

**HERE AND NOW**

Some think that they'll find happiness when

They get the things they have not;

Those already happy find I comee

From the things they've already got.

- George O. Ludcke



# University CHURCH OF CHRIST

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Welcome to the University Church of Christ! We are glad you have come our way and invite you back to worship with us. If you are visiting today, we ask that you linger after services so we can introduce ourselves to you and get the chance of knowing you a little better.

Today more than ever we need Biblical friendships. One recent study found that Americans have one third fewer friendships than 20 years ago and- as technology continues to increase- ironically intimacy is on the *decrease*.

Ecclesiastes 4:9 say "Two are better than one because they have a good return for their labor. 10 For if either of them falls, the one will lift up his companion. But woe to the one who falls when there is not another to lift him up." Do we have someone there when we fall to lift us up? That is why God has set up the best support system there is.....each other! Yet Proverbs warns us in 18:1 "He who separates himself seeks his own desire. He quarrels against all sound wisdom." We need each other and the challenge starts with each one of us. As Paul wrote to those in Philippi chapter 2:4 "do not merely look out for your own personal interests, but also for the interests of others."

Yes, I am my brothers keeper!

**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:**.....Tim Curtis

**RECORDS OF THE WEEK**

Bible School: .....56  
Morning Worship: .....87  
Evening Worship: .....44  
Mid-Week: .....  
Ladies Class: .....  
Contribution: .....\$4,736.00  
Weekly Budget: .....\$3,772.00

**THOSE WHO SERVE:**

**Sunday Morning:**

Opening Prayer:.....Leroy Horn  
Closing Prayer: .....Ed Valdez

Scripture: .....Weldon Flanagan

**Sunday Evening:**

Opening Prayer: .....David Byrd  
Closing Prayer: .....Keith Parrish

**Wednesday Evening:**

Opening Prayer: .....Klaus Mueller  
Closing Prayer: .....Joshua Sharum

**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)

**PRAYERS ARE REQUESTED:** Pat Doughty is recovering from her recent eye surgery.

**LADIES' CLASS** will resume on **Wednesday September 12th** at 10:30 a.m. The new class will be titled "Our Religious Neighbor's Beliefs". We will have a salad luncheon that day also. All ladies of the congregation are invited.

**LADIES NIGHT OUT!** At Elm and Hudson Church of Christ, 400 North Hudson, Altus, Ok. - Tuesday, September 18th at 6:30 p.m. - Speaker: Gina Braswell from Malvern Arkansas - Theme: "Love patterned after Christ". Please **RSVP to 580-482-1179 by September 9th, 2012.**

**AREA-WIDE BACK TO SCHOOL YOUTH RALLY**

Sunday, September 9th - Rush Springs Church of Christ - "Break Through The Darkness: - Guest Speaker: Ken Waugh - Tipton, Ok. - Guest Song Leader: Jed Lovejoy - Tipton, Ok. Please RSVP by Wednesday, September 5th. Call (or text) Daryn Brantley @ 405-201-5017

**SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS**

- 2 - Dorothy Isom
- 4 - Coy Watson
- 11 - Justin Davis
- 16 - Jarred Kelsey
- 18 - Denice Ross
- 22 - Danny Shook
- 23 - Debbie Brandon
- 24 - Karla McLaury
- 25 - James Bolton

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

**Shopping List**

- Ravioli
- Capri Sun
- Beef Jerky
- Fruit Snacks
- Spaghetti Sauce
- Candy Bars/Gum
- Tub/Stick Margarine
- Apple/Cherry Pie Filling
- Tomato/Vegetable Beef Soup
- Creamy/Crunchy Peanut Butter
- Peanut Butter/Cheese Crackers

**Non-Food**

- Spray & Wash
- Toilet Paper/Paper Towels
- Carpet Fresh/Air Fresheners
- Comet/Toilet Bowl/Bathroom Cleaners

**CONTINUED PRAYER LIST:** Roy Bennett, Joslyn Burch, June Hanna, Bill & Marvenia Harrington, Leroy & Pat Horn, Dorothy Isom, Peggy Leverett, Corine Marcum, Brad & LaDonna McKinzie, Bobbie Mullins, Letha Owens, Jean Parrish, Sue Peddy, Kenny Richardson, Marie Sexton, Velma Shook, Juanita Turner, Dwaine Zacharias, Chuck Ray, Brett Ross.

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**Time with God**

is

**Time well spent**

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**COLLEGE READY**  
Special class starts September 5th

It's back to school time and many of our college students are heading back to class. We are so glad that you are here! The college group is growing and we invite all college students and those college age to join us each Wednesday for class. We will be meeting at the SLC (behind the church) at 7:00 for a series entitled "College Ready." This is an informative class, tackling issues each college student faces.

Topics include:

- Lesson 1- College Starts Best with Vision
- Lesson 2- Empowering Friendships
- Lesson 3- Excelling Academically
- Lesson 4- Dating Right
- Lesson 5- Having Fun
- Lesson 6- Growing Spiritually

Don't miss this exciting informative class, tell a friend, bring a friend, help spread the word!

See you all next Wednesday