

“The fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, gentleness,  
goodness, faith, meekness, temperance”

GALATIANS 5:22-23



# UNIVERSITY CHURCH OF CHRIST

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Welcome to University! We are so glad you have come today to worship the Lord and hope you are able to join us again soon. If you are visiting us we welcome you here and invite you back the next time you are able. If you are visiting we would also ask if you would remain after services so we might get the chance of meeting and greeting you in person. If you have a question, want a personal bible study, want a free correspondence course or looking for a church home we would love the chance of visiting with you. Please let us know how we may help you.

We hope everyone enjoyed being with family and friends this Thanksgiving! We hope your travels will be save and enjoyable. This weekend will also be our 5th Sunday and with it our preacher exchange for evening services and University has the privilege of welcoming newly appointed minster Garrett Bookout from the Northwest congregation. Let's welcome him this evening to our community as the congregations in Lawton continue to work together in this effort.

Often times we look at problems and adversity as always being bad or evil. But have you ever thought there were advantages to our problems. I know that may sound like a new concept. Today I want us to look at some opportunities we have when problems arise and come our way and how we can then turn around and help others. We can benefit and others can benefit with what's going on in my life right now, in spite of the adversity...We will take and look at Josephs life as one of our greatest examples given to us in scripture concerning how to handle adversity.

**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**.....Leroy Horn

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**.....David Byrd

**RECORDS OF THE WEEK**

Bible School: .....	56
Morning Worship: .....	76
Evening Worship: .....	29
Mid-Week: .....	45
Ladies Class: .....	
Contribution: .....	\$5,127.00
Weekly Budget: .....	\$4,084.00

**THOSE WHO SERVE:**

**Sunday Morning:**

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

Scripture: .....Tim Curtis

**Sunday Evening:**

Opening Prayer: .....James Brennan  
 Closing Prayer: .....Greg Ray

**Wednesday Evening:**

Opening Prayer: .....Charlie Kelsey  
 Closing Prayer: .....Jerry Doughty

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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:** Karla McLaury's surgery went well and she is at home. Debbie Bowden had to go to the emergency room on Sunday morning. Weldon is recovering from his surgery. Brad McKinzie's surgery went well. Levada Wampler got a good report from her tests. Claudine Bolten, Leroy & Pat Horn, Beckie Wiseman & LaDonna McKinzie also need our prayers.

**SYMPATHY:** We extend our deepest sympathy to David Byrd in the death of his cousin last week.

**THANK YOU NOTE:** Thank you to everyone that prayed for me while I had cancer and surgery to remove it. Levada

**TEACHERS NEEDED:** Teachers are needed for the next quarter. If you can teach a class please let Tim Curtis know.

**THE 5TH SUNDAY PREACHER'S EX-CHANGE** is this Sunday November 30th. Garrett Bookout will be here at University and Eric will be at Sullivan Village.

**WESTVIEW:** Thank you to everyone who is contributing to the Westview gifts sign-up. Please have your wrapped and tagged packages to the building on November 30.

**LADIES CLASS** has dismissed until Wednesday January 7th.

**YOUTH NEWS:** Southern Oaks Church of Christ Festival of Light A.W. T. G. on Sunday December 7 starting at 5:00 P.M.

**WESTVIEW BOYS HOME:** The list of needs for the boys are:

- Spam
- Velveeta
- Cheez Its
- Beef Jerky
- Fruit Snacks
- Orange/Fruit Juice
- Parmesan Cheese
- Flour/Corn Tortillas
- Grated/Sliced Cheese
- Blueberry Muffin Mix
- Green Enchilada Sauce
- Peanut/Cheese Crackers

**Non-Food**

- 9-Volt Batteries
- Plastic Silverware
- Bathroom/Toilet Bowl Cleaner

**They will be here the week of December 1st to pick up the food & gifts.**

**NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS**

- 4 - Marie Sexton
- 15 - Mike Jackson
- 16 - Rylee Jackson
- 18 - Sherrie Morris
- 21 - Tommy Bowden
- 26 - Caleb Sharum
- 30 - Tyler Brandon

**CONTINUED PRAYER LIST:** Roy Bennett, Debbie Bowden, Joslyn Burch, Kenneth Gregory, Kaiden Higgins, Leroy & Pat Horn, Brad & LaDonna McKinzie, Karla McLaury, Bobbie Mullins, Letha Owens, Jean Parrish, Sue Peddy, Kenny Richardson, Marie Sexton, Velma Shook, Beckie Wiseman, Dwaine Zacharias, Kim Warren, Eric's sister Nikki & uncle Al, Sue Peddy's sister Mary Hood and Nicole Hall during her pregnancy.

**MONTHLY ASSIGNMENTS FOR DECEMBER**

**MORNING TABLE**

Keith Parrish	David Byrd
Klaus Mueller	Tony Salas

**ALTERNATES FOR COMMUNION TABLE**

Charles Kelsey  
Greg Ray

**SUNDAY MORNING SONG LEADER**

Tim Curtis

**SCRIPTURE READING BEFORE COMUNION**

James Brennan

**SCRIPTURE READING BEFORE AM SERMON**

Bryan Cain

**COUNT CONTRIBUTION**

Keith Parrish

**NIGHT TABLE**

J. L. Bolton

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Glen Wampler

**GREETERS**

Klaus & Shirley Mueller

**USHERS & ATTENDANCE**

Jerry Doughty  
Greg Ray

**PREPARE COMMUNION**

James & Cathy Brennan

**NURSERY & BAPTISMAL LINENS**

Karee Curtis

**AUDIO/VIDEO OPERATOR**

Joshua Sharum

**ELDER OF THE MONTH**

Brad McKinzie