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INVESTING IN YOUR FUTURE

Have you ever thought, “I wish I could go back [to a particular time of life] knowing what I know now.”?

Maybe you would have bought Apple stock when it first became available. Maybe you would have bought a certain piece of land. Maybe you would have married someone different. Maybe you would have attended church more regularly when your children were at home. Maybe you would have taken a certain job, etc.

As we mature, we realize that “things we did” and decisions we made in the past affect our life more than we ever dreamed they would. I’m beginning to experience back problems and hearing problems that are the consequences of some things I did many years ago. But you couldn’t have made me wear hearing protection or persuaded me to ask for help lifting something when I was younger.

So, am I talking to the wind when I remind young people of what Solomon said as he reflected on his life and offers advice to the youth of his day (Ecclesiastes), “Remember your Creator in the days of your youth, before the days of trouble come . . .”?

Good decisions (like foolish ones) also have consequences throughout your life. Studying God’s word and disciplining yourself to do what is right and avoiding what is wrong when you are young will pay rich dividends of peace, happiness, good opportunities, good friends and contentment for the future. You will multiply your “odds” of attracting the kind of person you hope to marry. And you will be “wise beyond your years.”

Start investing in your future early. The rewards are incredible.

-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

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

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Elder of the Day Nathan Ingram
Communion Leader Jordan Fontenot

Adult Bible Classes:

“Judges: Is God my god?”
 by Michael Matheidas
 Sundays @ 9:15 a.m.
 Worship Center Auditorium

“Christian Attitudes” by Mac Brockman
 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:

“Revelation” (7th –12th) by Jordan Fontenot
 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:

0–2 years	A105/A106
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, January 24, 2021

9:15 AM Bible Class	199
10:15 AM Worship	372 @ WOCC 485 Views online
6:00 PM Worship	139
Contribution	\$30,848.02

Wednesday, January 27, 2021

7:00 PM Bible Class	148
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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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Welcome Center/Visitor Contacts
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 Bill Malone
 Brant Mathis
Youth Matt Hemphill
 Terence O’Connor

Missions

For updates regarding the mission efforts supported by WOCC, please visit our church website, woodlandoaks.org, under Connect, click Ministries and Missions.

Budget

Actual unrestricted contributions through October 31, 2020 are \$1,155,005 compared with a budgeted amount of \$1,172,228 producing a deficit of (\$17,223).

Notes

Announcements

Please welcome our AIM team this week as they serve our congregation and other supported mission efforts in the area as part of **AIM Challenge Week**. This team will be heading to Apaxco, Mexico for their mission field. You will definitely want to get to know this fantastic group of young men and ladies: Aidan Perry, Nicholas Newlin, Sam Brunson, Maycie Foster, and Anna Grace Russell!

Young Adult Bible Class ("Such Bible, Much Read") - for ages 18-25, meets Wednesday evenings in the Magnolia Room (C106). Contact Andrew Isherwood for more information.

Men's Breakfast will be this Saturday, February 6 at 8:00 a.m. in the Chapel Center.

Sunday Social: Please join us for **Popcorn & Praise** fellowship before the evening assembly, Sunday, February 7 at 5:00 p.m. at WOCC. Everyone is invited!

Congregational Singing will be Sunday, February 7 during the evening assembly. Song requests may be listed at the Welcome Center.

Please join us for a **Drive By Wedding Shower honoring Tyson & Hailee Powers** Sunday, February 14 from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the Chapel Center Breezeway. Tyson & Hailee are registered at Amazon and Target. Gift cards are appreciated.

There is a **2021 Bible Readers' Sign-Up** at the Welcome Center for those who plan to read through the Bible in 2021.

The **2020 Bible Readers' Banquet** will be Saturday, February 20 at 5:30 p.m. Please sign up individually at the Welcome Center by February 7 and indicate whether you will attend.

Texas Bible Bowl Program

Bible Bowl Practice meets Sunday evenings from 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. in the Chapel Center. The book this year will be Revelation. This year's competition will be March 26-28 at Camp Bandina in Bandera, TX. If you are interested in participating, or simply want more information about the competition contact Jennifer Tolbert.

Thank You

To the Woodland Oaks church-

You have faithfully served Impact for many years. We thank you for your loving support with the Sunday lunch. We know it is difficult during the pandemic but so much appreciate your support.

Blessings, Bethul Williams

WOCC,

Thank you for the love you showed to our family last weekend at our baby shower. We are blessed to have such a wonderful church family at Woodland Oaks.

