

Highway 36 Church of Christ

January 28,
2024

Theme Scripture for 2024

"Not that I have already obtained it or have already become perfect, but I press on so that I may lay hold of that for which also I was laid hold of by Christ Jesus."
Philippians 3:14

**GO THE
DISTANCE**

Remember These in Your Prayers

Steve, Cathy & Ashley Carroll
James and Carolynn Conner
Judy Smoot Gibbs
E.B. Gray
Johnny Hayhurst
Leslie Heatley
Roberta Neely & family
Glenn Smith
Tommy Smith
LaJuanda Smoot
Rusty Smoot
Larry Yeaman
Randy Yeaman
Our youth
Our elders

Jan Windham's aunt, Jo Mitchell
Tammie King's friend,
Teresa Turner
Greg Melton's cousin,
Steve Potter
Daughter of Glenn and Janie
Smith, Sara Montes
Eddie & Beth Moudy's
great nephew Timothy Moudy
Daphna's aunt, Wendy Densman
Billie McElreath's sister, Virginia
Ashley Carroll's baby step-
sister, Phoenix
Lowell Johnson
Cindy Brown's sister,
Christy Ford
Tanner Vogler
Drew & Jen Blessings friend,
Jacob Moore
Neighbor of Melton's,
Robert Grant
Fran Sooter
Olan Beard
Terri Childers
Cisco church of Christ
Ann Gee's brother, Lloyd Dale
Roberta Neely's cousin,
Samuel Lyons
Melinda Miller's daughter,
Regina Cooper
Daphna Chrane's dad,
Frank Owens
Brian King's uncle,
Jimmy Mullins

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.



Our beloved sister in Christ, Sylvie Conner, left this earthly life this past Friday morning to spend eternity with our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. What a light James and Carolynn shone for all of us as they cared for her to the very end. Please pray for them and all the family in this time of mourning.

The funeral will be in Kermit, Texas under the direction of Family Service Funeral Parlor. The burial will be at Rankin Cemetery in Rankin, TX where many of Sylvie's family are laid to rest. The service will be Wednesday or Thursday. We will let everyone know for sure Monday by email.

From the shepherd's pen:

Mercy is the decision of God not to punish us. But grace is the decision of God to save and bless us.

Titus 2:11-14 New International Version:
"For the grace of God has appeared that offers salvation to all people. It teaches us to say "No" to ungodliness and worldly passions, and to live self-controlled, upright and godly lives in this present age, while we wait for the blessed hope—the appearing of the glory of our great God and Savior, Jesus Christ, who gave himself for us to redeem us from all wickedness and to purify for himself a people that are his very own, eager to do what is good.

What do we learn from God's grace? Grace teaches us to say no to ungodliness and worldly passions. But it teaches us to say yes to a life of self-control and yes to an upright and godly life right now. We must be grounded in our faith and know He is coming back for us and what was done by Jesus was to redeem us as His people. We find it does matter how we live today and to be doing good. May we be so ever grateful for the grace of God. How do we demonstrate that gratitude? Because grace teaches us.

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Meeting Times

This Week

Sunday A.M.

Bible Class at 10:00
Worship at 11:00

Sunday P.M.

Worship in Song at 6:00

Wednesday P.M.

Youth led Devotionals at 7:00

Adult Bible Classes

Sunday Morning

Auditorium

Terry Chrane
Book of Romans

Classroom #6

Greg Melton/Steve Ellis
For College and Young
Professionals

Wednesday Night

Auditorium

Greg Melton—Revelation

Greeters for January

Royce & Donna Lee Lawrence

Men Serving This Morning

Song Leader: Billy Berry

Lord's Supper

Communion Thoughts &
Prayer: Steve Ellis

Chase Fortune, Drew Blessing,
Blake Tidwell, Logan Wrinkle,
Robert Waggoner, Stephen Custred

Usher: Gatlin Broyles

Usher: Joe Snow

Reading/Prayer: Darrell Conway

Sermon: Greg Melton

Giving Baskets:

Gabe Blessing, Johnny Hayhurst,

Eli Tidwell, Barret Wilson

Closing Prayer: Claude Dutton

Men Serving This Evening

Worship in Song

Song Leader: Billy Berry

Closing Prayer: Johnny Hayhurst

Communion: Greg Elston

Serving This Wednesday

Youth led Devotionals

UPCOMING EVENTS

TODAY—Area Wide Singing at Hillcrest church of Christ in Abilene at 2:00 p.m.
 Jan. 30—Ladies Bible Class and potluck lunch.
 Jan. 31—Youth led devotionals at 7:00 p.m.
 Feb. 11—Sweetheart Banquet in the Fellowship Hall after morning worship.
 Feb. 18—Business Meeting at 5:00



Larry Yeaman desires to place membership at Hwy 36. He is Randy's brother and has moved here from Waxahachie. He is in Wisteria Place Nursing and Rehab in room 413. A directory page will be available soon.

Ladies Bible Class
 Tuesday, January 30th at 10:00 A.M.

Watch Week 4 Video Teaching to complete Armor of God pages 92 & 93 and then read several pages of "My Father's Shoes."

Bring a potluck dish for lunch after class and enjoy fellowship with your Christian sisters!

This Wednesday Night!

The youth will be leading us in a time of devotion at 7:00.

Males will meet in the auditorium.

Females gather in the fellowship hall.

There will be no regular classes for kindergarten and up so they can be inspired and learn about God from our older youth!

Area Wide Singing and Fellowship at Hillcrest church of Christ, Abilene, Texas.

TODAY!
 Jan. 28,
 2:00 p.m.

We hope to fill our auditorium with Praise and Worship that day!

Join Us!!

Sweetheart Banquet
 Sunday, February 11th

This is a special banquet to honor our widows and widowers who have lost their special loved one. The banquet will be in the Fellowship Hall right after our morning worship service. Everyone is invited and encouraged to bring your extra special dishes and desserts. There is a signup sheet in the foyer for you to sign up to escort one of our sweethearts. As an escort we would like for you to sit with them during worship and at the banquet and get your picture made with the honoree. Valentine sacks will be in the foyer after class on Wednesday, February 7th for everyone to put cards and small gifts in.

Our Honorees

<i>Monna Rae Bruce</i>	<i>Shirley Martin</i>
<i>Cindy Chrane</i>	<i>Chuck Miller</i>
<i>Pat Chrane</i>	<i>Roberta Neely</i>
<i>James Conner</i>	<i>Frank Owens</i>
<i>Margaret Ellis</i>	<i>Linda Parker</i>
<i>Glenn Freeman</i>	<i>Joe Roy</i>
<i>Ann Gee</i>	<i>Tommy Smith</i>
<i>Judy Smoot Gibbs</i>	<i>LaJuanda Smoot</i>
<i>E.B. Gray</i>	<i>Raleigh Sorenson</i>
<i>Bettye Hayhurst</i>	<i>Iona Southall</i>
<i>Wilma Lawrence</i>	<i>Wanda Stayton</i>
<i>Connie Hayhurst Lee</i>	

Several honorees have been added since published in last Sunday's newsletter.



TODAY—Bodie Broyles
 Jan. 29—Jeff Barton
 Jan. 29—Carla Biehl
 Jan. 29—Glenn Freeman
 Jan. 31—Charly King
 Feb. 2—Billy Berny

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 Collections

Please donate towel sets for use by the young women they are ministering to. A towel set consists of a large towel, hand towel and wash cloth. There is a donation tub in the foyer for you to put towels in through the end of February.

Thanks!

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

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