

WHAT MAKES A DAD

God took the strength of a mountain,
The majesty of a tree,
The warmth of a summer sun,
The calm of a quiet sea,
The generous soul of nature,
The comforting arm of night,
The wisdom of the ages,
The power of the eagle's flight,
The joy of a morning in spring,
The faith of a mustard seed,
The patience of eternity,
The depth of a family need,
Then God combined these qualities
When there was nothing more to add,
He knew His masterpiece was complete,

And so,

He called it...Dad

~~ Author Unknown ~~



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WELCOME

We want to take this time to welcome each of you here to University and welcome you back if you are visiting. If you are a visitor today we would ask if you would remain after services a brief moment so we might get the chance of greeting you and welcoming you here in person. Also a reminder that this is our monthly fellowship luncheon so please stay and be our guest at the SLC immediately following services today.

Looking for a church home? We would love for you to be a part of the work here so please take the time to visit with us. Want to set up a group or personal bible study? Have a need or know of someone who does? Please let us know how we may serve you.

Download our free church app on your phone or smart device and stay connected. Search ucoclawton in the app store.

It's summertime! Camps, vacations and so much goes on during these few months and with that our annual family vacation. I do appreciate the time given to our family to enjoy and we thank you for the opportunity. I also want to thank Roy for his ability to dust off retirement and get back in the pulpit for the first time since retiring. He will be filling in for me this week for the bible class, Sunday morning and evening. I am grateful for his willingness to fill in this week. Kent Marcum will be here the following Sunday before we return. Again Thank you and talk to you soon.

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.....Eric Sharum

ANNOUNCEMENTS.....David Byrd

RECORDS OF THE WEEK

Bible School:37
Morning Worship:51
Evening Worship:31
Mid-Week:25
Ladies Class:.....
Contribution:\$4,000.00
Weekly Budget:\$3,953.00

THOSE WHO SERVE:

Sunday Morning:

Opening Prayer:Tim Curtis

Closing Prayer:Klaus Mueller

Sunday Evening:

Opening Prayer:David Byrd

Wednesday Evening:

Opening Prayer:Keith Parrish

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If you would like to see a past sermon you can go to our web site and click on the weekly sermons tab.

PRAYERS: Weldon Flanagan, Sue Peddy, Barbara Bolton, J.L. & Claudine, Charlie & Sidonia and all the people on our continued prayer list.

A MEMORIAL DONATION on behalf of James Bolton our brother-in-law from Dale & Brenda Nygren was given to the University Church to put in the Disaster Fund.

A DONATION in memory of James Bolton has been given to the University Church from Shane & Karla McLaury.

NEW ADDRESS & NEW PHONE NUMBER & PRAYERS REQUESTED:

Flo Fitzsimmons needs our prayers. She has not been feeling well. She is staying with her daughter permanently. This is her daughter's address. She can receive cards and phone calls at this address.

Sandy Warren
Flo Fitzsimmons
7616 N.W. Chesley Dr.
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NEW ADDRESS: Charlie and Sidonia are in room A76 at McMahon if you want to add them to your list. Thanks, Genie

JUNE BIRTHDAYS

- 5 - James Brennan
- 5 - Joslyn Marie Burch
- 6 - Jarrett Belflower
- 12 - Shiloh Stoner
- 17 - Joshua Sharum
- 20 - Kaiden Higgins
- 30 - June Hanna

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

JUNE CALENDAR

17 - Father's Day

24 - Luncheon

LADIES DAY: Saturday, September 15, 2018 - 9:00 AM - Burkburnett Church of Christ, 204 N. Ave. C, Burkburnett, Texas - Guest Speaker: Becky Blackmon

EXTENDED CARE:

Jack Treffinger is in McMahon in room A 82 B

Joyce Ray is in Cedar Crest in room 106

CONTINUED PRAYER LIST: Roy Bennett, Barbara Bolton, Tommy & Debbie Bowden, Kaiden Higgins, Leroy Horn, David & Becky Kelsey, LaDonna McKinzie, Letha Owens, Jean Parrish, Sue Peddy, Denice Ross, Kenny Richardson, Dwaine Zacharias, David Byrd's father, Johnny Burch, Randy Frazier Weldon's nephew, Joshua Kelsey, Lena Kelsey, Randy Hill, Kim Warren, Joyce Ray, Louie Hill, Freddie McCathern, Dala Melton, Teri Lynn Disney and Angie Caldwell.

In Case You Missed It

EPHESIANS 6:12-13

- 12 For we do not wrestle against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the cosmic powers over this present darkness, against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly places.
- 13 Therefore take up the whole armor of God, that you may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand firm.

Have you ever heard of the Valley of Elah? It's the valley near Bet Shemesh where David defeated Goliath, yet this historic battlefield is virtually untouched in Israel. During the rainy season a brook runs through the midst of the valley, however it dries up during the summer. This brook is very likely the one from which David chose his five smooth stones - one of which was used to kill Goliath. Yet, this historic place has no landmarks, no churches - people drive past it all the time unaware of it's biblical or historic significance. The present "invisibility" of this battlefield causes us to reflect on the fact that David's battle with Goliath was also won in an "invisible" place...the place of David's faith. Isn't it true, most of the battles we face are won or lost in the spiritual realm - - on a hidden battlefield where we wage war in our prayer closets? Spiritual victories in our prayer closets won't necessarily result in monuments marking them, but those victories will be well remembered in Heaven, and will leave dynamic memorials of faith in our hearts! Is there a spiritual Goliath facing you today? If so, remember where the battlefield lies, hidden - - in your prayer life! Stand strong and firm in devoted prayer...and the victory will be won - - fight on the spiritual battlefield, where the greatest victory of all, Jesus own triumph on the cross, has already prepared the way for yours!