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### Wash Your Clothes

When God was forming a nation for himself, the most fundamental and essential need they had was to KNOW THEIR GOD.

He brought them to a mountain, told them all to wash their clothes and assemble at the base of the mountain. He then spoke directly to them for the first (and only) time. The ground was shaking, the mountain was smoking, a trumpet sound grew louder and louder and God descended out of heaven in a fire. The people covered in fear and begged Moses to ask God not to speak directly to them again.

What do you think God wanted to accomplish with this display? He wanted His people to learn about him in such an impressive way that they would never forget. Have no other gods besides me. Never make an idol to represent me. Do not ever misuse my name. There is only one God.

Before the dust settled good Israel made an idol. They didn't have to wash their clothes to worship this god. In fact, they worshipped him by being sexually immoral. Interestingly, the result of idolatry is always ultimately immorality. See Romans 1:21-29

How many times have you heard someone say, "MY god would never send anyone to hell." "MY god is a god of love." "MY god wants me to be happy."

The advantage of making your own god is- you get to make his character. Does man ever create a righteous and holy God? . . . Or will his god tolerate sin a little bit?

The most fundamental and essential need of every man is to KNOW GOD. The only God. God who repeatedly says, "You be holy because I am holy."

Every other god is an idol.

- Ken Stegall

## Welcome to Woodland Oaks Church of Christ

We are honored you have chosen to worship with us this morning. Thank you for visiting us today! We look forward to meeting you!

### Schedule of Services

<b>Sunday</b>	9:15 AM	Bible Classes
	10:15 AM	Morning Assembly
	6:00 PM	Evening Assembly
<b>Wednesday</b>	7:00 PM	Bible Classes

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**Elder of the Day** Nathan Ingram  
**Communion Leader** Brandon Smith

### Adult Bible Classes:

**"The Sword of the Lord  
 – The Who, The Will, The Word, The Way"**  
 by Marty Miller  
 Sundays @ 9:15 a.m.  
 Worship Center Auditorium

**"Following the Example of Jesus"** by Various Teachers  
 Wednesdays @ 7:00 p.m.  
 Worship Center Auditorium

**"Such Bible, Much Read"** (Ages 18-25) by Andrew Isherwood  
 Wednesdays @ 7:00 p.m.  
 Magnolia Room (C106)

### Teen Bible Classes:

**"1,2, & 3 James"** (7th –12th) by Jordan Fontenot & Josh Watrous  
 Sundays @ 9:15 a.m.  
 Chapel Center Auditorium

**"Gospels"** (7th–12th) by Jordan Fontenot  
 Wednesdays @ 7:00 p.m.  
 Chapel Center Auditorium

\*Links for streaming Bible classes and Worship:

<http://woodlandoaks.org/media-center.html> or  
<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC3r3Z5p1jFwx1g7rDUclVYA>  
 Youth: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCit8ZGyUoQr1EB61DYyDLiA/>  
 Children: Woodland Oaks Children's Ministry Facebook Page

### Treehouse Kids Bible Classes:

0–1 year	A105/A106
2 years	A107
3–4 years	C103
Kinder–1st grade	C201
2nd–3rd	C106/Magnolia Room
4th–5th grade	A101
6th grade	A102

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### Last Week's Attendance

#### Sunday, April 4 2021

9:15 AM Bible Class	262
10:15 AM Worship	501 @ WOCC 319 Views online
6:00 PM Worship	125
Contribution	\$47,073.73

#### Wednesday, April 7, 2021

7:00 PM Bible Class	169
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You may give online at:

<https://woodlandoaks.givingfire.com/>

Or mail contributions to our PO Box at:  
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### Deacons

**Administration** Joel Blake  
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**Networks/Special Ministries** Jeremy Haynes

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**Ushers** Tony Bloom

**Welcome Center/** Ben Brockman  
**Visitor Contacts**

**Visitation - Hospital &** Robert Shock  
**Homebound/Men's Ministry**

**Worship** Eric Kirkland  
 Bill Malone

**Youth** Brant Mathis  
 Matt Hemphill

Terence O'Connor

### Missions

For updates regarding the mission efforts supported by WOCC, please visit our church website, [woodlandoaks.org](http://woodlandoaks.org), under Connect, click Ministries and Missions.

