

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**TODAY Important Awaken Parent Meeting** immediately following AM Services in the annex.

**TODAY Camp Texoma Staff Meeting/Training** in the gym @ 12:30 PM

**Jul 28-31 5:45-8:00 pm Vacation Bible School:** Our Theme this year is "Athens - Paul's dangerous Journey to Share the Truth". Please see Kristi Bailey if you are interested in helping with this great community event.

### Sympathy

**Charles Paslay** passed away on May 14. A memorial is being planned. Will publish details as soon as they come available.

**Huelyn Duvall** passed away on May 15. Visitation will be today, 4-6 PM at White's here in Springtown. His Funeral Service will be Monday, May 20, 2 PM also at White's.

**Reception:** You are invited to celebrate **Glen & Carol Laminack's 50th Wedding Anniversary** on **Sunday, May 26 2-4 pm** in the annex with a come and go reception. No gifts please.

**Colleges Graduates:** We'd like to recognize and announce those graduating from college this spring. Please notify the office and we will include their names.

## UPWORDS

### Becoming Jesus

We all had childhood misconceptions -- things we were very sure of, that turned out to be merely the product of too much imagination and too few facts.

I had more than my share. That the flickering light through the vents from the church basement was actually the fires of hell. That after your prayers at night, a couple of good bangs on the floor would hurt the devil. That if everybody closed their eyes real tight when they prayed, God was actually, physically present (but of course he went invisible again if anyone opened their eyes). It goes on.

But there's one that still makes a little sense.

I thought every time we took communion, we turned into Jesus. Think about it: every Sunday, we ate a piece of cracker that represented his body, and drank a tiny cup of juice that represented his blood. If we started early, lived long enough, and did that every Sunday, we would replace US with HIM. We would eventually BE Jesus.

Maybe that wasn't too far off. Paul said in I Corinthians 2:16 that we have "the mind of Christ," and in Galatians 6:17 he said, "I bear on my body the marks of Jesus." He even proclaimed, in Philippians 1:21, "For me to live is Christ, and to die is gain."

Now, of course, I know there's no magic in the cracker and the juice. But the Spirit of God does live inside us, and He does transform us, if we let him, re-creating us in the image of Christ. Paul tells us that eventually, that transformation will be complete.

"For our citizenship is in heaven. And we eagerly await a Savior from there, the Lord Jesus Christ, who, by the power that enables him to bring everything under his control, will transform our lowly bodies so that they will be like his glorious body." (Philippians 3:20-21)

See that? Jesus is the original Transformer. Maybe the kids are onto something.

Bob Buckel (bbuckel@gmail.com)

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

### Worship in Song

Byron Dial

698 - *I Love the Lord*

### Welcome & Announcements

### Prayer

Stan Stockstill

### Call to Worship: Called to Dream

Byron Dial

### Scripture

Taylor Bennington

Romans 12:4-8

### Prayer

Byron Dial

455 - *Lord We Come Before Thee Now*

\* *All in All*

50 - *Amazing Grace*

### Lord's Supper

Brandon Bryant	Kyler Wilson
Joe Coronado	Robert Johnson
Rudy Saldivar	Logan Gilbert
Rudy Saldivar, Jr.	David Bleakney

### Offering

Doyle Sisk	Ricky Lowe
Marshall Lowe	

388 - *Take Time to Be Holy*

### Sermon

"*Of Saints and Service!*"

David Bennett

\* *Take My Life*

### Vision of Ministry

Doug Bryant

### Prayer

Bill Bryant

## LESSON LINES

### Of Saints and Service

**Illustration:** The Lesson of the Sheet

**Case Study:** How did the woman's interaction with church impact you?

**Key Thought:** Effective ministry happens when each child of God utilizes his/her God-given gifts to meet present needs.

**Purpose of Today:** Help the congregation identify and link gifted individuals and processes to meet present needs and imagine future possibilities.

**Outside the Box:** Dream of new ministries being accomplished in new ways not yet considered.

**The Ministry of Equipping Saints to Serve.** Eph. 4:11-16; Acts 6:1-7; 1Cor. 12; Rom. 12; Mt. 25:31-46; 1Pet. 2:4-5

### Take Home:

1. What is needed for you to connect your gifts as you serve with others?
2. What do you dream of seeing God achieve through this church family in the coming years?

