



Welcome To The Killeen Church of Christ!

"Let us hear the conclusion of the whole matter: Fear God, and keep His commandments: for this is the whole duty of man."-Ecclesiastes 12:13



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Abilene, TX*

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For Children
Stephenville, TX*

*Sunny Glen
Children's Home
San Benito, TX*

SERVICE SCHEDULE

SUNDAY BIBLE CLASS - 9:30 AM

SUNDAY WORSHIP - 10:30 AM

WEDNESDAY - 7:00 PM



June 19 - June 22

An Abundant Life

Killeen Church of Christ
2022 Summer Gospel Meeting

**DO TELL
DO INVITE
DO COME!**

Come And Hear The Gospel Of Christ Proclaimed!

Schedule of Speakers

- Sunday, June 19, 9:30 A.M. - "Reinforce My Foundation" - Cody Westbrook
- 10:30 A.M. - "Restore My Spirit" - Cody Westbrook
- Monday, June 20, 7:00 P.M. - "There's Nothing Wrong With My Church" - John Haffner
- Tuesday, June 21, 7:00 P.M. - "What Is Truth" - Al Washington
- Wednesday, June 22, 7:00 P.M. - "Blueprint for Church Growth" - Patrick Hammack

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Not a Party of One

By Phil McIntosh

Our Lord left the perfection and majesty of Heaven to live in a physical body like ours, do good works for those in need, live among the filth of our world, be disrespected and hated, and, ultimately, offer Himself for the transgressions of the collective sins of the world (*Jn. 1:14; Mk. 10:45; Is. 53:3; 1 Cor. 15:3*). If we had a thousand lifetimes to utter praises and thanks, there is no measure of gratitude we could possibly offer to our Lord Jesus for what He has done in reconciling us to our Father God. The reconciliation Jesus purchased for us is a blessing of the highest magnitude. There is yet another blessing our Lord afforded us though, which, ironically enough, He endured so that we didn't have to. When Jesus' time on this earth had almost drawn to a close, He entered the Garden of Gethsemane with a small handful of men who were dear to Him, and He prayed. The Bible tells us that night that Jesus was distressed (*Mk. 14:33*). Why was He so troubled? He was about to bear the sins of the world, accepting the curse that we deserved. As much emotional turmoil as the Lord might have endured that night, I cannot help but imagine that one element of that fateful evening made it worse- He was alone. He took Peter, James, and John with Him, but He was withdrawn a bit from them, and they couldn't stay awake and be there with Him and for Him (*Matt. 26:40*). Do you remember how the song in our books goes?

“Smitten for offenses which were not His own, He, for our transgressions, had to weep alone; No friend with words to comfort, Nor hand to help was there, When the Meek and Lowly humbly bowed in prayer.” -Vs. 2 of *Night With Ebon Pinion*

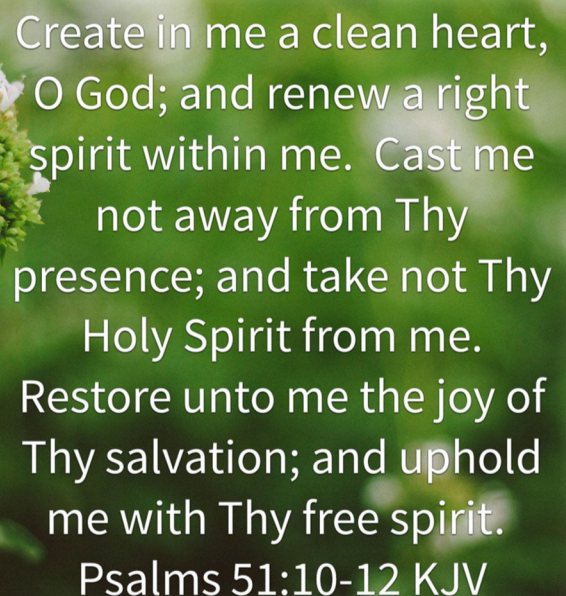
While it would be inappropriate and incorrect to say that Jesus was completely alone (His Father God was with Him and there is no higher or more meaningful presence in one's life than the Almighty), the point here was that Jesus' physical companions were absent. Nobody wants to be a “party of one.” Anxiety, fear, and struggle turns quickly into distress when faced alone.