In Him, Daniel, Jessica & Tyler Weatherholt

Youth News

Tuesday Bible Study meets Tuesdays at 7:00 p.m. at the Jetton home.

There will be a **Girls Night Out** this Friday, February 5 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at InSPIRE Rock (403 E. Louetta Rd, 77373). The cost is \$10.

The **Guys Night Out** will be this Saturday, February 6 from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Meet at Texas Legends Paintball (11099 Ponderosa Timbers Dr., 77385). The cost is \$10.

There will be a **Meeting for all Youth Group Parents and Students** Sunday, February 7 immediately following the morning assembly in room A102.

The next **Youth Devo** will be Sunday, February 7 immediately following the evening assembly in the Chapel Center.

The **Youth Winter Retreat** will be February 12-14 at Hensel Camp, located outside of Marble Falls, TX. This event is open to students 7th-12th grade. The cost is \$30 per person. Please sign up at <https://tinyurl.com/y2mmr9zw> by Sunday, February 7. If you are interested in chaperoning please contact Jordan Fontenet.

The next **Youth Invasion** will be Sunday, February 14 immediately following the evening assembly.

Treehouse Kids

Family Bible Readers Challenge 2021: We are launching our 2021 Family Bible Readers Challenge. Grab a checklist at the Welcome Center and read through your Bible as a family in 2021. For more information, please contact Jennifer Tolbert.

Family Bible Readers Challenge 2020: If you completed the Family Bible Readers Challenge, please contact Jennifer Tolbert to sign up for the celebration.

Prayers

- ✝ **Bobbie Fellabaum/COVID-19.**
- ✝ **Erica Lunn/upcoming tests for health concerns.**
- ✝ Members battling cancer: **Chuck Birt, Cynthia Haney, Terry Hopper, Bob McDougal, Joanie Roberts, Nancy Stucky.**
- ✝ Friends & family battling cancer: **Mary Aldaz, Jennifer Woodward Banks, David Bass, Paola Bejaran, Fred Conrad, Joe Guidry, Jacob Harter, Mike Howard, JJ Lovoi, 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: **Ken Coleman, John O'Connor, Rebecca Osborn, Elton Stubblefield, Mike Williams.**
- ✝ Please remember friends & family: **Willa Jefferson, Leilani Palmer, Lindsay Scott.**

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

JANUARY DONATION NEEDS:

WOCC Sharing Pantry: Breakfast Items: Cereal (dry and cooked), Jelly, Breakfast Bars, Pancake Mix, Syrup, Canned Fruit, Juice Packs
Sunny Glen Children's Home: Paper towels, Floor cleaners, Liquid fabric softener, All-purpose liquid cleaners

This Week

Today	9:15 a.m.	AIM Challenge Week
	10:15 a.m.	Bible Class
	5:30 p.m.	Worship
	6:00 p.m.	Bible Bowl Practice
Tuesday	7:00 p.m.	Evening Worship
Wednesday	7:00 p.m.	Youth Tuesday Bible Study
Thursday	7:00 p.m.	Bible Class
	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		AIM Team departs
	6:00 p.m.	Youth Girls Night Out
Saturday	8:00 a.m.	Men's Breakfast
	10:00 a.m.	Youth Guys Night Out

Upcoming Events

February 7	Sign-Up for 2020 Bible Readers' Banquet Due
	Sign-Up for Youth Winter Retreat Due
	Meeting for Youth Parents and Students
	Sunday Social: Popcorn & Praise
	Congregational Singing
	Youth Devo
February 12-14	Youth Winter Retreat
February 14	Drive By Wedding Shower for Tyson & Hailee Powers
	Youth Invasion
February 20	Bible Readers' Banquet
February 21	Youth Invasion
February 28	Youth Invasion
March 5	THK Daddy Daughter Date
March 6	Men's Breakfast
March 7	Spring Quarter Begins

New Members

Bob & Sandy Klemm

Jeff and Barbara Pachman

Mark and Terri Sparks

Expectant Families

Cecilia & Tony Bloom
 Allison & Ben Brockman
 Candice & Matt Fitzgerald
 Morgan & Jackson Greenwade
 Erica & Jeremy Lunn

Lindsey & Doug Peak
 Hannah & Kolt Phillips
 Maegan & Brett Rodriguez
 Chelsea & David Sparks
 Jessica & Daniel Weatherholt

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