

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 3, 2021

ASSIGNMENTS AM

WELCOME..... Eric Mullins  
SONG LEADER..... Tim Gibbs  
OPENING PRAYER..... Ois Kennington

LORD'S SUPPER:

1st PRAYER..... Jimmy Gilliam  
2nd PRAYER..... Joe Terrell  
3rd PRAYER..... Alex Wooten  
Doug Mays..... Ronald Carson  
Ben Hensel..... Brandon Green  
Jeremy Phillips

CLOSING PRAYER..... Charlie Thompson

COMPUTER OPERATOR:

Johnny Williams

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 51

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## "2020 Hindsight"

Well, it's almost over. 2020. Who could have predicted a year ago, as we opened the page on a new year, what was going to unfold in 2020? A pandemic that included mass quarantining, the shutting down of businesses and of all things, a shortage of toilet paper! Civil unrest over social justice and equality that brought looting, demonstrations and hopefully understanding. A bitter election that brought division to this country that has not been seen since 1860. And then there were the personal tragedies. Illnesses, deaths and financial hardships. Yes, it was a truly difficult year.

Paul understood. In 2 Corinthians 4:8-10 he writes, "We are hard pressed on every side, but *not* crushed; perplexed, but *not* in despair; persecuted, but *not* abandoned; struck down, but *not* destroyed. We always carry around in our body the death of Jesus, so that the life of Jesus may also be revealed in our body."

Jesus told us that we are the "light of the world", "a city on a hill". Isn't it true that light shines the brightest when it is the darkest? While 2020 offered unique and difficult challenges, it also offered unique opportunities to let our light shine. Opportunities to display in our lives, attitudes, actions and words, the very nature of Christ. Opportunities to demonstrate our faith and trust in the God who loves us and provides for us. Opportunities to pour out our love and compassion to those around us. Again, without the darkness, the light struggles to shine.

Surely we think that 2021 has to be better. That's what we pray for. That's what we hope for. But, could it possibly not be the case? We live in a flawed, sin filled world. A world crushed under the consequences of sin and man's evil. But, as Christians, we have a hope that transcends this world and this place! A hope, not founded in the things of this life, but anchored in the grace and goodness of our God.

So while we may be hard pressed, perplexed, persecuted and struck down, we are NOT crushed, in despair, abandoned or destroyed. Not in fact we are "more than conquerors through Him who loves us."

May God bless us all in the upcoming year, and no matter what comes, may we "shine like stars in the universe".

- Tim

**PRAYING FOR THE SICK**

Continue your prayers for Sue Cox. Judy Caskey had a successful heart ablation before Christmas. Reese Hargrove has tested positive for Covid-19. Pray for a mild case for him. Please continue your prayers for Frank Barrett, Denis Sutherland & Jerry Walker who all recently lost their wives. Jerry also lost his son. Cynthia Gibbs continues to recover at home. Floyd Currey is having some health problems at this time. Milton Ercanbrack will have surgery on Tuesday, January 5th, to remove kidney stones. Please pray for success. Please continue your prayers for Emma Martin that her counts stay down. Jeana Christian is doing well after testing positive for Covid. Judie McGough has improved from having the Covid-19. Dalton Mixon, brother of Wanda Carson's grandchildren, is in serious condition. Please pray for him. Please pray for the following: Faye Alford, Thelma Awtry, Loyd Banks, Mike Banks, Nelda Banks, Carla Barnes, Frank Barrett, Gwen Barton, Bettye Brantley, Shyne Bright, Billy Carlson, Jean Cook, Desiree Corbello, Colby Cox, Maggie Cox, Sue 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, Will Pendergrass, Gary Pollan, 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**

Our love & sympathy is extended to the family of Alice Leonard who passed on December 23 from complications due to Covid. She was the aunt of our Wendy Loupee. Graveside services were held on Monday in Hughes Springs. Please pray for her family.

**LOVE & SYMPATHY**

We express our love & sympathy to the family of Mary Odom, who passed from this life on December 25. She was the mother of our Leonard Banks and grandmother of our Lloyd Banks. Graveside services were held on Monday. Please pray for all of the family.

**NOTES OF APPRECIATION**

Our church family received notes of appreciation from Eric & Bonnie Mullins and also from Janis Terrell. Please stop and read these cards on the bulletin board in the foyer.



- Jan. 3 Martha Bonds, Shelby Hunt
- Jan. 6 Lindsey Langford
- Jan. 7 Mike Gilmore
- Jan. 9 Gerald Hargrove
- Jan. 10 Evelyn Yarbrough
- Jan. 11 D.W. McClain, Joe Terrell, Madison Barrett
- Jan. 14 Doug Mays
- Jan. 15 Cindy Norsworthy, Adelyne Jo Niblett
- Jan. 17 Penny Purdy
- Jan. 18 Betty Boyd, Hunter Grant
- Jan. 19 Noah Anderson
- Jan. 22 Justin Whitebread
- Jan. 23 Vonnie Ross
- Jan. 25 Stephanie Blackmon, Walter Mars
- Jan. 26 Walter Cox
- Jan. 27 Norma Brock, Leah Niblett

**WHITE CHRISTMAS-A SUCCESS!**

Thanks to all of you who contributed to our White Christmas this year! We helped the Hi-Way 80 Rescue Mission in Longview. They were very appreciative of all that was donated.

**January**

| THURSDAY             | FRIDAY | SATURDAY | SUNDAY   | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY                       |
|----------------------|--------|----------|--|--------|---------|---------------------------------|
| 31<br>New Year's Eve | 1<br>  | 2        | 3<br>Bible Study 9:30<br>Worship 10:30<br><br>HAPPY BIRTHDAY!<br>Martha Bonds<br>Shelby Hunt | 4      | 5       | 6<br>Bible Classes 6:30<br><br> |

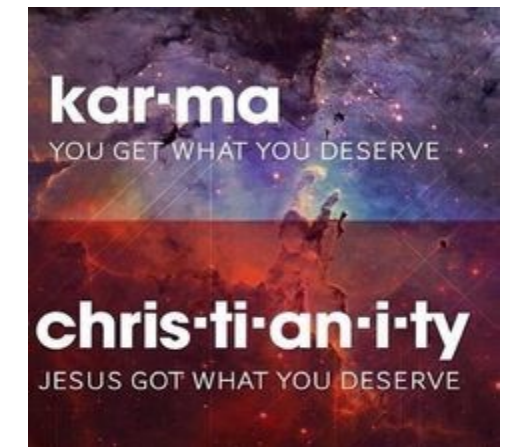
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.....with God all things are possible.”

*Matthew 19:26 NIV*

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**YOUTH**

*SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE*

*CLASS:*

*STUDYING: Attitude Adjustment.*

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