

2500 Parrish Street, Waco, TX 76705

Building a community of Faith, Hope and Love; Where people meet Jesus and learn to walk with Him.

Schedule of Services: Bible Class 9:30am; AM Worship 10:30; PM Worship 6:00; PM Wednesday 6:00

Date: Sunday, May 13, 2018

Whiter Than Snow

"'Come now, and let us reason together,' Says the LORD, 'Though your sins are as scarlet, They will be as white as snow; Though they are red like crimson, They will be like wool" (Isaiah 1:18).

Can you imagine something whiter than snow? I can't think of anything more impressively clean and bright than a fresh falling of snow covering everything in sight on a crisp winter morning. The deeper the snow the more it covers and the cleaner it looks. Then, before you know it, the road clearing equipment appears and you see dark streaks, black ice, and footprints dotting the once perfect landscape.

The Lord offers to cleanse us as white as that snow. He promises to blot out our sins and remember them no more. From scarlet to white is a radical journey; God can make that happen in the blink of an eye. But, just as quickly, we tend to ruin that first snow with dark streaks of sin. The beautiful thing about being God's child is that he gracefully sends another snowstorm to blot out those mistakes as well. Christ's blood covers a multitude of sins if he knows that our hearts are committed to him. Like David, we must pray for cleansing when we mar the pure white snowfall of God's Grace.

"Purify me with hyssop, and I shall be clean; Wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow." (Psalm 51:7)

Thoughts from Chris Wheat

In Me You May Have Peace

Introduction (John 16:1-33)						
Preparing for can be like wrestling with God (Gen. 32:22-32).						
Chapters 13-17 are much more exchanges, with deeper concerns.						
Discussion						
I.	the Holy Spirit (16:5-15)					
	A apostles? (16:7)					
	B.	Discussion about the Holy Spirit often becomes and divisive.				
	C. All teaching on the Spirit should be with two realities					
II.	II. Do Not Expect a Relationship (16:16-22)					
	A. Some statements that confused the early disciples are to us					
	B.	Are we staying bound in the physical or moving on to the!				
III.	I. Pray in My (16:23-28)					
	A.	After the death, burial, and resurrection, language worked (16:25)!				
	B. Once they understood the they would know how to ask!					
IV.	IV in Me (16:29-32)					
	A.	"Believe" is the key word in John's Gospel, the (20:30-31).				
	B.	Jesus questioned their faith; He knew they weren't (16:32).				
	C. John confronts us again: Do we believe?					
V.	My Peace (16:33)					
	A.	All the warnings, predictions, and promises were to give disciples				
	B.	Jesus does not promise free lives, but peace filled lives (Phil. 4:7).				
Conclusion						
We face unexpected troubles and are tempted to lose in God						
Jesus words can prepare us for whatever we will face (Mt. 6:25-34).						

SYMPATHY

Glen Crain, friend of Darrell Turman, passed away and the funeral was Saturday in McGregor. The family has no insurance. If you would like to make a donation send it to Crain Children's Fund c/o Nancy Potts 10013 Forest View Woodway, Tx 76712

PRAYER REQUESTS

Terry Tennyson Wiggins, friend of the Pearson's, had her last radiation treatment on Wednesday, May 9th.

Ogden Primeaux, Felicia Scott's dad, passed away Thursday, May 10th.

Lukas Summers will have tubes put in his ears on Tuesday morning, May 15th.

