

Matthew 5:43-48

- 43 "You have heard that it was said, 'You shall love your neighbor and hate your enemy.'
- 44 But I say to you, love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you,
- 45 so that you may be sons of your Father who is in heaven; for He causes His sun to rise on *the* evil and *the* good, and sends rain on *the* righteous and *the* unrighteous.
- 46 For if you love those who love you, what reward do you have? Do not even the tax collectors do the same?
- 47 If you greet only your brothers, what more are you doing *than others*? Do not even the Gentiles do the same?
- 48 Therefore you are to be perfect, as your heavenly Father is perfect.

Romans 2:3-4

- 3 O man, when you pass judgment on those who practice such things and do the same *yourself*, that you will escape the judgment of God?
- 4 Or do you think lightly of the riches of His kindness and tolerance and patience, not knowing that the kindness of God leads you to repentance?

Romans 2:5-11

- 5 But because of your stubbornness and unrepentant heart you are storing up wrath for yourself in the day of wrath and revelation of the righteous judgment of God,
- 6 who will render to each person according to his deeds:
- 7 to those who by perseverance in doing good seek for glory and honor and immortality, eternal life;
- 8 but to those who are selfishly ambitious and do not obey the truth, but obey unrighteousness, wrath and indignation.
- 9 *There will be* tribulation and distress for every soul of man who does evil, of the Jew first and also of the Greek,
- 10 but glory and honor and peace to everyone who does good, to the Jew first and also to the Greek.
- 11 For there is no partiality with God.

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## WELCOME

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We want to take this time to welcome you here to University whether you're a long time member or just visiting with us we want to thank you for being a part of our worship here at University. If you are visiting we would ask if you would remain after services a brief moment so we might get the chance of meeting you and greeting you in person and welcoming you here.

Looking for a church home? Interested in a group or personal bible study? Need some assistance or know of someone who does? Please take the time to visit with us we would love to know how we may serve you.

Remember we have plenty of mail out cards that still can be sent out, just fill out the address, stamp and mail. We can also mail them for you just leave them at the office. We also have the small invitation cards that are easy to pass out and can give to friends as well. And we have a great video library for you to use that have thousands of helpful videos with topic studies for Men, Women, Teens, finance, raising children and a big selection of children videos as well. Contact the office with questions or ask how you can sign up for free with no obligations.

Do you think there is a difference between acceptance and approval? Culture and the tone of today's society says there is none. They are the same. I beg to differ and Jesus showed there is a big difference between accepting or loving someone as opposed to approving of their deeds, lifestyle. It's the true difference of loving the sinner but hating the sin. Can we get to this because most often isn't what we see is hate the sin avoid the sinner. The sin and the sinner go together. In order for us to love we must separate the two just like Jesus demonstrated, isn't that why He came is to save us? Die for us so we don't have the sin payment. He demonstrated that He loved us while we were yet sinners. Lets do a better job of finding more ways to love than dismiss. Lets reason where each of us are at today in our thinking and actions.

### 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:**.....David Byrd

**RECORDS OF THE WEEK**

Bible School: .....38  
Morning Worship: .....73  
Evening Worship: .....36  
Mid-Week: .....41  
Ladies Class: .....12  
Contribution: .....\$2,155.00  
Weekly Budget: .....\$3,909.00

**THOSE WHO SERVE:**

**Sunday Morning:**

Opening Prayer: .....Bryan Cain  
Closing Prayer: .....Jerry Golson

**Sunday Evening:**

Opening Prayer: .....James Brennan

**Wednesday Evening:**

Opening Prayer: .....David Byrd

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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 NEEDED FOR THE FOLLOW-**

**ING:** Leroy and Pat, Brad and LaDonna, Barbara Bolton and Roy Bennett. Remember the ones on our continued prayer list.

**MONDAY NIGHT FOR THE MASTER**

will be this coming Monday, October 10th at 6:00 p.m. at the Student Learning Center.

The ladies who will be bringing cookies are:

Janna Barrington  
Cathy Brennan  
Kathy Cain  
Karee Curtis

**THANK YOU NOTE:** Thank you all for your prayers, cards and calls. They all lifted my spirits and made me well again. With Christian Love Terry Ball

**OCTOBER CALENDAR**

10th - Monday Night For The Master

16th - Monthly Luncheon

**OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS**

10 - Earline Gregory  
11 - Mary Coffey  
17 - J.L. Bolton  
20 - Weldon Flanagan  
23 - Jeannie Montague  
23 - Shirley Sharum  
26 - Jean Parrish  
28 - Cindy Byrd  
30 - Karee Curtis  
30 - Teri Lee

**LADIES DAY:** Sullivan Village church of Christ - October 8, 2016 - 10 A.M. - Speaker: Wendy Rutledge of Mount Vernon,

Texas - Does God want us to *tiptoe* through the tulips or *run* through the daisies in our Christian walk? - Coffee - lesson - lunch  
Please RSVP by October 4 to Desirae at 580-678-9574 or desiraejb@mac.com

**GOSPEL MEETING AND SINGING** - October 9-11, 2016 - Elgin church of Christ, 2nd and G Ave, Elgin, Ok. - "SOLVING THE WORLD'S PROBLEMS THROUGH LOVE"

Gospel Singing Sunday, Oct. 9, at 2:00 P.M. followed by fellowship and refreshments.

Sunday, Oct. 9, 4:00 P.M. "Learning to Love God More" - Speaker: Josh Mallow, Sullivan Village, Lawton

Monday, Oct. 10, 7:00 P.M. "Learning to Love Our Neighbors" - Speaker: Steven Patterson, Preacher, 8th & Lee, Lawton

Tuesday, Oct. 11. 7:00 P.M. "Learning to Love Our Brethren" - Speaker: Steven Hill, Preacher, Sullivan Village, Lawton

**CONTINUED PRAYER LIST:** Roy Bennett, J.L. & Claudine Bolton, Barbara Bolton, Debbie Bowden, Tim, Karee & Clay Curtis, Kenneth Gregory, Kaiden Higgins, Leroy & Pat Horn, Brad & LaDonna McKinzie, Letha Owens, Jean Parrish, Sue Peddy, Kenny Richardson, Velma Shook, Dwaine Zacharias, David Byrd's father, Bryan Cain's father, Johnny Burch, Randy Hill.

**EXTENDED CARE:**

Kenneth Gregory is in Willow Park in room 2 C.

Joyce Ray is in Cedar Crest in room 106.

Jack Treffinger is in McMahan in room A82B

In Case You Missed It

**1 Cor. 6:19-20** Or do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit in you, whom you have of God? And you are not your own, for you are bought with a price. Therefore glorify God in your body and in your spirit, which are God's.

The most expensive painting according to Wikipedia was sold for over \$300 million dollars. It's called "Interchange" by Willem de Kooning. That's a lot of money. Then there was another painting called "Number 17 A" by Jackson Pollock that was sold for over \$200 million dollars! Just think that people have paid millions of dollars for these works so what is a human life worth? To some they may look and feel not so much like 300 million dollars for others we are just a mess of "useless eaters" (a phrase used by Henry Kissinger to describe the elderly)...but we know that every human life is extremely valuable because God was willing to pay the highest price for it. He gave His Son for your life - - declaring its value in His own precious blood! So while you may feel, or even look like a house painter's drop cloth, in God's economy - - the only one that matters - - you are priceless, with extreme value! So live your life in the Father's estimation of His value for us. You are a precious piece in His "collection" His valuation of you is filled with loving purpose - - let it sink in - - you are precious, "worth more than many sparrows"; bought and paid for by the King of Kings we are who He says we are and on top of that if we are a child of God we are one of His.