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A very warm welcome to each of you as we gather here to worship God! If you are visiting we are glad you have come and would invite you back when you are able. This week is also our fellowship luncheon that will be directly after services at the SLC. If you are visiting please come as our guest and enjoy a wonderful time together! This morning I will be directing our minds to one of the most recited, preached, and studied parables in the bible. Its the story of the lost or "prodigal" son found in Luke 15. But before you sigh "Not that same old story I have heard 100 times" Rather this study will be a little different than we are used to hearing about a wayward son coming back and taken back by our Lord with all His love and grace. This approach will challenge each of us to find ourselves in the parable just as Jesus try the crowd that was made up of two different groups that were in the audience listening when he told this story. I don't want us to hear the story and think it is about someone else. This story is OUR story and our thinking how we approach God. We must see that both sons in this parable were alienated from their relationship to their father just like we are today without Him. Are we seeking the right relationship with Him today? Lets all examine our hearts today!

### Worship And Study Opportunities

**Sunday:**

Bible School.....9:30 A.M

**Wednesday:**

Ladies Bible Class.....10:30 A.M.

**ELDER OF THE MONTH:**.....Eric Sharum

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**.....Glen Wampler

**RECORDS OF THE WEEK**

Bible School: .....66  
Morning Worship: .....90  
Evening Worship: .....52  
Mid-Week: .....61  
Ladies Class: .....12  
Contribution: .....\$4,897.00  
Weekly Budget: .....\$4,084.00

**THOSE WHO SERVE:**

**Sunday Morning:**

Opening Prayer:.....Klaus Mueller  
Closing Prayer: .....Jerry Golson

Scripture: .....Bryan Cain

**Sunday Evening:**

Opening Prayer: .....Charlie Kelsey  
Closing Prayer: .....Bryan Cain

**Wednesday Evening:**

Opening Prayer: .....Weldon Flanagan  
Closing Prayer: .....Greg Ray

**WEBSITE:** [http://www.spreaker.com/page#!/show/university\\_church\\_of\\_christ\\_sermons](http://www.spreaker.com/page#!/show/university_church_of_christ_sermons)

**VIDEO PAGE:**

[www.youtube.com/universitycoc2011](http://www.youtube.com/universitycoc2011)

**ILL:** Cleo Harper fell and is recuperating at home. Alfred Repp is having a hard time. Bill Reeves, Claudine Bolton's brother-in-law, is doing better. Peggy Leverett has health problems. Johnny Caldwell is at home, Greg Ray's aunt has spine cancer. June Hanna was in the hospital in Plainview Texas for two days this week. Please keep all of our sick in your prayers daily.

**THE LUNCHEON FOR APRIL** is this Sunday, April 21st. Everyone make plans to attend.

**TEEN DEVOTIONAL:** There will be a teen devotional this Sunday night, the 21st, at the home of Bryan & Kathy Cain.

**WEDDING SHOWER** for Jarred Kelsey and Lena Endsley will be Sunday, April 28th at 2 p.m. at the Student Learning Center. Selections are at Eastons, Wal-Mart, Target & Bed Bath & Beyond.

**WEDDING**

of Lena Endsley and Jarred Kelsey

Join us and share in our happiness as we celebrate our marriage with family and friends on the twenty-fifth of May two thousand and thirteen at two o'clock in the afternoon at the Stillwater Church of Christ, 821 North Duck, Stillwater, Oklahoma. Reception to follow. The favor of a reply is requested by April 27, 2013

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2013 ANNUAL CAMPAIGN

Lawton, Ok

June 1-7, 2013

**THE WESTVIEW BOYS' HOME** grocery truck will be back in **August**.

**Shopping List**

Beef Jerky  
Canned Tamales/Chili  
Canned Chicken/Ham  
Old Fashioned/Instant Oats  
Bottled Hidden Valley Ranch Dressing

**Non-Food**

Kleenex  
Liquid Laundry Soap

**CONTINUED PRAYER LIST:** Roy Bennett, Joslyn Burch, Jerry Doughty, June Hanna & her husband, Bill & Marvenia Harrington, Leroy & Pat Horn, Peggy Leverett, Corine Marcum, Marie Matthews, Brad & LaDonna McKinzie, Bobbie Mullins, Letha Owens, Jean Parrish, Sue Peddy, Alfred Repp, Kenny Richardson, Marie Sexton, Velma Shook, Dwaine Zacharias, Chuck Ray, Brett Ross, Cae's cousin, Carol, Sue Peddy's sister, Mary Hood & Jerry Golson's sister, Linda Harshberger, who has cancer.

**APRIL BIRTHDAYS**

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| 4 - Sidonia Kelsey  | 17 - Suzy Salas      |
| 4 - Jean Leverett   | 21 - Greg Ray        |
| 5 - Corine Marcum   | 24 - Genie Kelsey    |
| 5 - Mitch McLaury   | 26 - Allison Parrish |
| 8 - Levada Wampler  | 26 - Keith Parrish   |
| 10 - Sue Peddy      | 27 - Tim Curtis      |
| 11 - Shane McLaury  | 28 - Violet Repp     |
| 12 - Brenda Golson  |                      |
| 13 - Perry Warren   |                      |
| 16 - Travis Burch   |                      |
| 17 - Charles Kelsey |                      |

**ADULT BIBLE STUDY** on Tuesday at 6 pm at the SLC.

**ARE YOU SOWING IN PEOPLES LIVES?**

Once there was a king who decided to set aside a special day to honor his greatest subject. When the big day arrived, a large gathering took place in the palace courtyard and the finalists were brought forward. The first person was a wealthy philanthropist. This man was deserving of the king's honor because of his great humanitarian efforts. He had given much of his wealth to the poor, building orphanages, schools and hospitals throughout the land. The second was a celebrated physician. This outstanding doctor was deserving of honor for rendering his faithful and dedicated service to the sick for many years and discovering medicines that saved many lives. The third was a distinguished judge. He was noted for his wisdom, his fairness and his many brilliant decisions. The last person presented before the king was an elderly woman. Her manner was quite humble, as was her dress. She hardly looked the part of someone who would be honored as the greatest subject in the kingdom. What chance could she possibly have, when compared to the other three, who had accomplished so very much? The king was intrigued, to say the least and was somewhat puzzled by her presence. He asked who she was. Then the answer came: "Well, my king, do you see the philanthropist, the doctor, and the judge over here? She was their teacher! "This woman had no wealth, no fortune, and no title, but countless lives were helped, healed and changed through her giving. So for us we never know whose lives we're touching. I'm sure someone prayed — someone gave — someone shared the Gospel with some of the greatest evangelists, preachers and givers we know. Let's serve the Lord by sowing unselfishly into the lives of the people he's put in our path so that they may become great in His Kingdom!