

## Another Chance

How often we wish for another chance  
To make a fresh beginning.  
A chance to blot our mistakes  
And change failure into winning.

It does not take a new day  
To make a brand new start.  
It only takes a deep desire  
To try with all your heart.

To live a little better  
And to always be forgiving  
And to add a little sunshine  
To the world in which we're living.

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# CHURCH OF CHRIST

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**David Byrd**  
**Bill Harrington**  
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## Is Christ's Blood Necessary?

Often People reason, "If I am good and if I treat others well, that is enough. I don't have to follow any particular religion.

But the Scriptures say otherwise: "...almost all things are purged (cleansed) with blood and without shedding of blood there is no remission. (Hebrews 9:22).

"In Him (Christ) we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins..." (Ephesians 1:7). Revelation 1:5 declares the rich grace of Christ, "...who loved us and washed us from our sins in His own blood."

Is Christ's blood necessary? Yes, "...if we walk in the light (of truth) as He is in the light, we have fellowship with one another and the blood of Jesus Christ, His (God's) Son cleanses us from all sin." (1 John 7).

We can't be good enough to remove one stain of sin. Only the perfection of Christ's blood can do that.

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### Worship And Study Opportunities

**Sunday:**  
Bible School.....9:30 A.M  
Worship.....10:30 A.M  
Evening Worship....6:00 P.M

**Wednesday:**  
Ladies Bible Class.....10:30 A.M.  
Mid-Week Bible Class....7:00 P.M.

**ELDER OF THE MONTH:**.....Leroy Horn

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**.....David Byrd

**RECORDS OF THE WEEK**

Bible School: .....82  
Morning Worship: .....111  
Evening Worship: .....75  
Wednesday Ladies' Class:.....  
Mid-Week: .....  
Contribution: .....\$4,764.00  
Weekly Budget: .....\$3,770.00

**THOSE WHO SERVE:**

**Sunday Morning:**

Opening Prayer .....Leroy Horn  
Closing Prayer: .....David Byrd  
  
Scripture: .....Glen Wampler

**Sunday Evening:**

Opening Prayer: .....Eric Sharum  
Closing Prayer: .....Terry Ball  
  
Scripture: .....David Kelsey

**Wednesday Evening:**

Opening Prayer: .....Brad McKinzie  
Closing Prayer: .....Ed Valdez  
  
Scripture: .....Joshua Sharum

**PRAYERS:** Leroy Horn will have surgery on Wednesday, February 9th. Kimberly Taylor's surgery on her hands went well. She appreciates everyone's prayers and calls. Curtis Lorah, Tomi's husband, had surgery on Wednesday, February 2nd at Memorial Hospital. Brooke Alvey the seven year old daughter of Clint and Teresa Alvey has been very ill and has been diagnosed with rheumatic fever. The Alvey's have been attending here for several months. Please keep Brooke in your prayers.

**PRAYERS:** Tim Doughty has requested prayers for things he has said he shouldn't have and to have a stronger heart to be able to cope with everything he goes through daily at the nursing home and to be able to deal with the way the people treat him that work there.

**SYMPATHY:** We express our deepest sympathy to Karla McLaury and her family. The 15 year old son of her cousin was killed in a car wreck last week in Chickasha.

**YOUTH:** If you would like to host a youth devotional the sign-up sheet is on the family bulletin board.

**APPRECIATION LUNCHEON:** The youth group will host an appreciation luncheon for the Seniors of the congregation (60 & up) on Saturday, **February 12th** at Noon at the Student Learning Center. There will be food & games (Please bring cards, dominoes or games).

**SIGN UP SHEET:** There is a sign up sheet on the family bulletin board for one couple each month to help with hosting and clean up for the monthly luncheons.

**WESTVIEW BOYS' HOME** will be back in April 2011. Needed items for the boys:

- Cookies
- Miracle Whip
- Mayonnaise
- 100% Juice
- Canned Pop
- Bottled Water
- Vienna Sausage
- Beef/Chicken Broth
- Powdered Gatorade

**Non-Food**

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| Lotion                | Wasp Spray   |
| Sunscreen             | Dryer Sheets |
| Liquid Pump Hand Soap | Kleenex      |
| Liquid Cascade        | Napkins      |

**CONTINUED PRAYER LIST:** Roy Bennett, James Bolton, Joslyn Burch, Tim Doughty, Donna Fletcher, Bill & Marvenia Harrington, Leroy & Pat Horn, Kenneth Jackson, Peggy Leverett, Brad & LaDonna McKinzie, Chesley & Jeannie Montague, Letha Owens, Herb & Jean Parrish, Kenny Richardson, Marie Sexton, Kimberly Taylor, Juanita Turner, Dwaine Zacharias, Erin Bryan, Lauren Caldwell, Johnny Fitzsimmons, Donna Flower, Jason Hamlin, Sally Hayes, Dortha Adler, Marvin McCathern, Keith McIntyre, Paige Mitchener, Geraldine Nettles, Adam Ray & Chuck Ray.

**FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS**

- 8 - Kenneth Jackson
- 9 - Velma Shook
- 12 - Ferris Mueller
- 21 - LaDonna McKinzie
- 23 - David Kelsey
- 25 - Herb Parrish
- 26 - Stevie Repp
- 27 - Marie Matthews

**The Great I Am**

by Joe R. Price  
(Borrowed from the Waurika Family Newsletter)

Therefore, I said to you that you will die in your sins; for if you do not believe that I am he, you will die in your sins." (John 8:24)

The book penned by the apostle John presents sufficient evidence for men to believe that Jesus of Nazareth is the Christ, the Son of God. Eternal life is the aim of such faith. (John 20:30-31).

John portrays Jesus in a series of "I Am" statements, as sufficient to meet man's every need. The following are among the reasons to put your faith in Jesus and do His will in your live.

I am the bread of life: John 6:35,48. Jesus gives us the food that sustains eternal life- - His words. John 6:27,63.

I am the light of the world: John 8:12; 9:5. Jesus illuminates the sinner's walk in the world of sin.

I am the door: John 10:7,9. Jesus is our access to spiritual salvation and safety.

I am the good shepherd: John 10:11,14. Jesus guards and leads His sheep.

I am the resurrection and the life: John 11:25. Jesus is the source of eternal life.

I am the way, the truth and the life: John 14:6. Jesus is the only way to come to the Father.