



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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*Foster's Home
For Children
Stephenville, TX*

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

SERVICE SCHEDULE

SUNDAY BIBLE CLASS - 9:30 AM

SUNDAY AM WORSHIP - 10:30 AM

SUNDAY PM WORSHIP - 5:00 PM

WEDNESDAY - 6:30 PM

Worshipping God Acceptably

Shepherds Notes By Zack Petties

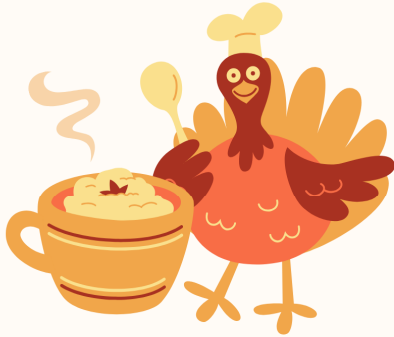


Man by nature is a creature of worship. It is just as natural for man to worship as it is for him to eat or breathe. Now, that which he worships may be an idol, and thus his worship would be in vain; but nevertheless, he will worship something, or someone. So, one is able to quickly see that although untold numbers worship God, not all worship is acceptable to God! The Athenians worshiped in ignorance (Acts 17:23). The Jews worshiped unacceptably (Rom.10:1-4). Jesus said, of the people of His day, "Ye hypocrites, well did Isaiah prophesy of you, saying, This people draweth nigh unto me with their mouth, and honoureth me with their lips; but their heart is far from me. But in vain they do worship me, teaching for doctrines the commandments of men" (Matt. 15:7-9).

The English word "worship" is from an Anglo-Saxon word meaning "worth-ship." It conveys the idea of ascribing honor, respect, reverence, homage, and respect devoted to God. The Greek word *proskuneo* is defined: "to make obeisance, do reverence to (from *PROS*, towards and *KUNEO*, to kiss), is the most frequent word rendered to worship. It is used in an act of homage or reverence" -(W.E. Vine, Word Study of the New Testament, p.235). Worship, therefore, involves something one does. It is an act of divine adoration. Acceptable worship is NOT based upon merely being honest, and sincere. Nor is acceptable worship based on human tradition, custom or one's likes and dislikes. Acceptable worship is based upon God's words of instructions as revealed in the New Testament! Jesus set forth what is involved in acceptable worship in John 4:24, "God is a Spirit: and they that worship him must worship him in spirit and in truth." To worship "in spirit" conveys the idea of one being honest and sincere. To worship "in truth" is to worship according to God's word. since God's word is truth-(John 17:17). Therefore, one's worship must not only be sincere, but according to God's divine instructions! Anything else is vain, void and useless! In Acts 2:42, we learn that the early disciples, "...continued stedfastly in the apostles doctrine and fellowship, and in breaking of bread, and in prayers." Thus teaching is a part of worship, as well as service to God. The Lord's Supper is another part of the worship service. The early Christians understood that the Lord's Supper is a part of the worship service. Furthermore, early Christians understood the Lord's Supper was to be observed upon the first day of every week in their regular worship-(Acts 20:7). The elements of the Lord's Supper are unleavened bread and the fruit of the vine-(Matt. 26:26-29). Singing is another part of worship (Eph.5:19; Col.3:16; & Heb. 13: 15). The use of instrumental music in worship among denominational people is almost universally accepted. So, when a person visits a congregation of the Church of Christ, the non-presence of a piano, organ and other instruments is immediately recognized and they wonder, "Why?" There are three basic reasons why we are NOT to use instrumental music in worship. 1. There is NOT one command for its use in the entire New Testament! 2. There is NOT one example in the entire New Testament of a congregation using instrumental music in worship! 3. There is NOT one inference in the entire New Testament giving authority for its use in worship! Since Christ did not command instrumental music in worship, no apostle sanctioned it, and no support can be found for its use in worship; to us it is going beyond that which is written and is adding to the word of God (Rev 22:18, 19; and Prov. 30: 5, 6)! The fifth act of worship is the giving of our means as we have been prospered every Lord's Day (1 Cor. 16: 1-2).

Thankful people would worship wholeheartedly and acceptably unto God. Christians show their honor by genuine and true worship. Anything that exceeds God word is unacceptable, dishonest, vain, and lacks reverence for God! Brother Petties

Thanksgiving Meal



All are welcome but we want to especially extend this invitation to singles, widows/widowers, couples without nearby families, or anyone who otherwise will not have access to a Thanksgiving meal. Please sign up in the foyer or call the office.

