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

GALATIANS 5:22-23

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A very warm welcome to each one of you today as we come together to worship the Lord! If you are visiting we especially want to welcome you and invite you back the next time you are able. We would also ask if you would remain after services so we might get the chance of meeting you in person we would love the opportunity. If you have a question of us, looking for a church home, want a personal bible study, or are in need of assistance please visit with us we would love the opportunity of serving you and helping you grow in the Lord.

We want to take this time to wish everyone a safe and enjoyable holiday spent with family and friends. It seems that these times come so fast and so frequent as we get older. Take time to enjoy!

What name would best describe you? If someone were to give your name meaning what would they say about you and your life? Names mean something just check any baby book or Google search and you will find the meaning of your name. This week a lot of attention will be given about the name above all names Jesus Christ and when you search throughout your bible you will find so many descriptive words about God. I have counted 53 or so with just describing Jesus. Today our text is taken from Isaiah 9 verses 6 and 7 where some 1,000 years before Christ we are told a child would be born and with that who He would be. I want us to examine more closely with one of the names mentioned in this text that we don't use so often and that is Wonderful Counselor. What does that mean for us today and can we call Him Wonderful Counselor? Lets look and examine were we are with Him to us.

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.....Brad McKinzie

ANNOUNCEMENTS:.....Glen Wampler

RECORDS OF THE WEEK

Bible School:	48
Morning Worship:	79
Evening Worship:	39
Mid-Week:	43
Ladies Class:	
Contribution:	\$4,156.00
Weekly Budget:	\$4,084.00

THOSE WHO SERVE:

Sunday Morning:

Opening Prayer:.....Leroy Horn
 Closing Prayer:Glen Wampler

Scripture:Bryan Cain

Sunday Evening:

Opening Prayer:Keith Parrish
 Closing Prayer:Greg Ray

Wednesday Evening:

Opening Prayer:

Closing Prayer:

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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 FOL-

LOWING: Weldon Flanagan had surgery today December 17th at Memorial Hospital. Claudine Bolton will be seeing the doctor in Okla. City on Wednesday to see what treatment she will be having on her knee. Karla McLaury, Debbie Bowden, Kaiden Higgins, Leroy & Pat & Brad & LaDonna.

ON WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 24TH

church services have been cancelled.

DEVOTIONAL ON WEDNESDAY DE-

CEMBER 31ST: We will have a devotional at the Student Learning Center. After our devotional the ones who want to stay to welcome in the New Year are to bring a lite snack and a game.

A DONATION: A donation has been made to the University Church of Christ in memory of Chuck Ray from James & Barbara Bolton and J. L. & Claudine Bolton.

THANK YOU: We would like to thank you for the plant, your prayers, and cards, during my short stay in the hospital. Your love and concern is treasured. Weldon & Dolores

NOTICE: There comes a time when you have to acknowledge your limitations. Because of age, and voice problems, I will not be available to preach funeral services anymore. The only exception will be to those I may have made a commitment in years gone by. It's a service I have been glad to give, but there comes a time. Weldon

THE CONTRIBUTION ENVELOPES

FOR 2015 are in the foyer. Remember not to use them until the first Sunday in January the 4th.

AREA WIDE YOUTH DEVONTIONAL

this Sunday, December 21st, at the 8th & Lee Church of Christ at 4:30 for worship with a meal & devotional following.

THE AFFIRMING THE FAITH SEMINAR

in Oklahoma City will be **February 27-28** at the North MacArthur congregation. The topic will be "Christianity: God's Blueprint for Living."

DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS

- 13 - Eric Sharum
- 16 - Tony Salas
- 20 - Dolores Flanagan
- 26 - Jimi Holliday
- 26 - Dana Parrish
- 27 - Kathy Cain
- 27 - Glen Wampler
- 31 - Jerry Doughty

CONTINUED PRAYER LIST: Roy Bennett, Claudine Bolton, 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, and Nicole Hall during her pregnancy.

In Case You Missed It

John 7:37-38 In the last day, that great day of the feast, Jesus stood and cried, saying, if any man thirst, let him come unto me, and drink. He that believeth on me, as the scripture hath said, out of his belly shall flow rivers of living water.

An estimated 500,000 tons of water go over Niagara Falls every minute. On March 29, 1948, the falls suddenly stopped. Those who lived near enough heard the overwhelming silence, and immediately they thought it was a sign — the end of the world had come! However, after thirty hours had passed — the flow of water resumed. What had happened? Heavy winds had set the ice fields of Lake Erie in motion and tons of ice had jammed the Niagara River entrance near Buffalo. The ice blocked the flow of water until finally, there was a shift in the blockage and the river began flowing again. The river had stopped flowing because of ice. Think about that with us if we really want the flow of God's love, peace, joy, and all that we want in our lives — we cannot allow our hearts to become like ice. If we do, His current of all those things will stop. Like the Spirit departing Saul in the Old Testament we need to do a better job of searching our hearts for those areas where the ice has built up and needs to thaw out so the river may flow once again.