The “other blessing” that was mentioned in the previous paragraph was that, through Christ, you and I never have to be alone on this world. The church was not established to be experienced or engaged in solo form. God doesn't want us to simply “do church” at home alone. The Lord called us out of the world by the

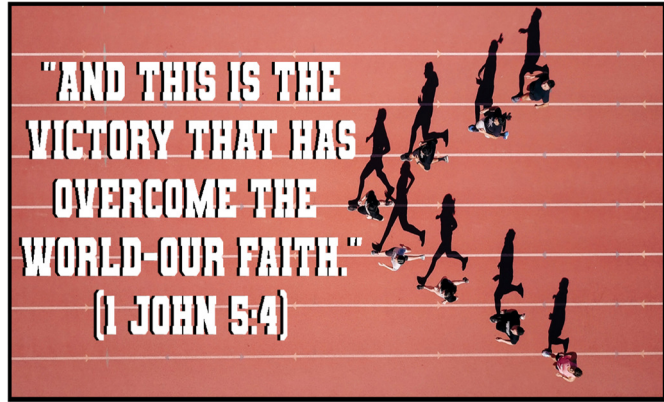
gospel (*2 Thess. 2:14*) and invited us to be a part of His body. The body of the Lord is singular in a collective but is comprised of a multitude of individuals (*1 Cor. 12:12-14*). I believe a portion of the “abundant life” the Lord provided for us (which themes our current gospel meeting) is the companionship, love, support, and mutual love that is expressed and experienced by the church collective. When the apostle Paul wrote to the church in Philippi, he encouraged them to care for each other and be concerned for the state of the lives of their brethren:

“Let nothing be done through selfish ambition or conceit, but in lowliness of mind let each esteem others better than himself. ⁴**Let each of you look out not only for his own interests, but also for the interests of others.**”
-*Philippians 2:3-4* (emphasis mine)

The Lord struggled and suffered alone, but you and I don't have to. Our life will bring various difficulties, temptations, distractions, victories, and defeats. Thanks be to our God and Father and to Jesus our Lord that we have been granted access into a family where we always have someone on our side and who will be there for us when we need them. Let us continually purpose to look out for the lives of our brothers and sisters and take a personal, genuine, tangible interest in how they are doing. Let us do our part to mimic to our church family the faithfulness of our Lord (Who will never leave us- *Heb. 13:5*); striving to ever be involved in their lives, reassuring them that they will never be a “party of one.”



Create in me a clean heart,
O God; and renew a right
spirit within me. Cast me
not away from Thy
presence; and take not Thy
Holy Spirit from me.
Restore unto me the joy of
Thy salvation; and uphold
me with Thy free spirit.
Psalms 51:10-12 KJV



**JOIN US FOR OUR
2022 VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL!
CHAMPION
EMPOWERED BY JESUS!**

July 31st - August 3rd
At the Killeen Church of Christ

- ⇒ TIMES 6:00-7:30 PM
- ⇒ THERE WILL BE SINGING
- ⇒ CLASSES WITH ACTIVITIES
- ⇒ REFRESHMENTS

SIGN-UP SHEETS ARE IN THE FOYER FOR HELP

June Cleaning Calendar

- May be done any time before the next Sunday.
- Please consult with your team leader for further questions.

29-TEAM LEE

Lee
Natalie
Rufus
Derek
Ken
Tim

19-TEAM JAMES S.

