

Third, follow the Spirit of God. Jesus didn't leave us here as orphans. He gave us the Holy Spirit to be with us forever (John 14:16-18). He's working on us and in us! "For it is God who works in you, both to will and to work for his good pleasure" (Philippians 2:13). Many people claim to want the Holy Spirit's guidance, but they skip steps 1 and 2. They don't fill their souls with God's Word, and they don't seek godly counsel. Yet these are the very tools the Spirit of God uses to guide us. If you don't fill up on the Word and wise counsel, then you're not giving the Spirit much to work with. You're left with only a subjective sense of "the-Lord-told-me-to-do-this." God will never tell you to do something contrary to His Word or counter to true, godly wisdom. If you insist on deciding against God's Word and wise counsel, then the results will be entirely your own fault. Together, these three guidelines provide a powerful decision-making grid. Start with Scripture. Include wise counsel. Rely on God's Spirit. Then you'll know your feet are on God's path, and He will light your way.

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We want to welcome each of you here to University! If you have come by way of invitation or by one of our postcards that have been mailed out recently we welcome you here and invite you back! If you are visiting us today we would ask if you would remain after services briefly so we might get the opportunity of meeting you and welcoming you here in person. Again WELCOME!

If you have a question of us? Wanting to know more about following the ways of Jesus? Looking for a church home? Are in need of some assistance please let us know. We would love to know how we may serve you. You may also contact us throughout the week at the office.

REMINDER:

There are still some invitation postcards for you to use and send out personally to anyone you know, they can be picked up and mailed out directly. See the office if you need some assistance.

As we Discover Faith this fall we invite everyone to examine themselves to see just where you are in your faith. Have you started? Is it growing? Do you need to be rekindled? Are we at a standstill or do we have questions? We are to add to our faith, we learn, we grow. Faith is not just a belief its tested, its challenged, and best of all its rewarded for those who seek him diligently Do we have faith that will last? Don't be discouraged because a lot of times when we think of faith we think of it having to be BIG. Jesus reminded the disciples if they just had faith of a mustard seed which is quite small nothing would be impossible for them. We only need a little for the Lord to use a lot. Let us commit ourselves this day to adding to our faith in Him!

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:.....Eric Sharum

RECORDS OF THE WEEK

Bible School:55
Morning Worship:88
Evening Worship:36
Mid-Week:41
Ladies Class:13
Contribution:\$4,334.00
Weekly Budget:\$3,908.00

THOSE WHO SERVE:

Sunday Morning:

Opening Prayer:..... Tim Curtis
Closing Prayer:David Byrd

Scripture:Eric Sharum

Sunday Evening:

Opening Prayer:Glen Wampler
Closing Prayer:Perry Warren

Wednesday Evening:

Opening Prayer:Bryan Cain
Closing Prayer:Jerry Doughty

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

**PRAYERS NEEDED FOR THE FOLLOW-
ING:** Claudine Bolton is now at home recuperating. Leroy & Pat Horn, Brad & LaDonna McKinzie & Sue Peddy.

MONDAY NIGHT FOR THE MASTER will be this Monday, September 14th at the Student Learning Center at 6:00 p.m.

The Ladies who will be bringing cookies are:

Janna Barrington
Cathy Brennan
Kathy Cain

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS:

- 18 - Denice Ross
- 22 - Danny Shook
- 23 - Debbie Brandon
- 25 - James Bolton
- 27 - James Clay

MONTHLY EVENTS FOR SEPTEMBER:

September 14th - MNFTM

September 20th - Monthly Luncheon

September 20th - Jim Corner will speak at the Sunday morning class.

FALL FOCUS 2015 - Camp Lu-Jo KISMIF - October 16-18th - Cost \$50 - For 7-12th Grades: The flyer is posted on the bulletin board in the back hall.

DRESS FOR SUCCESS - Saturday, October 24, 2015 - 9:30 am - 1:00 pm - Northwest Church Of Christ Ladies Day - Speaker: Stephani Minor

from Kingfisher, Oklahoma - Registration begins at 9:00 a.m. - lunch provided - Please RSVP with number attending by 10/17/15. We hope you can join us!

QMCC LADIES' FALL RETREAT - OCTOBER 2-3, 2015 - Sowing The Seeds Of Spiritual Growth - **SPEAKER:** Joan Willis, Childress, Texas - Hosted by the Ladies of Elm & Hudson Church of Christ, Altus, Ok. The information is posted on the back bulletin board.

LADIES DAY - Saturday, September 19, 2015 at 9:30 a.m. - Registration & Brunch at 9:00 - Speaker - Jackie Jordan - "A Little Humor Along the Way" - Hosted by ladies at Prairie Hill Church of Christ, Rt. 2 box 413 [179476 N 2820 Rd] Comanche, Ok. 73529-9662 - RSVP by September 14, 2015 email mpineda@pldi.net or (580)439-6665

CONTINUED PRAYER LIST: Roy Bennett, J.L. & Claudine Bolton, Kaiden Higgins, Leroy & Pat Horn, Brad & LaDonna McKinzie, Letha Owens, Jean Parrish, Sue Peddy, Kenny Richardson, Velma Shook, Lesley Wirt, Dwaine Zacharias, Randy Hill, Glenda Kinney, James Marcum & Nathan McBride.

EXTENDED CARE:

Kenneth Gregory is in Willow Park in room 14 B

Joyce Ray is in Cedar Crest in room 115.

In Case You Missed It

Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path. I have sworn an oath and confirmed it, to keep your righteous rules. I am severely afflicted; give me life, O Lord, according to your word (Psalm 119:105-107, ESV)!

*What is God's will for my life? Am I even on the right path? When I come to a fork in the road, which choice should I make? This is how so many of us feel about God's will: confused. We want clarity; we feel confusion. The good news is that God doesn't leave us in the dark. Not only does He give us a path, but He also provides a lamp to light the way. Consider these three guaranteed, path-proven guidelines to walking in the light of God's will. *First, find God's will in His Word.* According to Psalm 119:105, "Your Word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path." The Bible lights up your path so you can navigate the way forward. When you are uncertain or feel like you're in a dark place, turn on the light of God's Word. Make it your daily practice to read the Bible so that you're not just reading random snippets but beginning to know where to find the answers. Keep a list of particular passages that have given you direction. The Scriptures help you see where your feet are standing and where the path leads. God may not show you miles ahead on the path, but He'll show you the next step. *Second, seek godly counsel.* Your second source of light is advice from wise Christians. Proverbs 12:15 teaches, "The way of a fool is right in his own eyes, but a wise man listens to advice." Too often we're tempted to think, *I don't want anyone's input! I already know what I want to do. If I ask for advice, someone might tell me my plan is a bad idea.* The foolish person doesn't seek or listen to counsel from others before making an important decision. Don't be indecisive—or decisive on your own. Who are the wise, trustworthy advisers in your life? Who are the solid Christians who want what's best for you? Who cares more about what God wants for you than what you selfishly want? Advisers don't coddle you; they coach you.*

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