PRAY FOR

>Terry Wiggins, Ed St Claire, Danny Paschal, Ever Johnson, Larry Havard Sr. Joyce Ross, Cotton & Charlotte Lindloff; Arthur Mae Maloy; Shela Havard, Lottie Washington. David Banda, Dick & Barbra Decker, Ed Frields, David Anderson, Karen Freyer, Bea Stewart, Sherlynn Erwin, Karen McKenzie, Glenda Tynes, Wendell Davis, Ronnie McDaniel, Kim Bond, Leo Kirkland, James Lewis, Ronnie Branstetter, Emma Greenawalt, Eve Rasberry, Gene & Bobbie Southerland, Betty Mars, Horace Litton, Jane & Sam Munn, Jackson Pratka, Charlotte Griffin, Lorene Allen, Tyran Williams, Donna Blahuta, Karen Weaver, Joe Cook, Joyce Cunningham (cancer), Dixie Frost, Kim Bledsoe (cancer) Tommy Cross (cancer), Sherril Polansky (cancer), Cora & Sonny Gore, Mark Hardwick, Joey Primeaux, Gary McDaniel.

OUR SHUT-INS

The Atrium of Bellmead Betty Johnson, Ruby & Billy Evans

Lake Shore Estates Eugenia Olson

MAY BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Nancy Sturdivant (13) Aubrey Minchew (18) Steve Moore (21) Truman Burrow (28) Martha Trevino (28) Kristin Fedro (29)

OTHER NEWS

All Ladies interested in helping prepare finger foods for the singing on Saturday, May 19th please meet today at 5:00, right before evening services.

Men's Service Sheets are on the table in the foyer.

Wednesday night meal will be Casseroles at 5:30pm. Sign-up sheet on the table.

DATES TO REMEMBER

May 13th Mothers Day!

May 18th – 20th Bellmead Church of Christ will be having a gospel meeting. Flyer on the board in the foyer.

May 19th area wide singing here at 5pm. Finger foods will be served.

May 22nd Youth devotional at 6pm. (How We Got the Bible) with Chris Wheat.

May 27th Pot Luck after morning worship.

May 27th Singing at The Atrium of Bellmead at 1pm

May 27th No evening services.

June 16th FAC reserved for Shela Havard.

June 17th-21st Bible Camp in Brady, Tx.

June 21st – 23rd Southside C of C in Coolidge,

Tx are having gospel meeting. Flyer on board.

June 24th Pot luck after morning worship.

June 24th Singing at The Atrium of Bellmead at 1pm.

June 24th No Evening Services.

July 14th FAC reserved for Kenny Willis.

July 29th Pot luck after morning worship.

July 29th Singing at The Atrium of Bellmead at 1pm.

July 29th No evening services.

August 4th FAC reserved to Kenny Willis.

August 26th Pot luck after morning worship.

Children ages 2-7 are invited to the front of the auditorium during the singing of Jesus Loves Me for children's time.



10:30 Assembly

Welcome

Song Order:

31 - Be Still and Know 406 – Just a Closer Walk with Thee

Prayer: Johnny Henderson

Song Order:

480 – Blessed Assurance 113 – His Grace Reaches Me

Communion:

Nelson Moore Aubrey Minchew

Karl Helpert Mike Olson

Song Order:

679 - Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus **1014 - "Jesus Loves Me"**

Children go to the front of the auditorium.

Song Order:

479 - Peace. Perfect Peace

Sermon by Chris Wheat

"In Me You May Have Peace"

Invitation Song

517 - Heaven Came Down

(Opportunity for responses to the message)

Closing Prayer: Ernest Turman

If you are visiting with us we extend you a warm welcome!

	Week of	<u>Monthly</u>
	<u>May 6</u>	<u>Average</u>
Bible Class	<u>60</u>	<u>58</u>
AM Worship	<u>99</u>	<u>104</u>
PM Worship	<u>40</u>	<u>26</u>
Wednesday PM	<u>54</u>	<u>46</u>
Contribution	\$2,803	\$3,296

Northside Leadership			
<u>Elders</u>	<u>Deacons</u>		
Phil Bancale	Randy Eubank		
Chris Borland	Karl Helpert		
Aubrey Minchew			
Nelson Moore			
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Chris Wheat	Chris Borland		
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Words of Wisdom



The loveliest masterpiece of the heart of God is the heart of a mother. (*The Love of A Godly Mother*)