### Budget

Actual unrestricted contributions for 2020 were \$1,430,086 and budget was \$1,417,578 producing a surplus of \$12,508.

### Notes

## Bible Class Time Change

Beginning Sunday, April 18, we will resume having **Coffee and Donuts** between Bible class and Worship assembly.

In order to accommodate this change, **Bible classes** will start at 9:00 a.m. beginning April 18. Worship assembly will remain at 10:15 a.m.

## Announcements

Congratulations to **Lilah Rodriguez** who was baptized into Christ Sunday, April 4. Welcome to the family Lilah!

There will be **NO Young Adult Bible Class** this Wednesday, April 14. We will resume meeting April 21.

The **WOCC Quilting Group** will be meeting on Monday, April 19th, from 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. The group will meet on the 1st and 3rd Monday of each month in the quilting room (C102) in the Chapel Center. If you are interested in joining please contact Joyce Pieper or Regina Evenstad.

**Family Camp 2021** is just around the corner! Save the date and plan to join us in Palestine, TX June 11-13 for a great weekend of spiritual growth and fellowship. Registration will open Sunday, April 18.

Please join us for a Drive-by **Baby Shower honoring Morgan Greenwade** Sunday, April 25 from 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. at the Chapel Center Breezeway. Morgan & Jackson are expecting a baby boy and are registered at babylist.com.

**2021 VBS** is scheduled for June 2-4 and we need your help to make it a success! Spend the week with us and lead children on an adventure. We would love to see your kids there! You can find more information, volunteer, and register at: <http://www.woodlandoakskidministry.com/>. See Jenn Tolbert with additional questions.

**Lifeline Chaplaincy Hospital Outreach**—Contact Marty Justice or visit the Welcome Center to request a professional Lifeline Chaplaincy visit for someone you know in the hospital.

We are currently in a **CCLI Reporting Period**. Please let Robert Thompson know of any song printed, used digitally.

Masks are available at the Welcome Center.

## Prayers

- ✠ **Danna Stevens**/fell and broker her hip April 4/She had surgery April 6.
- ✠ **Judy Bollman**/will have knee replacement surgery April 12 at St. Luke's Lakeside/No visitors are allowed.
- ✠ **Joyce Pieper**/had shoulder surgery April 8.
- ✠ Members battling cancer: **Chuck Birt, Don Gilbert, Cynthia Haney, Terry Hopper, Erica Lunn, Bob McDougal, Joanie Roberts, Nancy Stucky.**
- ✠ Friends & family battling cancer: **Mary Aldaz, Jennifer Woodward Banks, Paola Bejaran, Bruce Caraway, Joe Guidry, Jacob Harter, Mike Howard, Jerry Malone, Susan May, Andrea Finley Nelson, Malu Oliveira, Meghan Rudd, Tara Slusser, Jerry Smith, Rose Talbott, Mary Titlow, Marla West.**
- ✠ Please remember our members: **Mary Nell Bollman, Ken Coleman, John O'Connor, Judy Perry, Donald Southall.**
- ✠ Please remember friends & family: **Todd Grant, Leilani Palmer.**

## Youth News

The next **Youth Invasion** will be **TONIGHT** immediately following the evening assembly at Whataburger (6203 Farm to Market Rd 1488, Magnolia, TX 77354).

**Tuesday Bible Study** resumes this Tuesday, April 13 at 7:00 p.m. at the Jetton home.

Those interested in attending the **Harding University Trip** April 16-18, please contact Jordan Fontenot by this Wednesday, April 14.

