

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

SUNDAY

Bible Study 9:30 A.M.  
Worship 10:30 A.M.  
Evening 6:00 P.M.

WEDNESDAY

Ladies Bible Class 10 A.M.  
(September-May)  
Bible Study 6:30P.M.

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SUNDAY

January 21, 2021

ASSIGNMENTS AM

WELCOME..... Eric Mullins  
SONG LEADER..... Ronald Carson  
OPENING PRAYER..... John Seeley

LORD'S SUPPER:

1st PRAYER..... Jimmy Gilliam  
2nd PRAYER..... Jace Terrell  
3rd PRAYER..... Drake Hill  
Austin Niblett..... Ois Kennington  
Alex Wooten..... Jessie Jordan  
Brian Williams

CLOSING PRAYER.....

Mark White

COMPUTER OPERATOR:

Boyd Clary

THOSE SERVING COMMUNION ARE ASKED TO WEAR A MASK. IF YOU DO NOT HAVE ONE IT WILL BE PROVIDED.

NO EVENING SERVICE

FOOD COMMITTEE

December, January & February  
Betty Boyd & Diane Smith

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# THE FAMILY BULLETIN

Daingerfield Church of Christ

"You are always welcome"

Volume 52

Thursday, January 21, 2021

Number 3

"They know more about me than I do."

Has anyone ever asked you how you are doing, and your response was "I'm not sure, ask such and such, they know more about my life than I do"? Gossip hurts. We probably have been victims of gossip before and unfortunately sometimes maybe ourselves have been caught up in gossip. May the Lord help us to heed the warnings in His Word and not give ears to gossip. You may have noticed a brother or sister who begins to act differently around you, perhaps gives a look that was not so nice, or uses avoiding tactics, or just is not plain friendly to you because of gossip that may have been heard. How do you feel when gossiped about, how do you feel when your children or grandchildren have been gossiped about? It is no fun, and we need to protect ourselves from it and understand the danger. Proverbs 16:28 says "Troublemakers start fights; gossips break up friendships." The real question is "How can I keep myself from falling into the trap of gossip" The first thing that needs to be done is not to give an ear to gossip. Proverbs 26:22 says, "Listening to gossip is like eating cheap candy; do you want junk like that in your belly?" It not only fuels the gossip when we listen but brings destruction on ourselves. We need to be sure that we do not add fuel to the gossip or for the gossiper. Proverbs 26:20 says, "When you run out of wood, the fire goes out; when the gossip ends, the quarrel dies down." Let us all do what we can to allow gossip to die down. We need to guard ourselves as well against wanting to listen to gossip. For instance, you see two people talking, thinking what they are talking about, you try to get close to overhear a little bit just to keep in the "know" and hear bits and pieces. Most tv show comedies are written about people who hear bits and pieces of conversations, or what they saw that led them to believe something and feel the need to share with others. Ecclesiastes 7:21-22 notes "Don't eavesdrop on the conversation of others. What if the gossip's about you and you'd rather not hear it? You've done that a few times, haven't you—said things Behind someone's back you wouldn't say to his face?" There is also a noticeably big warning in Ecc. 10:20 "don't bad-mouth your leaders, not even under your breath?" We need to be incredibly careful what we think and what we say. "Little birds drop the crumbs of gossip far and wide" Ec. 10:20

Let us find a better use for our tongue and not give into the sin of gossip. Ephesians 5:3-4 "Though some tongues just love the taste of gossip, those who follow Jesus have better uses for language than that. Don't talk dirty or silly. That kind of talk doesn't fit our style. Thanksgiving is our dialect." The verses used today come from the Message version. God bless you, Keep fired up in the Lord, Mark.

