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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES:

SUNDAY:

Bible Classes.....9:30 AM
AM Worship10:25 AM
PM Worship6:00 PM

WEDNESDAY:

Bible Classes.....7:00 PM

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BIBLE LESSON TEXT

Sun. July 31----**The Church, God's Family**

1 Tim. 3:15; Eph. 3:15; Rom. 12;
1 Cor. 12:12-31



Wed. Aug. 3----**Study God' Word**

2 Tim. 2:15; Psalm 1:2; 2 Tim 3:14-17;
Psalm 119:105

OUR FAITH IN ACTION
SUNDAY, July 24, 2016

Bible Class.....53
AM Worship.....78
PM Worship.....73
Contribution.....\$2,765.20
Average to Date.....\$3,052.83
Budget to Date.....\$3,243.00

Wednesday, July 20.....74

God's Salvation Plan

HEAR the Gospel – Romans 10:17

BELIEVE on the Lord & His Word – Mark 16:16;
John 8:24

REPENT of our sins – Luke 13:3,5; Acts 17:30

CONFESS Christ – Matthew 10:32; Luke 12:8;
Romans 10:9

BE BAPTIZED for the remission of sins – Acts 2:38;
Mark 16:16; Galatians 3:27; 1 Peter 3:21

LIVE a faithful, dedicated life – Revelation 2:10;
2 Peter:5-10

Happenings in God's Family

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The Significance of the Sufferings of the Christ (Part 3)

Fourth, we should consider the sufferings of the Christ because Jesus suffered for our sins. Without the doctrine of the atonement of Christ, the sufferings of Christ would be purposeless. Jesus died for our sins, on our behalf. Our sins merited suffering and death, but Jesus took our place so that we could be reconciled to God. In 2 Corinthians 5:21 we read, *“For he hath **made him to be sin for us, who knew no sin; that we might be made the righteousness of God in him.**”* We read further in Romans 5:10, 11 *“For if, when we were enemies, we were reconciled to God by the death of his Son, much more, being reconciled, we shall be saved by his life. And not only so, but we also joy in God through our Lord Jesus Christ, by whom we have now received the **atonement.**”* The sufferings of the Christ cause us to consider our guilt, and need for redemption.

Fifth, we should consider the sufferings of the Christ because that leads us to His resurrection. Without the resurrection of the Christ, the sufferings of the Christ would be powerless. The death, burial, and resurrection of Jesus is God's power for salvation today (Romans 1:16). Paul writes in Philippians 3:10, 11 *“That I may know him, and the **power of his resurrection, and the fellowship of his sufferings, being made conformable unto his death; If by any means I might attain unto the resurrection of the dead.**”* We also read in 1 Corinthians 1:18 *“For the **preaching of the cross is to them that perish foolishness; but unto us which are saved it is the power of God.**”* The sufferings of the Christ cause us to consider the power of His gospel. God bless you, and I love you.

Kevin

JULY 31, 2016 SERVANTS

AM PRAYERS

Mike Raney

Larry Stinson

PM PRAYERS

Ben Dooley

Jim Scarbrough

Announcements: Kevin Cauley

LORD'S TABLE: Scott Hobson; Jamey Thomas; Ben Dooley & Austin Cauley

Sunday PM Communion: Scott Hobson

VISITOR CARDS: Sawyer Hobson

AUGUST 7, 2016 SERVANTS

AM PRAYERS

Johnny Thomas

Scott Hobson

PM PRAYERS

Austin Cauley

Larry Stinson

Announcements: Ernest Shelton

LORD'S TABLE: Blake Tyndell; Jim Scarbrough; Jody Thomas & Thomas McGee

Sunday PM Communion: Jim Scarbrough

VISITORS CARDS: Sawyer Hobson

If you are unable to serve, please call Billy Johnson @ 903.628.5827

Grace be with all those who love our Lord Jesus Christ in sincerity. Eph.6:24

If you are enrolled or plan to enroll in the Bible study *Truth for Today Through the Scriptures*, please let Weaver Mills know.



Remember in Prayer

Jerry Boston; Alan Wright (son of Renee' Wright); Martha Downs (Bobby Higginbotham sister); Ricky Champion; Paul Curbow; Peyton Richardson (granddaughter of Janiece Richardson); J.L. Foster and Bob Bateman.

Remember our shut-ins: Keith & Helen Clark; Phil Williams, Faye Anderson , and J.D. & Thelma Johnson.

There will be a Youth Devo & Parents Meeting after Sunday evening worship services for all parents with kids from 12th grade down at the Hobson's house. Check with Shara about what to bring.



Our sympathy and our prayers are extended to the friends and family of Jean Jones. Jean passed away early Sunday morning in Tyler. Jean was a wonderful example of a Christian. She will be greatly missed by all. Services were held Thursday in Fort Worth.



"Happy Birthday" to Patricia Smithson on 7/31; to Andrea Tyndell on 8/1

WHOOOPS! WRONG NUMBER

The Principia, is a three-volume series of mathematical proofs by Isaac Newton about his laws of gravity and motion. It's what we base calculus on. The Principia is one of the greatest works in the history of science and has been studied by legions of scientists, mathematicians, and professors for the last three centuries.

If anything were wrong with it surely someone would have noticed the mistake by now! That's exactly what Robert Garisto thought. Garisto was a student working on a paper for a history of science class, when he noticed that Newton had mistakenly plugged the wrong number into an equation to find the mass of the Earth (Newton had used 10.5 seconds in his write-up, but 11 in the actual problem). Garisto didn't think much of the error when he found it -- he assumed it had been put in there intentionally by his instructor, and that spotting it was part of the assignment. It wasn't, the instructor didn't even catch the correction when Garisto's turned in his paper.

It didn't come up again until they were both at a lecture on the Principia. Then they realized that Garsito had seen what no other scholar in history had ever realized was there. 300 years of meticulous study and discussion, and not one person had ever noticed that Newton had put the wrong number into his own equation. While it didn't change history's view of Newton, it does illustrate how easy it can be to accept what we are shown and never question if it is right.

I afraid that is what so many have done in religion today. They accept the traditions handed down from the past without giving them much thought, never realizing that they might contain much more significant mistakes than just a wrong number. We need to not be afraid to check the work. In Acts 17:11, we read, "Now these (The Bereans) were more noble-minded than those in Thessalonica, for they received the word with great eagerness, examining the Scriptures daily to see whether these things were so."

We need to be as noble minded as these folks, checking if the doctrines we follow, no matter how long held, are actually in accordance with scripture. Many great religious thinkers have made mistakes. The one source we know to be unerring is the Word of God!

Barry Haynes, Hope, AR. Church of Christ.

New cell phone number for James Bateman----903/280-0405

The lectureship lessons on the "Home" are now available on line www.newbostoncoc.org.