

# Where You Are Family



# News Update

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Tony Langley - Mission  
Gerry Luther - 1st Impressions & Bridges  
Nathan Matthews - Worship

## COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN

Richard Dean - Benevolence  
Keith Ferguson - Buildings  
Nick Schroeder - Fellowship



### MORNING WORSHIP

Welcome: Jim Smith  
Song Leader: Nick Schroeder  
Prayer: John Butts  
Communion Prayers: Bubba Burnett  
Offering Prayer: Gerry Luther  
Scripture Reading: Jeff Matics  
Message: DC Brown  
Benediction: Jerry Walker



### EVENING WORSHIP

Announcements/Prayer: Jim Smith  
Song Leader: Bill Rogers  
Communion Prayers: Johnny Singletary/Ronny Cook  
Evening Lesson: DC Brown  
Closing Prayer: Keith Ferguson



### ASSEMBLY TIMES

Sunday Bible Class: 9:30 AM  
Sunday Worship: 10:30 AM  
Evening Worship: 5:00 PM  
Wednesday Bible Study: 7:00 PM



### SUNDAY ADULT & TEEN BIBLE CLASSES

Auditorium:	Minor Prophets	Lonnie Ritchie
Annex Classroom:	<u>Respectable Sins</u>	David Singletary
Annex Meeting Rm:	Young Adults	Scott Carpenter
Fellowship:	Hebrews	DC Brown
Library:	New Christians	Morris Fridle
Annex Teen Room:	<u>This Is Church</u>	Nick Schroeder

# Welcome!

## How Will This Year Be Different For You?

*Note: Although this article is directed towards those going back to school, the content can apply to all of us in our places of work as well. So, every time (for the most part) you see the word "school" you can replace it with "workplace".*

New friends, old friends, nice teachers, scary teachers, a packed lunch, compulsory dress code and a fresh timetable. Going back to school is a day that inevitably comes each year. Some love it, others hate it or perhaps you just go through the motions indifferently. Regardless of how it makes you feel you have to go, so how will you make the most of it? How will you make this year at school worthwhile? It's time for you to step up!

School is an incredible place where you meet hundreds of young people and spend time with them 5 days a week for approximately 40 weeks a year. This presents an amazing opportunity to witness and share the gospel with so many people. In fact the best people to reach out to these students are students. The way you live and talk to your friends can be very powerful.

As a Christian, school ought to be looked at as one of the ultimate mission fields. Here are a few ways you can stand out and step up when you go back to school:

- **MEET** (Hebrews 10:25): Meet with your church family whenever you can and bring your friends. You can also start a lunchtime group at your school that meets to study the bible.
- **TALK** (1 Peter 3:15): When your friends ask what you did on the weekend, tell them about church and invite them along. Tell your friends about your faith and why Jesus is so important to you.
- **LIVE** (Matthew 5:16): Live like Jesus. Don't get caught up in gossip, materialism, slander, drama, or any ways of this world. But be different and people will notice, then you can point them to Jesus.
- **PRAY** (Colossians 4:2): Pray for your friends, that they might come to know the good news of Jesus and obey the gospel. God's power is in prayer, we should remember that.

So, as another year starts and the weekly cycle begins again, make a difference! Be bold and stand out for Jesus. Don't waste the time you have now and the opportunities that come at school. Whether you are in 6th grade or 12th, at a public school or private school, Jesus died for all our sake and he has sent us out to make disciples of all people. So why don't you start now?!

- Nick Schroeder

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## PRAYER REQUESTS

- ◆ Bob & Kitty Mobley
- ◆ Nancy Morrow
- ◆ Cliff & Barbara Purvis
- ◆ Jack & Katheryn Bullock
- ◆ Jimmy & Charlene Ware
- ◆ Evelyn Stalcup
- ◆ Reina Butts
- ◆ Rick, Sherry & Macy Damazio
- ◆ Charlotte Smith
- ◆ Paul Miller
- ◆ Frances Poehl
- ◆ Jerry & Janice Walker
- ◆ Rosemary Lunt
- ◆ Wilma Davenport
- ◆ Louise Hairgrove
- ◆ Barbara Loving
- ◆ Connie Matics
- ◆ Langley Family
- ◆ Lauren Iglar
- ◆ Debbie Brown

Our Active Military :Cody Damazio, Ricky Damazio, Matt Gilley, & John Neidrich

### ◆ Prayers for the friends and loved ones of our church family:

- ◆ Tommie Sue Wacbod, Ethel Mitchell's friend (cancer)
- ◆ Megan Woodson, Glenn & Terry's daughter (biopsy)
- ◆ J.B. Leonard, Lance's uncle (rehab facility due to fall)
- ◆ Rue Ann & Family, Jim & Virginia Smith's relatives (husband passed away)
- ◆ Hadley Daniel, Jean Lowery's great granddaughter (Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia)
- ◆ Family of Wayne Smith, Jeff & Connie Matics' friend/neighbor (unexpectedly passed away)
- ◆ Family of Cecil Herndon, Minister at Eastside church of Christ (passed away)
- ◆ Alan Schroeder, Nick's father (blood pressure issues)
- ◆ Reed Cox, Steve & Tammye's son (pneumonia/surgery due to abscess in his lung)



## EVENTS & UPDATES

### ELDER IN CHARGE FOR AUGUST - JIM SMITH (214.402.5852)

- ◆ Elder/Deacon/Chairman/Preacher Meeting will be Sunday, August 19th at 3:30 PM in the Annex
- ◆ MNFTM will meet on Monday, August 20th
- ◆ Prayer Meeting will meet on Tuesday, August 21 & 28
- ◆ Guest Speaker: Wes Smith Wednesday, August 22nd
- ◆ Guest Speaker: Bill Rasco Wednesday, August 29th

### Remove from Membership

Gerald and Linda Kirk are worshipping elsewhere



## DAILY BIBLE READING

MONDAY 20 - Jeremiah 46-49; TUESDAY 21 - Jeremiah 50-52; WEDNESDAY 22 - Lamentations 1-3:36; THURSDAY 23 - Lamentations 3:37-5; FRIDAY 24 - Ezekiel 1-4; SATURDAY 25 - Ezekiel 5-8



## YOUTH UPDATE



### UPCOMING EVENTS

- ◆ Ladies Day - October 6
- ◆ Camp Recharge - October 19-21
- ◆ Trunk or Treat - October 27

*With school beginning remember who you are and Whose you are!*



## SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS

### Summer Series

August 22 - Wes Smith      August 29 - Bill Rasco



### Elder/Deacon/Chairman/Preacher Meeting

TODAY at 3:30 p.m. in the Annex

### Office Closed

Monday, September 3rd for Labor Day



### Wednesday Morning Bible Study



### Men's & Ladies Wednesday Morning Bible Class

Resumes Wednesday, September 5th at 9:30 a.m.

### Dorcas Ministry

Will meet Saturday, September 8th at 9:00 a.m.



## RECORDS YOU HELPED MAKE

### AUGUST 12, 2018

Sunday Bible Class:	100
Morning Worship:	130
Evening Worship:	85
Wednesday Bible Study:	72

Contribution:	\$8,462
Budget:	\$8,020
Over/(Under) Budget:	\$4,716