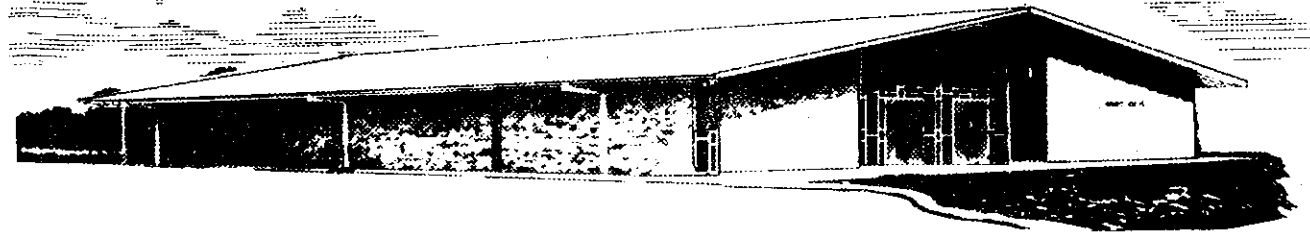


HAPPENINGS in God's Family



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**MOMENTS
WITH
MARVIN**

It's Time Again
MOVE YOUR CLOCK
FORWARD ONE HOUR
BEFORE RETIRING
SATURDAY NIGHT



Yes, Daylight Savings Time goes into effect again this Sunday. If you are going to be on time for Bible study and worship, you must not forget to set your clocks ahead one hour before retiring.

You are also reminded that next Wednesday evening Bible classes will begin at 7:30 p.m. Our mid-week service will continue to meet at 7:30 until Daylight Savings Time ends this fall.

BIBLE SCHOOL COORDINATORS

All department coordinators are reminded of the meeting and information session that is scheduled for Friday, April 29th. Please be at the building and prepared to leave by 6:30 p.m.

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

We rejoice at the two responses last Wednesday evening. Tresa Brown ask for restoration and prayers of the church, and Doug Taylor was baptized into Christ. May we do all that we can to encourage Tresa and Doug as they seek to live their lives in such a way as to be pleasing to their Lord.

I'm glad for the many good comments we've received regarding the new screen in the auditorium. The numerous compliments regarding last Sunday morning's lesson were also appreciated.

This Sunday morning we will share with you the final lesson in the series entitled **The Lord's Church**. Please try and be present for Bible study and the morning worship service. I might add that neither are we opposed to your gathering with us on Sunday evening!

You will never regret your daily walk in the light of God's truths!

OUR FAITH IN ACTION

SUNDAY, APRIL 17, 1983

Bible Study	147
Morning Worship	190
Evening Worship	128
Contribution	\$ 1390.24
Contribution to Date	\$ 21,094.29
Budget to Date	\$ 21,744.00

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 20, 1983

Bible Classes	107
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THOSE TO SERVE APRIL 24, 1983

A.M. PRAYERS: Weaver Mills
H. L. Vance
P.M. PRAYERS: Elliott Raney
L. A. Wright

SCRIPTURE READING: Bo Johnson
Eph. 5:23-26

BIBLE HOUR: Meg Shelton

NURSERY: Juanita Shelton
Lisa Murray

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

OUR VISITORS

Thresa Weir of Sulphur Springs; Don, Jan, Joshua & Jacob Boswell of Mesquite; N. H. & Mildred Berry of Ivan, AR were guests of Nena Clement; Mr. & Mrs. Arnold Hekman of Jenison, MI; Tommy & June Barnes of Kemp, TX were guests of Tom & Norma Hutcheson.

THE LORD ADDED...

Doug Taylor (baptized) 4-20-83

Prayers & Restoration: Tresa Brown

Elders:
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Jerry O. Yates
L.A. Wright

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
C.S.T. 7:00 P.M.
D.S.T. 7:30 P.M.

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MARVIN L. WEIR, Editor

NO GREATER JOY

"GREATER JOY HAVE I NONE THAN THIS, TO HEAR OF MY CHILDREN WALKING IN THE TRUTH" (III John 4).

It was Pilate who said, "What is truth," as though truth were something impossible to discover. The same attitude that possessed Pilate surely manifests itself in many individuals today. There are so very many who profess to be educated and endowed with above average ability and wisdom, and yet they continually question, challenge, or totally ignore the inspired truths revealed in the Scriptures. It is sad to realize that so many in the world do not recognize the importance of God's Word, but it causes even greater grief when reminded each day that those who are Christians are not "walking in the truth."

The term "walking" (*peripateo*) in Scripture, when used as John uses it in III John 4, is always indicative of not just one or two acts, but a continued course of acting (living). To **walk in truth**, then, means much more than just discovering truth or giving assent to it. It means that **the truth** will be applied to one's behavior and lifestyle. There will be no contradiction between **profession** and **practice!**

In commenting on the Johannine usage of *peripateo* (walking), G. Ebel as recorded in the **Dictionary of New Testament Theology** says: "The expression 'walking in the truth' has an ethical side. The Epistles of John shows this clearly. Not mere words, but the whole way one lives one's life proves fellowship with God. . . It is thus a total surrender to God and to fellow human beings." There was nothing that brought John greater joy than hearing that Christians he had known, influenced, and taught were conforming their life to the truth.