**Do not bring food, just yourself.*

27 NOVEMBER

12:00 PM

IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL

SHEEP KEEPER ASSIGNMENTS FOR OCTOBER-NOVEMBER

♦ **Group # 1-WIDOWS/SICK & SHUT-IN**

Team Leader: Paul Portley

♦ **Group #2-DELINQUENT MEMBERS**

Team Leader: Roger Deem/Kingsford Asare

♦ **Group #3-VISITORS/ROSEWOOD**

Team Leader: Gaylen Williams

♦ **Group #4-NEW CONVERTS**

Team Leader: Phil McIntosh

*All group leaders and members will meet for visits in November/December after morning worship on December 7th.

FOSTER'S HOME PANTRY DRIVE

We are collecting the following items for Foster's Home for Children through October 26th:

- Canned Chili
- Vienna Sausages
- Sloppy Joe Mix
- Baked Beans
- Pork and Beans
- Refried Beans
- Ranch Style Beans
- Pinto Beans



The items can be placed in the foyer. Thank you!

Join Us for Our
2025 Gospel Meeting

Tell Me the Story of

JESUS

November 2nd-5th, 2025

With Our Speaker: Carl McCann



Carl graduated from the Brown Trail School of Preaching in 1990 and has faithfully served the Lord's church in Fruitvale, TX since May of that year. He and his wife, Susan, have been married for 46 years and are blessed with three children, their spouses, and nine grandchildren.

He currently serves as a part-time instructor at the Southwest School of Bible Studies in Austin, TX. In addition, Carl is a member of the board of the Home of Recovery and Restoration in Winnsboro, TX, a work dedicated to helping men overcome addictions to drugs and alcohol while pointing them to the saving power of the gospel.

Sunday: @ 9:30 AM - Pertinent Questions

@ 10:30 AM - The Suffering Savior (pt.1) - Isaiah 53:1-6

@ 5:00 PM - The Suffering Savior (pt.2) - Isaiah 53:7-12

Monday: @ 7:00 PM - Hated Without Cause or Loved with Reason

Tuesday: @ 7:00 PM - Our Selfless Savior

Wednesday: @ 7:00 PM - Seven Things Jesus Knew

CHRISTIAN HOMES & FAMILY SERVICES CHANGE CAN DRIVE

Our annual change can drive is underway. The change cans are located in the foyer and the date to have the cans returned to the office is December 14th.



Christian Homes
& FAMILY SERVICES

SCRIPTURE READING**Sunday AM: "Help Me"**
Ecclesiastes 4:9-11

⁹ *Two are better than one,
Because they have a good reward for their labor.
¹⁰ For if they fall, one will lift up his companion.
But woe to him who is alone when he falls,
For he has no one to help him up.
¹¹ Again, if two lie down together, they will keep
warm;
But how can one be warm alone?"*

Sunday PM: "Unfulfilled Words"
Ecclesiastes 5:1-3

¹ *Walk prudently when you go to the house of
God; and draw near to hear rather than to give the
sacrifice of fools, for they do not know that they do
evil.
² Do not be rash with your mouth,
And let not your heart utter anything hastily before
God.
For God is in heaven, and you on earth;
Therefore let your words be few.
³ For a dream comes through much activity,
And a fool's voice is known by his many words."*

OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

1-CHERYL FLORES
2-CARLA HEGINBOTHAM
3-HANNAH FANE
8-GLENDA BOUDREAUX
12-HEATHER HEILMAN
20-KIM-MARIE SEAY
23-KEN RICHARDS
24-ASHER WILLIAMS (6)
26-MILLIE SIMCOX
30-DIANE HOLUBEC

18-HAPPY 55TH ANNIVERSARY TO
ROGER & LINDA DEEM
20-HAPPY 37TH ANNIVERSARY TO
ZACK & AMANDA PETTIES

October Nursery Schedule

5-Victoria & Nichole
12-Amanda & Natalie
19-Brenda & Brittini
26-Gayle & Tracy
11/2-Evelyn & Josephine

**We are in need of more
ladies to help in the
nursery. If you would
like to be on the nursery
list, please contact the
office. Thank you!*

