Wilson,  
Carson Southall, Miles Wilsher  
Closing Prayer: Garry Smoot

## Men Serving Tonight

### Worship in Song

Song Leader: Gatlin Broyles  
Invitation: Steve Ellis  
Closing Prayer: Johnny Hayhurst  
Communion: Darrell Conway

## Men Serving This Wednesday

Announce/Prayer: Jim Kimbrell  
The youth will lead a devotional in  
the auditorium.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

TODAY—Monthly Fellowship Dinner after morning worship.  
 TODAY—Business Meeting at 5:00 in the Fellowship Hall  
 April 16—VBS Planning Meeting at 4:30 in the Fellowship Hall  
 April 24—Men's Area-Wide Fellowship at Jim Ned Valley church of Christ from 6-8 p.m.



*7th through 12th Grades*

March 26—Youth Devo in the home of Brady and Glenda Broyles.  
 April 2—Game Day  
 April 16—Youth Devo  
 April 30—Game Day  
 May 7—Youth Devo  
 May 21—Game Day

### Today after Morning Worship!



Gathering around a table for a meal is the best way to build relationships, so we hope **EVERYONE** will bring a dish or two and enjoy quality time with your church family!

## Youth Devotional

The devo is at Brady and Glenda's home right after fellowship dinner today. The youth are encouraged to bring a change of clothes and can hang out at our house until evening worship. Parents are welcome to stay as well, but don't have to.

### Ladies Bible Class

- ◇ Tuesday at 10 a.m.
- ◇ We will be finishing the last chapter in the "Live Faithfully" book, pgs. 290-293
- ◇ Bring a dish for a potluck lunch.

### Attention Men!

For those who take part in leading singing, praying, reading scripture, or teaching during the public worship services in the auditorium—it is **VERY IMPORTANT** that you be at a microphone or use a lapel microphone.

We have several who aren't able to physically attend the worship service and watch on Facebook Live. They cannot hear if you are not using a microphone. Thank you so much for your help with this matter.

### Christian Homes of Abilene

During the month of April we will be collecting the following items to support the women and families being ministered to at Christian Homes. There is a collection box in the foyer to put your donations in. Thanks in advance for your help!

Q tips	Body Lotion
Preparation H	Toothpaste
Razors	Deodorant
Body wash	Body Spray
Shampoo/conditioner	Toilet Paper
Maxi pads	Dishwashing Soap
Ladies Socks	Kleenex
Laundry Detergent	



TODAY—D'Anne Melton  
 TODAY—Barret Wilson  
 March 27—Austin Barton  
 March 28—Emily McGuire

### Invitations to Ladies Day's

Cisco church of Christ is hosting a retreat at Lake Cisco Christian Camp in Cisco Friday, April 21 beginning at 4:30 and ending Saturday at 1:00 p.m. Guest speaker is Dr. Sandra Hazelip.

Pearl Street church of Christ is having a Ladies Day titled, "Singing in the Rain" on Saturday, April 22nd from 8:30-1:00 p.m.

Flyers with more information and sign up sheets are on the table in the foyer.

### Let's Bless the Blessing Family!

While Jen is recovering from emergency appendectomy surgery, you are encouraged to help the family with meals. You may go to this Meal Train link to sign up: <https://www.mealtrain.com/trains/qnl719/>

### 2023 Budget Information

2023 Budget Total—\$348,115  
 Weekly Contribution Goal—\$6568.00  
 Year-to-date Contribution Avg.—\$6016.34  
 Contribution Previous Sunday—\$5276.00  
 Year-to-date Actual Contribution—\$72,196.09

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