

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

May 9, 2021

ASSIGNMENTS

WELCOME..... Charlie Thompson
SONG LEADER..... Tim Gibbs
OPENING PRAYER..... Greg Gant
LORD'S SUPPER:
1st PRAYER..... Ois Kennington
2nd PRAYER..... Austin Niblett
3rd PRAYER..... Chris Mays
Jeremy Phillips..... Brandon Green
Jace Terrell..... Ben Hensel
Boyd Clary

CLOSING PRAYER..... Jimmy Gilliam

COMPUTER OPERATOR:

Joe Terrell

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

NO EVENING SERVICE

FOOD COMMITTEE

March, April & May
Betty Boyd & Diane Smith

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"You are always welcome"

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Happy Mother's Day! We can learn from you. There are certain verses that come to my mind when thinking about Mother's Day. I would like to share these verses with you and see qualities that we can learn from illustrations of mothers in the Bible. All verses are from the NASB 1995.

The first verse that comes to my mind is Paul when talking to the church in Thessalonica says **"But we [h]proved to be [i]gentle [j]among you, as a nursing mother [k]tenderly cares for her own children. 8 Having so fond an affection for you, we were well-pleased to impart to you not only the gospel of God but also our own [l]lives, because you had become [m]very dear to us."** (1 Thess. 2:7-8) He is writing to recent converts to Christ and uses the figure of a mother to describe the qualities we should have in dealing with those new in Christ. The words he uses here such as gentle, nursing mother tenderly caring for needs of her children, having an affection beyond words, and sharing life moments. Mothers can certainly teach us a lot of how we should treat one another.

The second verse that comes to mind is from Jesus when He is entering for the last time into Jerusalem before His crucifixion and resurrection. He says, **"How often I wanted to gather your children together, the way a hen gathers her chicks under her wings"** (Mt. 23:37b) Coffman comments **"The reference to a hen and chickens is one of the tenderest, commonest, and most appealing figures Jesus ever used."** According to a poultry website they tell of a Roman historian Plutarch and what he said about the mother hen. It reads **"In the first century AD, the Roman historian Plutarch praised the many ways in which mother hens cherish and protect their chicks, "drooping their wings for some to creep under, and receiving with joyous and affectionate clucks others that mount upon their backs or run up to them from every direction; and though they flee from dogs and snakes if they are frightened only for themselves, if their fright is for their children, they stand their ground and fight it out beyond their strength."** Certainly, we should learn to rejoice with one another and stand up for one another. Another great example.

The third verse that comes to mind is from Mary when people would come to talk about her child. The verse says, **"Mary treasured all these things, pondering them in her heart."** (Luke 2:19). Knowing the challenges that she would face from the time of her pregnancy and seeing her Son on the cross and subsequent joy of knowing he raised from the dead. We pray for all the mothers who have had to face all kinds of challenges, you are loved and may God's love strengthen and comfort your hearts.

Not just one verse; but the story of Hannah in First Samuel Chapter One, and how her prayer of praise to the Lord in chapter two in dedicating her child to the Lord is immensely powerful. Think of all the women that were bringing their babies and children to Jesus to have Him bless them. They faced scrutiny before the eyes of many, but Jesus honored them by saying let the children come unto me. May we always bring before our God our children, our families, our church family, and the lost before the Lord so that they may know Him and receive the greatest blessing of all which is eternal life in Christ Jesus. God watch over all the mothers striving and dedicating their time and praying for their children. Let us all keep fired up and learn from them so that we praise the Lord in the things learned. Mark

PRAYING FOR THE SICK

John Traylor is to have his gallbladder removed today (Thursday) and also will be having biopsies on the tumors. He is in Baylor in Dallas. Please pray for Pam McCary, daughter of our Melba Williams and sister of our Johnny Williams, will have surgery in Longview on Friday. Gary McFerrin, father of Sheila Tucker Sapp, has prostate cancer and will undergo a bone scan & MRI on May 13. Please pray for him. Jane Prah remains in pain from pancreatitis. Bess Anna Bennett, mother of our Donna Mays, is recovering well from spine surgery. Continue prayers for our Emma Martin who continues to deal with cancer. Please continue prayers for Denise Maynard, niece of our Dick Maynard. She does have cancer. She lives in New Hampshire. Willie Coffey & Milton Ercanbrack remain under hospice care. Please pray for the following: Faye Alford, Bob Arnold, Loyd Banks, Mike Banks, Nelda Banks, Carla Barnes, Frank Barrett, Gwen Barton, Bess Anna Bennett, Maria Bockmon, Bettye Brantley, Billy Carlson, Willie Coffey, Jean Cook, Desiree Corbello, Colby Cox, Maggie Cox, James Dailey, Milton Ercanbrack, Jill Fender, Laura Beth Fossett, Terry Fuller, Faye Galloway, Cynthia Gibbs, Scarlett Gibbs, Betty Grainger, Norman Harrell, Angie Helms, Tommy Huchingson, David Ingram, David Ingram, Jr., Corrine Jacobsen, Setsuka Lee, Denise Maynard, Emma Martin, Doris Mitchell, Mary Moss, Diann Mueller, Will Parks, Will Pendergrass, Colleen Prah, Wanda Purdy, Jerry Rosewell, Vonnie Ross, Jeffery Sweet, Jeremy Sweet, Julia Sweet, Hilda Tietz, Maren Turner, Bobbie Walker, Jerry Walker, Mark White, Melba Williams.

LOVE & SYMPATHY

We offer our love & sympathy to the family of Kathy Upton, who passed from this life last Sunday after a battle with cancer. She was the niece of our Billie Traylor. Visitation will be held on Friday at Rader Funeral Home in Longview, from 6-8. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, May 8, at the Rader Funeral Home Chapel, 2:00. Please pray for all of the family.



Annah MacKay graduated last Friday from Texas A&M University/Commerce with a Masters Degree in Social Work. Also, Sheila Tucker Sapp graduated on Friday from Texas A&M University/Commerce with a BAAS.

Congratulations!



Ephesians 6:2-3 "**Honor your father and mother**" which is the first commandment with a promise "so that it may go well with you and that you may enjoy long life on the earth."

QUOTES ON MOTHERS

"Mom I know you've loved me as long as I've lived but I've loved you my whole life."

"Successful mothers are not the ones who have never struggled. They are the ones who never give up, despite the struggles."

"A Mother holds her child's hand for awhile, their heart forever!"

"There is more power in a mother's hand than in a king's scepter."

"A mother understands what a child does not say."

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PLEASE NOTE

If you are graduating from college please let the church office know ASAP!

Also, if you are graduating from high school or junior high we need your name also! Thanks!



SUMMER NETSYS DAYS

June 10—Eastridge (Rockwall)

July 15—Dine Tree (Longview)

August 5—Chandler St. (Kilgore)

9:00—7:30 Lunch and supper provided

These are one day NETSYS camp-like days.

THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
6 Bulletin Welton Walker <i>Happy Birthday!</i>	7	8 Kenia Gibbs 	9 Bible Classes 9:30 Worship 10:30 MOTHER'S DAY!	10 Alex Wooten <i>Happy Birthday!</i>	11	12 Bible Class 6:30