**Girls Retreat** will be April 23-25. The cost is \$20. Registration is now open at: <https://forms.gle/dSnaCRRdYgJdWQYd6>. Please see Ellen Fontenot for more information.

## Treehouse Kids

There will be a **Family Kickball Game** with Champions Church of Christ this Saturday, April 17 from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. at Matthews Park (1728 E Hufsmith, Tomball, TX 77375). Please bring a picnic dinner and lawn chairs.

## Thank you

To the Woodland Oaks Church-

Thank you for providing Impact's Sunday meal. It was a special blessing coming from Central Market. "The Lord bless you for showing this kindness." -II Samuel 2:5

Blessings, Ms. Bethul

Thank you so very much for all of those who pitched in to help the Men's Advance this past weekend so successful. A special shout out to Sam Bradley and Josh Nordgulen who organized and prepared the meals. There were several men who volunteered for the kitchen help to serve and also to Todd Watrous and Gary Addison in the sound booth. It could not have been run as smoothly as it was without volunteer help. We are looking forward to Men's Advance Jan. 28-29, 2022.

Robert Shock

Dear Church Family,

Thank you for the calls, texts, meals and visits following the birth of our son. We are so blessed to have a loving church family to support us in this season.

Love, Daniel, Jessica & Tyler Weatherholt

We want to thank everyone for the calls, cards, and flowers you shared. Most of all, thank you for the prayers for Pat and all of us through everything.

We appreciate all those that attended the memorial service. Special thanks to Sonny Taylor for leading the special songs, Sam Bradley for his sweet message, and to Glenn Addison for his guidance.

This congregation has been very special to us.

Love, John Charleston and Family

## This Week

Today	9:15 a.m.	Bible Class
	10:15 a.m.	Worship
	6:00 p.m.	Evening Worship
	7:00 p.m.	Youth Invasion - Whataburger
Tuesday	7:00 p.m.	Youth Bible Study
Wednesday	7:00 p.m.	Bible Class (Adult: Tony Bloom)
Thursday	6:15 a.m.	Men's Prayer Breakfast—Denny's on 1488
	10:00 a.m.	Community Bible Class
	6:30 p.m.	Celebrate Recovery
Friday		Youth Trip to Harding
Saturday	5:00 p.m.	THK Family Kickball Game

## Upcoming Events

April 18	Registration for Family Camp Opens Bible Class Time Changes—Donuts & Coffee Resume Youth Invasion @ Chipotle
April 19	Quilting Group Resumes
April 23-25	Youth Girls Retreat
April 25	Senior Banquet Pictures Due Baby Shower for Morgan Greenwade Elder/Deacon Meeting Congregational Meeting Youth Invasion @ Jack In the Box
May 1	Men's Breakfast Elevate Hike Day
May 2	Senior Banquet Letters Due Popcorn & Praise Sunday Social Congregational Singing Youth Devo
May 8	Senior Banquet
May 9	Youth Invasion
May 14	Youth Guys/Girls Night Out
May 16	Youth Invasion
May 22	Elevate Hike Day
May 23	Youth Invasion
May 28	Youth Induction
May 30	Bridal Shower for Sarah Payne (bride elect of Joshua Foster)
May 31	Church Offices Closed

## Expectant Families

Allison & Ben Brockman	Hannah & Kolt Phillips
Candice & Matt Fitzgerald	Erin & Cody Powers
Morgan & Jackson Greenwade	Maegan & Brett Rodriguez
Erica & Jeremy Lunn	Chelsea & David Sparks
Lindsey & Doug Peak	

**A cart for all donations is in the Worship Center foyer.**

**APRIL DONATION NEEDS:**

**WOCC Sharing Pantry: Tomato Products & Pasta**  
**Children's Home of Lubbock: Disposable Diapers Size 4**  
**Arms of Hope: Toilet Paper, Paper Towels, Clorox Wipes**

If you could use meals during times of need, please contact the church office at 936-273-0010 or [information@woodlandoaks.org](mailto:information@woodlandoaks.org)