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<i>Bible Class Lesson Texts:</i>	
Sunday, Oct 21, 2018 Saul Let Down the Wall in Basket Acts 9:19-31	Wednesday, Oct 24, 2018 Aeneas & Dorcas Acts 9:32-43

God's Salvation Plan	
Divine Love:	John 3:16
God's Grace:	Ephesians 2:8
Christ's Blood:	Romans 5:9
The Holy Spirit's Gospel:	Romans 1:16
Sinner's Faith:	Acts 16:31
Sinner's Repentance:	Luke 13:3
Sinner's Confession:	Romans 10:10
Sinner's Baptism	1 Peter 3:21
Christian Work:	James 2:24
Christian Hope:	Romans 8:24
Christian's Endurance:	Revelation 2:10

SERVICES	
SUNDAY:	WEDNESDAY:
Bible Classes 9:30 AM	Ladies' Bible Class 10:00
AM Worship 10:25 AM	Bible Classes 7:00 PM
PM Worship 6:00 PM	

OUR FAITH IN ACTION	
SUNDAY, Oct 14, 2018	
Bible Class	56
AM Worship	100
PM Worship	n/a
Contribution	\$3688.52
Average to Date	\$2905.44
Budget to Date	\$3200.00
Wednesday, Oct 10	82



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Wearing the Name "Christian"

"Yet if anyone suffers as a Christian, let him not be ashamed, but let him glorify God in this matter" (1 Peter 4:16). The word "Christian" was first used in Antioch (Acts 11:26). The word means one who follows Christ. First Peter 4:16 implies that some used it as an insult. Perhaps this is the way that Agrippa meant it in Acts 26:28 when he told the apostle Paul, "You almost persuade me to become a Christian." Peter says that the person who is called by such a name not be ashamed of it at all, but rather, glorify God.

The word "Christian" contains the word "christ." "Christ" is the Greek equivalent of the Hebrew word "messiah." Both words mean "anointed one" and come from the tradition of anointing with oil leaders in the ancient world. The Hebrew word "messiah" is used in the Old Testament a total of 39 times. Thirty-seven times it is translated "anointed," and it usually refers to one of the kings of Israel. The translators chose to translate with the English word "Messiah" twice in the New King James Version in Daniel 9:25-26.

Having studied the book of Daniel extensively, the Jews of the New Testament were expecting God's Messiah, His Anointed One, to arrive. Jesus fulfilled all prophecies of the Anointed One in the Old Testament. Therefore, He was the Messiah. In the New Testament, the word "christ," (Greek for "anointed one") is used almost exclusively to refer to Jesus. Christians are followers of the Anointed One, Jesus, and the word "Christ" is a title, not Jesus' last name. What an honor it is, then, to share the title "Christ" with Jesus as "Christians." This was Peter's point.

God bless you, and I love you.
 Kevin Cauley

October 21, 2018 Servants	
Announcements: Blake Tyndell	
AM Prayers	PM Prayers
Scott Hobson	Thomas McGee
Jody Thomas	Dave Conley
Lord's Table	
Jim Patterson	Ben Dooley
Jamey Thomas	Jimmy Smith
PM Communion: Jim Patterson	
Visitors Cards: Sammy Hobson	
Oct 28, 2018 Servants	
Announcements: Blake Tyndell	
Am Prayers	PM Prayers
Mike Raney	Derrell Patterson
Scott Overstreet	Johnny Thomas
Lord's Table	
Jim Patterson	Ben Dooley
Jamey Thomas	Jimmy Smith
PM Communion: Jim Patterson	
Visitors Cards: Sawyer Hobson	
<i>If for some reason you cannot serve, please call Mike Raney-903-559-4141, or John D. Thomas-903-490-5572</i>	
<u>Pantry Items for October:</u> Canned soup or canned meat	
Fall Gospel Meeting Attendance	
Monday, October 8	63
Tuesday, October 9	68
Wednesday, October 10	82

 Remember in Prayer 	
•Juanita Shelton	Joe Higginbotham
•Kimberly Smithson	•Marie Howard
•J.L. Foster	•Charles Tuck
•Marie McPherson	•Jason Lollar
•Juanita Higginbotham	•Ruth Ottwell
•Helen Smithson	•Perry Clark
•David Forehand	•Mary Ann Huse
•Roberta Watson	•Linda Johnson
•Robin Upson	•Rinalda Failoni
Shut-Ins: Faye Anderson; Sue Yarberr; Keith & Helen Clark	

Dear church Family,

How wonderful it is to be a part of this church and experience your generosity and encouragement. Like a true family, you have eased the grief and given us a reason to smile. Thank you so much for all the acts of kindness in the passing of our brother, Bert.

Birthdays this week!	
John David Thomas	Oct 24
Gayle Floyd	Oct 24
Jimmy Smith	Oct 25
Keith Clark	Oct 27

Learning to Serve
October 2018
"the Devil"

Blake Tyndell took his assigned topic, The Devil, and presented a lesson that engaged the children's attention and imagination. He stressed that he is tricky and can look like a snake, a best friend, or an angel. The best way to resist him is to know the scriptures and to always be alert.

All the enrichment activities reinforced the basic facts. Mary Lynn Cauley and Sommer Hobson helped the children make a take-home project illustrating the components of the gospel armor. Shara Hobson and Sawyer Hobson used an individual flip chart format to explain the effectiveness of each part of the gospel armor. Sylvia Williams and Logan Wages reviewed the gospel armor components and used a little indoor dodgeball to illustrate that the devil is easier to avoid if you are watching for his tricks.

As usual Virginia Parrish and Janie Martin provided good snacks to replenish their energy reserves.

The children who attended are Zain, Josie, Deacon, Drake, Baylee, Charles, Ellie, Jordan, Lexi, Sammy, Amiracle, and Mersadies.

Other adults who helped are Jim Patterson, Jimmie Thomas, Stephanie Wages, Scott Hobson, Suzette Tyndell, Janiece Richardson, Ernest and Meg Shelton. Special thanks to Peggy Hooten for her technical assistance with the flipcharts.

October Scheduled Events	
Saturday, 20 Kevin preaching @ Back to the Bible Lectures in Hamilton, TX	28 Singing at the nursing home at 2pm
Sunday, 21 Hobsons host mid-day Youth Devotional . This is after Morning worship.	

Church of Christ at New Boston:

I am grateful for the confidence you placed in me to conduct the recent Gospel Meeting. Cathy and I really enjoyed renewing old friendships and meeting new brothers and sisters in Christ. My hope is that the lessons presented during the week helped to deepen your faith and your determination to live and worship according to God's truths. Both Cathy and I enjoyed so much the stew on Saturday and the lunch on Sunday. Thanks for your faithful support of the meeting and the encouraging words regarding the lessons.

Marvin Weir