P.S. Don't be thinking too much, I am not writing this because of some known gossip. I myself need to be reminded. 😊

**PRAYING FOR THE SICK**

Charlie Thompson has improved from COVID. His brother Dean, is still hospitalized in Tyler in ICU. He is having complications from COVID Nancy Thompson was diagnosed with COVID and seems to be improving. Joyce Ethridge, mother of our Terry Lee, has tested positive for COVID. Guan Blackerby is hospitalized in the Dallas area with an infection. Shontele Purdy has improved enough to return to work. Cynthia Gibbs is improving. Please continue your prayers for Floyd Currey. Continue prayers for Robert Veale. Continue your prayers for Emma Martin. Wanda Purdy's eye has improved some. She went to the specialist on Tuesday. Gayle Park, a friend of our Wanda Purdy, is hospitalized with COVID and very sick. She lives in Frankston.. Please pray for the following: Faye Alford, Thelma Awtry, Loyd Banks, Mike Banks, Nelda Banks, Carla Barnes, Frank Barrett, Gwen Barton, Bettye Brantley, Billy Carlson, Jean Cook, Desiree Corbello, Colby Cox, Maggie Cox, James Dailey, Milton Ercanbrack, Jill Fender, Dee Frankford, Terry Fuller, Faye Galloway, Kenia Gibbs, Cynthia Gibbs, Scarlett Gibbs, Betty Grainger, Norman Harrell, Don & Madron Hartley, Angie Helms, Laura Hill, Patti Holt, Tommy Huchingson, David Ingram, David Ingram, Jr., Corrine Jacobsen, Barbie Kirkland, Setsuka Lee, T.C. Love, Emma Martin, Mary Moss, Diann Mueller, Will Parks, Erin, Laura & Opal Pate, Will Pendergrass, Gary Polan, Colleen Prah, Lloyd Puckett, Shontele Purdy, Wanda Purdy, Jerry Ray Rosewell, Jerry Rosewell, Vonnie Ross, Jeffery Sweet, Jeremy Sweet, Julia Sweet, Royce Sweet, Hilda Tietz, Maren Turner, Kathy Upton, David Waldon, Bobbie Walker, Jerry Walker, Mark White, Melba Williams .

**LOVE & SYMPATHY**

We offer our love & sympathy to the family of Peggy Pinson. A private graveside service was held on Wednesday at the West Mt. Cemetery in Gilmer. She was the mother of our Darlene Ayers. Please pray for all the family.

**OUR LOVE & SYMPATHY**

We extend our love & sympathy to the family of Kathy Merritt. She passed from complications of COVID on Monday morning in a Baton Rouge Hospital. Graveside services were held on Wednesday in Natchez, MS. She was the sister of our Wanda Purdy and aunt of our Penny Purdy. Please pray for the family.

Do not be afraid," Samuel replied. "You have done all this evil; yet do not turn away from the LORD, but serve the LORD with all your heart.

[1 Samuel 12:20](#)

**LOVE & SYMPATHY**

Our love & sympathy is extended to the family of our Kathy Thompson. She passed from this life Wednesday night from COVID complications in Mt. Pleasant. Kathy was a vital member of this church family for many years along with her husband, Charlie and will be sorely missed. Services are pending. Please pray for Charlie, Tim & Nancy and all of her family.

**NEW ADDRESS & PHONE NUMBERS**

- Guan Blackerby-% Alegro Assisted Living, 3417 Cross Bend Rd., Plano, TX 75023
- Joe Terrell-903-767-1490-Cell
- Denis Sutherland-903-235-0239-Cell

**PEANUT BUTTER**

Thanks for bringing the peanut butter for our benevolence room. We received over 100 jars and counting! Again, thank you for your generous & caring spirit.

**NOTE OF APPRECIATION**

We have received a note from Jerry Walker thanking us for everything that was done for him at the passing of his wife, Waldine, and his son, Kerry. The note is located on the bulletin board in the foyer.

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"Sorry, that doesn't apply to your mother."  
Bill and Jeff Keane

**YOUTH**

**SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE**

**CLASS:**

*STUDYING: Attitude Adjustment*



*TIME: 9:30. Hope to see you Sunday!*

**WEDNESDAY EVENING BIBLE**

**CLASS**

*STUDYING: The Book of James*

*TIME: 6:30. Hope to see you!*

THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
21 Bulletin	22 Justin Whitebread <b>HAPPY BIRTHDAY!</b>	23 Vonnice Ross Happy Birthday!	24	25 Elders Meet Stephanie Blackmon Walter Mars 	26 Walter Cox 	27 Norma Brock Leah Niblett Happy Birthday!