

Hosea 6:1-3

- 1 "Come, let us return to the Lord; For He has torn *us*, but He will heal us; He has wounded *us*, but He will bandage us up.
- 2 "He will revive us after two days; He will raise us up on the third day. That we may live before Him.
- 3 "So let us know, let us press on to know the Lord. His going forth is as certain as the dawn; And He will come to us like the rain, Like the spring rain watering the earth."

Colossians 2:6-7

- 6 Therefore as you have received Christ Jesus the Lord, *so* walk in Him,
- 7 Having been firmly rooted *and now* being built up in Him and established in your faith, just as you were instructed, *and overflowing* with gratitude.

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Could it be you...?" He took the book, nodding. "Yes, I wrote these words years ago." "Oh, how wonderful!" she exclaimed. "Imagine! I'm sharing a carriage with the author of these very lines!" But Robinson barely heard her. He was absorbed in the words he was reading. They were words that would one day be set to music and become a great hymn of the faith, familiar to generations of Christians: Come, Thou Fount of every blessing, Tune my heart to sing Thy grace' 'Streams of mercy, never ceasing, Call for songs of loudest praise. His eyes slipped to the bottom of the page where he read: Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it—Prone to leave the God I love; Here's my heart, O take and seal it, Seal it for Thy courts above. He could barely read the last few lines through the tears that brimmed in his eyes. "I wrote these words—and I've lived these words. 'Prone to wander...prone to leave the God I love.'" "The woman suddenly replied "You also wrote, 'Here's my heart, O take and seal it.' You can offer your heart again to God, Mr. Robinson. It's not too late." And it wasn't too late for Robert Robinson. In that moment he turned his heart back to God and walked with him the rest of his days. Could this be you? A devoted Christian deep in your heart, who has wandered from the faith? Your loving Father is still there to take you in and you can return to Him.

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We want to take the time to thank and welcome each one of you. We are so glad you are here today to worship our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. If you are visiting today we are so glad you have come our way and invite you back the next time your are able. If you are a visitor we would also ask if you would remain after services a brief moment so we might get the chance of meeting and welcoming you here in person. Again Welcome!

Looking for a church home? Wanting to know more about your relationship with Him? Wanting to set up a personal or group bible study? Have a need or know of someone who does? Please take the time to meet with us we would love to know how we may serve you.

Download our free church app today and stay connected and have your own online bible. Search ucoclawton in the app store.

Welcome! I am so glad you are here. At this time of the year I don't have to remind us how HOT it is. But what else should we expect around July and August in Oklahoma? It wasn't too long ago we were suffering in drought. Scary time for sure. But what about our heart. Is it dried up? Is our heart in a drought towards God? Know this He is calling us back to Him. Today we will look in Hosea and see what He has reminded all of us to RETURN. Scriptures used in today's sermon can be found on the back.

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:.....Charles Kelsey

ANNOUNCEMENTS:.....Tim Curtis

RECORDS OF THE WEEK

Bible School:43
Morning Worship:94
Evening Worship:32
Mid-Week:37
Ladies Class:
Contribution:\$3,799.00
Weekly Budget:\$3,750.00

THOSE WHO SERVE:

Sunday Morning:

Opening Prayer:James Brennan

Closing Prayer:Klaus Mueller

Sunday Evening:

Opening Prayer:Keith Parrish

Wednesday Evening:

Opening Prayer:Eric Sharum

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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 FOR THE FOLLOWING: Jerry Golson will have surgery this Wednesday at Duncan. Johnny Burch who is waiting to find out what kind of treatments he will be having. Debbie Bowden had dental surgery last week. Leroy & Pat, Brad & LaDonna.