The same is just as true today. There is no greater joy for gospel preachers and godly elders than the joy of knowing that members of the church are "walking in the truth." If such who "walk in the truth" are our joy, it is evident who are our grief -- those who "walk in darkness"; those who "walk in the flesh"; those who "walk after their own ungodly lusts"; and those who "walk disorderly."

As Christians may we never be guilty of walking in unrighteousness! Such a walk causes Satan to rejoice, dishonors Christ and His church, and ruins one's influence. May we always be Christians who are responsible for no greater joy being known!

-Marvin L. Weir
New Boston, TX



News & Notes



OUR SICK

NEW BOSTON: Vesta Cox is in room 205-B.

AT HOME: Julie Griffin; Gladys McKee; Marie McPherson.

Response

Lori Poff (Prayers) 4-17-83

CARE GROUP MEETINGS

CARE Group 1 will meet Friday, April 22 at 7:00 p.m. in the home of Virginia Parrish.

CARE Group 2 meets Sunday, April 24 after the evening services in the home of Ernest and Juanita Shelton.

CARE Group 4 also meets Sunday, April 24 after the evening services in the home of Russell & Suzette Tyndell.

YOU ARE INVITED

The Hughes Springs Church is having their 4th Annual Sing Song April 29 from 7:00 until midnight.

Also, the North Highway Church in Broken Bow is having their Annual Ladies Day Saturday, April 23.

YOUTH FELLOWSHIP

April's fellowship is scheduled to be in the home of Jerry & Charlene Yates -- date & time will be set later.



My dear Brothers & Sisters,

Thank you for the visits, calls, cards and most of all for your loving concern while I was in the hospital. It means everything to me.

In Christian love,
Gladys McKee

BOLES TRUCK COMING

Boles grocery truck will be in our area the week of May 2nd-5th. Below is a list of items needed:

Peanut Butter
Dishwasher Detergent
Cooking Oil
Tomato Sauce & Paste
Household Cleaners



DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME
set clocks FORWARD
one hour Sat. night
april 23



Topics

A.M. "Our Lord's Church" (No. 3)
Eph. 5:23-26

P.M. "How To Know If You're Dying"
II Cor. 13:5

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

MAY

LORD'S TABLE: Weaver Mills; Loran McPherson;
Robbie McKee; J. D. Pierce

PRAYERS:	<u>May 1</u>	<u>May 8</u>	<u>May 15</u>
	A.M. Haskel Roberts Rickey Burleson	Russell Tyndell Allen Freeman	H. L. Vance DeWayne Hardage
	<u>May 22</u>	<u>May 29</u>	
	A.M. Ernest Shelton, Jr. Grady King	L. A. Wright Herman Lynch	
	P.M. Bobby Higginbotham Weaver Mills	Danny Johnson Steve McIntosh	
SCRIPTURE READING:	<u>May 1</u>	<u>May 8</u>	<u>May 15</u>
	Grady King	Herman Lynch	Rickey Burleson
	<u>May 22</u>	<u>May 29</u>	
	James Boswell	Russell Tyndell	
BIBLE HOUR:	<u>May 1</u>	<u>May 8</u>	<u>May 15</u>
	Juanita Shelton	Wilford Trickler	Russell Tyndell
	<u>May 22</u>	<u>May 29</u>	
	Suzette Tyndell	Sylvia Williams	
NURSERY:	<u>May 1</u>	<u>May 8</u>	<u>May 15</u>
	Meg Shelton Tanya Murray	Charlene Yates Donna Parrish	Betty Brown Cheryl Shelton
	<u>May 22</u>	<u>May 29</u>	
	Alicia Dooley Marie Shelton	Joy Terral Tresa Brown	

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 KELLY MARTIN SINGING PRACTICE ELDERS MEET. AREA-WIDE SINGING AT HAUD	2 BOLES HOME TRUCK 2-5	3 ROBBIE MCKEE	4	5	6	7 LADIES DAY HUGO, OK
8 NURSING HOME DEVO ELDERS/DEACONS MEET.	9	10 TODD DOOLEY PREACHERS LUNCHEON	11	12	13	14 JANICE MILLS
15 SINGING PRACTICE DANA JONES	16	17 TANYA MURRAY	18	19	20 DONNA JOHNSON TOM STEELMAN	21
22	23 MR. & MRS. R. B. TURNER	24 MARIE ROBERTSON ROBIN CLARK	25 ROBERTA HARMON	26	27	28 MR. & MRS. CHARLIE COX
29 SINGING PRACTICE ASHLEY HENRY	30 FANNIE GRIFFITH LINDA THURSTON	31				

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