## PRAYER REQUESTS

**Sarah Bleakney** had a second iron infusion on Friday and is feeling some better. She will have a liver ultrasound on June 3<sup>rd</sup>.  
**Wanda Caddell** has shingles in her eye.  
**Dale Cleveland** remains at Select Specialty Hospital in Carrollton, Rm. 142. Visitors are welcome Monday, Wednesday, Friday, & Sunday. He is taking dialysis the other days.  
**Bette Hall** (Ray's mom) remains at Weatherford Healthcare Center and is in Rm. 410 (521 W. 7th St.)  
**Janet Hawkins** (Kimberly Vick's mom) is battling critical health issues at this time.  
**Joyce Smith** (mom of Brandon Smith, dear friend of the Buckel's) is on hospice care with cancer at this time.  
**Duane Casey, Patsy Draper, Reese Isenhower, Cynthia Newby, Tony Pearson, Jim Rose** (friend of Byron & Linda Miller),  
**Sam Winkler** (Cindy Webb's dad)

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### YOUTH CONNECTION

**June 2** Summer Grubbin' Swimming, Lunch & Devo  
**June 23-29** Awaken Colorado Trip  
**June 30** NEXUS Vans leave @ 6:30 pm & return @ 9:30 pm. Singing, snacks, & games with other youth congregations in the area.  
**Jul 14-18** Youth Summer Camp "Immanuel" @ Camp Texoma Sign-ups are under way! Go to [www.scocox.org](http://www.scocox.org) to sign up today and reserve your spot!

#### Birthday & Anniversary

##### May

- 19 - Shirley & Marshall Lowe
- 20 - Lacey & Sawyer Cooper
- 21 - Pat & Eldon Bird
- 22 - Mozell Davis  
Courtney & Chaise Cooper
- 23 - Mia Saldivar
- 24 - Carol & Glen Laminack
- 25 - Linda Miller  
Rylee Rogers
- 26 - Tammy & Brett Cheatham
- 27 - Tiffanie Lambert  
Paula Lunsford
- 28 - Carol Adams
- 30 - Chase Hall  
Zach Hall  
Ken Roe  
Mari Saldivar  
Sean South

##### Records 2019

Bible Class.....168  
 Worship .....350  
 Weekly Budget .....\$7,934  
 Contribution.....\$4,947  
 Baptisms .....2

##### Daily Bible Reading

1 Samuel 21, 1 Samuel 22, 1 Samuel 23,  
 1 Samuel 24, 1 Samuel 25, Psalm 18

##### Worship Times

Bible Class .....9:30 am  
 Morning Worship .....10:30 am  
 Building Life Group .....5:00 pm  
 Wednesday Bible Study.....7:00 pm  
 Tuesday Ladies Bible Class...10:00 am

You will find a yellow prayer request sheet in the foyer, for a continued list of church family and friends in need of prayer. Please contact the church office with any updates.

##### Bible Classes for All Ages

Cradle Roll A (0-18 mo)...S. Hall Room 15  
 Cradle Roll B (18-24 mo)...S. Hall Room 11  
 2, 3 & 4 yr old .....N. Hall Room 6  
 Pre K & K.....N. Hall Room 2  
 1 & 2 Grade.....N. Hall Room 4  
 3 & 4 Grade.....N. Hall Room 7  
 5 & 6 Grade.....N. Hall Room 3  
 Jr High & High School.....Ministry Building  
 Young & Old.....W. Side of Annex  
 Family Matters .....Ministry Building  
 Mixed Age .....Auditorium

#### Online Giving Now Available

You can give your offering online. You can also schedule regular contributions.

We are partnering with [Givielify](http://Givielify.com) to make this possible. To use your phone, download the app.



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#### VISITORS WELCOME!

We are glad you have come our way. We would like to have record of your attendance. Please fill out a yellow registration card and place it in the contribution tray as it passes this morning. Also, we have a gift for you today as you exit, please be sure to stop by the information desk in the foyer. You may go to [www.scocox.org](http://www.scocox.org) for more church information.

ALL are welcome to use the back of the registration card for prayer requests or general communication.