THANK YOU NOTE: University, I am deeply grateful for all of your loving thoughts, your well wishes, and especially your prayers! Please know that I feel your love and appreciate each and every one of you and each and every prayer. I am doing well and am responding to treatment. Surgery will be soon. Please also include my beautiful Uncle Jack Treffinger in your good thoughts as well. Thank You All, Teri Disney (Justice)

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL - July 24-26
- 7:00-8:30 p.m. - 8th & Lee Church of Christ

JULY BIRTHDAYS

- 5 - Terri Belflower
- 6 - Leroy Horn
- 11 - Becky Kelsey
- 17 - Brad McKinzie
- 19 - Cae Sharum
- 25 - Charlie Kelsey
- 29 - Claudine Bolton
- 31 - Daniel Coffey

FINANCIAL PLANNING SEMINAR -
Saturday Morning - **July 29th 9:00-12:00** -
To reserve a space, call **Faith Village Church of Christ** (940-692-0032) Individualized financial planning is available on Saturday afternoon...upon request! Flyer posted on the back hall bulletin board.

4TH ANNUAL HYMNS AT THE TRAIL
Saturday, August 5, 2017 - 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. Homemade Ice Cream after. Come,

sing and make melody in your heart!! Chisholm Trail Church of Christ 3204 West Beech, Duncan, Ok. Contact Bennie Newton @ 580-641-3566 for more information. We encourage Song Directors from visiting congregations to lead a song!

CONTINUED PRAYER LIST: Kathy Allbritton, Roy Bennett, James & Barbara Bolton, Claudine Bolton, Debbie Bowden, Kaiden Higgins, Leroy & Pat Horn, Brad & LaDonna McKinzie, Letha Owens, Jean Parrish, Sue Peddy & her grandson Lee & daughter Beckie, Kenny Richardson, Dwaine Zacharias, David Byrd's father, Bryan Cain's father, Joshua Kelsey, Lena Kelsey, Randy Hill, Kim Warren, Joyce Ray, Dala Melton & Teri Lynn Disney.

EXTENDED CARE:

Jack Treffinger is in McMahon in room A 82 B
Joyce Ray is in Cedar Crest in room 106

THE WESTVIEW BOYS' HOME grocery truck will be here the week of **August 7th, 2017**. Needed items for the boys.

Shopping List:

Olive Oil	Cashews
Capri-Sun	Almonds
100% Juice	Mixed Nuts
Canned Soda	Red-Skin Peanuts
Chex Party Mix	
15 oz. Pork-n-Beans	
Beef Jerky/Slim Jims	
Powerade Zero (No Red Please)	

Non-Food:

Febreeze
Flashlights
Magic Eraser
9-Volt C Batteries
Dove/Caress Soap
Mechanical Pencils

In Case You Missed It

Isaiah 55:6-7 Seek the Lord while He may be found, Call upon Him while He is near. 7 Let the wicked forsake his way, And the unrighteous man his thoughts; Let him return to the Lord, And He will have mercy on him; And to our God, For He will abundantly pardon.

I came across this story I would like to share. It was a bright Sunday morning in 18th century in London, a one Robert Robinson's mood was anything but sunny. All along the street, there were people hurrying to church, but in the midst of the crowd, Robinson was a lonely man. The sound of church bells reminded him of years past when his faith in God was strong and the church was an integral part of his life. It had been years since he set foot in a church — years of wandering, disillusionment, and gradual defection from the God he once loved. That love for God — once fiery and passionate — had slowly burned out within him, leaving him dark and cold inside. Robinson heard the clip-clop of a horse-drawn cab approaching behind him. Turning, he lifted his hand to hail the driver. But then he saw that the cab was occupied by a young woman dressed for the Lord's Day. He waved the driver on, but the woman in the carriage ordered the carriage to be stopped. "Sir, I'd be happy to share this carriage with you," she said to him. "Are you going to church?" Robinson was about to decline, then he paused. "Yes," he said at last. "I am going to church." He stepped into the carriage and sat down beside the young woman. As the carriage rolled forward Robert Robinson and the woman exchanged introductions. There was a flash of recognition in her eyes when he stated his name. "That's an interesting coincidence," she said, reaching into her purse. She withdrew a small book of a inspirational verse, opened it to a bookmark, and handed the book to him. "I was just reading a verse by a poet named Robert Robinson.

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