ORDER OF SERVICE**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2025**

- ♦**ANNOUNCEMENTS:** JARED STEPP
- ♦**1ST PRAYER:** RON DINWIDDIE
- ♦**SONG:** SEAN MALDONADO
- ♦**SCRIPTURE READING:** BILLY GAITHER
- ♦**SONG:** SEAN MALDONADO
- ♦**SERMON:** PHIL MCINTOSH
- ♦**INVITATION SONG:** SEAN MALDONADO
- ♦**SONG BEFORE COMMUNION:**
SEAN MALDONADO
- ♦**COMMUNION:**
ANDRÉ PETTAWAY & GAYLEN WILLIAMS
- ♦**SONG:** SEAN MALDONADO
- ♦**OFFERING:**
ANDRÉ PETTAWAY & GAYLEN WILLIAMS
- ♦**CLOSING SONG:** SEAN MALDONADO
- ♦**CLOSING PRAYER:** ROGER BOYD
- ♦**AUDIO/VISUAL:**
PATRICK SELLERS & KEYSHAWN DAY
- ♦**SECURITY:** ROGER DEEM, KINGSFORD AS-
ARE, & JARED STEPP
- ♦**NURSERY:**
BRENDA SELLERS & BRITTNI GRIFFITH

October Cleaning Calendar

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

5-TEAM ROGER Patrick Brenda Linda Alexis Sid	19-TEAM KINGSFORD Kim-Marie Gaylen Nichole	11/2-TEAM LEE Natalie Ken Adam Nicole LC
12-TEAM ZACK Amanda Diedre Paul Ruby	26-TEAM PHIL Michelle Beverly Ivette Juelz Ashley Madison	

NEWS FROM THE PEWS

PLEASE REMEMBER OUR MILITARY & CIVILIANS IN YOUR PRAYERS:

- Tim Matter is contracting in Saudi Arabia.
- Tracy Wilson's son, Zane, is in the Middle East.
- Madison Walter's husband, Lakeith, has returned from deployment.
- James Chism will be away in October & November for field exercises.

PLEASE KEEP THESE MEMBERS & LOVED ONES IN YOUR PRAYERS:

- Glenda Boudreaux is asking prayer for a supervisor (Bell family), whose mother passed away.
- Diedre Jones is having hip surgery on the 28th.
- The Arch family all have Covid; Tasha was in the hospital with high blood pressure complications.
- Keep Lois Brown & her medical issues in prayer.
- Alexis Gaither is experiencing back pain.
- Julie Odum's mother is recovering from surgery but is having blood sugar problems and a sore on her leg.
- Please keep Jim Dukes in prayer for physical issues he's struggling with.
- Former member, Katelyn Bowles, is having health problems.
- Roger & Linda Deem are traveling currently.

CONTINUED PRAYERS LIST: Scott Davis; Donna Hines' husband; Judy Wall's husband; Brenda Sellers' grandson; Rubye Portley; Lee Fisher's aunt and nephew; LC Ramsey's brother; Ivette Saria's father; Tiffany Verna; Shirl Foster; Dawn Ramsey; Eddie Gandy; Yvonne Hardiman's twin brother & sister; Rufus Brown; Quincy Daniels' mother; Glenda Boudreaux's family; Zack Petties' father & Amanda Petties' family.

SHEEPKEEPERS LUNCH: Those who are involved in our Sheepkeepers program and those who are interested in the program, are invited to attend a fellowship lunch (potluck) today, following morning worship.

YOUTH SINGING AT ROSEWOOD: Join us for a Youth Group Singing on Sunday, October 26th, from 3:00 - 3:45 pm, at Rosewood Villas.

PLEASE PRAY: Pray a special prayer for the body of Christ both globally and here at W.S. Young in Killeen. There are strong forces at work in our world which are encouraging the body to challenge God's Word and modify sound doctrine. Pray for the elders, the teachers, and the entire body here at Killeen that we will remain vigilant in our pursuit and performance of sound words, sound doctrine, and sound practice.

Our Speaker is Phil McIntosh



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!

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❧OCTOBER CALENDAR❧

- 19-Sheep Keepers Potluck following morning worship in the fellowship hall
- 22, 29-Ladies Bible Class @ 10:00 am in the fellowship hall
- 26-Foster's Home for Children Drive ends
- 26-Youth Singing @ 3:00 pm at Rosewood Villas

❧NOVEMBER CALENDAR❧

- 1-Men's Breakfast @ 8:30 am in the fellowship hall
- 2-5 Gospel Meeting
- 2-Fellowship Lunch after morning worship (Kitchen Group #2 will have kitchen duties)
- 5, 12, 19-Ladies Bible Class @ 10:00 am in the fellowship hall
- 8-Ladies Breakfast & Workday @ 9:00 am in the fellowship hall
- 9-Youth Devo @ 6:30 pm in the fellowship hall
- 11-Office Closed for Veterans Day