Kim-Marie
Xavier
Jaden
Kingsford

26-TEAM PHIL

Michelle
Beverly
Josephine
Yvonne
Lois
Marcella
Suncha

June 5-TEAM ZACK

Zack
Amanda
Diedre
Paul
Rubye

12-TEAM ROGER

Patrick
Brenda
Roger
Linda

**ORDER OF SERVICE
SUNDAY, JUNE 19, 2022:**

- ♦ ANNOUNCEMENTS: ANDRÉ PETTAWAY
- ♦ 1ST PRAYER: DERREL HEGINBOTHAM
- ♦ SONG: PAUL PORTLEY
- ♦ SCRIPTURE READING: TIM MATTER
- ♦ SONG: PAUL PORTLEY
- ♦ SERMON: CODY WESTBROOK
- ♦ INVITATION SONG: PAUL PORTLEY
- ♦ SONG BEFORE COMMUNION: PAUL PORTLEY
- ♦ COMMUNION: IVAN MCINTOSH & GIANNI GRIFFITH
- ♦ SONG: PAUL PORTLEY
- ♦ OFFERING: IVAN MCINTOSH & GIANNI GRIFFITH
- ♦ CLOSING SONG: PAUL PORTLEY
- ♦ CLOSING PRAYER: BILL RAWLINGS
- ♦ AUDIO/VISUAL: PATRICK SELLERS
- ♦ SECURITY: ROGER DEEM & BRUCE BROWN

**ORDER OF SERVICE
MONDAY, JUNE 20, 2022:**

- ♦ INTRODUCTION: PHIL MCINTOSH
- ♦ 1ST PRAYER: LEE FISHER
- ♦ SONG: REGGIE BASS
- ♦ SCRIPTURE READING: DEREK COLE
- ♦ SONG: REGGIE BASS
- ♦ SPEAKER: JOHN HAFFNER
- ♦ INVITATION SONG: REGGIE BASS
- ♦ ANNOUNCEMENTS: TIM MATTER
- ♦ CLOSING SONG: REGGIE BASS
- ♦ CLOSING PRAYER: ZACK PETTIES

**ORDER OF SERVICE
TUESDAY, JUNE 21, 2022:**

- ♦ INTRODUCTION: PHIL MCINTOSH
- ♦ 1ST PRAYER: ZACK PETTIES
- ♦ SONG: IVAN MCINTOSH
- ♦ SCRIPTURE READING: BILL RAWLINGS
- ♦ SONG: IVAN MCINTOSH
- ♦ SPEAKER: AL WASHINGTON
- ♦ INVITATION SONG: IVAN MCINTOSH
- ♦ ANNOUNCEMENTS: REGGIE BASS
- ♦ CLOSING SONG: IVAN MCINTOSH
- ♦ CLOSING PRAYER: GAYLEN WILLIAMS

**ORDER OF SERVICE
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22, 2022:**

- ♦ INTRODUCTION: PHIL MCINTOSH
- ♦ 1ST PRAYER: GAYLEN WILLIAMS
- ♦ SONG: PAUL PORTLEY
- ♦ SCRIPTURE READING: SCOTT DAVIS
- ♦ SONG: PAUL PORTLEY
- ♦ SPEAKER: PATRICK HAMMACK
- ♦ INVITATION SONG: PAUL PORTLEY
- ♦ ANNOUNCEMENTS: ANDRÉ PETTAWAY
- ♦ CLOSING SONG: PAUL PORTLEY
- ♦ CLOSING PRAYER: DERREL HEGINBOTHAM



NEWS FROM THE PEWS

PLEASE REMEMBER OUR MILITARY & D.O.D. CIVILIANS IN YOUR PRAYERS:

- Michael Rogers is away for training.
- Jessica Rogers is currently deployed to Kuwait.
- Tracy Wilson's son, Zane is in the class portion of flight school.
- Iheanyichukwu Sunday is in Kansas City on military duty and asks for prayers.

PLEASE KEEP THESE MEMBERS & LOVED ONES IN YOUR PRAYERS: Brenda Seller's mother is recovering from having fluid on her lungs and COVID.

- Jim Dukes is battling health issues.
- Aaronique Turner's surgery is rescheduled for this week.

