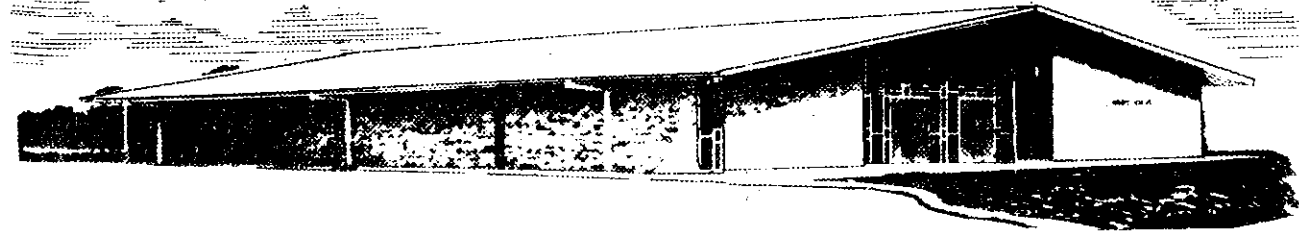


# HAPPENINGS in God's Family



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## MOMENTS WITH MARVIN

We'll continue our series on Marriage, Divorce, and Remarriage this Sunday as we study "God's Attitude Toward Divorce." Even though this subject can be unpopular and painful for many, it is imperative that we understand the commands our Lord has given to us.

Many have made remarks concerning our study in I Peter. I appreciate your interest, and want to encourage each adult to make every effort to be present each Sunday morning.

The opposite column compares CARE Group statistics for the last two quarters. We hope to improve all percentages in the future, but we do appreciate the effort being put forth now by group leaders and members. Let's strive to improve our relationships with one another, and our service to the Lord!

	1st		2nd	
	Sun. Att.	Sun. Att.	G.M.	G.M.
Group 1	64%	60%	47%	58%
Group 2	82%	79%	61%	56%
Group 3	74%	72%	58%	61%
Group 4	74%	81%	61%	62%
Group 5	77%	80%	63%	55%
Group 6	70%	64%	50%	67%

### Care Group Summary *1st* *2nd* Comparing June-Sept and Oct.-Dec. Stats Sunday Attendance Group Meeting Participation

## OUR FAITH IN ACTION

SUNDAY, JANUARY 31, 1982  
Bible Study . . . . . 110  
Morning Worship . . . . . 158  
Evening Worship . . . . . 115  
Contribution . . . . . \$ 1094.90

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1982  
Bible Classes . . . . . 98

### THOSE TO SERVE FEBRUARY 7, 1982

A.M. PRAYERS: James Boswell  
Allen Freeman  
P.M. PRAYERS: Elliott Raney  
W. Robertson

SCRIPTURE READING: Grady King  
(Mat. 2:10-16)

NURSERY: Pam Burlison  
Glenda Mills

BIBLE HOUR: Betty Brown  
Wilford Trickler

NOTE: If you are unable to serve on this date, please call Jerry Yates at 628-2441.

PANTRY ITEM: Sugar

### OUR VISITORS

Shelly Carter of New Boston was a guest of Melissa Yates; Kathy Bradford of New Boston was visiting with Sue Yarberr; Mr. & Mrs. Samuel Hubbs of Clute, TX were also our guests last Lord's Day.

### VALENTINE BANQUET

This banquet will be on Friday, February 12, at 7:00 p.m. in the home of Bobby & Juanita Higginbotham. Grades 7-College are invited.

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### SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Sunday:  
Bible Classes . . . 9:30 A.M.  
A.M. Worship 10:25 A.M.  
P.M. Worship 6:00 P.M.

Wednesday:  
Ladies Bible  
Class . . . . . 10:00 A.M.  
Bible Classes . . . 7:30 P.M.

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MARVIN L. WEIR, Editor

## WE HAVE HEARD

*"But be ye doers of the word, and not hearers only, deluding your own selves" (James 1:22).*

The "one another" passages from God's Word were very interesting, and we have studied them together. We have heard Christ speak in John 13:35: *"By this all men will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another."* It sounded good last year, and the passing of time has not in any way changed the meaning of the verse. The real question . . . Have we been willing to transform our attitudes and actions in order to give the verse real meaning the world can see? If not, we have heard but . . . !

We have heard how Christinas are to cause love to happen. Christians are extremely important people because they are members of the body of Christ. Have we been willing to *"consider how to stimulate one another to love and good deeds"* (Heb. 10:24)? We surely have heard that we should develop a unique love for our fellow-Christians, but . . . !

The New Year is well underway but we can still recall at least a few resolutions that were discussed. Most of us agreed we should be more encouraging while complaining less. We have tried to remind all that we are to care for one another, and to speak no evil about our brothers and sisters. All were reminded to forgive all grudges, and admonished to faithfully attend every service. Yes, I am aware we have heard these things, but . . . !

It would be great to have 200 plus worshipping on a regular basis, wouldn't it? It is a reasonable goal, and should become a reality. But we also heard that each member needed to use their influence and the Lord's help to lead some soul to obey the gospel. It's not too difficult to resolve to do more and be better but . . . !

We have heard that God is interested in His people being good stewards of all they possess, and we observed that His people have always given liberally from that which they have been blessed with. It even sounded good, but . . . !

Brethren, the Lord will bless our efforts if we strive to be *doers of the word, and not hearers only!* Our soul is at stake. It would be so sad on judgment day to hear our Lord say, *"Yes, I heard you say that you really love me, B U T . . . !"*

-Marvin L. Weir  
New Boston, TX



## News & Notes

### Hospital Notes

**WADLEY:** Don Bagwell is in room 431 trying to adjust to new medication.

**DALLAS:** Carolyn Riggins remains very ill.

Let us continue to remember those that are receiving continuous treatment for illness, and those that are confined to their homes.

## Response

**BAPTISM** Roy Warren (1-31-82)  
Rt. 2 Box 478

### TEACHER'S APPRECIATION BANQUET

Just a final reminder for all of those who will be attending our banquet this Saturday night. Please be at the Chuck Wagon by 6:30 as we will begin on time.

### CHURCH VAN TO NASH

The van will leave this Friday at 7:00 p.m. Bro. Charles Williams will speak on "The Binding Of Faith."

### AREA-WIDE SINGING

The 1st Sunday Singing will be conducted at Genoa Central from 2:30-4:00 p.m.

## SHOWER INVITATION

You are cordially invited to a Bridal Shower honoring  
Miss Terri Terral  
Bride-elect of Mr. Steve Vance  
Friday, February 5, 1982  
from seven-thirty to nine in the evening  
in the home of Mrs. R. L. Mills  
500 Park e New Boston, Texas

## Youth News

All young people (grades 7-college) are reminded of the fellowship scheduled for February 21st following evening services in the home of Russell & Suzette Tyndell.

### ELDERS MEETING

Sunday, February 7, after the evening service.

### CARE GROUP TO MEET

CARE Groups 3 & 4 will meet in the home of Ernest & Juanita Shelton on Saturday, Feb. 20, at 6:30 p.m.

*Among God's best gifts to us  
are the people who love us.*



**A.M.** "God's Attitude Toward Divorce"

**P.M.** To Be Announced

"Come . . . let us reason together."  
Isa. 1:18