CONTINUED PRAYERS FOR OUR SICK & HOMEBOUND:

Rodney Carter's mother-in-law (Betty Martin), Joyce Brown's sister (Janet Simmons), Donna Hines' niece (April), Mary Lou Daines' brother & niece, Willard Jack Dunn, Marcella Williams, Wayne Ellis, David Hamrick, Tracy Wilson's mother (Ruth Hyde), Adam Zak, Temesha Lawal's mother (Cassandra Watson) & step-mother (Stephanie), Jim Dukes & his niece's husband, Joyce Brown's nephew (Jon-Jon Simmons), James Seay, Martha Chafin, Beverly Williams' aunt (Dorothy Sauls) & neighbor (Nina Rudnick), Tim Matter & his brother (Michael), James Garner & his wife (Tammy) & family, Josephine Spear & her sister (Rose) & friend (Iris), Linda Deem's nephew, Tanja & Tiffany Arch, Julia Jones' cousin (Larry Sanford) & daughter (Judy Seales), Amanda Petties' brother (Anthony Allen) & sister (Jewel), Rufus Brown, Marcella Williams' brother-in-law (Johnnie Milford), Shirl Foster, Martha Bell's sister, Julie Odum & her mother (Sharon Schmidt), Nada Miller, Lois Brown, Cheryl Flores' brother-in-law (Raymond Flores), Billye Hughes, Mary McAnally's sister (Ann Ahrens), Esther Cox, Gladys Driver, Willard Jack Dunn, Archie & Jessie Turner, and Linda Walts. Please keep these members & loved ones in your prayers as they battle health problems.

FELLOWSHIP LUNCHEON: Join us, today, following the morning service, for our Fellowship Luncheon in the fellowship hall. Kitchen group #4 (the teens) will have kitchen duties (Michelle, Lex, & Ivan McIntosh, Briana, Gianni, & Brittini Griffith, Juelz Gaither, & Corey Culver).

SUNNY GLEN CHILDREN'S HOME DRIVE: Our Sunny Glen Children's Home Drive is underway through July 10th. The items requested are: ketchup, mustard, mayo, kid's cereal, mashed potato mix, and Hamburger Helper. A take-home list is posted in the foyer and the items can be placed below it.

SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE: We are collecting school supplies from June 19-July 24. These items can be placed in the foyer.

LADIES' BREAKFAST & WORKDAY PLUS IKEBANA CLASS: There will be a ladies' breakfast & workday with an Ikebana flower arrangement class on Saturday, June 25th, at 9:30 am, in the fellowship hall. Please bring clippers and/or a vase with a narrow opening. More details are posted on the ladies' bulletin board.

JULY 4TH CELEBRATION: Join us for our July 4th Celebration at the Nolanville Campground on Saturday, July 2nd, from 11-2. It's a potluck! Please bring your favorite picnic dish and drinks such as, water bottles, Gatorades, teas. Ice, paper plates, paper towels, & plastic utensils will be provided. Bring your lawn chairs and bug spray! We are asking everyone (males & females) to please wear modest clothing. Let's all use this as an opportunity to invite our friends and neighbors to join us as well. We hope to see you there!

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!!!

Our Speaker Today Is

Cody Westbrook

We want to especially welcome our visitors!

If you are visiting, please fill out an attendance card from the back of the pew directly in front of you, and drop it in offering box as you leave. Thank you for your visit and please join us again!

BIBLE STUDIES AND COUNSELING OFFERED

- ⇒ Bible Studies With Our Preacher Or Elders
- ⇒ Free Bible Correspondence
- ⇒ Free Marriage And Family Counseling

To our visitors—Thank you for being with us today, and please come again!

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☞JUNE CALENDAR☞

- 19-22 Summer Gospel Meeting
- 19-Fellowship Luncheon following the morning service in the fellowship hall.
- 19-School Supply Drive begins.
- 25-Ladies Breakfast & Workday at 9:30 am, in the fellowship hall. (We'll be making Ikebana floral arrangements with Joyce Brown)

☞JULY CALENDAR☞

- 2-July 4th Fellowship, 11:00-2:00, at the campground.
- 4-Office will be closed in observance of the Independence Day holiday.
- 10-Youth Devotional at 5:00, in the fellowship hall.
- 10-Sunny Glen Food Drive ends.
- 15-P.E.P. Night at 6:00, in the fellowship hall.
- 24-School Supply Drive ends.
- 20-Singing class at 6:00, in the auditorium.
- 31-Aug.3 Vacation Bible School, from 6:00-7:30.